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本书修订后，仍保持26个测验单元，1300个试题，其中删去的旧试题和增补的新试题约各占一半。原版共有注释316条，现有注释320条，其中删去旧注187条，增补新注131条。修订的内容大致如下：

一、删去了一些较浅易的试题，增补了一些有一定难度的试题。全书约有 $\frac{2}{3}$ 的试题在难度上近似近年来国内高考和理工科研究生的同类考题，有 $\frac{1}{3}$ 的试题近似国内出国预备人员英语水平测试（English Proficiency Test）以及国外托福（TOEFL）的同类考题。

二、为了使读者更好地理解试题，我们对有一定难度或难度不大但容易引起误解的试题，都补作了注释，对一些较口语化、字面上不好理解的试题，也作了解释。

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前 言

本试题集收集了美国、英国、香港和日本的英语试题1300条,其中包括:(1)近年美国休斯敦大学(Houston University)、密执安大学(Michigan University)、英国剑桥大学(Cambridge University)、伯明翰大学(Birmingham University)和利兹大学(Leeds University)的英语试题(对象是英语为非本族语的学生);(2)美国TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)的英语试题和模拟TOEFL试题(对象是英语为非本族语学生);(3)日本近年高考试题;(4)英美最近出版的试题集和有关读物的测验题。

海外英语试题一般有以下几部分:(1)听力测验(Listening Comprehension)(本集没有选取);(2)句子结构和书面表达(Structure and Written Expression)或简称语法部分(Grammar);(3)词汇部分(Vocabulary);(4)阅读理解(Reading Comprehension)。这些试题大多是多种答案选择题(Multiple-Choice Questions)。这种选择题始于六十年代,到七十年代已被广泛采用。近年来我国也逐渐采用。这种试题形式多样,语言生动,不少试题本身就是一个很好的句型,而且涉及面较广,其中还包括了某些语言难点和一些容易混淆的地方。它是一种较好的综合性练习和测验的方法。

本试题集主要对象是高中和大学低年级学生或具有同等水平的读者。在选编过程中，我们力求以这个标准来决定取舍。由于海外整个英语水平较高，所以在试题中仍保留了部分有一定难度的试题。为了方便读者练习，我们把这些试题分为26个测验单元，每个测验单元50题，要求每个测验单元在一小时内完成。书后有试题的答案。此外，我们还对部分试题给予了必要的提示和解释。

本书由湖南大学林汝昌同志主编，参加选编的还有丁少谷、王益民、周佩君、李曼珏等同志。在编写过程中，湖南大学美籍教师Mariana Fehd和Suellen Fleming曾给予指导和帮助，并参加了全书的审阅工作，在此向她们表示衷心的感谢。

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TESTS (测 验 题)

TEST 1

I. 选择法填空:

1. Is there anything you want from town? I am going to get _____.
a) those letters mailed b) mailed letters
c) to mail those letters d) those letters mail
2. Nancy isn't here. It's my fault. I forgot all about _____ her.
a) telephoning b) to telephone
c) to telephone to d) the telephoning to
3. Where should I put my hat? May I put it on _____?
a) the hall table b) the table of hall
c) hall's table d) hall table
4. James has just arrived, but I didn't know he _____ until yesterday.
a) will come b) was coming
c) had been coming d) comes

5. He _____ and at the same time afraid of talking to her.
a) was interested b) was interested of
c) interested in d) was interested in
6. Five minutes earlier, _____ we could have caught the last train.
a) or b) but
c) and d) so
7. Our Prime Minister made a short speech in America _____ an interpreter.
a) from b) through c) between d) in
8. Please write in ink, and don't forget to write _____ every other line.
a) at b) from
c) in d) on
9. The deserted island was full of animals and insects going _____ their own business.
a) about b) along
c) in d) with
10. People greatly differ _____ their views of life.
a) from b) in
c) at d) to
11. I felt thoroughly _____ in the crowded Ginza.
a) wandered b) stray
c) lost d) missed

12. The hairdresser now cuts _____ men's and women's hair.
a) either b) both
c) each d) any
13. After a long walk in the fields I wanted to drink _____.
a) cold something b) some to cold things
c) something cold d) something to make cold
14. The storm delayed _____ Yokohama Harbor.
a) the ship's leaving b) the leaving ship
c) the ship leave d) the ship to leave
15. _____ does this shirt cost?
a) How b) When
c) How much d) How many
16. That farmer has many _____ on his farm.
a) geeses b) goosen
c) geoses d) geese
17. The President is going to talk to _____ later.
a) she b) he
c) her d) our
18. The children _____ play outside.
a) aren't going b) aren't going to
c) not going to d) going to
19. _____ magazine is over there.

- proud of _____.
- a) her...ours b) hers...our
c) hers...ours d) her...our
28. I want to see _____ new paintings.
a) of him b) he's
c) John's d) Johns
29. The picture _____ has a house and flowers
is the one I like best.
a) who b) which
c) where d) whose
30. Today's lesson is _____ difficult, but I can
understand it.
a) very b) too
c) much d) the
31. I opened the letter and it contained _____.
a) an important information
b) important information
c) the important information
d) a important information
32. My wife has three brothers, all _____ than she. _____;
George, is an officer.
a) elder...The eldest b) older...The oldest
c) elder...The old one d) older...The eldest
33. The news _____ good this evening.

- a) is b) are c) was d) were

34. One tenth of _____ thousand is _____ hundred.

- a) an...a b) a...an
c) a...a d) one...one

35. I can't find my dictionary. I wonder whether Mary _____ it now.

- a) have b) has
c) is having d) had

II. 选择法填空:

36. In the advanced course students must take objective tests at monthly _____.

- a) length b) distance
c) intervals d) gaps

37. Is there any _____ of your coming to Tokyo again this year?

- a) accident b) event
c) time d) chance

38. Have you made _____ for my journey to New York?

- a) arrangements b) order
c) attention d) distribution

39. Watching television is the most popular leisure-time _____ in Japan.

- a) manner b) matter
c) activity d) event

On the west coast, the temperature changes very little between summer and winter, but the North-central states have a very different kind of climate. In those states, people wear light clothing during the summer, and they need heavy wool or fur clothing in the winter.

46. The North-central states are _____.

- a) in the middle of America
- b) on the east coast of America
- c) near the oceans of America
- d) on the west coast of America

47. Summer and winter temperatures are almost the same _____.

- a) in the United States
- b) on the west coast
- c) in the western states
- d) nowhere in America

48. In the North-central states the climate is different from that of _____.

- a) the United States
- b) the Southwest
- c) the east coast
- d) the west coast

49. The climate of the United States _____.

- a) is regular
- b) varies widely
- c) changes little
- d) is always temperate

50. The word light as underlined in the paragraph above means _____.

- a) cool
- b) warm
- c) hot
- d) thick

TEST 2

I. 选择法填空:

1. Neither Bill nor his parents _____ at home.
a) is b) are
c) has d) was
2. In each room _____ ten students.
a) are b) is
c). there is d) there was
3. Dr. Smith, together with his wife and two sons, _____
to arrive on the evening flight.
a) are b) are going
c) is d) will be
4. Either the teacher or the principal _____ the meeting..
a) attends b) attend
c) are attending d) have attended.
5. Either you or I _____ able to attend the lecture.
a) is b) am
c) has been d) are to be
6. Do you know that Japan once produced more silk than
country?