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   What he said hurt badly.

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   There were a range of emotions in it.

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   The city is very busy.

6) We were drowning in a sea of grief.
   
   We were extremely sad.

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   It is very advanced.

8) The car beats lightning in its speed.
   
   It runs very fast.