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## Semantic Gradients

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After some explanation from your teacher, fill in the following semantic gradients and explain your reasoning.

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elated

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Word Bank: upset, indifferent, glad, happy

obese

skinny

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Word Bank: slender, thin, chubby, hefty, average

trudged

sprinted

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Word Bank: raced, walked, hurried, dawdled, hobbled

microscopic

gargantuan

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Word Bank: big, small, tiny, huge, large

careless

meticulous

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Word Bank: haphazard, careful, tidy, casual