

GMAT 800 分词汇

GMAT 800分 词汇



苏福孝 王 翔 编

世界图书出版公司

GMAT800 分词汇

苏福孝 王 翔 编

世界图书出版公司

北京·广州·上海·西安

图书在版编目 (CIP) 数据

GMAT800分词汇/苏福孝,王翔编. — 北京:世界图书出版公司北京公司, 1997.1

ISBN 7-5062-3032-1

I. G … II. ① 苏… ② 王… III. 英语—高等学校—入学考试—词汇—美国 IV. H313

中国版本图书馆 CIP 数据核字 (97) 第 17683 号

书 名: GMAT800 分词汇

编 著 者: 苏福孝 王 翔

责任编辑: 黄 鲁

出 版: 世界图书出版公司北京公司

印 刷: 北京中西印刷厂

发 行: 世界图书出版公司北京公司

(北京朝阳门内大街 137 号, 100010)

销 售: 各地新华书店和外文书店

开 本: 850×1168 1/32

印 张: 8.75 字数: 30 万字

版 次: 1998 年 8 月第 1 版 1999 年 5 月第 2 次印刷

印 数: 5001—10000

书 号: ISBN 7-5062-3032-1/H·203

定 价: 18.00 元

前 言

GMAT (Graduate Management Admission Test) 是进入美、加商学院, 顺利申请到奖学金的必备考试之一。其难度和灵活性“有口皆碑”, 为帮助广大读者迅速突破词汇难关, 取得理想成绩, 我们编著了《GMAT 800 分词汇》一书。

本书针对近年来的 GMAT 试题, 采用电脑统计处理, 参考多种资料, 具有较强的实用性和预见性。书中收集常考词汇近 2000 条, 商业管理和数学分析词汇 1600 余条, 涵盖试题各部分, 并配以例句, 附有同义词和反义词, 实收达 5000 余条。且附有 4 套阅读自测题及解答, 以供参考。

本书可兼作商务英语词典, 对广大 TOEFL、GRE、BEC 考生及英语学习者也有所裨益。

书中如有不当之处, 敬请广大读者批评指正。

编 者

一九九七年三月

目 录

一、GMAT 常考词汇	1
二、商业管理词汇	117
三、重要数学分析词汇	171
四、阅读自测题	176
五、参考答案	246
六、附录	247
1. Best Business Schools (Top Ten)	247
2. A List of Schools Requiring The GMAT	252

1 GMAT 常考词汇

A

abase [ə'beɪs] *v.* 降低, 贬抑

*A man who betrays a friend **abases** himself.*

[同] disgrace, despise, disconcert

[反] respect, honor, praise

abash [ə'bæʃ] *v.* 使窘迫, 使局促不安

*He was not at all **abashed** by her open admiration.*

[同] shame, discourage

[反] encourage, cheer, praise

aberration [ˌæbə'reɪʃən] *n.* 离开正路, 脱离常规, 色差

*In designing a good lens for a camera, the problem of correcting chromatic and rectilinear **aberration** was a serious one.*

[同] variation

[反] regularity

abhor [əb'hɔ:] *v.* 憎恶, 痛恨

*She **abhorred** all forms of bigotry.*

[同] loathe, dislike, scorn

[反] cherish, esteem, enjoy

abjure [əb'dʒuə] *v.* 发誓放弃

[同] disclaim, renounce, deny

[反] confirm, approve, maintain

abnegation [ˌæbni'geɪʃən] *n.* 克制, 放弃, 克己

[反] indulgence, self-indulgence

abominate [ə'bəmineit] *v.* 憎恨, 厌恶

[同] detest, dislike, abhor

[反] love, like, enjoy

abortive [ə'bɔ:tiv] *a.* 不成功的, 发育不全的

His efforts proved abortive.

[同] ineffective, futile

[反] successful, productive, fruitful

abysmal [ə'bɪzməl] *a.* 无底的, 深不可测的

accolade ['ækələid] *n.* 授奖, 授以荣誉

The play received accolades from the press.

[同] praise, cheer, esteem

[反] condemnation, censure, blame

accretion [ə'kri:ʃən] *n.* 增大, 添加

The accretion of wealth marked the family's rise in power.

acerbity [ə'sə:biti] *n.* 苦涩, 刻薄

acoustics [ə'ku:stiks] *n.* 声学, (复) 音响效果, 音响装置

Carnegie hall is liked by music lovers because of its fine acoustics.

acquiescent [ˌækwi'esnt] *a.* 默许的, 默认为的

acquittal [ə'kwɪtl] *n.* 宣告无罪, 开释

His acquittal by the jury surprised these who had thought him guilty.

acrimonious [ˌækri'mənjəs] *a.* 尖刻的

His tendency to utter acrimonious remarks alienated his audience.

[同] bitter, severe, spiteful

[反] kindly, peaceable

actuarial [ˌæktju'ɛəriəl] *a.* 保险统计的

*According to recent **actuarial** tables, life expectancy is greater today than it was a century ago.*

acumen [ə'kju:men] *n.* 敏锐, 聪明

*His business **acumen** has made him very successful.*

[同] insight, keenness, cleverness

[反] dullness, stupidity, insensibility

adamant ['ædəmənt] *a.* 坚硬的; 固执的

*He was **adamant** in his determination to punish the wrongdoers.*

[同] firm, stable, unyielding

[反] weak, hesitant, yielding, unsettled

addle ['ædl] *v.* 使腐坏, 使昏乱

adipose ['ædipəʊs] *a.* 脂肪质的, 脂肪多的

*Excess **adipose** tissue should be avoided by middle-aged people.*

adjure [ə'dʒuə] *n.* 严令, 恳求

[同] command, appeal, request

adroit [ə'drɔɪt] *a.* 熟练的, 灵巧的

[同] slick, skilled, clever

[反] awkward, unskilled, unskillful

adulation [ædju'leɪʃən] *n.* 奉承, 献媚

*He thrived on the **adulation** of his henchmen.*

[同] praise, fawning

[反] condemnation, contempt, scorn

adumbrate ['ædəmbreit] *n.* 预示, 勾画

adversity [əd'vɜ:siti] *n.* 逆境, 不幸

[同] disaster, calamity, misfortune

[反] help, favor, fortune

aesthetic [i:s'θetik] *a.* 艺术的, 审美的, 美学的

[同] appreciative, creative, inventive

affected [ə'fektɪd] *a.* 假装的, 做作的

*She showed an **affected** interest in his art.*

affidavit [ˌæfi'deɪvɪt] *n.* 宣誓书

*He made an **affidavit**.*

affinity [ə'fɪnəti] *n.* 密切关系, 强大的吸引力

[同] attraction, kinship

[反] repulsion, antipathy

afflatus [ə'fleɪtəs] *n.* 灵感, 神感

*The poet boasted of his divine **afflatus** as the source of his greatness.*

affront [ə'frʌnt] *n. & v.* 侮辱, 触怒

[同] insult, indignity, offend

[反] appease, gratify, honor, please

aftermath ['ɑ:ftəməθ] *n.* 不幸事件之后果, 余波

agglomeration [ə'glɒmə'reɪʃən] *n.* 结聚, 一堆

aggregate ['ægrɪɡɪt] *a.* 合计的, 总

*The **aggregate** wealth of this country is staggering to the imagination.*

agnostic [æɡ'nɒstɪk] *n. & a.* 不可知论者, 不可知论的

alacrity [ə'lækrəti] *n.* 活泼, 敏捷

[同] readiness, swiftness, liveliness

[反] laziness, reluctance, inertness

albeit [ə'l'bi:t] *conj.* 尽管, 虽然

***Albeit** fair, she was not sought after.*

alchemy ['ælkɪmi] *n.* 魔力, 点金术, 炼金术

alias ['eɪliəs] *n.* 化名, 别名

alienate ['eɪliəneɪt] *v.* 使疏远

alimony ['æliməni] *n.* (离婚后丈夫给妻子的) 赡养费

alleviate [ə'li:vieit] *v.* 缓和,减轻

*This should **alleviate** the pain; if it does not, we shall have to use strong drugs.*

[同] mitigate, lessen, soften

[反] increase, heighten, intensify

allusion [ə'ljuzən] *n.* 暗示

[同] inference, quotation, reference

[反] delineation, explanation, specification

alluvial [ə'lju:viəl] *a.* 冲积的,淤积的

*This place is an **alluvial** deposit at the mouth of a river.*

aloof [ə'lu:f] *a.* 逃离的,孤零的,冷淡的

[反] gregarious, near

altercation [ˌɔ:ltə'keifən] *n.* 争吵,争辩

[同] controversy, dispute, quarrel

[反] agreement, harmony, peace

altruism ['æltruizəm] *n.* 利他主义,慷慨

[反] egoism, miserliness

ambiguous [æm'bigjuəs] *a.* 意义含糊的

*His **ambiguous** directions misled us; we did not know which road to take.*

[反] clear, lucid

ambivalent [æm'bivələnt] *a.* (对人或物)有矛盾看法的

[同] contradictory, equivocal, opposed

amble ['æmbl] *n.* 徐行,缓行

amenable [ə'mi:nəbl] *a.* 愿服从的,通情达理的

*We are all **amenable** to the law.*

amiable ['eimiəbl] *a.* 亲切的,和蔼的

*She has an **amiable** disposition.*

[同] pleasing, charming, gentle

[反] testy, pessimistic, gloomy

amnesia [æm'ni:ziə] *n.* 健忘症, 健忘

*Because she was suffering from **amnesia**, the police could not get the young lady to identify herself.*

amortization [ə,mɔ:ti'zeɪʃən] *n.* 分期偿还

*Your monthly payment to the bank includes provisions for taxes, interest on the principal, and **amortization** of the mortgage.*

amputate ['æmpjuteɪt] *v.* 切断, 截(肢)

*When the doctors decided to **amputate** his leg to prevent the spread of gangrene, he cried that he preferred death to incapacity.*

amuck [ə'mʌk] *ad.* 狂乱地

*The police had to be called in to restrain him after he ran **amuck** in the department store.*

anachronism [ə'nækrənɪzəm] *n.* 年代错误, 落伍之物

*That bank is trying to avoid becoming a dreadful **anachronism** in a modern society.*

analogy [ə'nælədʒi] *n.* 比喻, 相似

*Your **analogy** is not a good one because the two situations are not similar.*

anarchy ['ænəki] *n.* 无政府, 混乱

*The assassination of the leaders led to a period of **anarchy**.*

anathema [ə'næθəmə] *n.* 诅咒, 遭人憎恨的事物

*Those terrible ideas are **anathema** to me.*

[同] abhorrence, aversion, bane

ancillary [æn'sɪləri] *a.* 辅助的 *n.* 助手

*In an **ancillary** capacity he was helpful; however, he*

could not be entrusted with leadership.

[同] assisting, subordinate(to)

anemia [ə'ni:miə] *n.* 贫血

*The doctor ascribes her tiredness to **anemia**.*

anguish ['æŋɡwɪʃ] *n.* 极大痛苦

[同] agony, grief, misery

[反] happiness, solace

animated ['ænimeɪtɪd] *a.* 活生生的, 生气勃勃的

*There was an **animated** discussion.*

[同] ardent, vital, active

[反] inert, lethargic, sluggish

animosity [ˌæni'mɒsəti] *n.* 憎恶, 仇恨

*There exist **animosities** between two races.*

[同] hatred, detestation, resentment

[反] love, adoration, affection

annihilate [ə'naɪəleɪt] *v.* 消灭

*The enemy in its revenge tried to **annihilate** the entire population.*

[同] eliminate, wipe out, destroy

annul [ə'nʌl] *v.* 宣告无效, 取消

*The parents of the eloped couple tried to **annul** the marriage.*

[同] cancel, invalidate, void

[反] enact, restore

anodyne ['ænədain] *n. & a.* 止痛药, 止痛的

anomaly [ə'nɒməli] *n.* 异常, 反常

*A bird that cannot fly is an **anomaly**.*

[同] exception, oddity, abnormality

[反] convention, normality

anonymous [ə'noniməs] *a.* 匿名的, 不知名的

*They did not know whom to thank for the **anonymous** gift.*

[同] nameless, unsigned

[反] authentic, signed

antagonism [æn'tægənizəm] *n.* 对抗, 敌对

*The first step for us is to overcome the **antagonism** between two men.*

anthropoid ['ænθrəpɔɪd] *a.* 像人类的, 类人猿的

*The gorilla is the strongest of the **anthropoid** animals.*

antithesis [æn'tiθəsis] *n.* 对照, 对立

*Hate is the **antithesis** love.*

[反] similarity, agreement

apathetic [ˌæpə'θetik] *a.* 无感情的, 无动于衷的

*Not that the people were **apathetic**, for they were curious about everything.*

[同] emotionless, unemotional

[反] concerned, enthusiastic, feeling

aphasia [ə'feɪzə] *n.* 失语症

*After the automobile accident; the victim had periods of **aphasia** when he could not speak at all or could only mumble incoherently.*

aphorism ['æfərɪzəm] *n.* 格言, 警句

*An **aphorism** differs from an adage in that it is more philosophical or scientific.*

[同] proverb, maxim, motto

[反] absurdity, nonsense

aplomb [ə'plɒm] *n.* 沉着, 镇静

*His nonchalance and **aplomb** in times of trouble always encour-*

aged his followers.

[同] assurance, calmness, composure

[反] discomposure

apocalyptic [əˌpɒkəˈliptɪk] *a.* 预示灾祸的, 启示的

*His **apocalyptic** remarks were dismissed by his audience as wild surmises.*

[同] ominous, prophetic, portentous

apocryphal [əˈpɒkrɪfəl] *a.* 伪的, 不足凭信的

*Her **apocryphal** tears misled no one.*

apogee [ˈæpədʒiː] *n.* 远地点

*When the moon in its orbits is furthest away from the earth, it is at its **apogee**.*

apostate [əˈpɒstɪt] *n.* 背叛者, 变节者

*He is an **apostate** from Christianity.*

[同] backslider, renegade

appellation [æpiˈleɪʃən] *n.* 名称, 称呼

*The Greek king Alexander was given the **appellation** "the Great".*

[同] denomination

apprise [əˈpraɪz] *v.* 通知, 报告

*She was **apprised** of his intentions.*

apprehensive [æpriˈhensɪv] *a.* 担心的, 恐惧的, 善于领会的

*His **apprehensive** glance at the people who were walking in the street revealed his nervousness.*

appurtenance [əˈpɜːtɪnəns] *n.* 附属物, 从属物

*He bought the estate and all its **appurtenance**.*

aquiline [ˈækwɪlaɪn] *a.* 鹰, 似鹰的, 钩状的

*She can be recognized by her **aquiline** nose.*

[同] angular, curved, eaglelike

[反] straight

arable ['ærəbl] *a.* 可耕的, 适合种植的

*There is not much **arable** land on the side of a rocky mountain.*

arbitrary ['ɑ:bitrəri] *a.* 专横的, 不理智的

*Any **arbitrary** action on your part will be resented by the members of the board whom you do not consult.*

[反] limited

arboreal [ɑ:'bɔ:riəl] *a.* 树木的

*Squirrels are **arboreal** animals.*

arcane [ɑ:'keɪn] *a.* 神秘的, 秘密的

*There is an **arcane** looking parcel under the table.*

archetype ['ɑ:kitaɪp] *n.* 原形, 典型例子

*The House of Commons is the **archetype** of all the representative assemblies.*

archipelago [ɑ:ki'peləgəu] *n.* 群岛

*When he looked at the map and saw the **archipelagoes** in the south seas, he longed to visit them.*

archives ['ɑ:kaɪvz] *n.* 档案

*Those documents should be part of the **archives**.*

ardor ['ɑ:də] *n.* 热情, 狂热

arduous ['ɑ:djuəs] *a.* 艰苦的, 费力的, 陡峭的

*His **arduous** efforts had sapped his energy.*

[同] hard, difficult, strenuous, laborious

[反] easy, light, simple

armistice ['ɑ:mɪstɪs] *n.* 休战, 停战协定

arrogate ['ærəgeɪt] *v.* 冒称具有…权力

*Cecil **arrogates** much ability to himself.*

arson ['ɑ:sən] *n.* 纵火, 放火

articulate [ɑ:'tikjulət] *v.* 说话清楚, 发音清晰的

*That man is not very **articulate**.*

artifice ['ɑ:tifis] *n.* 诡计, 巧计

*He is free from **artifice** in his personal relations.*

[同] trick, imposture, invention

[反] honesty, frankness, sincerity

ascetic [ə'setik] *a.* 苦行的, 节制的

*He leads an **ascetic** life.*

[同] abstemious, controlled, self-denying

aseptic [æ'septik] *a.* 无菌的, 洁净的

*Hospitals succeeded in lowering the mortality rate as soon as they introduced **aseptic** conditions.*

asinine ['æsinain] *a.* 愚蠢的

*Your **asinine** remarks prove that you have not given this problem any serious consideration.*

asperity [æ'sperəti] *n.* 粗鲁, 艰苦

*He spoke with **asperity**.*

asphyxiate [æs'fiksieit] *v.* (使)无法呼吸, 窒息而死

*The men in the coal-mine were **asphyxiated** by bad gas.*

aspiration [ˌæspə'reiʃən] *n.* 渴望, 热切

*Man's **aspirations** should be as lofty as the stars.*

assiduity [ˌæsi'dju:əti] *n.* 刻苦, 勤奋不懈

*She plans everything with unfailing **assiduity**.*

[同] diligence, industry, earnestness

[反] laziness, dullness, sluggishness

assuage [ə'sweidʒ] *v.* 平息, 减轻

*These messages of cheer should **assuage** his suffering.*

[同] alleviate, mollify, pacify

[反] aggravate, perturb, disturb, worsen

astigmatic [æstɪg'mætɪk] *a.* 散失的, 乱视的

astringent [ə'strɪndʒənt] *a. & n.* 收缩的, 止痛剂, 止血剂

*The **astringent** quality of the unsweetened lemon juice made swallowing difficult.*

asunder [ə'sʌndə] *a.* 分离, 化为碎片

*Parents and children were driven **asunder** by the war.*

[同] apart, dissected, divided

[反] together, whole

atrocious [ə'trɒsətɪ] *n.* 暴行

*In time of war, many **atrocities** are committed by invading armies.*

atrophy ['ætrəfi] *n. & v.* 萎缩, 虚脱, 衰退

*Polio victims need physiotherapy to prevent the **atrophy** of affected limbs.*

attenuate [ə'tenjuːeɪt] *v.* 使变细, 使弱

*Wire can be **attenuated** by being drawn through successively smaller holes.*

audacious [ɔ:'deɪʃəs] *a.* 大胆的, 愚勇的

*You may be called upon to take **audacious** decision.*

[同] adventurous, bold, brave

[反] cowardly, cautious, reserved

augment [ɔ:g'ment] *v.* 扩大, 增加

*He **augments** his income by writing short stories.*

[同] increase, enhance, magnify

[反] diminish, wither, reduce

augury ['ɔ:gjuri] *n.* 预言, 征兆, 占卜