

## Unit 44

- 44.1 1 as compared 3 compared 5 from/to 7 analogy  
2 difference/contrast/distinction 4 comparison 6 comparison 8 In contrast\*  
\* *On the other hand* would also be possible here, but *in contrast* better expresses the sharp opposition between the two scientists' views.

### 44.2 Suggested answers

- 1 The two groups were **different from/to** each other.
- 2 **There was a contrast between** the two groups of children.
- 3 The three liquids were **similar** to one another.
- 4 The data revealed **differences in/among the informants'** responses.
- 5 The title of her paper was: 'Male attitudes towards prison sentencing **compared with/to** female attitudes'.
- 6 The economy of the north is booming, the south is **similarly** enjoying an economic upturn. / The economy of the north is booming. **Similarly**, the south is also enjoying an economic upturn.

### 44.3 Suggested answers

- 1 **Unlike** the south of the country, which has little in the way of forests, the north of the country is covered with thick forests. / The north of the country is covered with thick forests, **unlike** the south of the country, which has little in the way of forests.
- 2 **Rather than** a questionnaire, in this case, face-to-face interviews are better.
- 3 Asian languages such as Vietnamese are quite difficult for learners whose first language is a European one. **Conversely**, European languages are difficult for learners whose first language is an Asian one.
- 4 **On the one hand**, oil is plentiful at the present time. **On the other hand**, it will run out one day.
- 5 Boys tend to prefer aggressive solutions to problems, **whereas** girls prefer more indirect approaches. / **Whereas** boys tend to prefer aggressive solutions to problems, girls prefer more indirect approaches. (*While* could also be used in both cases instead of *whereas*.)
- 6 In the post-war period, public transport enjoyed a boom. Nowadays, **the reverse is true**.

- 44.4 1 True  
2 False; compatible means things can exist together or work together  
3 True  
4 False; if there are parallels then there are similarities between them  
5 True

## Unit 45

- 45.1 1 Students always seem to have difficulty in remembering this formula.  
2 Ford pointed out that the methodology had a number of inconsistencies.  
3 The need to find replacement fuels poses considerable challenges for scientists.  
4 The media continue to focus on the controversy surrounding the President.  
5 In the figures he presented several errors were apparent.  
6 On their way across Antarctica they experienced many difficulties.  
7 The results of the opinion poll raise some important questions for the Party.  
8 Problems caused by pollution in this area arose fairly recently.

- 45.2 1 It is no easy task mediating **between** unions and management.  
2 In this lecture I plan to deal **with** the later novels of Charles Dickens.  
3 The answer to most problems in agriculture lies **in** the soil.  
4 He thought for a long time but was unable to come **up** with a solution.  
5 Green tourism may initially feel like a contradiction **in** terms.  
6 I wonder what the professor's reaction **to** the article will be.  
7 The company has experienced a number of difficulties **with** the computer operating system.  
8 Have you found a solution **to** the problem yet?