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Contractions

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Part A: Write the contraction for the two words.

1. did not = _____ 2. I am = _____

3. cannot = _____ 4. you will = _____

5. is not = _____ 6. they have = _____

7. it is = _____ 8. let us = _____

9. we are = _____ 10. she is = _____

Part B: Write the two words that make the contraction.

11. they're = _____ 12. don't = _____

13. we've = _____ 14. I'll = _____

15. aren't = _____ 16. wasn't = _____

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| 5. is not = <u>isn't</u> | 6. they have = <u>they've</u> |
| 7. it is = <u>it's</u> | 8. let us = <u>let's</u> |
| 9. we are = <u>we're</u> | 10. she is = <u>she's</u> |

Part B: Write the two words that make the contraction.

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| 11. they're = <u>they are</u> | 12. don't = <u>do not</u> |
| 13. we've = <u>we have</u> | 14. I'll = <u>I will</u> |
| 15. aren't = <u>are not</u> | 16. wasn't = <u>was not</u> |