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前言

词汇是构筑语言大厦的基础。为了帮助广大英语学习者,尤其是参加六级考试以及其他中高级英语水平考试的考生高效率地突破词汇关,并为听、说、读、写、译打下坚实基础,我们针对六级词汇中的重点、难点,结合多年的教学经验,特意编写了这本《大学英语六级词汇速听速记》。

本书具有以下特点:

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- 1. 听:听写词汇、例句,通过提高听力来熟悉单词。
- 2. 说:听磁带时进行跟读以纠正发音加深对单词

的印象。

- 3. 读:直接阅读本书,在领会例句的精彩之中学习表达。
- 4. 写: 背诵典型例句, 经常性地将之应用于书面写作与口头表达。
- 5. 译:对例句进行试译以检查自己对词汇的理解程度,然后再对照译文以提高自己的翻译水平。

我们相信,通过听、说、读、写、译全方位和多层次的循环记忆,读者不仅能迅速扩大词汇量,而且还能培养好的语感,使原来枯燥、乏味的单词背诵变成生动、有趣的语言训练。

望本书成为每一位英语爱好者的良师益友!

编 者 1999年4月12日

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- **abnormal** [æbínəːməl] **a.**反常的,异常的 From the boy's abnormal behavior, I suspected that he was telling a lie.从那个男孩的反常举动中,我怀疑他在撒谎。
- **abolish** [əbəlif] vt.彻底废除,废止 Slavery was abolished in the United States in 1865. 1865 年美国废除了奴隶制。
- **abrupt** [ə'brapt] a. ①突然的, 意外的 This train came to an abrupt stop, causing many passengers to fall off their seats. 火车突然停车, 使许多乘客都跌下了座位。②(举止、言谈等) 唐突的, 鲁莽的 He turned out to be a man with an abrupt manner. 他竟然是个举止粗鲁的人。
- **absurd** [əb'sə:d] a.荒谬的,荒唐的 Even sensible men do absurd things. 再聪明的人也会做愚蠢的事情。
- abundance [ə'bʌndəns] n. 大量, 丰富, 充足 An abundance of examples are cited in that paper. 那篇论文引用了大量的例子。 in abundance 丰富, 充裕 Good food was in abundance at the party. 宴会上有丰美的食物。
- academy [əˈkædəmi] n.学院,研究院,(中等以上)专科学校 He works at the Academy of Sciences of China.他在中国科学院工作。
- accessory [æk'sesəri] n.①附件,配件 Bicycle accessories are available in that shop.那家商店有自行车的配件卖。②[常pl.](妇女的)装饰品(如手提包等) Nancy often wears accessories such as a necklace, a ring, and earings.南希常戴项链、戒指、耳环类首饰。③同谋,包庇犯 He was made accessory to

the crime. 他成了这项罪行的从犯。

accommodate [sikomodeit] vt.①向…提供住处(或膳宿) We accommodated two visiting scholars with apartments.我们向两名访问学者提供公寓套间。②给…提供方便 The band appears to be accommodating its customers more than it used to.银行似乎向客户提供比以前更多的便利。③容纳 The car could comfortably accommodate up to five people.这部汽车可宽松地容纳五人。④使适应 It's important for us to accommodate ourselves to changed circumstances.对我们来说,使自己能适应改变了的环境是很重要的。

accord [əkə:d] n.①一致,符合 They reached a certain accord in regard to ethical principles. 他们就道德准则达成某种一致的意见。②(尤指国与国之间的)谅解,协议 The government expected a final accord before the end of the year. 政府期望年底前达成最后协议。

vt. 授予,给予 We decided to accord him an honorary title.我们决定授予他一个荣誉称号。 vi. (with)相符合,相一致Whatever we do ought to accord with the interests of the people.我们不论做什么都应该符合人民的利益。

in accord with 与…一致 Such an act would not be in accord with our policy. 这种做法不符合我们的政策。

of one's own accord 出于自愿,主动地 He joined the army of his own accord. 他自愿地参了军。

with one accord 一致地,一致同意地 With one accord, the crowd shouted its approval.人群异口同声地高呼同意。

acknowledge [ək'nolid3] vt. ①承认,认为…属实 Most People now acknowledge that there is a crisis.现在大多数人承认存在一场危机。②对…打招呼,理会 I acknowledged Janet with a nod.我与詹妮特点头打招呼。③告知(信件、礼物等)已收到You have to sign here and acknowledge receipt. 你需要在此签字以示收讫。④对…表示谢忱 The President stood up to acknowledge the cheers of the crowd.总统起身向欢呼的人群致

- **acquaint** [ə'kweint] vt. (with) ①使了解 You should acquaint your mother with the facts of the case. 我应该让你母亲知道这件事的真相。②使认识,介绍 He is acquainted with my father. 他与家父相识。
- acquisition [ækwizisən] n.①获得物,增添的人(或物) These books are my most recent acquisitions.这些书是我最近增添的。 ②取得,获得 He devotes his time to the acquisition of knowledge.他把时间用于摄取知识。
- activate [æktiveit] vt. 使活动起来, 使开始起作用 The burglar alarm was activated by mistake. 防盗铃误响了。
- acute [ə'kju:t] a.①严重的,激烈的 There is an acute lack of water in the village.村里严重缺水。②敏锐的 More acute observers in the west had foreseen this.在西方,越来越多的敏锐的观察家们已经预见到这一点。③(疾病)急性的 There is a shortage of acute beds.急性病病床紧张。④尖的,锐的 Angles of less than 90° are called acute angles. 小于 90°的角称为锐角。
- adhere [ədhiə] vi.(to)①粘附,附着 The two surfaces adhere to each other, and we cannot get them apart.这两个表面粘上了,我们无法分开它们。②遵守,坚持 He resolutely adhered to what he had said at the meeting.他坚持他在会上说过的话。③追随,支持 Many people adhere to the Liberty Party.许多人拥护自由党。
- adjacent [ə'dʒeisənt] a.(to) 邻近的, 毗连的 The house adjacent to the store has been sold. 与商店相邻的房子已经卖了。
- adjoin [ə'dzoin] vt.贴近,与…毗连 The playing-field adjoins the school.运动场紧靠着学校。
- administer [ədministə] vt.①掌管,料理…的事务 They had the right to administer their own internal affairs. 他们有权掌握自己的内部事务。②实施,执行 We shall administer relief to people who are suffering from floods. 我们将对遭受洪水袭击

- 的人实施救济。③给予,投(药) The Red Cross administers relief aid in disaster areas.红十字会对灾区分发救济品。
- adolescent [iædəu'lesənt] n. 青少年 There are not many films aimed at adolescents. 为青少年拍摄的电影并不多。
 - a. 青春期的,青少年的 Parents should pay attention to the adolescent rebellion of their children. 父母应注意孩子们青春期的逆反。
- **advent** [ædvənt] n. 出现,到来 With the advent of microwave technology, mankind enters a new period. 随着微波技术的出现,人类进入了一个新时期。
- adverse ['ædvə:s] a. 不利的,有害的 Falling prices had an adverse effect on business.价格下跌对生意不利。
- advertise ['ædvətaiz] vt.为…做广告,(在报刊、电视等中)公告 They advertised a used car for sale.他们为出售一辆旧车做广告。 vi.登广告,做广告,登公告 They advertised for pupils last autumn, and got more than 200.他们去年秋季登广告招学生,结果招了200多名。
- **advocate** ['ædvəkit] vt. 拥护, 提倡, 主张 The professor advocates building more schools than roads. 这位教授主张应该多建学校少筑路。
 - n.①拥护者,提倡者 The mathematician Bruno was burned at the stake by the Church largely for supporting Copernicus' theory, yet, a couple of centuries later, Copernican advocates seemed harmless. 数学家布鲁诺被教会烧死在刑柱上,主要原因就是他支持哥白尼理论,然而,两个世纪之后,哥白尼学说的鼓吹者似乎就无害了。②辩护人,律师 He hired the best advocate he could find to represent him in court. 他雇用了所能找到的最好律师来代表他出庭。
- aerial ['səriəl] a. 空中的, 架空的 An aerial ropeway has been built on Yellow Mountain. 黄山已修建了架空索道。
 - n.天线 One of the most common radar systems used in ships has a transmitter, an aerial and a receiver. 船上使用的最普通的

- 一种雷达系统包括一台发射机、一根天线、一台接收机。
- aesthetic [issOetik] a.美学的,艺术的,审美的 Their furniture was more aesthetic than practical.他们的家具华而不实。
- **affiliate** [əfilieit] **vt**.使隶属(或附属)于 All the affiliated organizations are in favour of the plan. 所有的附属机构都赞成这个计划。
 - n. 附属机构,分公司 The executives from ABC affiliates attended the public ceremony. 美国广播公司附属电台的经理们参加了这次公开仪式。
- affirm [əfəːm] vt. ①断言, 坚持声称 I affirmed my innocence. 我断言我是无辜的。②证实, 确认 They affirmed a policy of religious toleration. 他们确立了宗教信仰自由的政策。
- afflict [əflikt] vt. 使苦恼, 折磨 She felt much afflicted at the sad news. 她听到这一悲惨消息后感到很难过。
- agenda [ədʒendə] n.议事日程 The developing countries succeeded in getting their concerns about international trade and investments placed on a permanent agenda.发展中国家成功地把它们所关心的国际贸易和国际投资问题提到永久的议事日程上来。
- aggravate ['ægrəveit] vt.①加重,加剧,使恶化 The lack of rain aggravated the already serious lack of food.缺少雨水使已经严重的粮食短缺问题更加恶化了。②激怒,使恼火 Don't aggravate your father by persistent goading.不要没完没了地缠着你父亲惹他发火。
- agitation [iædʒi'teisən] n.①(for, against) 鼓动, 煽动 These women are leading the agitation for equal rights. 这些妇女在 鼓吹权力平等。②激动,不安 I saw Peter glancing of his watch in some agitation.我看到彼得神色不安地看了看表。
- agony ['ægəni] n.(极度的)痛苦, 创痛 He lay writhing on the ground in agony. 他痛苦地躺在地上扭动。
- agreeable [ə'griəbl] a.①令人愉快的,讨人喜欢的 I found him most agreeable.我发现他极易相处。②(欣然)同意的,愿意的

Are you agreeable to my plans for a picnic? 你同意我提出的野餐计划吗?

- alert [silent] a.①留神的,注意的 We have to be alert all the time and look for our opportunity. 我们必须时刻留意寻找机会。 ②警觉的,警惕的 The students are alert not to make any mistakes in spelling.学生们在拼写时非常小心,以免发生错误。
 - n.①警觉(状态),戒备(状态) The troops were placed on full alert.部队处于全面戒备状态。②警报 As soon as the fire broke out, the night watchman sounded the alarm. 火情一发生,守夜人就拉响了警报。
 - vt.向…报警,使警惕 The doctor alerted me to the danger of not getting enough sleep. 医生要我警惕睡眠不足的危险性。
 - on (the) alert 警戒着,随时准备着,密切注意着 We must be on the alert to discharge our responsibilities toward the friendly countries. 我们必须随时准备履行我们对友好国家的责任。
- alien ['eiljən] a. ①外国的 He happened to become the heir of some alien property. 他有幸成为一笔外国财产的继承人。② 陌生的 I felt so very alien during my first hours in the country. 初到该国我有一种强烈的陌生感。③(to)性质不同的,不相容的 Cruelty was quite alien to his nature. 残忍的行为与他的本性格格不入。
 - n.①外国人 The alien is friendly to us.这个侨民对我们很友好。②外星人 No one has seen an alien yet on earth.谁也没有在地球上看到过一个外星人。
- allege [sied3] vt.断言,宣称,声称 The newspaper reporters alleged that the man was a murderer.报纸的记者们断言此人是谋杀犯。
- alleviate [əˈliːvieit] vt.减轻,缓解,缓和 A doctor should alleviate a patient's suffering. 医生应该减轻病人的痛苦。
- alliance [solaions] n.结盟, 联盟, 联姻 The two countries formed an offensive and defensive alliance. 这两个国家建立了攻守同盟。

- in alliance with 与…联盟 They are in alliance with each other. 他们彼此结盟。
- **allocate** ['æləkeit] vt.分配,分派,把…拨给 A quarter of the expenditure has been allocated to public services. 经费总数的四分之一已拨给公用事业。
- allowance [əˈlauəns] n.津贴, 补贴, 零用钱 The director has an entertainment allowance. 那位董事有一批交际费。
 - make allowance(s) for ①考虑到, 顾及 They make no allowances for a child's age. 他们没有考虑到孩子的年龄。②体谅, 原谅 You must make allowance for him because he has been ill. 你应该体谅他, 因为他一直病着。
- ally ['ælai] n. ①同盟国,同盟者 In that war England was not an ally, it was neutral. 在那场战争中,英国不同任何一方结盟,保持中立。②支持者 She wanted an ally so badly.她急需一名支持者。
 - vt.(with)使结盟 The small country allied itself with the stronger power. 小国与强国联盟。
- alongside [ə'ləŋ'said] prep.①在…旁边,沿着…的边 The dog ran alongside me all the way. 那条狗一路跑在我身旁。②和…任一起 It's a pleasure to work alongside such men.和这些人在一起工作真愉快。③和…相比 Put this cloth alongside real silk, and you will at once see the difference.把这块料子同真丝放一起相比,就立刻看出不同来了。
 - ad.在旁边,沿着边,并排地 The boat came alongside.船靠岸了。
- alternate ['o:ltə:neit] vi. 交替, 更迭 He alternates joy with grief. 他时喜时忧。
 - a.①交替的,轮流的 There was alternate rain and sunshine yesterday.昨天时雨时晴。②间隔的 The show was sponsored by different clients on alternate weeks.这一节目由不同主顾出资每一星期演出一次。
- amateur ['æmətə:] n.(艺术、科学等的)业余爱好者 She is an a-

mateur at table tennis.她是一个乒乓球业余爱好者。

- a.①业余(爱好)的 Last night I went to a concert given by a group of amateur musicians. 昨晚我去听了由一组业余音乐家演出的音乐会。②外行的 His piano performance was very amateur. 他钢琴弹奏得很差劲。
- ambassador [æm'bæsədə] n. 大使, (派驻国际组织的)代表
 Later he was for a short time ambassador to France.后来一段
 时间内他做了驻法大使。
- ambiguous [æm'bigjuəs] a. ①含糊不清的,不明确的 He gave me an ambiguous answer.他给我一个含糊其辞的回答。②引起歧义的,模棱两可的 He is so careful as not to say anything ambiguous.他总是小心谨慎,从不说任何引起歧义的话。
- ambitious [æmbise] a. ①有抱负的, 雄心勃勃的 John is ambitious to pass the entrance examination to Havard University. 约翰立志通过哈佛大学的入学考试。②有野心的 She is politically ambitious. 她有政治野心。
- amend [ə'mend] vt. 修改, 修订 It is time you amended your ways. 到了你该改正一下自己行为方式的时候了。
- amends [əmendz] [pl.] n.赔罪,赔偿
 make amends [pl.]赔罪,赔偿 Is there any way I can make amends for ruining your party? 把你的聚会搞糟了,我有什么
 办法可以补偿吗?
- ample [iæmpl] a.①大量的, 充裕的 We have ample time for a leisurely lunch.我们有充裕的时间可以吃一顿悠闲的午餐。②宽敞的 The house provides ample room for a family of five.这幢房子足够一个五口之家居住。
- **amplify** ['æmplifai] vt.放大(声音等), 增强 They amplified the sound with the use of electronic equipment. 他们使用电子设备把声音放大了。
- **analogy** [əˈnælədʒi] n.比拟,类比 I see no analogy between your problem and mine.我看不出你我的问题有类似之处。
 - by analogy 用类推的方法 By analogy with last year's results,

- we can guess what will happen this year. 根据去年的成果类推,我们能算出今年将会怎样。
- **analytic(al)** [iænəlitikəl] **a.**分析的,分解的,分析法的 A chess player must have an analytic mind.棋手必须具备善于分析的头脑。
- angel ['eind3əl] n. ①天使 Talk of an angel and you will hear his wings. 说曹操, 曹操到。②可爱的人 Mary's three children are all angels—not like mine. 玛丽的三个孩子都像安琪儿一样可爱——跟我的孩子可不一样。
- anniversary [ˌæni'vəːsəri] n.周年纪念,周年纪念日 It happened on the couple's last anniversary together.这事发生在他们夫妇俩上一次共度结婚周年日的时候。
- anonymous [ánonimos] a.①匿名的 He tried to ascertain the identity of the writer of the anonymous letter.他试图查明写那 封匿名信的人的身分。②无名的,未具名的 The author of the article is anonymous.这篇文章的作者未署名。③无特色的, 无个性特征的 That town is not worth visiting, for it has only grey anonymous streets.那个城镇不值得去一游,因为你只能看到外观千篇一律的灰暗的街道。
- antarctic [æníta:ktik] n. [the A-] 南极地区 The ship sailed for the Antarctic.轮船驶向南极洲。
 - a.南极的,南极地区的 Those scientists will start on an antarctic expedition. 那些科学家将去南极探险。
- antique [æn'ti:k] n. 古玩, 古董 The museum has a display of valuable antiques. 博物馆展出珍贵的古玩。
- **appendix** [spendiks] n.①附录,附件 This dictionary has several appendices, including one on irregular verbs.这部词典有几项 附录,包括不规则动词附录。②阑尾 I've recently had my appendix removed. 我最近切除了阑尾。
- **applaud** [əpləxd] vi. 鼓掌,喝彩 The audience applauded for five minutes. 观众鼓掌长达五分钟。 vi.①向…鼓掌,向…喝彩 He was loudly applauded. 他受到热烈的掌声欢迎。②称赞,

- 赞许 The president applauded the initiative and originality of the students in his speech.校长在他的讲话中表扬了同学们的 首创精神。
- appraisal [spreizəl] n.①估计,估量 His appraisal of the stock is too high.他对这批货物的估价太高了。②评价 We made an objective appraisal of his new hypothesis of the origin of the moon.我们对他关于月球起源的新假说做了客观的评价。
- appreciable [əpri:fiəbl] a.(大得)可以看到(或察觉到)的,相当可观的 This is an appreciable change in temperature between today and yesterday.今天和昨天相比能感到气温有明显的变化。
- apprehension [ˌæpri 'hensən] n.①忧虑,担心,疑惧 She felt apprehension for her husband's safety.她为丈夫的安全担忧。②理解,领悟 Quickness of apprehension is the mark of a good student.敏捷的领悟是好学生的标志。
- apt [æpt] a.①恰当的,适宜的 The words were all apt and well chosen. 用词都非常恰当并经缜密斟酌。②(习性)易于…的,有…倾向的 Tom's a smart boy, but apt to get into mischief. 汤姆是个聪明的孩子,但是好捣乱。
- arc [a:k] n.①弧形(物) He raised his eyebrows in an arc.他将 双眉扬起,形成一道弧形。②弧 After the rain shower, a rainbow formed a beautiful arc in the sky. 阵雨之后彩虹在天 空中形成了一道美丽的弧。
- arch [a:tf] n.拱,拱门,拱形(结构) Marble Arch is a famous London landmark.大理石拱门是著名的伦敦标志。
 v.(使)成拱形 The cat arched its back when it saw the dog.那
- architect ['a:kitekt] n.①建筑师 The construction of this building was in the charge of a famous architect.这座大楼的设计是由一名著名的建筑师负责的。②设计师,缔造者 Deng Xiao Ping is called the general architect of the construction of the socialist modernizations in China.邓小平被称为中国社会主义

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- arctic ['a:ktik] n. [the A-] 北极, 北极圈 The Arctic has an extremely cold winter. 北极的冬季极其寒冷。
 - a.北极的,北极地区的 Permafrost occurs only in the arctic regions.永久冻土只有北极地区才有。
- array [śrei] n.①一系列,大量 They are confronted with a complex array of political and economic questions. 他们面临着一系列复杂的经济、政治问题。②排列,阵列 The troops were formed in battle array.军队按战斗队形排列。
 - vt. 排列 The soldiers were arrayed along the river bank. 战士们沿河岸排成一列。
- **articulate** [aftikjulit] **a.**善于表达的,口齿清晰的 She's unusually articulate for a ten-year-old. 对一个 10 岁的孩子来说,她 异乎寻常地能说会道。
 - vt. 明确有力的表达 He articulates the thoughts and feelings of the labouring people. 他明确地表达对劳动人民的思想感情。
- ascend [signd] vi. 渐渐上升, 升高 They watched the mist ascend from the valley. 他们看着雾气由山谷升起。 vt. 攀登, 登上 He ascended the flight of narrow stairs to his bedroom. 他登上狭窄的楼梯问到卧室。
- ascertain [assotein] vt. 查明, 弄清, 确定 The police are trying to ascertain the facts about the murder. 警察设法查明有关这件 谋杀案的真相。
- **ascribe** [əskraib] vt.(to)①把…归因于 You should not ascribe your failure to bad luck. 你不应该把自己的失败归因于运气不好。②把…归属于 The play is usually ascribed to Shake-speare. 一般认为这个剧本是莎翁写的。
- **assault** [əˈsoːlt] n.(武力或口头上的)攻击,袭击 The politician began an assault on his opponents' policies.这位政治家开始攻击他对手的政策。
 - vt. 攻击,袭击 The king's troops assaulted the castle on all sides. 皇家军队从各个方向袭击这座城堡。