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前言

考研英语从某种意义上来说，考的就是对英语词汇的掌握程度。如何掌握大纲规定的5500左右的词汇以及相关的词组，是每一个考生面临的艰巨任务。

让对考研一无所知、或只是一知半解的学生对考研英语有个初步的、正确的认识 and 了解，是本书编写的初衷。对于这类学生，还没有完全投入到考研的准备当中，直接看考研英语阅读理解X篇、历年真题解析之类的书，未免有“隔门上炕”之嫌，不具针对性，对于同学们对考研英语的正确认识 and 了解也起不到很好的引导作用，甚至只会适得其反，让大家对考研英语产生畏难情绪，甚至是恐惧心理。

本书在编写过程中，在对内容的选择和编排上充分考虑到这一点，对于词汇，综合历年来的考研真题，从出现频率由高到低排布，给同学们做出了分类汇总，每一个单词后面还有相应的真题链接(对于真题中虽带有相应的单词，但对该单词的考查性不明显的，我们没有链接真题，而是给出了更具针对性的典型例句。)，辅助同学们认识和记忆相应的单词；同时，把真题爱考的“熟词生义”这部分做了一个归纳汇总，供同学们了解和背诵。

所以在词汇量上来说，我们并没有把5500左右的考研大纲要求的词汇都罗列在此，而是站在考研的角度，从真题出发，有重点、有针对性地给对考研的了解和认识还只是在初级阶段，的同学们列出了一个极具含金量的“小词汇库”，对于我们初级准备阶段的学生来说，看这本书，无疑更具针对性。

综上所述便有了这本献给导航学员的《考研英语核心词汇》。

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第一部分 词汇

第一章 历年真题高频词汇

频率出现 10 次以上的词汇:

influence ['influəns] *n.* 影响(力); 势力, 权势 *vt.* 影响 *nevertheless* 然而, 不过

【真题连线】That experiences influence subsequent behavior is evidence of an obvious but nevertheless remarkable activity called remembering. [1995 年阅读 5] 这种影响到我们后来行为的经历就是回忆, 一种常见但意义重大的活动。

process [prə'ses] *n.* 过程; 程序; 工序; *vt.* 处理, 加工 *deliberate* 故意的, 深思熟虑的

【真题连线】And the best way to learn how to encode information meaningfully, Ericsson determined, was a process known as deliberate practice. [2007 年阅读 1] 埃里克森认为, 最富有成效地编译信息的方法即是有意识练(这种过程)。

tend [tend] *vi.* 趋向, 倾向 *vt.* 照管, 护理

【真题连线】The kind of interpersonal violence that women are exposed to tend to be in domestic situations, by, unfortunately, parents or other family members and they tend not to be one-shot deals. [2008 年阅读 1] 女性所要面对的人与人之间的暴力往往发生在家庭环境中, 不幸的是, 其实施者往往趋向是其父母或其他家庭成员。

project ['prɒdʒekt] *n.* 方案, 计划; 项目; 工程 *vt.* 发射, 放映; 伸出

【真题连线】The organization is deep into a long self-analysis known as the journalism credibility project. [2008 年阅读 1] 该组织正深入进行一个长期的自我剖析过程, 即新闻可信度调查项目。

growth [grəʊθ] *n.* 增长; 增长量; 生长, 发展; 生长物 *formal* 正式的, 正规的

【真题连线】The relationship between formal education and economic growth in poor countries is widely misunderstood by economists and politicians alike. [2009 年阅读 3] 无论是经济学家, 抑或是政治学家, 普遍误解了在贫穷国家中如何对待正规教育与经济发展之间的关系。

professional [prə'feʃənl] *a.* 娴熟的, 专业的 *n.* 专业人员 *uniform* 统一的, 制服

【真题连线】The bodies playing major professional sports have changed dramatically over the years, and the managers have been more than willing to adjust team uniforms to fit the growing numbers of bigger, longer frames. [2010 年阅读 B] 近些年来, 从事职业运动的运动员的身高发生了巨大变化, 经理们也乐意于调整队服以适应不断增多的越来越大、越来越高的身躯。

intellectual [ˌɪntə'lektʃuəl] *a.* 智力的, 善于思维的 *n.* 知识分子

【真题连线】But in, keeping with our examination of southern intellectual life, we may consider the original Puritans as carriers of European culture, adjusting to New World circumstances. [2009 年阅读 4] 但为了使我们与南部学术界的研究保持一致, 我们可以视最初的清教徒视为欧洲文化的传播



者,他们适应了新大陆的环境。

rate [reit] *n.* 进度;比率,率 *v.* 评估,评价

【真题连线】At the same time, the normal rate of social change throughout the world is taking place at a vastly accelerated speed compared with the past. [2009 年阅读 4] 与此同时,世界范围内的正常社会变革速度比之过去大大加速了。

economy [i'kɒnəmi] *n.* 经济(制度,情况);节约 *gainful* 有利益的,赚钱的

【真题连线】Changes in the economy that lead to fewer job opportunities for youth and rising unemployment in general make gainful employment increasingly difficult to obtain. [2004 年完型] 经济情况的恶化使得年轻人的工作机会减少并且失业率不断上升,总体而言,能挣钱的工作越来越少。

issue ['isju:] *n.* 问题;*vt.* 分发;流出;颁布,出版 *redundant* 多余的,被解雇的

【真题连线】Setting the proper investment level for security, redundancy, and recovery is a management issue, not a technical one. [2007 年阅读 4] 为数据安全、备份及恢复设立恰当的投资标准是一个管理问题,而不是技术问题。

theory ['θiəri] *n.* 理论,原理;学说;看法 *in sum* 总而言之

【典型例句】In sum, theory should be combined with practice.

【例句精译】总而言之,理论应该同实践相结合。

thorough ['θʌrə] *a.* 彻底的,完全的;细致的

【典型例句】He had a thorough knowledge of both western and Chinese learning.

【例句精译】他学贯中西。

view [vju:] *n.* 观点;眼界;景色 *vt.* 看待;观察 *institution* 制度,习惯,机构

【真题连线】Traditionally, legal learning has been viewed in such institutions as the special preserve of lawyers, rather than a necessary part of the intellectual equipment of an educated person. [2007 年阅读 B] 传统而言,此类院校一般视法律的学习为律师所专用的特权,而非将其视作每位受教育之人所应必备的知识才能。

intelligence [in'telidʒəns] *n.* 智力,智慧;情报,消息 *compass* 指南针,包围 *encompass* 包围

【真题连线】Clearly, intelligence encompasses more than a score on a test. [2007 年阅读 2] 显然,智力所包含的远不止测试中的分数。

social ['səʊʃəl] *a.* 社会的;交际的

【真题连线】American social scientist Lewis Henry Morgan introduced another theory of cultural evolution in the late 1800s. [2009 年阅读 B] 美国社会科学家路易斯·亨利·摩根在 19 世纪后期引入了另一种文化进化论。

technology [tek'nɒlədʒi] *n.* 工艺,技术

evidence ['evidəns] *n.* 根据,证据;迹象 *rescue* 营救

【真题连线】Scientists jumped to the rescue with some distinctly shaky evidence to the effect that insects would eat us up if birds failed to control them. [2010 年阅读 C] 科学家们匆忙拿出来某些明显站不住脚的证据前来救驾,大致说的是如果鸟儿不能控制害虫的话,害虫就会将我们一切吃光。

inflation [in'fleɪʃən] *n.* 通货膨胀;(充气而)膨胀

【真题连线】It has not occurred against the background of general commodity price inflation and



excess 超过, 过度, 额外的

global excess demand. [2002 年阅读 3] 这次(油价上升)并非发生在物价普遍上涨以及全球性需求过度的背景下。

moral ['mɒrəl] *a.* 道德的, 有道德的 *n.* [pl.] 道德; 寓意

【真题连线】Tylor defined culture as “……that complex whole which includes belief, art, morals, law, custom, and any other capabilities and habits acquired by man as a member of society”. [2003 年阅读 C] 泰勒把文化定义为“……一个复合整体, 它包括人作为社会成员所获得的信仰、艺术、道德、法律、风俗以及其他能力和习惯”。

account [ə'kaʊnt] *n.* 记述; 账(户); 解释 *vi.* 说明; (数量, 比例上) 占

【真题连线】What might account for this strange phenomenon? [2007 年阅读 1] 如何解释这一奇怪现象呢?

agent ['eidʒənt] *n.* 代理人(商), 经纪人

【真题连线】Such agents reduce the need for repeated visits to the databases. [2004 年阅读 1] 有了搜索代理, 就没那么多必要反复访问资料库了。

risk [risk] *n.* 危险; 风险 *vt.* 冒……的危险

【典型例句】All the people who know this secret represent a security risk.

【例句精译】凡是知晓这个秘密的人都有安全危险。

substance ['sʌbstəns] *n.* 物质; 实质; 根据

链接 substantial *a.* 物质的; 真实的; 丰富的

【真题连线】Retailers that master the intricacies of wholesaling in Europe may well expect to reap substantial profits thereby. [2010 年阅读 B] 掌握欧洲批发市场动作详情的零售商因而很可能获得丰厚的利润。

create [kri'eit] *vt.* 创造; 引起, 产生

【典型例句】Some people believe that God created the world.

【例句精译】一些人依旧相信创世论。(上帝创造了世界)

data ['deɪtə] *n.* 数据, 资料

decline [di'klaɪn] *n./vi.* 下降, 减少, 衰退; *vt.* 谢绝, 婉拒

【典型例句】The decline of literature indicates the decline of a nation; the two keep pace in their downward tendency.

【例句精译】文学的衰落表明一个民族的衰落; 这两者在走下坡路的时候是齐头并进的。

intend [in'tend] *vt.* 打算, 计划

【典型例句】We intend to apply economic sanctions.

【例句精译】我们计划施以经济制裁。

trend [trend] *n.* 趋势, 倾向; 时新款式, 时尚

【典型例句】The general trend under heaven is that there is bound to be unification after prolonged division and division after prolonged unification

【例句精译】天下大势, 分久必合, 合久必分。

attitude ['ætɪtju:d] *n.* 态度, 看法; 姿态, 姿势

【真题连线】Here is a troubled business that keeps hiring employees whose attitudes vastly annoy



the customers. [2004 年阅读 1] 这是一个棘手的行业,却不断地雇佣观点总使客户恼怒的雇员。

behavior [bi'heivjə] *n.* 行为,举止;(机器)运转情况

【真题连线】Such behavior is regarded as “all to human”, with the underlying assumption that other animals would not be capable of this finely developed sense of grievance. [2005 年阅读 1] 我们曾认为此种行为仅仅属于人类特有,即潜意识认为其他动物不具备这种高度发达的不满情绪。

benefit ['benifit] *n.* 益处 *v.* 获益,得益

【真题连线】Examples of benefits or costs of the current concentration wave are scanty. [2001 年阅读 4] 目前可以证明这股合并浪潮是利是弊的实例并不多。

ambition [æm'bifən] *n.* 雄心;野心

【真题连线】If ambition is to be well regarded, the rewards of ambition—wealth, distinction, control over one's destiny—must be deemed worthy of the sacrifices made on ambition's behalf. [2000 年阅读 5] 雄心壮志若是能够被正确看待,那么其回报—财富、名望、权力,则应该被认为值得为之付出牺牲。

productivity [ˌprɒdʌk'tiviti] *n.* 生产力,生产率

【真题连线】More recently, while examining housing construction, the researchers discovered that illiterate, non-English-speaking Mexican workers in Houston, Texas, consistently met best-practice labor productivity standards despite the complexity of the building industry's work. [2009 年阅读 3] 最近,研究人员在调查房屋建设时,发现尽管房地产行业的工作十分复杂,在德克萨斯州的休斯顿,那些未受过什么教育的、母语非英语的墨西哥工人总是能达到最佳的劳动力生产标准。

spot [spɒt] *n.* 地点;斑点,污点 *vt.* 认出;玷污

【真题连线】Hot spots, anchored in the deeper layers of the earth, provide the measuring instruments needed to resolve the question. [1998 年阅读 5] 位于地球深层结构的“热点”地区,为解决这一问题提供了测量工具。

available [ə'veiləbl̩] *a.* 可利用的,可得到的

【真题连线】The brain finds it best to keep smell receptors available for unfamiliar and emergency signals such as the smell of smoke, which might indicate the danger of fire. [2005 年完型] 大脑发现最好利用(现成的)嗅觉感受器去感知不熟悉的和紧急的信息,例如,烟的味道,那往往预示着火灾的危险。

community [kə'mju:niti] *n.* 社会,团体;界;群落;社区

【真题连线】Many in the medical community acknowledge that the assisted-suicide debate has been fueled in part by the despair of patients for whom modern medicine has prolonged the physical agony of dying. [2002 年阅读 4] 许多医疗界人士承认,致使医助自杀这场争论升温的原因部分在于病人们的绝望情绪,对这些病人而言,现代医学延长了临终前肉体上的痛苦。

concept ['kɒnsept] *n.* 概念,观念

【真题连线】For any job search, you should start with a narrow concept—what you think you want to do—then broaden it. [2004 年阅读 1] 不管寻找何种工作,你都要从一个狭窄的概念开始,即你想做什么工作,然后加以扩展。

contrast ['kɒntræst] *n.* 对比 *v.* 形成对比,对照



【典型例句】The coastal areas have mild winters, but by contrast the central plains become extremely cold.

【例句精译】沿海地区的冬天天气暖和,可是相比之下中部平原却异常寒冷。

federal['federal] *a.* 联邦的,联邦政府的

【真题连线】To help homeless people toward independence, the federal government must support job training program, raise the minimum wage, and fund more low-cost housing. [2006 年完型] 为了帮助无家可归者走向独立,联邦政府必须支持职业培训课程,提高基本工资,建设更多的低价住房。

management['mænɪdʒmənt] *n.* 管理,经营;管理部门

【典型例句】If labor and management don't reach an accommodation there will be a strike.

【例句精译】若是劳资双方再达不成协议,罢工将不可避免。

advantage[əd'vɑ:ntɪdʒ] *n.* 优点,有利条件(因素);好处

function['fʌŋkʃən] *n.* 功能;函数 *vi.* 运行,起作用

【真题连线】Alvarez's experience demonstrates the importance of finding ways to diffuse stress before it threatens your health and your ability to function. [2008 年阅读 1] 爱尔沃瑞茨的经历表明,要在压力威胁到你的健康和机能之前找到方法疏导它,这一点很重要。

industrial[in'dʌstriəl] *a.* 工业的,产业的

【真题连线】Average inflation in the big seven industrial economies fell to a mere 2.3% last year, close to its lowest level in 30 years, before rising slightly to 2.5% this July. [1997 年阅读 5] 七大工业国去年的平均通货膨胀率将至仅 2.3%,接近 30 年来的最低水平,今年七月略微升至 2.5%。

involve[in'vɒlv] *vt.* 使卷入,陷入,使参与

【真题连线】Deliberate practice entails more than simply repeating a task. Rather, it involves setting specific goals, obtaining immediate feedback and concentrating as much on technique as on outcome. [2007 年阅读 1] 有意练习需要的不只是简单地重复一个任务。相反,它涉及到确定明确的目标、获得即时反馈以及注重方法与结果。

species['spi:ʃi:z] *n.* 种,类;物种

【真题连线】Their methods do not attempt to estimate the actual biomass (the amount of living biological matter) of fish species in particular parts of the ocean, but rather changes in that biomass over time. [2006 年阅读 3] 其目的并非试图估计海洋中某区域鱼类物种之数量(活的生物物种数量),而是生物总量历年所发生的变化。

structure['strʌktʃə] *n.* 结构,构造;建筑物 *vt.* 构造,建造

【真题连线】The Greeks assumed that the structure of language had some connections with the process of thought. [2004 年阅读 C] 希腊人认为语言结构与思维过程之间存在某种联系。

ability[ə'bɪlɪti] *n.* 能力,本领;才能,才智

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environment[in'veɪrənmənt] *n.* 环境,周围状况

【真题连线】A turbulent business environment also has senior managers cautious of letting vague



pronouncements cloud their reputations. [2011 年阅读 2] 动荡不安的商业环境也使得高级经理们谨小慎微, 以免模糊表态影响声誉。

essential [ˈɪsənʃəl] *a.* 必不可少的; 本质的 *n.* [pl.] 要素, 必需品

【真题连线】We must pour out a large stream of essential words, unhampered by stops, or qualifying adjectives, or finite verbs. [2000 年阅读 3] 我们必须大量使用基本词汇, 摆脱句号、修饰性形容词及限定动词的羁绊。

evolution [ˌiːvəˈluːʃən] *n.* 演变, 进化, 发展

【真题连线】Darwin had a phrase to describe those ignorant of evolution: they “look at an organic as a savage looks at a ship, as at something wholly beyond his comprehension.” [2000 年阅读 2] 对于那些对进化一无所知的人, 达尔文曾经用一句话来描述他们; “他们看有机的生命如同野人看船一样, 仿佛是在看某种完全无法理解的东西”。

likely [ˈlaɪkli] *a.* 可能的, 有希望的 *ad.* 可能

moreover [məˈrəʊvə] *ad.* 而且, 此外

potential [pəˈtenʃ(ə)l] *a.* 潜在的, 可能的 *n.* 潜力, 潜能

【真题连线】When the competitive environment pushed our ancestors to achieve that potential, they could in turn afford more education. [2009 年阅读 3] 当这种竞争环境迫使先人们达到这种潜力时, 他们才有能力来接受更多的教育。

principle [ˈprɪnsəpl] *n.* 原则, 原理; 信条

【真题连线】Since the days of Aristotle, a search for universal principles has characterized the scientific enterprise. [2012 年阅读 C] 自亚里士多德之时起, 对于宇宙定律的探索便一直是科学事业的重要特征。

reveal [riˈvi:l] *vt.* 揭露; 展现, 显示

【真题连线】Works of several historians reveal the moral compromises made by the nation early leaders' and the fragile nature of the country's infancy. [2008 年阅读 4] 几位历史学家的著作揭示了美国国父们在道德方面所做的妥协, 以及建国伊始国家的脆弱本质。

stress [stres] *n.* 压力; 重音; 强调 *vt.* 强调

【真题连线】Men go to war and are exposed to combat stress. Men are exposed to more acts of random physical violence. [2008 年阅读 1] 男人走上战场, 承受着战斗的压力。男性承受更多随机的身体上的暴力行为。

billion [ˈbɪljən] *n.* 十亿

cater [ˈkeɪtə] *vi.* 迎合; 提供饮食及服务

【典型例句】It is difficult to cater for all tastes.

【例句精译】众口难调。

fund [fʌnd] *n.* 基金; 现款 *vt.* 为……提供资金

【真题连线】To help homeless people toward independence, the federal government must support job training programs, raise the minimum wage, and fund more low-cost housing. [2006 年完型] 为了帮助无家可归者走向独立, 联邦政府必须支持就业培训项目、提高最低工资并资助建设更多低价住房。



individual [ˌɪndɪˈvɪdʒuəl] *a.* 单独的, 个人的 *n.* 个人, 个体

【真题连线】Some individuals would therefore not have been caught, since no baited hooks would have been available to trap them, leading to an underestimate of fish stocks in the past. [2006 阅读 3] 由于没有使用带饵的鱼钩来诱捕, 有些鱼(类)可能会因此逃生, 所以会导致对过去鱼类数量的低估。

mass [mæs] *n.* 大量; 团, 块; [pl.] 群众; 质量

【真题连线】In the West, before mass communication and literacy, the most powerful mass medium was the Church. [2000 年阅读 2] 在西方, 在大众传媒和文学普及之前, 最强势的大众媒介便是教堂。

obvious [ˈɒbvɪəs] *a.* 显然的, 明显的

【典型例句】All great truths are obvious truths; But no all obvious truths are great truths.

【例句精译】伟大的真理都是明摆着的事实, 但并不是所有显而易见的事实都是伟大的真理。

policy [ˈpɒlɪsi] *n.* 政策, 方针; 保险单

【真题连线】With the risks obvious and growing, a prudent people would take out an insurance policy now. [2005 年阅读 2] 随着这种很显而易见风险的不断增加, 一个审慎的民族现在便应该准备一份保险单了。

responsible [rɪsˈpɒnsəbl] *a.* 需承担责任的; 有责任感的; 重要的

【典型例句】Who's responsible for the terrible mess?

【例句精译】谁应该对这种混乱负责?

commercial [kəˈmɜːʃəl] *a.* 商业(性)的 *n.* 商业广告

conduct [ˈkɒndʌkt] *vt.* 管理; 指挥; 输送 *n.* 行为; 管理(方式)

【典型例句】As an artist's son he did not consider himself constrained by the same rules of social conduct as other people.

【例句精译】他认为自己是艺术家的儿子, 不必像其他人那样接受社会准则的约束。

dam [dæm] *n.* 水坝, 水堤

【真题连线】The lesson from dam is that big is not always beautiful. It does not help that building a big, powerful dam has become a symbol of achievement for nations and people striving to assert themselves. [1998 年阅读 1] 我们自建造大坝得出的教训是: 大的未必总是美的。但这个教训依旧无法阻止那些力争得到自我肯定的国家和人民这样认为: 修建雄伟的大坝已成为其伟大成就的象征。

debate [dɪˈbeɪt] *n. / v.* 辩论, 争论

【真题连线】At the core of this debate is chairman Gerald Levin, 56, who took over for the late Steve Ross in 1992. [1997 年阅读 4] 位于这场争论中心的是公司主席杰拉德, 他于 1992 年从已故主席史蒂夫·罗斯手中接过这一重任。

directly [dɪˈrektli] *ad.* 直接地; 立即

draft [draːft] *n.* 草稿; 汇票; 征兵 *vt.* 起草; 征募

【真题连线】The first draft will appear on the page only if you stop avoiding the inevitable and sit, stand up, or lie down to write. [2008 年阅读 B] 只有你不再逃避那些无可逃避之事时, 那么无论你



是坐着、站着,甚或是躺着写,初稿都会跃然之上。

feature ['fi:tʃə] *n.* 特征,特色 *vt.* 突出,由……主演

【真题连线】It is an interactive feature that lets visitors key in job criteria such as location, title, and salary, then e-mails them when a matching position is posed in the database. [2004 年阅读 1] 它具有互动的功能,允许访问者键入诸如地点、职称和薪水等要求,等数据库出现了合适职位便以电子邮件通知。

former ['fɔ:mə] *a.* 在前的,以前的 *n.* [the ~] 前者

【真题连线】In the former case the education is incidental; it is natural and important, but it is not the express reason of the association. [2009 年阅读 B] 对于前者而言,教育是偶然的,自然并且重要,但它不是这种联系存在的特别的理由。

humor ['hju:mə] *n.* 幽默(感);心情 *vt.* 迁就

【真题连线】Look at your talk and pick out a few words or sentences which you can turn about and inject with humor. [2002 年阅读 1] 考虑一下你的谈话,选出一些你能改变的词汇和句子,将幽默注入其中。

local ['ləukəl] *a.* 地方性的,当地的;局部的

【真题连线】The townsfolk don not see it this way and local council does not contribute directly to the subsidy of the Royal Shakespeare Company. [2006 年阅读 2] 小镇居民不以为然,地方议会也不直接给予皇家莎士比亚剧团补助。

panel ['pænl] *n.* 专门小组;控制板,仪表盘

【真题连线】The panel has not yet reached agreement on a crucial question, however, whether to recommend legislation that would make it a crime for private funding to be used for human cloning. [1999 年阅读 4] 该小组在一个关键问题上尚存争议,即是否建议立法机关将私人资金用于克隆人的行为视作犯罪。

predict [pri'dikt] *vt.* 预言,预测,预告

【真题连线】Last week his firm was busy vacuuming up data bits from the far corners of the world and predicting a crisis in Ukraine. [2003 年阅读 1] 上周他的公司忙于从世界各个遥远的角落搜集零散的数据,以预测乌克兰可能出现的危机。

purchase ['pɜ:tʃəs] *vt.* 买,购买 *n.* 购买,购买的物品

【典型例句】Sell not virtue to purchase wealth, nor liberty to purchase power.

【例句精译】勿以美德换财富;勿以自由换权力。

religion [ri'lɪdʒən] *n.* 宗教信仰;信条,信念

【真题连线】Meanwhile, many settlers had slighter religious commitments than Dane's, as one clergyman learned in confronting folk along the coast who mocked that they had not come to the New World for religion. [2009 年阅读 4] 与此同时,许多人并不似戴恩一样如此信奉宗教,正如一位牧师的经验之谈:在海边与人攀谈时,渔民嘲弄他说,他们可不是为了宗教才来到新大陆。

security [si'kjʊərɪti] *n.* 安全,安定,保证

【典型例句】we are all concerned for the security of the passenger on the ship.

【例句精译】我们都很担心船上乘客的安全。



shift [ʃɪft] *v.* 转移;转换 *n.* 转换;轮班

【典型例句】I can not believe in you, for you are always constantly shifting your position.

【例句精译】我无法信任你,因为你的立场时时刻刻都在转变。

strategy ['strætɪdʒi] *n.* 战略,策略

【典型例句】The essence of all good strategy is simplicity.

【例句精译】一切优秀战略,其精髓无非是简单二字。

argument ['ɑ:gjʊmənt] *n.* 辩论;论点,论据

【典型例句】There are some good arguments for a technical education given to the right kind of students.

【例句精译】有充分论据可以说明,对合适的学生进行职业教育是必须的。

avoid [ə'vɔɪd] *vt.* 避免,预防

【典型例句】In dealing with strangers the rule for British society is that you must avoid staring at them but at the same time avoid ignoring them.

【例句精译】在英国社会,与陌生人打交道时要避免直盯着别人,与此同时,也要避免让别人产生被忽视的感觉。

boom [bu:m] *n.* 隆隆声;繁荣 *vi.* 发出隆隆声;迅速增长

【真题连线】Many consumers seem to have been influenced by stock-market swings, which investors now view as a necessary ingredient to a sustained boom. [2004 年阅读 3]诚然,很多消费者似乎一直受到股票市场波动的影响,投资者却视之为持续繁荣的必要因素。

democracy [di'mɒkrəsi] *n.* 民主,民主制;民主国家

【典型例句】Democracy is a bulwark of freedom.

【例句精译】民主是自由之基石。

discipline ['dɪsɪplɪn] *n.* 学科;纪律 *vt. \n.* 训练;惩罚

【典型例句】You are committed to further study in your current discipline.

【例句精译】你目前所从事的学科要求你必须深造。

nerve [nɜ:v] *n.* 神经;勇气;敏感处

【典型例句】She had the nerve to say he was wrong.

【例句精译】她敢于直指他的错误,真是有勇气。

powerful ['paʊəfʊl] *a.* 强大的,有权力的;强壮的

【典型例句】We will have not only a powerful army but also a powerful air force and a powerful navy.

【例句精译】我们不仅将建设一支强大的陆军,还要建设一支强大的空军和海军。

profit ['prɒfɪt] *vt.* 有益于 *vi.* 得益 *n.* 利益;收益

【典型例句】we hope our proposals will profit you.

【例句精译】希望我们的建议对你有所裨益。

analysis [ə'neɪlɪsɪs] *n.* 分析,分析报告

【真题连线】Instead of a plan of action, they continue to press for more research—a classical case of “paralysis by analysis”. [2005 年阅读 2]与此相反,他们依旧要求做进一步研究,这是一种典型



的“只说不做,最终误事”的行为。

频率出现 5 次 - 10 次的词汇:

appeal [ə'pi:l] *vi. \n.* 呼吁; 上诉 *vt.* 将... 上诉; 吸引

【真题连线】 If the study of law is beginning to establish itself as part and parcel of a general education, its aims and methods should appeal directly to journalism educators. [2007 年阅读 C] 若是法学正在开始成为普通教育的重要组成部分的话, 那么其目标和方法理应即刻吸引新闻学教育者。

capacity [kə'pæsəti] *n.* 容量; 才能, 能力; 身份, 职位

【典型例句】 I do not believe in equality of capacity, but I do believe in equality of opportunity.

【例句精译】 我虽不相信能力均等, 但我相信机会均等。

challenge [tʃælɪndʒ] *n.* 挑战, 质问; 难题 *vt.* 向... 挑战, 质疑

【真题连线】 In dealing with a challenge on such a scale, it is no exaggeration to say, “United we stand, divided we fall.” [2005 年阅读 C] 直面如此规模的挑战, 毫不夸张地说“联合则立, 分裂则废”。

complex [kəmpleks] *a.* 复合的; 复杂的 *n.* 综合体, 建筑群

【典型例句】 That is a complex issue, but he solved it so easy.

【例句精译】 那是个异常复杂的问题, 可他轻易就解决了。

creative [kri(:)'eɪtɪv] *a.* 创造(性)的, 有创造力的

【真题连线】 Intellect is the critical, creative, and the contemplative side of the mind. [2004 年阅读 4] 才智指的是人们精神世界中具有批评性、创造性、思考性的一面。

current [kʌrənt] *a.* 当前的; 流行的 *n.* 目前; 电流; 趋势

【真题连线】 the current state of affairs may have been encouraged though not justified. [2004 年阅读 4] 如今的这种状况虽不合理, 但仍有可能继续加剧。

element [ˈelɪmənt] *n.* 元素, 要素; 基础; 纲要

【典型例句】 It is out of my element in political discussions.

【例句精译】 政治问题不属于我的讨论范围。

emphasis [ˈemfəsis] *n.* 强调, 重点

【典型例句】 Our English course places great emphasis on writing skills.

【例句精译】 我们的英语课程十分重视写作技能。

establish [ɪs'tæblɪʃ] *vt.* 建立, 创办; 确定, 证实

【典型例句】 Jin Yong's first novel established his fame as a novelist.

【例句精译】 金庸的第一部小说就奠定了其小说家的地位。

extend [ɪks'tend] *vt.* 延伸, 延长; 提供

【典型例句】 Time is over, I can not extend anymore.

【例句精译】 时间已经结束了, 我已无法再拖延了。

global [ˈɡləʊbəl] *a.* 全球的, 全世界的; 总的, 完整的

【典型例句】 He took a global view of the book in the bookreview.



【例句精译】他在书评中给出了全面评价。

indicate ['ɪndɪkeɪt] *vt.* 标示, 指示; 表明, 示意

【真题连线】The brain finds it best to keep smell receptors available for unfamiliar and emergency signals such as the smell of smoke, which might indicate the danger of fire. [2005 年完型] 大脑使得气味接收器随时待命, 准备接受不熟悉以及危急信号, 比如意味着火灾危险的烟雾味。

justify ['dʒʌstɪfaɪ] *vt.* 证明...正当(或有理), 为...辩护

【典型例句】There is no need to justify my action to you.

【例句精译】我没有必要向你解释我行为的合理性。

obtain [əb'teɪn] *vt.* 获得, 得到 *vi.* 通用, 流行

【典型例句】In some parts of the world, people still can not obtain enough food.

【例句精译】在世界的某些地区, 人们依旧无法获得足够的食物。

phenomenon [fɪ'nɒmɪnən] *n.* 现象; 非凡的人, 特殊的事物

【典型例句】What they called prosperity is only a temporary phenomenon.

【例句精译】他们所称的繁荣无非是一个暂时的现象。

physical ['fɪzɪkəl] *a.* 身体的; 物理(学)的; 物质的

【典型例句】It is his right to know his physical condition.

【例句精译】他有权了解自己的身体状况。

procedure [prə'si:dʒə] *n.* 程序, 手续, 步骤

【真题连线】But do not bother trying to kill off old habits; once those ruts of procedure are worn into the brain, they are there to stay. [2009 年阅读 1] 不要试图消除一切旧的习惯, 这些惯有程序一旦进入大脑, 便会留在其中。

reflect [rɪ'flekt] *v.* 反映; 反射; 深思, 反省

【真题连线】McGee says leaving without a position lined up gave him time to reflect on what kind of company he wanted to run. [2011 年阅读 2] 麦吉说, 离开时并没有确定要做的工作, 使得他有充分的时间来思考究竟想要经营什么样的公司。

requirement [rɪ'kwaɪəmənt] *n.* 要求, 必要条件; 需要, 需要的东西

【典型例句】You should notice that our requirement is reasonable.

【例句精译】你应该意识到我们的要求是合理的。

source [sɔ:s] *n.* 源(泉), 发源地; 来源, 出处

【典型例句】Envy is the source of discord and worry.

【例句精译】嫉妒是不和与烦恼的根源。

status ['steɪtəs] *n.* 地位, 身份; 情形, 状况

【真题连线】Turkey's bid for First World status includes the giant Ataturk Dam. [1998 年阅读 1] 在土耳其力图跻身第一世界(地位)的诸多努力中, 阿塔特克大坝也是其中重要一环。

unique [ju:'ni:k] *a.* 唯一的, 独一无二的; 极不寻常的

【真题连线】The culture of any society must be understood as the results of a unique history and not as one of many cultures belonging to a broader evolutionary stage or type of culture. [2009 年阅读 B] 任何一种社会文化, 均应视为源自一种独特历史, 而非源自那些更为广泛进化阶段或文化类型之一。



universe ['ju:nivə:s] *n.* 宇宙,世界;领域,范围

【典型例句】Everyone is the center of his own universe.

【例句精译】人人均是自己的王。

abuse [ə'bju:z] *n. vt.* 滥用;虐待;辱骂,诽谤

drug **abuse** 药物滥用 [1997 年阅读 3]

adult [ə'dʌlt, 'ædʌlt] *n.* 成年人(或动物) *a.* 成年(人)的,已成熟的

【典型例句】We should do our best to develop the **adult** education.

【例句精译】我们应该尽最大努力来发展成人教育。

approach [ə'prəʊtʃ] *v.* 靠近;应对 *n.* 接近;途径,方法

【真题连线】In physics, one **approach** takes this impulse for unification to its extreme, and seeks a theory of everything—a single generative equation for all we see. [2012 年阅读 C] 在物理学领域,有一种方法将此种对统一性的要求推向了极致,它试图探寻一个最基本的公式以解释一切。

appropriate [ə'prəʊpriit] *a.* (适)恰当的 *vt.* 侵吞;拨出…供专用

【真题连线】As a result of all these factors, governments are becoming increasingly dependent on biologists and social scientists for planning the **appropriate** programs and putting them into effect. [2012 年阅读 C] 因为这些因素,政府正越来越依靠生物学家及社会科学家来安排适当的规划,并将其付诸实施。

attain [ə'tein] *vt.* 达到,获得

【真题连线】When a new movement in art **attains** a certain fashion, it is advisable to find out what its advocates are aiming at. [2000 年阅读 3] 若是一场新的艺术运动形成了某种时尚,那么弄清其倡导者目的所在便是理所应当。

background ['bækgraʊnd] *n.* 出身背景,经历;(画等的)背景

【真题连线】It has not occurred against the **background** of general commodity price inflation and global excess demand. [2002 年阅读 3] 这次(油价上升)并非发生在物价普遍上涨以及全球性需求过度的背景下。

career [kə'riə] *n.* 生涯;职业

【典型例句】To get married, she gave up her career.

【例句精译】为了婚姻,她放弃了自己的事业。

comment ['kɒment] *n.* 评论,意见;闲话,议论 *v.* 评论

【真题连线】On the other, it links these concepts to everyday realities in a manner which is parallel to the links journalists forge on a daily basis as they cover and **comment** on the news. [2007 年阅读 C] 另一方面,如同记者每天将现实与其报道、评论的新闻联系起来一样,法律将这些概念(公正、民主、自由)与日常实践联系在一起。

critic ['kritik] *n.* 批评家,评论家

【典型例句】Pay no attention to what the **critic** say; there have never be set up a statue in honor of a **critic**.

【例句精译】不要理会那些批评家的胡说八道,世上从没有一座塑像是为纪念批评家而立。

educate ['edju:()keɪt] *vt.* 教育;培养,训练



【典型例句】The school we want to build is the one not only teach, but also educate its students.

【例句精译】我们所想要建的学校,不仅是教书,更应该是个育人之所在。

entail [in'teɪl] *vt.* 使承担,使成为必要;需要

【真题连线】It is becoming less clear, however, that such a theory would be a simplification, given the dimensions and universes that it might entail, nonetheless, unification of sorts remains a major goal.

[2012 年阅读 C] 它渐渐变得不那么清楚,然而若是给予所需的维度和范围,这种理论便可成为一种简化式。尽管如此,“统一性”仍是人们研究的主要方向。

exchange [iks'tʃeɪndʒ] *n.* 交换;兑换,兑换率 *vt.* 调换;交流;兑换

【真题连线】The researchers spent two years teaching their monkeys to exchange token for food. [2005 年阅读 1] 研究人员花了两年时间才教会了猴子用代币换取食品。

focus ['fəʊkəs] *v.* (on) 聚集;关注 *n.* 焦点,焦距;(活动、兴趣)中心

【真题连线】Many things make people think artists are weird and the weirdest may be this: artists job is to explore emotions, and yet they choose to focus on the ones that feel bad. [2006 年阅读 4] 有许多事情使得人们认为艺术家行为怪异,其中最怪异者当首推此事:艺术家的惟一职责是探索情感,但他们只选择关注那些负面情感。

grant [grɑːnt] *n.* 拨款;同意;承认 *vt.* 授予,给予;

【真题连线】Over the past decade, thousands of patents have been granted for what are called business methods. [2010 年阅读 3] 在过去的十年间,成千上万的专利被授予了那些所谓的商业方法。

highly ['haɪli] *ad.* 高度地;非常

【典型例句】Soldiers highly valued in courage, not highly valued in numbers.

【例句精译】兵贵乎勇而不贵乎多。

historical [his'tɒrɪkəl] *a.* 历史(上)的,史学的

【典型例句】we have little historical evidence about the life of Buddha.

【例句精译】关于佛祖的生平,我们历史证据很有限。

independent [ɪnɪ'pendənt] *a.* 独立的,自主的;中立的,公正的;无关的

【典型例句】You are 18 years old, you should learn to be independent of parents' help.

【例句精译】你已经 18 岁了,应该学着独立,不要依靠父母的资助。

inevitable [ɪn'evɪtəbl] *a.* 不可避免的,必然(发生)的;惯常的

【真题连线】It is said that in England death is pressing, in Canada inevitable and in California optional. [2003 年阅读 4] 据说死亡在英国迫在眉睫,在加拿大无可避免,在加利福尼亚却只是一种选择。

infer [ɪn'fə:] *vt.* 推论,推断

【典型例句】I could infer that my suggestion has been accepted.

【例句精译】可以推测出,我的建议已经被接受了。

insurance [ɪn'ʃʊərəns] *n.* 保险,保险费

unemployment insurance and disability insurance 失业险及伤残险 [2007 年考研英语阅读 3]



interior [in'tiəriə] *n.* 内部, 内地 *a.* 内部(地)的; 国内的

【真题连线】On the contrary, many of them lie deep in the interior of a plate. [1998 年阅读 5] 相反, 许多热点位于板块较深的内部。

oppose [ə'pəuz] *vt.* 反对, 反抗

【真题连线】Similarly, some Wall Street investment firms armed themselves with patents for financial products, even as they took positions in court cases opposing the practice. [2010 年阅读 2] 同样, 一些华尔街投资公司尽管在法庭上反对金融产品专利, 但他们自身也同样拥有许多这种专利。

optimistic [ˌɒptɪ'mɪstɪk] *a.* 乐观(主义)的

【典型例句】A gentleman is open-minded and optimistic; a small person is narrow-minded and pessimistic.

【例句精译】君子坦荡荡, 小人长戚戚。

扩充

optim(最佳)

pessim(最糟)

optimism *n.* 乐观(主义)

pessimism *n.* 悲观(主义)

optimist *n.* 乐观(主义)者

pessimist *n.* 悲观(主义)者

optimistic *a.* 乐观(主义)的

pessimistic *a.* 悲观(主义)的

organization [ˌɔ:gənai'zeɪʃən] *n.* 团体, 机构; 组织

【典型例句】This charity is a nonprofit organization.

【例句精译】这个慈善团体是个非盈利组织。

private ['praɪvɪt] *a.* 私人的; 秘密的; 私立(营)的

【典型例句】A bill which would offer financial incentives for private industry, is a promising start.

【例句精译】这项议案意在从经济上鼓励私企, 这是一个良好的开端。

prospect ['prɒspekt] *n.* 前景; 景象; *vt.* 勘探

【真题连线】Is there any chance that Cardus's criticism will enjoy a revival? The prospect seems remote. [2010 年阅读 1] 卡杜斯之类的评论作品还有可能重新流行吗? 我们觉得前景渺茫。

pursuit [pə'sju:t] *n.* 追求; 追逐; 嗜好, 消遣

扩充 pursue *vt.* 继续, 从事; 追赶, 追踪; 追求 → pursuit *n.*

【真题连线】Rather than cloaking his exit in the usual vague excuses, he came right and said he was leaving "to pursue my goal of running a company". [2011 年阅读 2] 他并没有用一些很模糊的官方理由来掩饰自己离开的缘由, 而是很坦诚地讲“自己离开就是为了追求自己经营公司的目标。”

relationship [rɪ'leɪʃənʃɪp] *n.* 关系, 关联

【典型例句】In view of your long-standing relationship, I could not trust you.

【例句精译】考虑到你们之间的长期关系, 我无法信任你。

sensitive ['sensɪtɪv] *a.* 敏感的; 神经过敏的; 易受伤害的

【真题连线】Few things are more likely to destroy trust than a company letting sensitive personal data get into the wrong hands. [2007 年阅读 4] 在毁掉对一个公司的信任方面, 公司让敏感的个人数据流入别有用心之人手中可能是最具杀伤力的。

specific [spə'sɪfɪk] *a.* 特定的; 具体的 *n.* [pl.] 详情, 细节