1. Posters of the local rock band were displayed in store windows to promote the sale of their \_\_\_\_\_ tickets.

(A) journey (B) traffic (C) concert (D) record

1. Maria didn’t want to deliver the bad news to David about his failing the job interview. She herself was quite \_\_\_\_\_ about it.

(A) awful (B) drowsy (C) tragic (D) upset

1. The newcomer speaks with a strong Irish \_\_\_\_\_; he must be from Ireland.

(A) accent (B) identity (C) gratitude (D) signature

1. Although Maggie has been physically \_\_\_\_\_ to her wheelchair since the car accident, she does not limit herself to indoor activities.

(A) ceased (B) committed (C) confined (D) conveyed

1. All passengers riding in cars are required to fasten their seatbelts in order to reduce the risk of \_\_\_\_\_ in case of an accident.

(A) injury (B) offense (C) sacrifice (D) victim

1. The principal of this school is a man of exceptional \_\_\_\_\_. He sets aside a part of his salary for a scholarship fund for children from needy families.

(A) security (B) maturity (C) facility (D) generosity

1. The science teacher always \_\_\_\_\_ the use of the laboratory equipment before she lets her students use it on their own.

(A) tolerates (B) associates (C) demonstrates (D) exaggerates

1. Most of the area is covered by woods, where bird species are so \_\_\_\_\_ that it is a paradise for birdwatchers.

(A) durable (B) private (C) realistic (D) numerous

1. In most cases, the committee members can reach agreement quickly. \_\_\_\_\_, however, they differ greatly in opinion and have a hard time making decisions.

(A) Occasionally (B) Automatically (C) Enormously (D) Innocently

1. Many people try to save a lot of money before \_\_\_\_\_, since having enough money would give them a sense of security for their future.

(A) isolation (B) promotion (C) retirement (D) announcement

1. In winter, our skin tends to become dry and \_\_\_\_\_, a problem which is usually treated by applying lotions or creams.

(A) alert (B) itchy (C) steady (D) flexible

1. Benson married Julie soon after he had \_\_\_\_\_ her heart and gained her parents’ approval.

(A) conquered (B) estimated (C) guaranteed (D) intensified

1. The recent flood completely \_\_\_\_\_ my parents’ farm. The farmhouse and fruit trees were all gone and nothing was left.

(A) ruined (B) cracked (C) hastened (D) neglected

1. The results of this survey are not reliable because the people it questioned were not a typical or \_\_\_\_\_ sample of the entire population that was studied.

(A) primitive (B) spiritual (C) representative (D) informative

1. In line with the worldwide green movement, carmakers have been working hard to make their new models more \_\_\_\_\_ friendly to reduce pollution.

(A) liberally (B) individually (C) financially (D) environmentally