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前 言

托福考试是一种英语能力的综合测试。它涉及到听力、阅读能力、理解能力、写作能力以及词法、句法与习惯用法的综合应用能力。参加托福考试要取得满意的成绩,应试者必须具有一定广度的词汇量;有比较熟练的语法应用能力以及较宽的知识面。在应试准备阶段多做一些托福试题,通过大量实践了解试题各个部分所涉及的词汇、结构表达及其内容的深度与广度,是行之有效的方法。而这样做的目的是要从各份试题的内容中摸索规律,归纳出一套托福试题的解题思路、方法与技巧,方能反应敏捷,举一反三地取得较好的解题效果。

本书的特点正是通过大量的托福试题实例来指导读者掌握解题的关键。编者在近几年来陆续收集的托福试题中选择了8份未曾出版过的最新试题(听力部分除外)作为范例,根据中国学生在解题中普遍感到的难点,在解释中有重点地从词法、句法、习惯用法、句型等方面着手,提供读者一套能迅速理解并掌握的解题思路与技巧,以帮助读者提高解题能力。另外,还选择了9套托福试题作为附录,使读者能有一个根据本书提供的思路与技巧解题的机会。

本书可供准备参加托福考试者作为模拟考试的试题,也可供从事托福教学工作的教师作为教材或教学参考用书。同时还适宜作为广大英语爱好者的自学用书。

欢迎广大同行与读者提出宝贵意见。

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1985年7月TOEFL 试题 (SECTION 1 略)

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SECTION 2
STRUCTURE AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION

1. The American Red Cross ----- by Clara Barton.

- ☐ organized it
- ☒ was organized
- c. that was organized
- d. that it was organized

2. With its incisor teeth, a rat can gnaw through a concrete block ----- thick.

- ☒ two feet
- b. two feet is
- c. is two feet
- d. is it two feet

3. Homemaking in preindustrial America required ----- and skill.

- a. and strength
- ☒ both strength
- c. strength additional
- d. strength besides

4. The Yazoo Basin contains the finest agricultural land in Mississippi, but floods and poor drainage have ----- this area.

- a. always problems in caused
- b. caused always problems in
- ☒ c. always caused problems in
- d. caused problems in always

5. Work ----- to generate electricity.

- a. to be done
- b. it is done
- c. done by it
- ☒ d. must be done.

6. ----- have ever had a more auspicious debut at the Museum of Modern Art in New York City than Jacob Lawrence did.

- ☒ a. Few artists
- b. The few artists
- c. --The artists are few
- d. Few are the artists

7. Cactus stems remain moist and juicy ----- plants become dry.

- a. and other long after
- ☒ b. long after other
- c. other after long
- d. after other long and

8. ----- goods and services are bought and sold.
a market is created.

- a. Not only
- b. Whenever
- c. Those
- d. what

9. -----, Lois Weber either wrote or adapted all
but seven of the hundreds of films she
produced.

- a. A prolific writer that
- b. She was a prolific writer
- c. A prolific writer
- d. A writer as prolific as

10. Refrigerating meats ----- the spread of
bacteria.

- a. retards
- b. retarding
- c. to retard
- d. is retarded

11. Out of the fundamentals of elementary
algebra ----- used today and the concept of
an algebraic structure.

- a. the algebra of abstract evolution
- b. evolution of the abstract algebra
- c. the abstract algebra evolved
- d. evolved the abstract algebra

12. Unlike the budgets of some countries, -----
focuses chiefly on expenditures.

- a. and the United States
- ☒ b. that of the United States
- c. the United States, which
- d. which the United States

13. ----- story of Pocahontas' rescue of John
Smith is authentic is now doubted by some
historians.

- a. The
- ☒ b. That the
- c. In the
- d. Although the

14. Shallow, sheltered channels that have
currents ----- from severe waves are typical
bryozoan habitats.

- ☒ a. protected them
- b. are protected
- c. but are protectd
- d. they are
protected

15. A marsupial is an animal ----- babies are
raised in a pouch in the mother's body.

- a. its
- b. who its
- c. that
- ☒ d. whose

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16. The violinist Carroll Glenn, famous for their^a performances of American music^b, was the youngest^c student to be admitted^d to the Julliard School.

17. Palladium may often^a be chosen in place^b of platinum because it is cheaper^c, lighter, and hard^d than platinum is.

18. The first^a short story publish^b by Washington Irving was^c "Rip Van Winkle," which^d appeared in 1819.

19. Since the 1920's, the two traditional foundations^a of the Montana economy, agriculture also^b mining, have demonstrated^c extensive growth^d.

20. Space programs ^a already will explored ^b other planets -- how long ^c will it be before they explore other stars? ^d

21. Some the ^a large paper making ^b machines can produce more than two million pounds of ^c paper in a single ^d day.

22. The Sun's rays shine ^a more directly at the ^b equator than do they at the poles. ^{c d}

23. The nautilus it adds ^a a new chamber to its shell ^b each time it outgrows its old one. ^{c d}

24. El Morro National Monument in New Mexico contain ^a Zuni cliff dwellings and a sandstone ^b cliff eroded ^c in the shape of a castle. ^d

25. The human foot is made up of a mass of
a b c
nerves, muscles, tendons, and has bones.
d

26. Once marine biologists had determined the
a
precise migratory route of the California
whale, they are finding that the distance
b
covered was much greater than
c
had been thought.
d

27. The purpose of the American Dental
a
Association is to improve dental health and
b
promotion the science and art of dentistry.
c d

28. The shrew's reputation for having a bad
a b
temper is based from its incessant activity
c d
and voracious appetite.

29. Through certain ^a ^b leaching procedures, a metal
such as copper can be separate ^c ^d effectively
from its ore.

30. The voice of soprano ^a Leontyne Price has been
acclaimed ^b for its outstanding ^c range
and powerful. ^d

31. Above ^a sixty percent of ^b the workers in ^c
Haverhill, Massachusetts, are employed in ^d the
leather and shoe industry.

32. Sue White's interest ^a in the law and public ^b
affairs led her to an active ^c role in the
woman's suffrage movement and resulted in
various public appointings. ^d

33. The Jacques Cartier Bridge was named for the
discoverer of New France, that in 1535 sailed
up the St. Lawrence River to what is now
Montreal.

34. There exist much to be learned about the
various grains and their value to humans and
animals.

35. Advertising ranks as the most important source
of income by far for adv. n. magazines.

36. Although the hail consists of ice or snow, it
usually falls during the summer at
the beginning of a thunderstorm.

37. Bankruptcy legislation is designed to provide
an orderly and equitably liquidation of the
estate of an insolvent debtor.

38. Good examples of lacquer ware are very^a
durable that they show^b no wear^c for^d hundreds
of years.

39. Little^a is known about her^b background and
early^c life of^d prison reformer Jessie
Donaldson Hodder.

40. The shift in population^a from rural^b to^c urban^d
areas have^c become^d more^c or^d less^c worldwide.

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SECTION 3

VOCABULARY AND READING COMPREHENSION

1. Contemporary hearing aids can be so minuscule that they fit within the frame of a pair of eyeglasses.

a. tiny
c. decorative

- b. light
- d. flexible

2. Many statistics related to the economy are published quarterly.

a. every month
b. every three months
c. twice a year
d. once a year

3. The shop steward, the first-level officer in a labor union, is elected by its members.

a. paid
c. consulted

b. advised
d. chosen

4. According to most geologists, the universe is now about 15 billion years old.

a. only
c. barely

(b) at present
d. without question