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https://www.100test.com/kao_ti2020/499/2021_2022_1997_E5_B9_B4_E8_8B_B1_c94_499490.htm 试卷一 (95 min)Part Listening

Comprehension (40 min)In Sections A, B and C you will hear everything ONCE ONLY. Listen carefully and then answer the questions that follow. Mark the correct answer to each question on your Coloured Answer Sheet. SECTION A TALK Questions 1 to 5 refer to the talk in this section. At the end of the talk you will be given 15 seconds to answer each of the following five questions. Now listen to the talk.

1. In the Black Forest, the acid rain is said to attack all EXCEPT _____. A. firs B. metals C. leaves D. soil
2. The percentage of firs dying in the Black Forest is _____. A. 41% B. 43% C. 26% D. 76%
3. Germany is tackling part of the problem by introducing _____. A. new car designing schemes B. new car production lines C. a new type of smoke stacks D. new car safety standards
4. Which of the following statements is INCORRECT? A. Germany is likely to succeed in persuading her neighbours to reduce acid rain. B. The disastrous effects of acid rain are not confined to one area. C. German tourists are allowed to drive across their neighbours' borders. D. Germany's neighbours are in favour of the use of lead-free petrol.
5. On the issue of future solution of acid rain, the speaker's tone is that of _____. A. warning B. pessimism C. indifference D. optimism

SECTION B INTERVIEW Questions 6 to 10 are based on an interview. At the end of the interview you will be given 15 seconds to answer each of the following five questions. Now listen to the interview.

6. What

subject is Mr. Pitt good at _____? A. Art. B. French. C. German. D. Chemistry.

7. What does Mr. Pitt NOT do in his spare time? A. Doing a bit of acting and photography. B. Going to concerts frequently. C. Playing traditional jazz and folk music. D. Travelling in Europe by hitch-hiking.

8. When asked what a manager's role is Mr. Pitt sounds _____. A. confident B. hesitant C. resolute D. doubtful

9. What does Mr. Pitt say he would like to be? A. An export salesman working overseas. B. An accountant working in the company. C. A production manager in a branch. D. A policy maker in the company.

10. Which of the following statements about the management trainee scheme is TRUE? A. Trainees are required to sign contracts initially. B. Trainees' performance is evaluated when necessary. C. Trainees' starting salary is 870 pounds. D. Trainees cannot quit the management scheme.

SECTION C NEWS

BROADCAST Question 11 is based on the following news. At the end of the news item, you will be given 15 seconds to answer the question. Now listen to the news.

11. Which of the following statements is TRUE? A. Five gunmen were flown to Iran in a helicopter. B. Most of the ransom was retrieved in the end. C. The children were held for five days. D. The authorities have passed sentence on the gunmen.

Question 12 is based on the following news. At the end of the news item, you will be given 15 seconds to answer the question. Now listen to the news.

12. According to the news, American troops in Panama _____. A. were attacked at refugee camps B. were angry at delays in departure C. attacked Cuban refugee camps last week D. will be increased to 2,000

Question 13 is based on the

following news. At the end of the news item, you will be given 15 seconds to answer the question. Now listen to the news. 13. Which of the following statements is CORRECT? U.S. lawmakers ____.

A. challenged the accord for freezing Pyongyang ' s nuclear programme
B. required the inspection of Pyongyang ' s nuclear site for at least five years
C. were worried that North Korea may take advantage of the concessions
D. blamed the U. S. negotiator for making no compromises with North Korea

Questions 14 & 15 are based on the following news. At the end of the news item, you will be given 30 seconds to answer the two questions. Now listen to the news.

14. According to the news, the Italian Parliament was asked to act by ____.

A. the U.N. B. the Red Cross
C. the Defence Minister
D. the Swedish Government

15. On the issue of limited use of landmines, the Italian Parliament is ____.

A. noncommittal B. resolute
C. unsupportive D. wavering

SECTION D NOTE-TAKING AND GAP-FILLING

Fill in each of the gaps with ONE word. You may refer to your notes. Make sure the word you fill in is both grammatically and semantically acceptable. In business, many, places adopt a credit system, which dates back to ancient times. At present, purchases can be made by using credit cards. They fall into two categories: one has (1) ____ use, while the 1. ____ other is accepted almost everywhere. The application for the use of the latter one must be made at a (2) ____.

2. ____ Once the customer starts using the card, he will be provided with a monthly statement of (3) ____ by the credit company. He is 3. ____ required to pay one quarter to half of his credit (4) ____ every 4. ____ month.

Advantages. 1. With a card, it is not

(5) ___ to save up money 5. ___ before an actual purchase. 2. If the card is lost, its owner is protected. 3. A (6) ___ and complete list of purchase received from the credit 6. ___ company helps the owner to remember the time and (7) ___ of his 7. ___ purchase. 4. the cards are accepted in a (n) (8) ___ by professional 8. ___ people like dentists, etc. Major disadvantage. The card owner is tempted to (9) ___ his 9. ___ money. If this is the case, it will become increasingly difficult for the user to keep up with the required (10) ___, which will result in the 10. ___ credit card being cancelled by the credit company.

Part Proofreading an Error Correction (15 min) The following passage contains TEN errors. Each line contains a maximum of one error and three are free from error. In each case, only one word is involved. You should proofread the passage and correct it in the following way. For a wrong word, underline the wrong word and write the correct one in the blank provided at the end of the line. For a missing word, mark the position of the missing word with a “ ” sign and write the word you believe to be missing in the blank provided at the end of the line. For an unnecessary word, cross out the unnecessary word with a slash “ / ” and put the word in the blank provided at the end of the line. Example When an art museum wants a new exhibit, (1) anit never $[[KG-1*3]]$ / buys things in finished form and hangs (2) neverthem on the wall. When a natural history museum wants an exhibition, it must often build it. (3) exhibit

Classic Intention Movement In social situations, the classic Intention Movement is ‘ the chair-grasp ’. Host and guest have been talking for some time, but now the host has an appointment to

keep and can get away. 1.____His urge to go is held in check by his desire not to be rude to his 2.____guest, if he did not care of his guest's feelings he would simply 3.____get up out of his chair and to announce his departure. This is 4.____what his body wants to do, therefore his politeness glues his body 5.____to the chair and refuses to let him rise. It is at this point that he 6.____performs the chair-grasp Intention Movement. He continues to talk to the guest and listen to him, but leans forward and grasps the arms of the chair as about to push himself upwards. This is 7.____the first act he would make if he were rising. If he were not 8.____hesitating, it would only last a fraction of the second. He would 9.____lean, push, rise, and be up. But now, instead, it lasts much longer. He holds his 'readiness-to-rise' post and keeps on holding it. It is 10.____as if his body had frozen at the get-ready moment.

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