

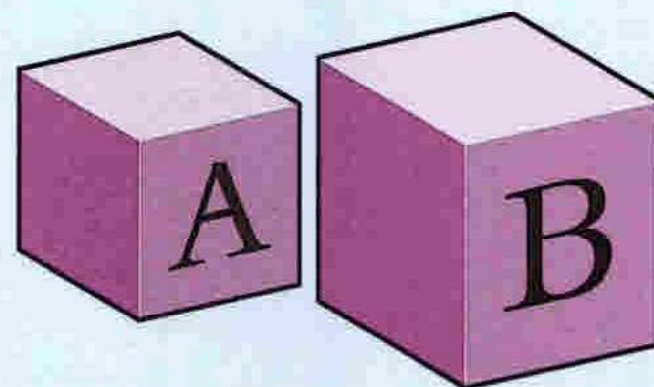
# not as . . . as

A

Not as . . . as



She's old, but she's **not as old as** he is.



Box A isn't **as big as** Box B.

- Rome is **not as old as** Athens. (= Athens is older)
- The Grand Hotel isn't **as expensive as** the Western. (= the Western is **more expensive**)
- I don't play soccer **as often as** you. (= you play **more often**)
- The weather is better than it was yesterday. It isn't **as cold**. (= as cold as it was yesterday)

B

Not as much as . . . / not as many as . . .

- I don't have **as much money as** you. (= you have **more money**)
- I don't know **as many people as** you. (= you know **more people**)
- I don't go out **as much as** you. (= you go out **more**)

C

Compare **not as . . . as** and **than**:

- Rome is **not as old as** Athens.  
Athens is **older than** Rome. (*not older as* Rome)
- Tennis isn't **as popular as** soccer.  
Soccer is **more popular than** tennis.
- I don't go out **as much as** you.  
You go out **more than** me.

D

We usually say: as **me** / as **him** / as **her**, etc.

You can say:

- She's not as old as **him**. or She's not as old as **he is**.
- You don't work as hard as **me**. or You don't work as hard as **I do**.

E

We say **the same as . . .**:

- The weather today is **the same as** yesterday.
- My hair is **the same color as** yours.
- I arrived at **the same time as** Tim.

## 90.1 Look at the pictures and write sentences about A, B, and C.

<p>1.</p>	<p>2.</p>	<p>3.</p>
<p>4.</p>	<p>5.</p>	<p>6.</p>

- A is bigger than C, but not as big as B.
- A is \_\_\_\_\_ B, but not \_\_\_\_\_ C.
- C is \_\_\_\_\_ A, but \_\_\_\_\_.
- A is \_\_\_\_\_, but \_\_\_\_\_.
- B has \_\_\_\_\_.
- C works \_\_\_\_\_.

## 90.2 Write sentences with as ... as .....

- Athens is older than Rome. Rome isn't as old as Athens.
- My room is bigger than yours. Your room isn't \_\_\_\_\_.
- You got up earlier than me. I didn't \_\_\_\_\_.
- We played better than them. They \_\_\_\_\_.
- I've been here longer than you. You \_\_\_\_\_.
- She's more nervous than him. He \_\_\_\_\_.

## 90.3 Write as or than.

- Athens is older than Rome.
- Joe isn't as intelligent \_\_\_\_\_ he thinks.
- I don't watch TV as much \_\_\_\_\_ you.
- Belgium is smaller \_\_\_\_\_ Switzerland.
- You eat more \_\_\_\_\_ me.
- Brazil isn't as big \_\_\_\_\_ Canada.
- I'm more tired today \_\_\_\_\_ I was yesterday.
- I can't wait more \_\_\_\_\_ an hour.

## 90.4 Complete the sentences about Julia, Andy, and Laura. Use the same age / the same street, etc.

<p>I'm 22. I live on Hill Street. I got up at 7:15. I don't have a car.</p>	<p>I'm 24. I live on Baker Street. I got up at 7:15. My car is dark blue.</p>	<p>I'm 24. I live on Hill Street. I got up at 7:45. I have a car. It's dark blue.</p>
Julia	Andy	Laura

- (age) Andy is the same age as Laura.
- (street) Julia lives \_\_\_\_\_.
- (time) Julia got up \_\_\_\_\_.
- (color) Andy's \_\_\_\_\_.