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"You, Severus Snape, are a moron."

Snape looked down his nose at the glaring brunette with her chin in the air. "I. beg. your. pardon," he said in a slow voice that promised a long and painful demise.

"Yes," she nodded firmly. "A complete and utter moron." She seemed oblivious to the hand creeping towards his wand. "In fact, you are such a *complete* thickbrain that I'm quite frankly *astounded* you've survived this long."

"Really."

"I hate having to spell it out for you," she continued, "but..." She pounced with astonishing speed, mashing her lips to his.

Some moments later, Severus drawled, his lip curling, "I think, Hermione, you'll have to explain that again. I'm not quite sure I understood it the first time."

"Thickbrain," she murmured.

ANs: This is an ever-so-slightly longer version than the one posted on GS100, which was pared down to the bone to make the wordcount. For anyone who might be interested in my writing process (not sure why, but there you are), this is pretty close (not exactly, but close) to what the first draft looked like before pruning. A tip of the cap to 'Doctor Who', which donated the word 'thick' as an insult capable of so much more extensive use than I've managed here.