

1046-57-1872 **Marion Moore*** (marion@math.ucdavis.edu), 635 Adams St, Apt 8, Davis, CA 95616, and
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We construct knots of arbitrarily high distance in 3-manifolds which poses strongly irreducible Heegaard splittings. The knots sit as cores of stabilizations of these Heegaard splittings. (Received September 16, 2008)