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本书简介

本书是作者针对理工科大学生英语学习中的困难、参照研究生入学考试的要求编写的一本参考书。全书分上、下两册包括语法、词汇、综合填空、阅读理解、英汉互译等内容，力图反映研究生入学考试中出现的句型、惯用法和基本词汇。书后附有1986年研究生考试英语试卷(副题)及参考答案，1987年研究生考试英语试卷、评分标准及参考答案。本书曾在作者所在学校使用三届，效果较好。1984~1986年研究生入学考试中，考生及格率均在江苏省名列前茅。

本书可作为理工科大学生的教学参考书，也可供大中学英语教师、有一定水平的英语爱好者及有志于报考研究生的青年阅读。

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前 言

FOREWORD

本书是中国矿业学院英语提高班的教材,经过三届使用,效果较好。1984~1986年硕士学位研究生入学英语考试中,考生及格率在江苏省名列前茅。本书既能帮助大学生和自学青年练习语言基本功,又能使他们在内容丰富、形式多样的大量练习中,了解硕士学位研究生入学英语考试的要求,稳步提高应试能力。

全书共有2,000多个典型试题,力图反映硕士学位研究生入学英语考试常见的句型、惯用法及基本词汇用法。词汇试题突出各种词的搭配,以增强读者对基本词的灵活运用能力和在不同的情景中辨别同义词和易混词的能力。全部试题不仅有助于读者系统地复习和扩充语法知识,而且有利于他们积极地扩大词汇和较好地掌握惯用法,从而提高运用语言进行交际的能力。

本书从近年来出版的英、美书刊及测试资料中选材,参照硕士学位研究生入学英语考试的要求、并针对理工科大学生的特点及学习英语的困难进行编写。全书共有试题二十五份,其中“选择填空”、“词汇理解选择”、“综合填空”、“用适当动词形式填空”、“辨认与改正错误”、“汉译英”、“英译汉”等各类单项试题十四份,综合试题六份,模拟试题五份(分下、上册)。根据当今阅读理解测试的“三快”(阅

读快、理解快、反应快)要求,我们辑了题材体裁各异、篇幅长短不等的快速阅读材料,并编写了含蓄型,判断性的理解题,附在每份单项试题和综合试题后面,以帮助大学生和自学青年提高阅读速度,增强理解能力。

本书除帮助大学生和自学青年熟悉硕士学位研究生入学英语考试的要求和形式外,还可供读者检查自己掌握和运用英语的能力。为了自学方便,全部试题均有参考答案。但我们建议读者先把题做完,然后再作查对。

在编写本书的过程中,编者得到了中国矿业学院院领导、教务处、研究生部和外语系负责同志及许多同志的热情鼓励和支持。先后在中国矿业学院工作的外籍教师 Ms Clark、Mr & Mrs Borthwick 和 Mr & Mrs Malm 提出了不少有益的意见。齐殿林教授在百忙中全面审阅了原稿,提出很多宝贵意见。在此一并表示衷心感谢。

由于编者水平所限,错误和不妥之处一定不少,恳请批评指正。

编 者

一九八七年二月

于中国矿业学院

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Test 1 Choice (I)

选择填空试题 (一)

Part One

In each question, decide which of the four choices given will most suitably complete the sentence if inserted at the place marked.

EXAMPLE:

(A) I was caught _____ the rain yesterday.

A. in B. by

C. with D. at

1. He may be able to come to the party. _____ the other hand, he may be too busy.

A. On B. In

C. By D. For

2. I am tired _____ telling you the same thing again and again.

A. of B. with

C. in D. on

3. The amount of pressure which the material is subjected _____ affects the quality of the products.

- A. of B. in
C. at D. to
4. John is no good _____ mathematics.
A. in B. on
C. at D. about
5. I prefer writing a term paper _____ taking
an examination.
A. with B. for
C. to D. than
6. They departed previous _____ our arrival.
A. to B. by
C. over D. of
7. Is the weather favourable _____ a picnic?
A. for B. to
C. with D. on
8. Electricity is essential _____ modern indus-
try.
A. in B. at
C. for D. to
9. The scientist will risk his health _____ the
interest of humanity.
A. on B. for
C. at D. in
10. There is always a limit _____ one's patience.
A. of B. at
C. to D. in
11. Henry shows a preference for skating _____

swimming.

A. with

B. for

C. over

D. from

12. James is still keen _____ painting.

A. at

B. on

C. in

D. with

13. My brother is very quick _____ calculations.

A. at

B. with

C. of

D. on

14. Is the food sufficient _____ everybody.

A. to

B. with

C. at

D. for

15. She does not agree _____ his proposal.

A. with

B. to

C. for

D. upon

16. I can't go to Mexico this year but I'll go _____.

A. by and by

B. later and later

C. step by step

D. little by little

17. As a writer, she should like to rent a house, modern, comfortable and _____ in a quiet place.

A. after all

B. before all

C. above all

D. over all

18. If I were you, I wouldn't rely too much on him.

He has often _____ people, you know.

A. let off

B. let of

C. let up

D. let down

19. Because of the bad weather our trip will have to

be _____.

- A. put by B. put off
C. put in D. put away

20. What time did Frank _____ at the meeting yesterday?

- A. show off B. show up
C. show down D. show through

21. Peter is _____ a difficult period in his life.

- A. going into B. going over
C. going at D. going through

22. Please let me sit down; I'm _____.

- A. worn down B. worn off
C. worn out D. worn away

23. We've _____ sugar. Ask Mrs Jones to lend us some.

- A. run away with B. run down
C. run off D. run out of

24. Although they quarreled last month, Clark and Alice have _____.

- A. made up B. made over
C. made off D. made out

25. How long have you been _____ the exercises?

- A. working off B. working at
C. working up D. working in

26. Mr. Smith is not the same man _____.

- A. as he was B. what he was
C. whom he was D. who he was

27. The Yangtze River at Nanking is even wider and deeper than_____.
- A. it at Wuhan B. at Wuhan
C. Wuhan D. that at Wuhan
28. If you need a pencil, you can use one of_____.
- A. my B. mine
C. my pencils D. me
29. On the river there is _____bridge.
- A. an old stone fine B. a stone old fine
C. an old fine stone D. a fine old stone
30. It was ordered that no smoking_____in the library.
- A. is allowed B. be allowed
C. would be allowed D. to be allowed
31. A foreign language _____in serving the people, we should do our best to have a good command of it.
- A. being a useful tool
B. is a useful tool
C. having been a useful tool
D. been a useful tool
32. I _____to bed until twelve o'clock this evening.
- A. will go B. won't go
C. go D. don't go
33. Mr. Jones got very sick _____too hard.
- A. for working B. by working
C. from working D. to work

34. I have finished typing all _____ the last page.
A. until B. but
C. to D. for
35. Since they aren't answering their telephone, they _____.
A. must have left B. should have left
C. need have left D. can have left
36. I _____ bacon and eggs every morning.
A. am used to eat B. used to eating
C. am used to eating D. use to eat
37. If it _____ so late we could have coffee.
A. wasn't B. isn't
C. weren't D. not be
38. The team really looks good tonight because the coach had them _____ every night this week.
A. practice B. to practice
C. practiced D. the practice
39. Would you mind _____, please?
A. to answer the phone
B. answering the phone
C. answer the phone
D. to the phone answering
40. You _____ your seats today if you want to go to the game.
A. had better reserve
B. had better to reserve
C. had to better reserve

- D. had to reserve better
41. I'm going to take the bus _____ money.
A. for to save B. saving
C. to save D. by saving
42. Frankly, I'd rather you _____ anything about it for the time being.
A. do B. didn't do
C. don't D. didn't
43. I'll need _____ about the climate before I make a final decision.
A. a few informations
B. a few information
C. a little informations
D. a little information
44. Jack's doctor insists _____ for a few days.
A. that he is resting B. his resting
C. him to rest D. that he rest
45. _____, the worse I seem to feel.
A. When I take more medicine
B. The more medicine I take
C. Taking more of the medicine
D. More medicine taken
46. Besides being expensive, the food in the cafeteria tastes _____.
A. badly B. too badly
C. too much bad D. bad
47. If the cab arrives _____ you will miss your

flight.

- A. lately B. lateness
C. more later D. late

48. It is imperative _____.

- A. that you arrive here in time
B. that you shall arrive here in time
C. that you must arrive here in time
D. that you had to arrive here in time

49. This new soap is not much _____ the others that I have tried.

- A. different B. different than
C. different from D. different that

50. They forgot about _____ them to join us for lunch.

- A. us to ask B. us asking
C. our asking D. we asking

51. This is the woman _____ the artist said posed as a model for the painting.

- A. who B. whom
C. which D. whose

52. She hasn't seen her family _____ three years ago.

- A. since B. for
C. from D. before

53. I wish you _____ such a great deal of fuss.

- A. have not caused B. had not caused
C. have not been caused

- D. are not caused
54. Whatever you can do, _____
A. I can do as well B. I can do it as well
C. I can do this as well
D. I can do what as well
55. Would you please _____ write on the test books?
A. don't B. not to
C. not D. to not
56. He wrote a _____ report.
A. two-thousand-words
B. two-thousands-words
C. two-thousands-word
D. two-thousand-word
57. Nobody but Smith and John _____ in the laboratory yesterday.
A. were B. had been
C. was D. are
58. _____ have studied English in our school.
A. Most of students B. The most students
C. Most of the students
D. Most student
59. _____ do you think is the best student in our class?
A. Who B. Of whom
C. What D. Whom
60. We haven't had _____ news from the disas-

ter site since the earthquake.

- A. many B. quite a few
C. much D. some

61. _____ what to say, I remained silent.

- A. No knowing B. Not knowing
C. Knowing no D. Knowing not

62. The film _____ this Saturday.

- A. is to show B. is to be shown
C. is showing D. shows

63. He insisted _____ to London.

- A. on going B. in going
C. in to go D. on to go

64. Poor Bill couldn't help _____.

- A. cough B. to cough
C. that he coughed D. coughing

65. The teacher told them _____ make so much noise.

- A. not to B. not
C. don't D. to not

66. John Smith is _____ honest man.

- A. one B. an
C. the D. a

67. Each sentence is _____ two parts.

- A. made up of B. made from
C. consists of D. compose of

68. They are _____ my other neighbours.

- A. more friendlier than