2008职称英语理工类完型填空训练(四) PDF转换可能丢失图片 或格式,建议阅读原文 https://www.100test.com/kao_ti2020/471/2021_2022_2008_E8_81_ 8C_E7_A7_B0_c67_471522.htm Animal 's "Sixth Sense "A tsunami was triggered by an earthquake in the Indian Ocean in December, 2004. It killed tens of thousands of people in Asia and East Africa. Wild animals, ____1__, seem to have escaped that terrible tsunami. This phenomenon adds weight to notions that I they possess a "sixth sense" for _____2___, experts said.Sri Lankan wildlife officials have said the giant waves that killed over 24,000 people along the Indian Ocean island 's coast clearly ____3___ wild beasts, with no dead animals found. " No elephants are dead, not _____4___ a dead rabbit. I think animals can ____5___ disaster. They have a sixth sense. They know when things are happening. " H.D. Ratnayake, deputy director of Sri Lanka 's Wildlife Department, said about one month after the tsunami attack. The _____6___ washed floodwaters up to 2 miles inland at Yala National Park in the ravaged southeast, Sri Lanka 's biggest wildlife _____7__ and home to hundreds of wild elephants and several leopards. "There has been a lot of _____8___ evidence about dogs barking or birds migrating before volcanic eruptions or earthquakes. But it has not been proven, " said Matthew van Lierop an animal behavior____9__ at Johannesburg Zoo. "There have been no _____10____ studies because you can 't really test it in a lab or field setting2, " he told Reuters. Other authorities concurred with this _____11____. " Wildlife seem to be able to pick up certain

12, especially birds there are many reports of birds
detecting impending disasters, " said Clive Walker, who has written
several books on African wildlife. Animals13 rely on the
known senses such as smell or hearing to avoid danger such as
predators. The notion of an animal "sixth sense" -or
14 other mythical power-is an enduring one3 which the
evidence on Sri Lanka 's ravaged coast is likely to add to. The
Romans saw owls15 omens of impending disaster and many
ancient cultures viewed elephants as sacred animals endowed with
special powers or attributes. 1. A) therefore B) however C) although
D) whatever2. A) shelters B) foods C) disasters D) water3. A) missed
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A) feel B) see C) hear D) sense6. A) waves B) tides C) winds D)
rivers7. A) birthplaces B) playground C) reserve D) storage8. A)
experimental B) apparent C) scientific D) chemical 9. A) specialist
B) assistant C) supporter D) sponsor10. A) additional B) specific C)
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assessment D) value12 A) route B) behavior C) principle D)
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