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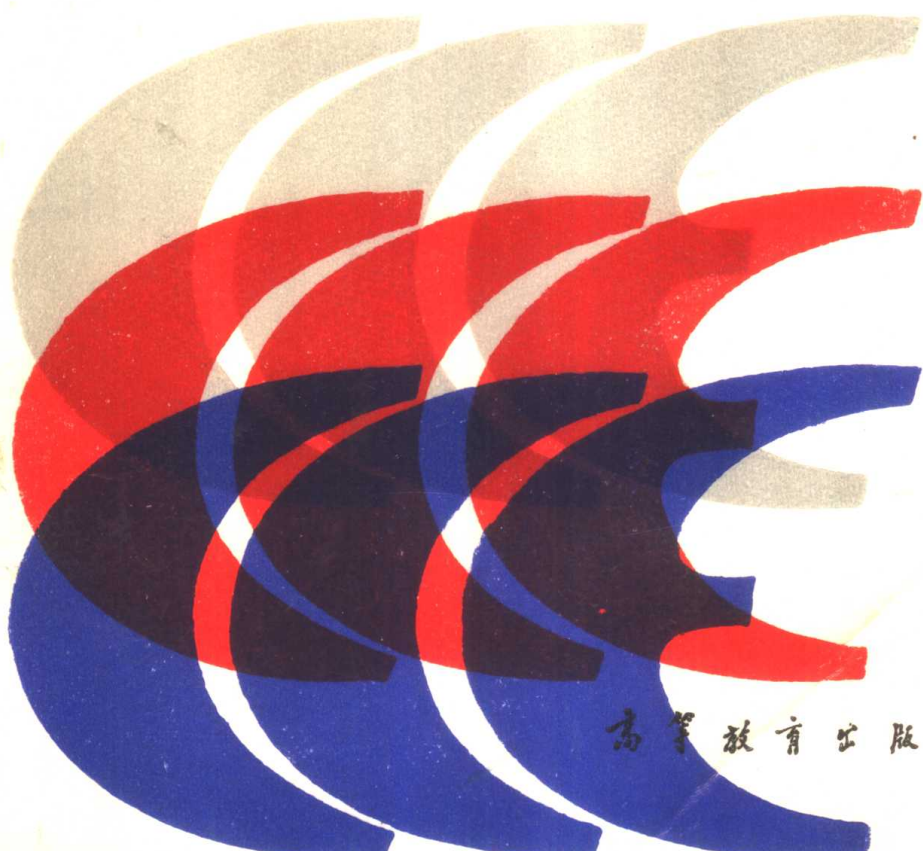
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内 容 提 要

《大学核心英语：词汇练习册》(第四册)配合《大学核心英语：读写教程》(第四册)使用。本书紧扣《大学英语教学大纲》(1985)对第四级词汇的要求，把《读写教程》(4)中出现的近200个积极词汇编入多种形式的练习中，以达到巩固所学词汇和适当扩大词汇量的目的。

本书共12个单元，其中第6和第12单元为复习单元。练习语言规范，内容广泛、难度适中、精练实用。书后附有参考答案，便于学生自学。

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前 言

《大学核心英语》是根据国家教育委员会1985年颁发的《大学英语教学大纲(理工科适用)》编写的系列教材。《词汇练习册》是整套教材的一部分。在英语教学中,词汇教学是一个很重要的组成部分。学生常常反映,词汇多,记不住。本练习册的编写目的就是帮助学生解决这一难题。

《词汇练习册》(第四册)按照《大纲》对词汇的要求,对《读写教程》(第四册)中出现的近200个新词提供了大量练习。在编写练习的过程中,编者贯彻了语言规范、难度适中、内容广泛、精练实用等原则。在选材和题解上则做到有的放矢。

本书共有12个单元,第1—5单元和7—11单元分别和《读写教程》相应的单元中的 Text A 和 Text C 配合。第6和第12单元为阶段复习。每一单元基本上包括下列七项练习:

一、选用派生词——练习给出词根,要求学生根据所给的句子选用适当的派生词,以扩大词汇量并加深对词的理解。要求选用的派生词一般均在课文中出现过。

二、新词练习——通过选词填充,多项选择等形式要求学生将在课文中学到的新词用到句子中去,以提高学生对新词的活用能力。

三、词组填充——这项练习汇集了绝大部分出现在课文中比较常用的短语词组,要求学生将它们填入有关句子,培养他们对这些词组的活用能力。

四、虚词填充——要求学生将课文中学到的各种虚词填入适当句子,以逐步掌握这部分词的用法。

五、近义词选用——要求学生辨别容易混淆的近义词。

六、改错——要求学生在所给句子中找出错处，并予以纠正，旨在培养学生正确的语感，提高对词汇与语法错误的识别能力。

七、完形——要求学生根据所给短文上下文的联系，从四个选择中选取合适的词填入文中空白处，旨在提高学生辨别和使用词汇的能力。

此外，在两个复习单元中还扩充了选词配义及阅读理解练习，前者要求学生找出新词的词义，后者则培养学生根据上下文猜测生词的能力

本书可供学生自学使用，也可由教师结合教学，选择使用。书后附有参考答案，在改错和近义词选用部分的题解中还附有中文注解，便于自学。

《大学核心英语》系列教材由上海交通大学科技外语系杨惠中和张彦斌主编。《词汇练习册》(第四册)第1—5单元及复习(1)由笄骏编写，第7—11单元及复习(Ⅱ)由周祖炎编写。全书由英国专家 Priscilla Jones 审阅。在编写过程中还得到上海交通大学科技外语系沈丽新同志的大力协助，在此表示谢意。

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UNIT ONE

Ex. 1 Word Forms

Write the appropriate form of each italicized word in the blank in each sentence.

1. *publicize*

A recent development in the business world is that each company sets up a department of _____ relations to promote sales of its products.

2. *choose*

He was left only with the _____ of giving up his hope when all his efforts were made in vain.

3. *decide*

When the Board of Directors of the Ford Motors holds a meeting, it usually undergoes a _____ making process.

4. *tradition*

Looking after the baby is _____ the mother's task.

5. *exist*

There are some people who believe in the _____ of God, while others just take another path.

6. *beautiful*

It is a common practice that city girls frequent _____ saloons.

7. *account*

He recently retired from the company where he had served as an _____ for more than thirty years.

8. *encourage*

The news about his admission into Beijing University is very _____ to him and his parents.

9. *add*

Among the four arithmetic operations _____ is the most fundamental one.

10. *regularly*

The government issued last month a new _____ concerning the running of private businesses.

11. *attention*

'Be _____!', the professor reminded Bob when his eyes turned to the birds outside the classroom window.

12. *secure*

The _____ problem has always troubled those who are in charge of the nation's defense system.

13. *strength*

James is told time and again to _____ his seat belt when he has his old car checked.

14. *percent*

Most likely the growth of a country's economy is expressed in terms of the increased _____ of its Gross National Product.

15. *drama*

That he survived the severe car accident sounded very _____ to his fellow schoolmates.

16. *discover*

Since the _____ of the law of motion by Newton, our society has changed from a preindustrial one into an information one.

17. *complain*

Starting from the day he was assigned to the post of president of the university, he has always been confronted with numerous _____ about the poor management of the school.

18. *favour*

Water activities such as sailing and canoeing are his _____ sports.

19. *mental*

It is acknowledged that a healthy _____ of the people also contributes to the development of a society.

20. *copy*

Since the installment of a photo _____ in the office, the secretarial work has been reduced considerably.

Ex. 2 Using the New Words

Choose the best word from the list given for each blank. Use each word once only and make proper changes where necessary.

cease	gasoline	improbable	lawyer
microcomputer	negative	advert	automation
incident	intention	motive	omission
phenomenon			

1. Don't worry about such _____ as flood and earthquakes

since they occur very rarely.

2. After a hard negotiation the government reached an agreement with its enemy country to _____ fire.
3. As to the possible acceptance of our terms by our partner, my answer is _____.
4. Office _____ equipment is now installed in various parts of the government agencies.
5. The cheap price of _____ has brought about a lot of applications in industrial process-control.
6. It is a common _____ that an uneasy dog would bite passers-by.
7. In his report about the car accident, the journalist _____ to the similar one which took place at the same time last year.
8. Even after two months of his coming across former girlfriend, he still finds himself unable to forget about the _____.
9. The _____ of diagrams in the annual book on the country's economy brought about a lot of confusion.
10. Even though Captain Lee worked very hard to persuade his soldiers to speed up, they seemed to lack of _____ to follow his command.
11. Robin appeared very willing to lend us a hand, but we were suspicious of his _____.
12. Early this century, Henry Ford invented the world first _____-powered automobile.
13. People have realized the important role _____ play in the development of our society.

Ex. 3 Using the Expressions

3A. Choose the one that best completes the sentence.

1. In his speech he went _____ to blame the general public for neglecting his views about the nuclear power station.
A) so far as B) down
C) off D) into
2. This figure shows that private ownership in China has _____ reached a fairly significant proportion.
A) without question B) without questions
C) with no questions D) with any question
3. I don't want to _____ myself _____ what has been said just now. I am ignorant of the occurrence.
A) connect ... with B) associate ... with
C) relate ... to D) associate ... to
4. Due to the recent Persian Gulf troubles, the _____ oil on the world market has increased.
A) demand in B) demand on
C) demand for D) demand of
5. _____ the heavy rainfall, the group of climbers managed to reach the top of the mountain.
A) Despite of B) Despite
C) In spite D) In spite with
6. All the papers which the TV station called for should be _____ by the end of February.
A) sent off B) sent in
C) sent down D) sent on
7. _____ the quality of his performance in my class I think

he is quite satisfactory.

A) Speaking with

B) Talking to

C) Speaking of

D) Talking of

8. You should _____ your conduct you have made towards your grandparents.

A) be ashamed of

B) be ashamed to

C) be shameful of

D) be shameful to

9. They deliberately let the spy go _____ give their enemy some false information.

A) with the purpose that

B) aiming at

C) with the wish that

D) so as to

10. Though they have been separated for more than twenty years, they still _____ touch.

A) get into

B) lose

C) be in

D) keep in

3B. Fill in the blanks with the expressions given below. Change the forms if necessary.

out of date

lose face

keep in line

tired of

run beauty saloon

take an active role

in turn

in favour of

at ease

1. Those who are _____ the project please raise your hands.

2. _____ repeating the same kind of work, the employees on the assembly line went on strike.

3. In order to avoid _____, the bankrupt spectator committed suicide.

4. After the death of her mother, she was left to _____.
5. It is required that a successor to the president should by no means _____ with the policies of the former government.
6. The newly-purchased bed was very comfortable. He could feel quite _____ by sleeping on it.
7. Information stored in a computer data base should be updated often. Otherwise, it will become _____ very quickly.
8. It is known to us all that oxygen _____ in the rusting of iron.
9. A market competition often results in a bankruptcy of many small enterprises, and this development _____ leads to the occurrence of numerous new firms.

Ex. 4 Prepositions and Sentence-links

Write any appropriate preposition or sentence-link in the blank.

1. No matter what happens, _____ you and your friends should attend the meeting on time.
2. Though many efforts have been made to conquer cancer, there are still many obstacles _____ a solution.
3. Mary was ashamed _____ see her low exam grades.
4. Despite the many advantages _____ working at home, I am still unconvinced of the real benefits.
5. The experiment with a set of weights falling to the ground is related _____ Newton's Law of Gravity.
6. The final report for the physics course should be sent _____ no later than Friday.
7. The plane's take- _____ is postponed due to the heavy fog hanging over the airport.

8. After thorough consideration of the advantages and disadvantages of leaving home, her answer _____ this case was no.
9. China's opening policy has ended her three hundred-year isolation _____ the outside world.
10. When she saw her boyfriend walking in front of her, she speeded up to catch _____ him.
11. With modern transportation, horse-drawn carts are _____ longer useful in cities.
12. The newly published book on differential equations provides us with better insight _____ their practical applications.
13. Ever _____ its publication, "The Third Wave" has been ranked number one on the non-fiction chart.
14. The only way _____ achieve this condition is _____ doing exactly the same as anyone else.
15. The two methods of charting the figures and events are _____ effect exactly the same.

Ex. 5 Misleading Words or Expressions

Make sure that you understand the following words or expressions. Choose the right one to complete the following sentences. Change the forms where necessary.

1. keep in touch / get in touch / be in touch / lose touch /

A) It's a pity you're going to Australia. But anyway, let's _____, shall we?

B) No one whom I have taught seems to _____ with me.

C) Judging from your recent correspondence with him, you two _____ still _____.

- D) It is unbelievable that they _____ still _____. Their parents have forbidden them to see each other.
- E) We haven't _____ with the group of explorers in the cave. It seems that they are lost.
- F) I should like to _____ with my old friends but I have so little time.
- G) It's impossible that you have _____ with him. I just saw you chatting with him on the street the other day.
- H) The two enemy countries started to _____ again to find a solution to their border dispute.

2. ashamed of / shameful / ashamed to

- A) Those baseball players felt _____ describe the match to their relatives after they lost the game.
- B) The teacher told his students that they should be _____ their behaviour if they were telling a lie.
- C) It is _____ for me to see my records of such poor study.
- D) No matter what your excuse is, you should feel _____ what you have done to her.
- E) _____ tell his family about his bankruptcy, he committed suicide.
- F) Traditionally, it is considered _____ for one to have more than two divorces in China.

3. a number of / amount of / a great deal of / lots of

- A) On the playground there are _____ students watching the football match attentively.
- B) During the severe drought a large _____ water was trucked into the area.

many waterways. () _____
D

2. The ability to hide themselves in the forest enables some
A B
otherwise defenseless animals to survive. () _____
C D

3. Benjamin Franklin, a famous American politician, author,
and scientist, he was born in 1709 and lived to the age of
A B C
eighty-four. () _____
D

4. At present, advertising is one of the most strictly controlled
A B C
industry in the United States. () _____
D

5. The existing of a planet near Saturn was once unbelievable
A B
among scientists at that time. () _____
C D

6. We can see the sun rising in the morning, staying high at
A B
noon and to set before the evening comes. () _____
C D

7. Because wood which was abundant on the North American
A B C
continent, it was the main building material of early settlers.
D
() _____

8. All of we student went to the exhibition to view the
A B