

Vocab Practice

Special class



VOCABULARY PRACTICE
QUESTIONS
FOR OMETS

Q1. Antonym of urbane: → Suave, charming

A) boorish - rude, uncouth, unrefined

B) suave S

C) polished S

D) courtly S - elegant, sophisticated

Q2. The brief was so _____ that even the legal team couldn't tell what remedy was sought.

- A) cogent - lucid, easy to understand
- B) inscrutable - difficult to understand
- C) pellucid - lucid, easy - - -
- D) emphatic - forceful

P.T of
seek
↓
search

Q3. Best completion: "We cannot afford another _____ in production."

- A) ~~break-down~~
- B) breakdown
- C) ~~break down~~
- D) ~~broke down~~

Present Tense

Q4. Choose the sentence with correct usage.

- A) "We need a strong augment to the team." ~~Adj~~ ✓
- B) "They will augment the team with two hires."
- C) "An augment of two hires will suffice." ~~(A)~~ ✓
- D) "Our augmenting is a new policy." → awkward

augment - To increase
(v) - enhance

augmentation

[a, an, the → noun]

Q5. The CFO's memo was so _____ that even senior managers struggled to extract a clear action plan.

- A) pellucid - clear, lucid
- B) recondite - obscure, difficult to understand
- C) trenchant - sharp, incisive, scathing
- D) forthright - direct, frank, blunt

biting

Scathing

trenchant
= sharp

incisive

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in school)

Q6. Choose the correct sentence.

- A) "Please apprise the client of the delay." ✓
- B) "We will appraise the client about the delay." ✗
- C) "They apprised the assets yesterday." ✗
- D) "Kindly appraise the issue to me." ✗
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 notify

(i) apprise - inform, notify
intimate

(ii) appraise - evaluate, assess

Q7. (Antonyms)

rarefied — understood by very few people with shared knowledge

benign — (ben) harmless, kind

arduous — full of difficulties

copious — in large amounts

a) malignant

b) commonplace

c) effortless

d) sparse

Options:

A) 1-b, 2-a, 3-c, 4-d

B) 1-d, 2-b, 3-a, 4-c

C) 1-c, 2-a, 3-d, 4-b

D) 1-b, 2-d, 3-a, 4-c

1 - b

2 - a

3 - c

4 - d

Q8. (Synonym) His silence was a tacit rebuke to the rumour.

- A) emphatic - forceful
- B) implicit - unspoken
- C) vociferous - loud
- D) explicit - clearly given,
mentioned

unspoken

tacit - implied,

rebuttal - reprimand,
formal reprimand
scolding
someone

→ formal

Q9. The note was so _____ that no one knew what to do next.

- A) laconic - terse, brief, very few words
- B) copious - plenty
- C) loquacious - (loq[ui]o) talkative
- D) mellifluous - pleasant sound

(flu - flow)
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(root)

- reflux - superfluous
- flux - influx
- mellifluous

Q10. Choose the correct sentence.

- A) "The policy comprises ~~of~~ three pillars."
- ~~B) "Three pillars comprise the policy."~~
- C) "Three pillars are comprised ~~of~~ the policy."
- D) "The policy is comprise ~~of~~ three pillars."

redundant

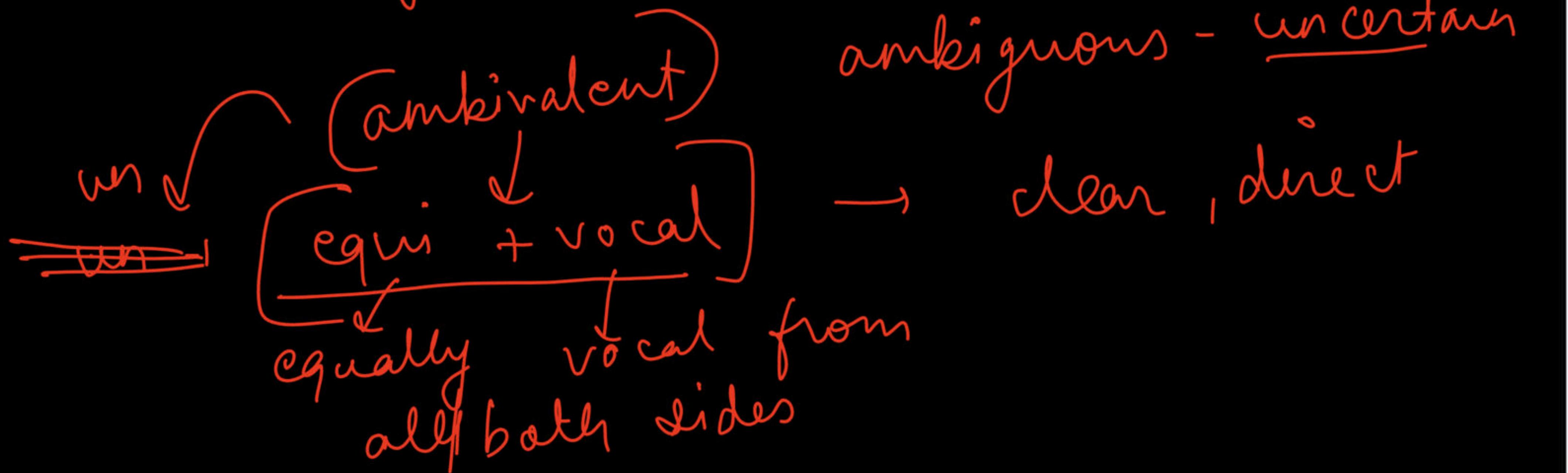
comprises - consist of

Q11. Investors accused the firm of trying to _____ the fiasco with a charity drive.

- A) face the music - accept blame
- B) call their bluff - challenge someone
- C) paper over - hide a problem with superficial sol'n
- D) dig in - refuse to change stance

Q12. His apology sounded ____—carefully worded yet devoid of any real acceptance of blame.

- A) contrite - genuinely sorry, remorseful
- B) perfunctory - routine, brittle, superficial
- C) unequivocal - clear, direct
- D) magnanimous - generous



Q13. Choose the correctly spelled word.

- A) mischievous
- B) mischievious
- C) mischevious
- D) mischeivous

Q14. Pick the correct use of flaunt/flout.

- A) "They flouted the new dress code on day one."
- B) "They flaunted the safety rules without consequence."
- C) "She flouted her awards at the ceremony."
- D) "He flaunted the law by staying cautious."

flouted
flaunted

flaunt - show off
flout - openly disregard

Q15. Choose the correct sentence.

- A) "Let's hone in on the key defect."
- B) "Let's home in on the key defect."
- C) "Let's home ~~in~~ on the key defect."
- D) "Let's ~~home~~ ~~in~~ on the key defect."

home in on → focus closely
hone - sharpen



Q16. She put her foot in it during the investor call.

- A) made a social/embarrassing blunder
- B) delivered a perfect pitch
- C) revealed a breakthrough
- D) refused to take questions

Q17. Match the words to their antonyms:

abate — lessen

meticulous — attend to details

candor — honesty

cacophony — harsh sounds

a) pretense

b) intensify

c) harmony

d) slipshod

Options:

A) 1-b, 2-d, 3-a, 4-c

B) 1-d, 2-b, 3-c, 4-a

C) 1-a, 2-c, 3-d, 4-b

D) 1-c, 2-a, 3-b, 4-d

- b

- d

- a

- c

Q18. Select the correct usage.

- A) "This outcome belies our effort."
- B) "This outcome belies the claim of fairness."
- C) "This outcome ~~beli~~ belies the numbers."
- D) "This outcome belied to the metrics."

belie (✓)

belie - contradict

Q19. Correct use of fulsome:

- A) "She offered fulsome praise so excessive it felt insincere."
- B) "The report is fulsome, meaning brief."
- C) "His fulsome lunch was tiny."
- D) "They imposed a fulsome penalty"

fulsome - flattering to an
excessive degree

Q20. Sedulous most nearly means:

- A) indolent - lazy
- B) industrious - hardworking
- C) lethargic - sluggish
- D) downcast - sad

diligent, hardworking

insolent - being disrespectful
- being rude

Answers

Q1: A

Q2: B

Q3: B

Q4: B

Q5: B

Q6: A

Q7: A

Q8: B

Q9: A

Q10: B

Q11: C

Q12: B

Q13: A

Q14: A

Q15: B

Q16: A

Q17: A

Q18: B

Q19: A

Q20: B



Thank You