

## Direct Contrast / Concessive Contrast / Refutation

### Concessive Contrast (Beklenmedik ya da şaşırtıcı sonucun yol açtığı zıtlık) = Concession

although, even though, though, while, even if, in spite of, despite, notwithstanding, however, nevertheless, nonetheless, but, yet, still, even so, much as, much though, all the same, no matter+question word, however+adj./adv., adj/adv+as/though+subject+verb gibi ifadeler bu grupta yer alır.

Bill studied hard. **Nevertheless / Nonetheless / However**, he failed.

Bill studied hard. He, **nevertheless / nonetheless / however**, failed.

Bill studied hard. He failed, **nevertheless / nonetheless / however**.

John likes Bill. **Nevertheless / Nonetheless / However / But / Yet / All the same / Even so**, he doesn't trust him.

**Despite** her efforts, she failed the exam.

**Despite** being vegetarian, he eats fish.

**Despite** the rain, we started to play basketball.

He couldn't get the machine to work **despite** following the instructions carefully.

We did not wear coats **despite** the cold weather.

We decided to walk **in spite of** the rain.

I tried to look happy **in spite of** feeling terrible.

**In spite of** saying they were too busy to go, they went.

We decided to walk **even though** it was raining.

I put a little sugar in my tea **even though** I shouldn't eat sugar.

**Even though** we were having difficulties, we felt optimistic.

**Even though** I shouldn't eat sugar, I put a little sugar in my tea.

**Though** I shouldn't eat sugar, I eat a lot of foods with sugar in them.

I eat a lot of foods with sugar in them **though** I shouldn't eat sugar.

**Although** I shouldn't eat sugar, I do (eat sugar).

I do eat sugar **although** I shouldn't eat sugar.

She was only sixteen, **but** she won three gold medals anyway.

He grew up in the U.S, **yet** he doesn't speak English.

He's vegetarian. **Even so**, he eats fish.

**Regardless of** her broken toe, she went dancing.

**No matter how** hard I try, I can never pass that French exam.

### Direct Contrast (Doğrudan zıtlık)

Bu grupta whereas, while, but, however, on the other hand, in/by contrast gibi ifadeler yer alır.

City life is noisy and fast-paced. **However/On the other hand/In contrast**, country life is quiet and slow.

Plants require carbon dioxide to live, and they emit oxygen in return. Animals, **on the other hand**, need oxygen, but exhale carbon dioxide.

Mary is a Christian; **however**, her husband is a Moslem.

Mary is rich, **while/whereas** John is poor.

Mary is rich, **but** John is poor.

Mary is rich. John, **on the other hand**, is poor.

Mary is rich. **By contrast**, John is poor.

**While /Whereas** Mary is rich, John is poor.

**Unlike** Mary, who is rich, John is poor.

**As opposed to** Mary, who is rich, John is poor.

**In contrast to** Mary, who is rich, John is poor.

**In contrast to** to the north, which will remain warm and sunny, the south will become cloudy during the early morning.

I like sugar in my coffee, **while** Edward likes black coffee.

I like sugar in my coffee, **whereas** Edward likes black coffee.

I like sugar in my coffee, **but** Edward likes black coffee.

I like sugar in my coffee. **In contrast**, Edward likes black coffee.

I like sugar in my coffee. **However**, Edward likes black coffee.

**While** I like sugar in my coffee, Edward likes black coffee.

**Whereas** I like sugar in my coffee, Edward likes black coffee.

I like sugar in my coffee **in contrast to** Edward who likes black coffee.

The average surface temperature of the moon is -18 C. **By contrast**, the average surface temperature of the Earth is +15 C.

The fuel cycle for a coal-fired power station is fairly simple. **In contrast**, the fuel cycle for a nuclear power station is much more complex.

### Refutation (Yalanlama, çürütme)

'on the contrary' = 'bilakis, (tam) tersine' söylenen bir ifadenin doğru olmadığını, tersi bir durumun söz konusu olduğunu ifade eder.

Mary is not poor. **On the contrary**, she is quite rich.

I didn't ask Mary to leave. **On the contrary**, I asked her to stay.

You say she is very beautiful. I, **on the contrary**, find her rather ugly.

I'm not tired at all. **On the contrary**, I'm feeling full of energy.

Carbon dioxide is not a pollutant. **On the contrary**, it makes crops and forests grow faster.

A planned economy does not produce new jobs. **On the contrary**, all of the existing empirical data strongly argues that the exact opposite occurs.

'contrary to', 'on the contrary' ile aynı anlamı verir. 'contrary to' bir preposition olarak kullanılır.

**Contrary to** widespread belief, the Buddhist religion does not require practitioners to be vegetarian.

### Conversely

*used when one situation is the opposite of another:*

American consumers prefer white eggs; **conversely**, British buyers like brown eggs.  
Large objects appear to be closer. **Conversely**, small objects seem farther away.

*in a way that is the opposite or reverse of something:*

You can add the fluid to the powder, or, **conversely**, the powder to the fluid.

*You say conversely to indicate that the situation you are about to describe is the opposite or reverse of the one you have just described.*

In real life, nobody was all bad, nor, **conversely**, all good.

*from a different and opposite way of looking at this:*

He was regarded either as too imitative to be considered original or, **conversely**, as being overly original.

*used for introducing a sentence, or part of a sentence, which says something that is the opposite of the other part*

When the press was biased towards the political right, television coverage tended to lean to the left. **Conversely**, if the press swung heavily to the left, television would have to redress the balance by leaning to the right.

*The word conversely is an adverb that means "the opposite" or "on the other hand." It is often used to introduce an idea that is different from one stated before.*

You say the photo is a fake. **Conversely**, the photographer claims it's real.

Some wrong answers were marked right and, **conversely**, some right answers had been rejected.

*in the opposite way Tips: The converse of something is its opposite. Thus, using the word conversely is a good way to introduce an opposite statement from the one that has just been made.*

All fathers are men; **conversely**, not all men are fathers. (on the other hand)

We provide tech-support 24-hours a day, seven days a week; **conversely**, our competitors only provide tech-support 8-hours a day, five days a week. (contrarily, on the other hand)

He was considered a great doctor by some, and **conversely**, as an out-of-control renegade by others. (on the contrary)

If we do nothing to improve our sales this company will fail, and **conversely**, our competition will thrive. (contrarily)

Diğer bazı örnekler:

He usually votes Republican, but she **conversely** tends to vote for Democrats

This is because some air moves in as, **conversely**, more air molecules hit the outside than the inside

The side dishes are the menu's greatest strength, and, **conversely**, its greatest weakness.

When you join two simple sentences properly, you get a compound sentence. **Conversely**, a compound sentence can be broken into two complete sentences, each with its own subject and its own verb.

In the competition mode, two players compete against each other. By being in front of the opponent, the player can reduce the rivals life level. **Conversely**, driving behind the opponent reduces the players life level.