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内容提要

本书共提供了 16 套听力模拟综合练习,其中传统题型和新题型各 8 套。编者旨在为准备参加全国四级统考的大学英语学习者服务。本书的练习设计全部为标准试题的形式,符合国家四级考试大纲的要求,并在试用中已被证明有很高的测试效用和信度。因此,本书对于准备参加四级考试的学习者而言,具有很强的针对性和实用性,是他们能顺利通过四级考试必不可少的工具。

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前 言

听力考试历来是大学英语四级考试中仅次于阅读理解的重头戏,也是大多数学生在各种考试中的弱项,许多学生在四级备考阶段不知道从何处入手才能尽快提高自己的听力水平。针对考前热身中的这些问题,我们组织了在听力教学方面教学效果比较好的几所院校,编写了这本书,以帮助广大考生顺利超越听力考试中的各种障碍。

本书的特色:

1. **材料新颖。**本书所选之听力材料均为各种考试中最常见的内容,既与西方的文化背景知识相关,又为广大英语学习者兴趣之所在,同时也兼顾了知识的新颖性,使学习者在提高听力水平的同时,也能在很大程度上学得新的知识。
2. **覆盖面广。**所选材料之话题涉及到生活中的方方面面,只要对本书的内容耳熟能详,相信在实际考试中一定能够轻松应付各种形式的考题。
3. **实用性强。**本书是专门针对四级考试而设计的,无论是体例设计或者是难度或其他,均与四级考试真题密切相关。

参加本书编写的均为四级教学第一线的教师,具有多年丰富的四级考试辅导的经验,相信他们智慧和知识的结晶能够给广大考生带来莫大的裨益。

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Test One

Section A

Directions: *In this section, you will hear 10 short conversations. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the question will be spoken only once. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you must read the four choices marked A), B), C) and D), and decide which is the best answer. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

1.

- A) Mrs. Baker is pregnant now.
- B) Mrs. Baker wishes to have a child, but her husband doesn't.
- C) Mrs. Baker and her husband don't want to have a child now.
- D) Mrs. Baker would like to have a child if they could get married.

2.

- A) He agrees with the woman.
- B) He disagrees with the woman.
- C) He feels the woman is annoying.
- D) He expresses no idea about the business trip.

3.

- A) The man might have been able to make the party





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interesting.

- B) The man doesn't care whether the party was interesting or not.
- C) Although the man has tried his best, the party wasn't interesting.
- D) The man should have understood that everything had gone smoothly.

4.

- A) She thinks Tom is annoying.
- B) She is fed up with the idea of going to China.
- C) She thinks Tom is a good company to travel together with.
- D) She wants to marry him but Tom refused to marry her.

5.

- A) In a restaurant.
- B) In a bar.
- C) On a plane.
- D) In a hotel.

6.

- A) 450.
- B) 225.
- C) 900.
- D) 415.

7.

- A) The man is crazy.
- B) The man has no hope at all.
- C) The man couldn't sleep well.
- D) The man has a mental problem.

8.

- A) Jack's.
- B) Mary's.
- C) Tom's.
- D) Both Jack's and Tom's.

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9.

- A) She occasionally uses ICQ.
- B) She doesn't know their ICQ numbers.
- C) She often chats with her friends on ICQ.
- D) She doesn't know how to chat on ICQ.

10.

- A) Her son studies hard enough.
- B) Her son refuses to listen to her.
- C) Her son obeys her instructions.
- D) Her son pays great attention to what she has said.

Section B

Directions: *In this section, you will hear 3 short passages.*

At the end of each passage, you will hear some questions. Both the passage and questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a question, you must choose the best answer from the four choices marked A), B), C) and D). Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.

Questions 11 to 13 are based on the passage you have just heard.

11.

- A) Different schools of archaeological thought.
- B) Amerindian prehistory.
- C) The Great Hopewell Road and its influence on Maya and Anasazi architects.
- D) Characteristics of Maya and Anasazi architecture.



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12.

- A) Around 1,500 years ago.
- B) Around 2,000 years ago.
- C) Around 2,500 years ago.
- D) Around 3,000 years ago.

13.

- A) It is 60 miles long.
- B) It is made up by someone who has an over-active imagination.
- C) It is surrounded by earthen walls.
- D) It is pre-Anasazi and pre-Maya.

Questions 14 to 16 are based on the passage you have just heard.

14.

- A) School violence is getting more and more serious nowadays.
- B) School violence was more serious in the 1950s than in the 1990s.
- C) School violence in public schools and private schools.
- D) School violence is a new phenomenon.

15.

- A) Juvenile delinquency.
- B) Presence and use of weapons.
- C) A significant increase in fistfights.
- D) Serious antisocial behavior.

16.

- A) Wait until the last day of school.
- B) Settle the incident without delay.
- C) Forget all about it gradually.



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D) Report to a teacher.

Questions 17 to 20 are based on the passage you have just heard.

17.

- A) George is an Indian boy.
- B) George is a Black boy.
- C) George moved away later on.
- D) George failed to keep his promise.

18.

- A) Lone Eagle is an Indian boy.
- B) Lone Eagle moved away later on.
- C) Lone Eagle showed his friend inside the holy cave.
- D) Lone Eagle's father owns the farm.

19.

- A) It is a holy place of people who are still alive.
- B) There is nothing but dead bodies in the cave.
- C) A great chief protects those who are buried there.
- D) Many people have heard of the cave.

20.

- A) George told the secret to John Brewer many years later.
- B) George kept the secret until his death.
- C) George had great interest in the cave when he was a kid.
- D) George moved away from the place.





Test Two

Section A

Directions: *In this section, you will hear 10 short conversations. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the question will be spoken only once. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you must read the four choices marked A), B), C) and D), and decide which is the best answer. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

1.

- A) Next two weeks.
- B) Tomorrow.
- C) Every two weeks.
- D) The eighth day after tomorrow.

2.

- A) He agrees to lend her his notes.
- B) He forgets where he puts his notes.
- C) He doesn't want to help the woman.
- D) He doesn't want to lend his notes to the woman.

3.

- A) He thought it was easy to learn to use it.
- B) He thought it was difficult to learn to use it.
- C) He didn't learn how to use it, so he couldn't answer the question.

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D) He learned how to use it, but he didn't know how to answer her question properly.

4.

A) The man also had the chance of promotion.

B) The man didn't agree with the woman's boss.

C) The man admired the woman and was excited at the news.

D) The man didn't expect that he would have a promotion at all.

5.

A) He doesn't like the journal.

B) He is not interested in the story.

C) He has never read the journal before.

D) He doesn't understand the woman's meaning.

6.

A) He has developed a cold also.

B) He is quite busy these days.

C) He will go to the performance tomorrow.

D) He won't go to the performance tomorrow.

7.

A) He likes the speech.

B) He thinks it is inspirational.

C) He doesn't like the speech at all.

D) He would have preferred more sentimental speech.

8.

A) 540 dollars.

B) 600 dollars.

C) 660 dollars.

D) 610 dollars.





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9.

- A) In the dean's office.
- B) In the doctor's office.
- C) In the restaurant.
- D) In the classroom.

10.

- A) The safety of the miners.
- B) The safety of the mine.
- C) The safety of the gas.
- D) The safety of the manager.

Section B

Compound Dictation

Directions: *In this section, you will hear a passage three times. When the passage is read for the first time, you should listen carefully for its general idea. When the passage is read for the second time, you are required to fill in the blanks numbered from S1 to S7 with the exact words you have just heard. For blanks numbered from S8 to S10 you are required to fill in the missing information. You can either use the exact words you have just heard or write down the main points in your own words. Finally, when the passage is read for the third time, you should check what you have written.*

The politics of poverty were not begun by Abraham Lincoln as some believe, but for him it was an inescapable

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(S1) _____. He was born in a log cabin as were millions of others. But over the political years, as the population became more and more well-to-do, a poor and uneducated man succeeding in business or politics became more of a rarity and the (S2) _____. Even though they claimed to know all about the (S3) _____ and pain of the poor. This claim seems to be the hallmark of crafty politicians who (S4) _____ need to demonstrate that they feel the pain of others. But let's observe things in this important national election year.

One of the (S5) _____ of this writing is to pose the question, "At what point in one's career is one allowed to forget his roots?" Or is this allowed at all? Now a U. S. Senator, Campbell came to the U. S. Congress in 1987 because the voters apparently believed he would make a difference in a (S6) _____ Congress. In November of 1992, he ran for the U. S. Senate and won. Native Americans cheered his election because as a whole, they needed a (S7) _____. (S8) _____. Ironically, the champions in the Senate have been non-Indians. (S9) _____ and (S10) _____. Presumably this meant only the non-Indians.



Test Three

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Section A

Directions: In this section, you will hear 10 short conversations. At the end of each conversation, a question



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will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the question will be spoken only once. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you must read the four choices marked A), B), C) and D), and decide which is the best answer. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.

1.

- A) Because she had no friend here, she found it easy to adjust to the university life.
- B) Because she had no friend here, she found it difficult to adjust to the university life.
- C) Because she had a lot of friends here, she found it easy to adjust to the university life.
- D) Because she had a lot of friends here, she found it difficult to adjust to the university life.

2.

- A) She doesn't know where Miss Jones lives now.
- B) She doesn't know where Miss Jones spent her childhood.
- C) She doesn't know if Miss Jones was born in South America.
- D) She doesn't know when Miss Jones would go to South America.

3.

- A) The couple will spend their Spring Festival in Iowa.
- B) The couple will have no vacation in Spring Festival.
- C) The couple hasn't decided where to spend Spring Festival.

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- D) The couple has an eye problem, which prevents them from having a vacation.
- 4.
- A) They are talking about habit.
 - B) They are talking about sports.
 - C) They are talking about holiday.
 - D) They are talking about hobby.
- 5.
- A) He prefers to go to work by bus.
 - B) He prefers to go to work by taxi.
 - C) He prefers to go to work on foot.
 - D) He prefers to go to work by bicycle.
- 6.
- A) At 6 o'clock.
 - B) At 5:30.
 - C) At 6:30.
 - D) At 5 o'clock.
- 7.
- A) The man is a teacher.
 - B) The man is a student.
 - C) The man is a scientist.
 - D) The man is a linguist.
- 8.
- A) In a hotel.
 - B) In a restaurant.
 - C) In an office.
 - D) In a shopping center.
- 9.
- A) The man thinks nothing of his new job.
 - B) The man thinks his new job is not good.
 - C) The man thinks his new job is quite good.
 - D) The man thinks he could look for a better job.

