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Complete each of the following sentences using one of these conjunctive adverbs: then, instead, also, therefore, besides, consequently, still, otherwise, finally, in contrast. For some sentences, more than one correct answer is possible. Choose the most natural-sounding response.

ex: John was a good dancer; in contrast, his brother was a horrible dancer.

1. The president dismissed half of the elected representatives;, people became upset and revolted.
2. Jim was unprepared for the test, he passed.
3. He doesn't want to ask her out;, he doesn't even think she's pretty.
4. I have to go to the store with my mother;, I'd help you with your homework.
5. I don't like his voice;, he moves his arms around too much when he speaks.
6. We went to see Uncle Harry;, we all went to the park and had a picnic.
7. Rachel is very shy;, her sister Debbie is very outgoing.
8. He wanted to go to Spain;, he ended up going to Greece.
9. Jim did not prepare for the test;, he failed.
10. After three hours, John and Betty were alone;, he would be able to tell her that he loved her.

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ANSWERS:

- 1. then OR therefore OR consequently
- 2. still
- 3. besides
- 4. otherwise
- 5. also OR besides
- 6. then
- 7. in contrast
- 8. instead
- 9. therefore OR consequently
- 10. finally