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内容提要

本书系《托福自学系列丛书》之一。书中集常用托福基础词汇 1700个,大多数词汇都配有简洁的例句。本书所选的词汇代表一般 美国高中以上的英文程度。

本书可供出国留学人员、国内报考硕士研究生的考生 以 及广大英语爱好者使用。

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前 言

随着我国对外开放政策的不断深入,近年来国内赴美国、加拿大、澳大利亚等英语国家的各类留学人员迅速增加,要求学习托福的人员日益增多。为此,我院应广大读者和社会各界的要求,组织力量收集、整理了海内外有关托福的众多资料,根据我院的教学实践编写了这套《托福自学系列丛书》。该丛书共七册,即:《托福基础词汇》、《托福进阶词汇》、《托福高分词汇》、《托福句型和语法详析》、《托福阅读技巧》、《托福、高分词汇》、《托福可型和语法详析》、《托福阅读技巧》、《托福、题及分析》、《托福听力强化训练》。

考虑到目前我国各类应试托福人员的英语水平参差不齐,因此,我们在编写丛书时,有意注意到社会上广大读者的需求,将起点适当降低,并尽可能对词汇配以适当例句;对试题加以详细的语法分析及解答;对文句给予详尽的参考译文。

在本丛书的编写出版过程中,我院得到了社会各界的大力 支持和帮助,江西师范大学张联璋副教授、江西大学李德荣副 教授担任了该丛书的主要编写工作,对海内外为本丛书提供资 料的部门和个人,特别是对被本丛书引用过部分资料的著作者 致以深深地谢意。

由于本丛书篇幅较大:编写时间仓促,书中难免存在不足和错误之处,我院希望广大读者及同仁不吝指教,提出批评意见,以利本丛书的进一步修改补充。

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略语表

adj. 形容词

adv. 副词

conj. 连接词

n. 名词

pl. 复数

prep. 介词

syn. 同义词

v. 动词

vi. 不及物动词

vt. 及物动词

abandan [ə'bændən] vt. 放弃 The order was given to abandon ship, for all on board to leave the sinking ship. 下达了弃船的命令, 让船上所有的人离开沉船。

*abandoned adj. 被弃的

syn: evacuate, relinguish, abdicate.

abolish [ə'bəliʃ] vt. 废除 We must abolish slavery. 我们必须废除奴隶制。

syn: eliminate, eradicate, exterminate.

- absentminded ['æbsənt'maindid] adj. 心不在焉的
- absolute ['æbsəlu:t] adj. 绝对的 When giving evidence in a law court, we must tell the absolute truth. 在法庭作证时,我们必须绝对说真话。
- absorb [əb'sɔ:b] vt. 1. 吸收 The clever boy absorbed all the knowledge his teacher could give him. 聪明的男孩吸收了老师所能教给他的全部知识。
 2. 专心 He is completely absorbed in his business.他一心专注于他的事业。
- abstract [æb'strækt] vt. 取出;提炼 We abstract metal from ore. 我们从矿石中提取金属 adj. 抽象的 Sweetness is abstract; sugar is concrete. 甜是抽象的;糖是具体的。
 - n. 摘要 He made an abstract of the speech. 他给演讲作了个摘要。

- abundance [ə'bʌndəns] n. 丰富; 充足 The tree yields an abundance of fruit. 这棵树结果累累。
- *abundant adj. 丰富的; 充足的 syn: teeming, ample, profuse, abounding.
- academic [,ækə'demik] adj. 学院的; 大学的 academic degree 学位 academic year 学年 *academy n. 专科学校; 学院; 学会
- accident ['æksidənt] n. 事故;不测 There have been many railway accidents this year. 今年发生了许 多火车事故。 He was killed in a car accident. 他在一次车祸中丧生。
- acclaim [ə'kleim] vt. 1.欢呼;喝采 The crowd acclaimed the winner of the race. 人群向赛跑得胜者欢呼 2. 公开声明为;公开赞为 They acclaimed him as the best writer of the year. 他们称誉他为那一年最好的作家。
- accompany [ə'kʌmpəni] vt.1. 陪伴 He was accompanied by his secretary. 他由秘书陪同。2. 附随 Thunder accompanies lightening. 雷伴着闪电。*accompanist n. 伴奏者
- account [ə'kaunt] n.1. 计算 He is quick at accounts. 他计算很快 He took no account of my warning. 他不听我的警告。
- accountable [ə'kəuntəbl] adj.1. 对……负责 If anything happens to the boy I will hold you accountable (for it). 要是孩子出什么事, 我要拿你是问。2. 负责的 A madman is not accountable for his

- actions. 疯子对自己的行为不负责任。
- accretion [ə'kriʃən] n. 生长;增长 The thick dirt on the building was the accretion of ages. 建筑物上的污垢是年代久远所致。
- accumulate [ə'kju:mjuleit] vt.vi. 堆集; 积聚 By working hard you may accumulate a fortune. 通过勤奋工作,你有可能撑起一份家业。 syn: gather, pile up, amass, assemble.
- accurate ['ækjurit] adj. 精确的; 准确的 clocks in railway stations should be accurate. 火车站的时钟应当是精确的。
- accuse [ə'kju:z] vt. 责备; 控告 They accused him of taking bribes. 他们指控他接受贿赂。
 syn: charge.
- ache [eik] vi.1. 痛 After climbing the mountain, he ached all over. 他爬山后遍体疼痛。 2. 渴望 He ached to be free. 他渴望自由。
- achieve [ə'tʃi:v] vt.vi. 完成; 成就 He will never achieve anything. 他将一事无成。
- acid ['æsid] n. 酸 Vinegar contains acetic acid. 醋中含有醋酸。 adj.1. 酸的 Lemons are an acid fruit. 柠檬是一种酸果 2. 尖酸刻薄的
- acquaint [ə'kweint] vt. 熟识 I'm not acquainted with the lady. 我不认识那位夫人。
- acquire [ə'kwaiə] vt. 取得 You must work hard to acquire a good knowledge of English. 你必须努力,才能学好英语。

actor ['æktə] n.1. 男演员 2. 行为者

adapt [ə'dæpt] vt. 使适应;改编 When you go to a new country, you must adapt yourself to new manners and customs. 你到一个新的国家时,必须使自己适应新的风俗习惯。

This book is adapted to the needs of beginners. 本书经改编而适于初学者的需要。 Novels are often adapted for the stage and for radio. 小说常被改编为舞台脚本或广播脚本。*adapter, adaptor n.改编者 *adaptation n. 改编; 适应 *adaptable adj. 可改编的;能适应的

- adept [ə'dept] adj. 熟练的 He is adept in machines. 他对于机器十分在行。 n. 专家 I'm not an adept in photography. 我不是摄影专家。
- adequate ['ædikwit] adj. 适当的; 足够的 Are you getting adequate recompense for the work you're doing? 你是否从目前从事的工作中获得适当的报酬?
- adjust [ə'dʒʌst] vt.vi. 调节;调整 She will have to adjust herself to new conditions, change her ways of living and thinking. 她得让自己适应新的环境, 改变她的生活方式和思想方法。 syn: adapt, reconcile, regulate.
- administration [ədminis'treifən] n. 1. 管理 The company developed rapidly under his administration. 在他的管理下,公司发展迅速。2. 政府;行政当局 The new administration under Churchill has been opposed in the Parliament.邱吉尔领导的

新政府在议会中遭到反对。 *administrator n. 管理人; 行政长官 *administrate vt. 管理; 支配

- admire [əd'maiə] vt.1. 钦佩 羡慕 I admire her for her bravery. 我钦佩她的勇敢。 2. 夸奖 Don't forget to admire the boy. 不要忘记夸奖那男孩。 *admiration n.钦佩;赞赏 *admirer n. 赞美者 *admiring adj. 表示赞赏的
- admission [əd'miʃən] n.1. 准许进入 Admission to the school is by examination only.入学须经过考试。2.承认 To resign now would be an admission of failure. 现在辞职等于承认失败。 admissible adj. 可被允许的;可接受的
- admit [əd'mit] vt.1. 允许 The servant opened the door and admitted me. 仆人打开门,让我入内。 2. 承认 The accused man admitted his guilt. 被告承认了他的罪行。
- adopt [ə'dəpt] vt.1. 收养 As they had no children of their own, they adopted an orphan. 因为他们没有亲生儿女,他们就收养了一个孤儿。2. 采取;采用 I like your methods of teaching and shall adopt them in my school. 我喜欢你的教学方法,并将在我的学校里采用。3. 表决通过 Congress adopted the new measure. 国会通过了新的方案*adoptive adj. 收养的;采用的*adoption n. 收养;采用
- advantage [əd'va:ntid3] n. 利益 He gained little advantage from his visit to London. 他的伦敦之行获益甚微。

- adventure [əd'ventʃə] n. 冒险 The explorer told the children about his adventure in the Arctic. 探险者向孩子们讲述了他在北极的冒险经历。
- advertise ['ædvətaiz] vt. vi. 1. 广告 People often advertise for a servant in the newspapers. 人们 常在报上登广告招聘 仆人。 2. 通知 I advertised him of my plans. 我把我的计划安排通知了他。*advertisement n. 广告
- affect [ə'fekt] vt. 1. 影响 The climate affected his health. 气候影响了他的健康。2. 感动 He was much affected by the sad news. 他深为那个凄惨的消息所感动。3. 假装 He affected not to hear me. 他假装没有听见我。4. 爱用; 喜爱 He affects long words that few people can understand. 他喜欢用大家听不懂的长词*affecting adj. 动人的;感人的*affected adj. 矫饰的; 做作的 affectation n. 矫饰; 做作 affection n. 爱;亲爱
- affluent ['æfluent] adj. 富裕的 an affluent merchant 富商 *affluence n. 富裕;丰富
- afford [ə,fɔ:d] vt.1. 能够负担 Are you able to afford the time for a holiday? 你能够腾出时间来 度假吗? 2. 给予; 供给 It will afford me great pleasure to have dinner with you. 与你共餐,我将不胜愉快。
- aftermath [a:'ftəma:θ] n. 结果; 后果 Misery is usually the aftermath of war. 苦难常是战争的后果。aged ['eid3id] adj. 年老的 The aged woman was

wrinkled and bent. 那位老妇人脸上起皱,背部弯曲。

agency ['eid3ənsi] n.1. 经销处;代办 The company has agencies in all parts of Africa. 该公司在非洲各地均有经销处。2. 作用 He obtained a good position in a government office through the agency of friends. 由于朋友的力量,他在政府机关获得了一份好工作。

*agent n. 代理人

agree [ə'gri:] vt.vi.1. 同意 We are all agreed that the proposal is a good one. 我们一致认为那是个好建议。2. 承认;认可 The Inspector of Taxes has agreed on your return of income. 税务稽查员已经认可了你的所得税 申报 表。*agreeable adj.令人愉快的 *agreement n. 同意

agriculture ['ægrikʌltʃə] n. 农业

aid [eid] vt. 支持;帮助 The Red Cross aids flood victims. 红十字会数济水灾灾民。 Your encouragement aided him to success. 你的鼓励帮助了他取得成功。 n.1. 支持;帮助 He went to the aid of the hurt man. 他去帮助那位受伤的人。 2. 起帮助作用的人或物 A dictionary is an important aid in learning a new language. 词典是学习一门新的语言的得力助手。

alarm [ə'la:m] vt.1. 惊动 The noise of the shot alarmed hundreds of birds. 枪声惊起群鸟。2. 使 ……惊慌 Everybody was alarmed at the news

- that war might break out. 人人对于战争可能爆发的消息感到恐慌。
- alcohol ['ælkəhəl] n.1. 酒精 Alcohol is made from grain or molasses. 酒精由粮食或糖蜜制成。2. 酒 His doctor told him not to touch alcohol until he was well again. 医生叫他在痊愈前不要沾酒。
 - *alcoholic adj. 酒精的; 酒精中毒的n. 酒鬼
 - *alcoholism n. 酒精中毒
- all-around (=all-round) ['o: ləraund] adj. 全面的; 广博的 An all-round sportsman is good at many different games and sports. 全面的运动员精于许多 不同的竞技和体育项目。
- allocate ['æləukeit] vt. 分配 We must allocate the money carefully. 我们必须仔细将钱 分 好。 That space has already been allocated for building a new hospital. 那地方已经拨给建造一座新 医 院 了。 *allocation n. 分配; 分配之事物
- aloud [ə'laud] adv. 高声地 He called aloud for help. 他高声呼救。
- alphabet ['ælfəbet] n. 字母 *alphabetical adj. 字 母的
- alter ['ɔ:ltə] vt. vi. 变更;改变 He has altered a great deal since l saw him a year ago. 自从我一年前见到他之后,他变多了。*alteration n. 改变
- altogether [,o:ltə'geðə] adv.1. 完全地; 全部地 It's altogether out of the question. 这是完全不可能的。2. 总之; 总而言之 The weather was bad and

trains were crowded; altogether, it was not a very satisfactory excursion. 天气不好, 火车又挤; 总之,这次郊游不很令人满意。

- ambitious [æm'bisəs] adj.1. 有野心的 He is ambitious for high social position. 他热衷于往上爬。
 2. 显示雄心的;抱负不凡的 He made an ambitious attempt to climb the dangerous mountain. 他作了一次攀登险峰的的尝试。
 - *ambition n. 野心, 热望*ambitiously adv. 雄心勃勃地 syn: aspiring, zealous, avid, eager, intent
- amendment [ə'mendmənt] n. 改良 Your plan needs some amendment before it can be made public. 你的计划在公布前需作些修改。 syn: modification, rectification, reform
- amiss [ə'mis] adj.adv. 不适当的;有毛病的 Everything goes amiss with him; he certainly has bad luck. 他事事不顺当,无疑是倒了霉。 syn: inappropriate improper
- **amuse** [ə'mju:z] vt. 使欢乐 The boys amused themselves by drawing caricatures of their teacher. 男孩子们以画老师的漫画来取乐。 *amusingly adv. 有趣地 *amusement n. 娱乐
- analogy [ə'nælədʒi] n. 类似; 比喻 The teacher drew an analogy between the human heart and a pump. 老师用水泵来比喻人的心脏。
- analysis [ə'nælisis] n. 分析 The teacher taught us how to make a grammatical analysis of a sen-

- tence. 老师教我们怎样对句子进行语法分析。 *ana·lyze vt. 分析 *analytic adj. 分析的
- anchor ['æŋkə] n. 锚 Hope is his anchor. 希望是他的支柱。vt.vi. 抛锚; 停泊 The ship anchored along the shore. 船停泊在岸边。 *anchorage n. 停泊; 停泊地
- **angel** ['eindʒəl] n.1. 天使 2. 天真无邪的人 She is a perfect angel. 她是个完美的天使。*angelic adj. 天使般的 *angelically adv. 天使般地
- angle ['ængl] n.1. 角; 角度 The two roads lie at an angle of about 45 degrees. 两条路以大约四十五度的角度相交。 2. 观点 Try looking at the affair from a different angle. 试试从不同的角度来看这件事。
- ankle ['æŋkl] n. 足踝 He hurt his left ankle in the broad jump. 他在跳远时伤了足踝。
- annoyance [ə'nɔiəns] n.1. 烦恼 His son gave him much annoyance. 他的儿子使他很烦恼。2. 烦恼的事物 All these little annoyances did not spoil her sweet temper. 这一切小小的烦恼并未损及她的好脾气。
- annual ['ænjuəl] adj.1. 一年一次的 Your birthday is an annual event. 生日一年一次。2. 年度的 annual income/production 年收入/产量
- anxious ['ænkfəs] adj. 焦虑的 I'm very anxious about my son's health.对于儿子的健康我深感焦虑。
- anyhow ['eni'hau] adv.1. 无论如何 The house was

empty and I couldn't get in, anyhow. 屋子是空的,我怎样也进不去。 2. 总之 Anyhow, you can try, even if there's not much chance of success. 总之,你可以试一试,尽管成功的希望不大。

apartment [ə'pa:tmənt] n.1. 套间;房间 2. 公寓

- apologize [ə'pɔlədʒaiz] vi. 道歉 You must apologize to your sister for being so rude. 你对妹妹 如此粗暴,必须向她道歉。
 - *apology n. 道歉;辩解 *apologetic adj. 歉意的; 辩解的 *apologetically adv. 抱歉地;辩解地
- apparent [ə'pærənt] adj.1. 明白的; 显然的 It was apparent to all of us that war had began. 对我们所有的人来说,战争已经开始是明摆着的。2. 外表的The apparent cause of his failure to pass the examination was illness, but the real cause was lack of knowledge. 表面上看他没有通过考试是因为生病,其实还是缺乏知识。 *apparently adv. 明白地;外表地
- appear [ə'piə] vi.1. 出现 The ship appeared on the horizon. 船只出现在地平线上。2. 显得 They appear to have misunderstood me. 他们似乎误解了我。 syn: show up, be obvious, manifest
- apply [ə'plai] vt.1. 应用 We can apply his findings in new developments. 我们可以将他的发现用于新的开拓。2. 申请 You can apply in person or by letter. 你可以亲自申请或写信进行申请。 *application n. 申请 *applicant n. 申请人

- appreciate [ə'pri:sieit] vt.1. 感谢; 赞赏 We greatly appreciate all your help. 我们十分感谢你的帮助。
 - 2. 鉴赏; 欣赏 You can't appreciate English poetry unless you understand its rhythm. 除非你懂得它的节奏,否则是很难欣赏英文诗歌的。
- approval [ə'pru:vl] n. 批准;同意;认可 Your plans have my approval. 我赞成你的计划。
- approve [ə'pru:v] vt.vi. 认可;批准;同意 The plans were approved by the Ministry of Communication. 计划得到了通讯部的批准。 syn: sanction, ratify
- arctic ['a:ktik] adj. 北极的;寒冷的 I cannot stand this arctic weather. 我受不了这种严寒天气。
- arise [ə'raiz] vt.1. 兴起; 发生 A new difficulty has arisen. 一种新的困难发生了。2. 起因于 Serious obligations may arise from the proposed clause. 这项提议的条款可能产生一些重大的责任。
- arrange [ə'reind3] vt.1. 安排 The meeting arranged for tomorrow has been postponed. 安排在 明天的会议已经延期了。2. 整理 Before going away, he arranged his business affairs. 他在离开前安排好了业务。
- arrest [ə'rest] vt.1. 逮捕 The policeman arrested the thief. 警察逮捕了那个窃贼。2. 抑制;阻止 The doctor arrested the growth of the disease. 医生控制了病情。3. 吸引(注意力) The bright lights arrested the boy's attention. 辉煌的灯火吸引了那