

# assess

to set the value or ability of something

# compensate

to make up for something; to pay for

# deteriorated

made or became steadily worse

# devastating

capable of causing ruin or destruction

# implement

to put into action; to carry into effect

# peripheral

of or pertaining to the outer edges of something;  
such as the field of vision

# potential

possibility; capacity to become something

# summit

the highest point, as of a hill or mountain