

GENERAL ENGLISH QUALIFYING TEST
FOR NON-ENGLISH MAJOR GRADUATE STUDENTS
(GET 20020623)

Keys:

试卷 A

1. B	11. D	21. C	31. C	41. B	51. A	61. B	71. A
2. D	12. A	22. A	32. D	42. D	52. C	62. B	72. C
3. C	13. D	23. A	33. D	43. B	53. D	63. C	73. B
4. D	14. D	24. D	34. C	44. A	54. C	64. D	74. D
5. D	15. D	25. A	35. B	45. B	55. D	65. A	75. C
6. C	16. C	26. C	36. B	46. A	56. D	66. B	76. D
7. D	17. B	27. B	37. C	47. C	57. A	67. D	77. A
8. B	18. A	28. B	38. A	48. B	58. C	68. B	78. C
9. C	19. D	29. A	39. D	49. D	59. B	69. C	79. C
10. C	20. A	30. C	40. C	50. D	60. C	70. A	80. A

试卷 B

1. D	11. A	21. D	31. A	41. A	51. A	61. A	71. D
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3. D	13. C	23. C	33. C	43. A	53. B	63. B	73. C
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【英译汉】

在上海的与会各国都意识到了目前的危机。如果现在不制止恐怖主义,每个文明国家在将来的某个时候都会成为恐怖主义者的袭击目标。我们将通过摧毁任何地方的恐怖主义网络来打败他们。同时,我们也将通过建立能给世界人民带来更多的机会和更美好的生活的持久繁荣来打败他们。

环太平洋地区的国家自己决定向世界开放,结果使他们成为当代成功发展的范例之一。与过去仅仅 20 年前相比,该地区人民的生活更加繁荣,身体更加健康,教育水准更高。这样的进步证明了开放的无比威力。

【汉译英】

Probably, you feel that those letters from home, lying quietly in your drawers, are not so elegantly written and not so modern in taste, but these are exactly what we want. After all, the unaffected passions and the memories of the past are still lingering in our mind, and the never-changed fascination is so intense as to prevail beyond our imagination.

录音文字稿

TRANSCRIPTS FOR Part I LISTENING COMPREHENSION (15 minutes, 15 points)

Section A (1 point each)

Directions: In this part, you will hear nine short conversations between two speakers.

At the end of each conversation a question will be asked about what was said. The questions will be spoken only once. Choose the best answer from the four choices given by marking the corresponding letter with a single bar across the square brackets on your Machine-scoring Answer Sheet.

1. M: May I see your license, please?
W: But, officer, did I do something wrong?
M: The sign says 35 miles an hour. You drove much faster than that.
Q: What is the probable relationship between the two speakers?
2. W: How has this winter been for you so far this year, Tom?
M: Very busy. There are so many interesting things to keep me up late at night, and I still have to get up early the next morning to do what I have to do. The best thing for me now is to get an extra hour of sleep.
Q: What does the man mean?
3. W: Some people say that many TV programs are silly, meaningless, or a waste of time. What do you think of them, Jim?
M: It seems to me that some important social issues—like drugs, divorce and so on—are dealt with fairly realistically and a lot of honest talks can be heard in these programs.
Q: What does the man think of the TV programs?

4. W: Hi! Frank. Haven't seen you for months. I heard you were abroad working on a project. So how did the project go?
M: It's still not completed. But it's well in progress.
Q: What do we learn about the project that Frank worked on?
5. W: I would like to spend the evening watching a ballet performance followed by the talk show.
M: What? No way! I want to see the live basketball game!
Q: What are the two speakers discussing about?
6. W: Hello, Professor Leed. This is Linda. I would like to discuss with you about the subject that I have chosen for my thesis. May I come over now?
M: I'm sorry. I've got to go to class now. I'm available every day from 4:30 to 5:30. I'm in Room 330.
Q: When should the woman go to see Prof. Leed?
7. W: Dave, we are going to throw a pizza party. Would you like to join us?
M: I have no desire to talk with strangers.
W: That's the point. You should come out of your project and make more friends.
Q: What does the woman think of Dave?
8. M: How about having a cup of coffee?
W: No. Thanks. I don't drink coffee.
M: Why not?
W: I like the taste, but it keeps me up at night. And a recent article in USA TODAY has linked heavy coffee drink with heart trouble.
Q: Why doesn't the woman drink coffee?
9. W: Frank, what do you think about your college life?
M: Generally speaking, my college years are exciting and rewarding, but they are certainly not easy or carefree. Just about all college students face the pressure of making important career decisions and some anxiety about examinations and grades.
Q: What does the man think about his college life?

Section B (1 point each)

Directions: In this part you will hear two short passages. At the end of each passage, there will be some questions. Both the passages and the questions will be

read to you only once. After each question, there will be a pause. During the pause, you must choose the best answer from the four choices given by marking the corresponding letter with a single bar across the square brackets on your Machine-scoring Answer Sheet.

Questions 10-12 are based on the following talk:

In much of the United States, winter means the return of snow. Last winter, during a severe storm, about two meters of snow fell on the city of Buffalo, New York.

Snow is a subject of great interest to weather experts. Experts sometimes have difficulty estimating where, when or how much snow will fall.

Snow is a form of frozen water. It contains many groups of tiny ice particles, called snow crystals. These crystals grow from water particles in cold clouds. They usually grow around a piece of dust. All snow crystals have six sides, but they grow in different shapes. The shape depends mainly on temperature and water levels in the air.

When snow crystals stick together, they produce snowflakes. Snowflakes come in different sizes. As many as one hundred crystals may join together to form a snowflake larger than two-and-one-half centimeters. Snow contains much less water than rain. About fifteen centimeters of wet snow has as much water as two-and-one-half centimeters of rain.

Each year, the continental United States has an average of one hundred snowstorms. An average storm produces snow for two to five days. Almost every part of the country has received snowfall at one time or another. Even parts of southern Florida have reported a few snowflakes.

10. What is said in the above talk about the weather experts?
11. What is the most important factor to decide the shape of snowflakes?
12. How much water does fifteen centimeters of wet snow have?

Questions 13-15 are based on the following talk:

Scientists say they have developed a camera that can help identify when a person is not telling the truth. The new camera measures the heat released by a person's face.

The scientists say the camera correctly identified lying in more than eighty percent of the people they tested. They say the device might one day be used in high-level security operations at airports or border crossings.

The scientists based their work on the theory that people who plan to trick someone else release physical or chemical signals. They say these signals can help security officials prevent wrongdoings.

The researchers say the camera is designed to measure small changes in the body.

They note that the flow of blood to the surface of the skin increases around the eyes when a person lies.

The scientists used twenty people to test the heat-sensing camera. Eight of the people took part in a crime that was not real. They attacked a human-like object and stole money from it. They were asked to lie and say they were innocent of the crime. The twelve other people in the study were told nothing about the make-believe crime.

The researchers used the special camera while questioning the twenty people about the crime. The camera showed that six of the eight people who carried out the crime had increased heat around their eyes when they lied. Eleven of the twelve people who knew nothing about the crime were correctly identified as innocent. When they told the truth, the area around their eyes remained cool.

13. What is the main idea of this talk?
14. What is the working principle of the new camera?
15. How many liars were detected in the experiment?