Hey guys! Welcome to today's pronunciation challenge, and my name is Kristi. So do you guys get sunburns a lot when you go to the beach or if you are hiking? Because for me, I barely ever have sunburns. I usually just get tanned directly, and I think that is kind of weird for me, but I don’t know, the only time I got sunburn was because I went surfing and I was sort of staying in the sea for like three or four hours, and it was during summer, it was in the early morning, but the sun was like up high and I got sunburn all over my back, and it hurt so bad.

But anyway let's take a look at today's sentence, and see, you know, what really causes sunburn.

If enough cells produce the signal, your body will mount an inflammatory response, sending lots of different types of blood cells to the area to stop and repair the damage.

1-1. produce [prəˋdjus] (n.)出產 我們首先來看的第一個字是produce ，produce 指的是出產的意思，那他的o呢是發短音[ə]的音，那重音在duce的地方[prəˋdjus]，那他除了講出產也可以說是產生的意思，像是說This factory has been forced to shut down since they produced poisonous waste. 因為這家工廠會產生有毒的廢氣，所以他們被迫要關廠。

1-2 produce [ˋprɑdjus] (n.)農產品 那他還有另外一個意思，發音比較不一樣，是[ˋprɑdjus]，他的o是發[ɑ]的音，重音在前面，[prəˋdjus] 跟 [ˋprɑdjus]不太一樣喔，那[ˋprɑdjus]指的是農產品的意思，那我們就可以說 A huge part of this town’s income relies greatly on produce.這個小鎮的收入很大一部分是(仰賴)來自他們的農產品

1-3 production [prəˋdʌkʃən] (n.) 生產 那還有他的名詞則是production，指的是生產的意思，那我們在電影裏面我們就會看到production，for example：Production of Christopher Nolan 就是褲裡濕諾蘭，就是Christopher Nolan導演的作品這樣子。 (維基百科顯示全名為Christopher Jonathan James Nolan，you guys might think：That none of my business! 哈哈哈哈)

1-4 productivity [͵prodʌkˋtɪvətɪ] (n.) 效率 那他還有另外一個字呢也跟他非常相關，指的是productivity，是效率的意思，像是說Engineers claimed to have better productivity in midnight. 很多工程師都說半夜的工作效率最高。

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2-1. mount [maʊnt] 登上 再來我們來看mount，mount 指的是登上的意思，像是說They mounted this small hill. 他們登上了這個小山丘，那可是他在這個句子裡面呢指的是”啟動”的意思。

2-2 amount [əˋmaʊnt] (n.) 總數 那當然還有一個跟他長得有點像的字是amount，amount指的是總數，像我們可以說：The amount of people who believe that the earth is flat is way too much.也就是說有太多人相信地球是平的。

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3-1. inflammatory [ɪnˋflæmə͵torɪ] 激動地、發炎的 再來我們來看inflammatory，inflammatory指的是激動地或是發炎的，因為inflammation 指的是發炎，像是說：She did not take care of her wound carefully by the doctor instructed, and now she has an inflammation.他沒有好好照顧她的傷口，所以她的傷口現在已經發炎了，那inflammatory 的發音他的ma的a則發短音[ə]，inflammatory.

3-2. inflammation [͵ɪnfləˋmeʃən] (n.) 發炎 那可是如果講到inflammation，重音是在mation這個地方，那fla是發短音[ə]的音inflammation [͵ɪnfləˋmeʃən]跟inflammatory [ɪnˋflæmə͵torɪ]重音不太一樣。

4-1. response [rɪˋspɑns] 回答、回覆 那再來我們來看response，response指的是回答的意思，像是說：During interviews, if you have short in responses instead of long elaborations, you’re losing your chance to let the interviewer to get to know you more.如果再面試的時候呢你都用簡短的回答而不是一些比較像是敘述型的回答，那你就失去了讓面試官認識自己的機會了。

4-2. respond [rɪˋspɑnd] (v.) 回答 那他的動詞是respond ，指的是回答的意思，像是說：He responded with the smile. 他臉上帶著微笑來回答這個問題。

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5-1. repair [rɪˋpɛr] 修理、修補 那再來我們還看repair，repair指的是修理或是修補的意思，那他其實可以用於當作實質的修理，像是說：You should find someone to repair your leaking toilet.你應該要找個人來幫你修補這個漏水的馬桶。 可是他也可以當作是像是：repair what we lost in the relationship.就是像修補一段感情也可以用repair這個字。

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6-1. damage [ˋdæmɪdʒ] (n./v.) 損害、損失 最後呢還有damage ，damage 指的是損害還有損失的意思，那要特別注意的是他第二個a呢是發短音[ɪ]的音，那第一個a則是發[æ]，damage 是損害或是損失，那它可以當名詞也可以當動詞，像是我們可以說：The typhoon damaged half of the town.這個颱風損毀的一半的小鎮這樣子。

6-2. damaging [ˋdæmɪdʒɪŋ] (adj.)有害的 那如果說是形容詞則可以說是damaging，像是說：Plastic are damaging to our environment. 塑膠會破壞我們的環境。

Alright, so let’s take a look at today’s sentence one more time.

If enough cells produce the signal, your body will mount an inflammatory response, sending lots of different types of blood cells to the area to stop and repair the damage.

Alright, so that’s it for today’s pronunciation challenge, remember to leave your recording below and I will challenge you guys tomorrow. BYE