1. Some ambitious lawyers are willing to work on Supreme Court cases without charge in an effort to gain \_\_\_\_\_; they believe that this increased cachet will help them succeed in the future.

A. wisdom

B. certitude

C. prestige

D. integrity

E. humility

1. Though many avant-garde writers \_\_\_\_\_\_ traditional distinctions among literary categories, combining elements of biography and fiction, prose and poetry, this fusion of forms has been slow to catch on with publishers.

A. flout

B. presuppose

C.exploit

D.imitate

E. illuminate

1. One of the peculiarities of humans is that we irrationally gravitate to the predictable and avoid risk, whatever the reasons for this \_\_\_\_\_\_, it is hardly a sound basis for dealing with complex, long-term problems.（6选2）

A. eccentricity

B. predilection

C.vacillation

D.proclivity

E. wavering

F. Cowardice

1. While normal floods resulting from usual monsoon rainfall are \_\_\_\_\_ the growth of crops, recently there has been an increase in the frequency of high-intensity floods that do not have such welcome effects.(6选2)

A. conducive to

B. hindered by

C. devastating for

D. deleterious for

E. essential for

F. indispensable to