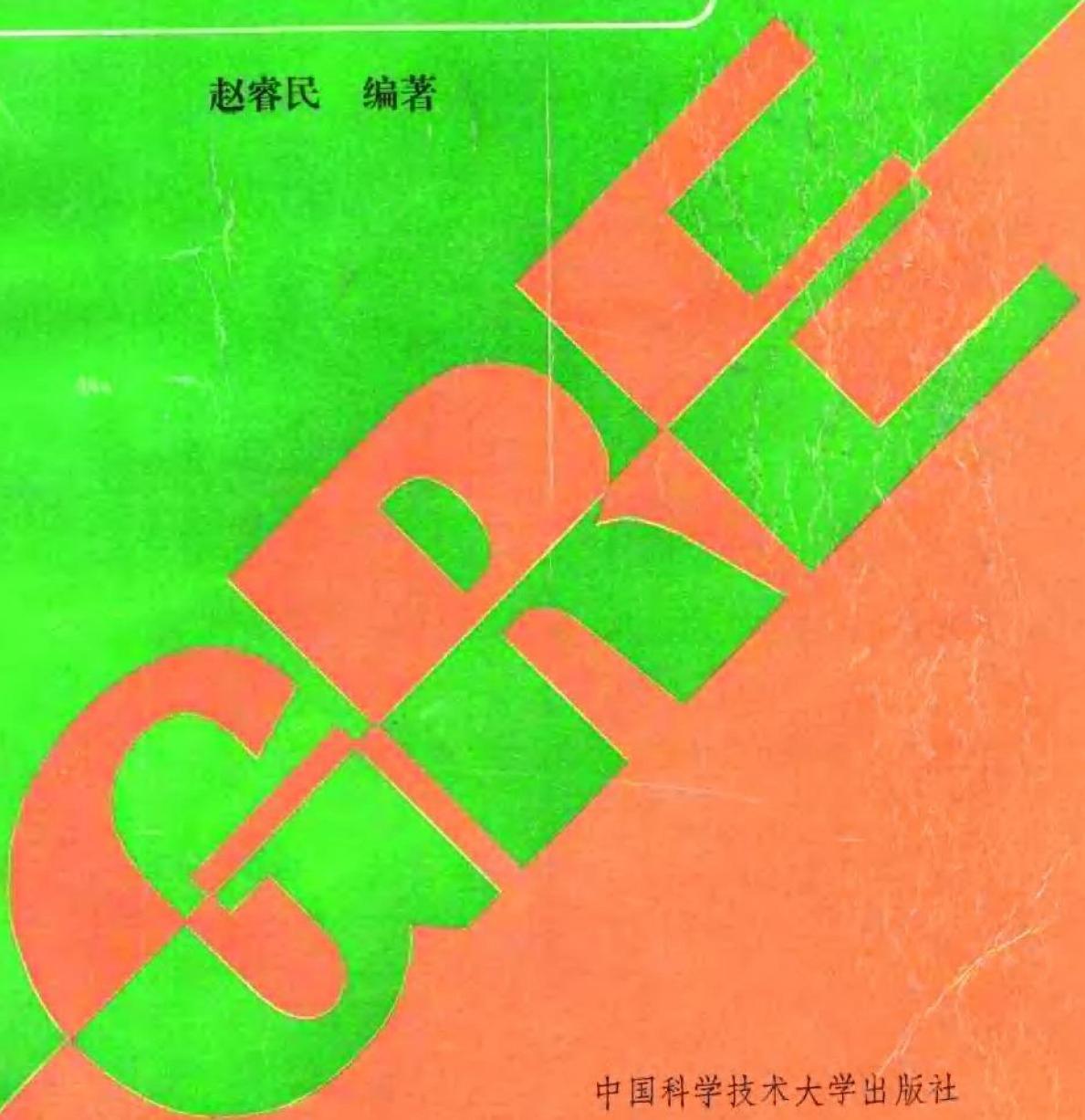


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## 内 容 简 介

本书是国内第一本针对 GRE 词汇精心编写的以多种配套练习题为主的词汇学习书，它克服了大部分 GRE 词汇书练习形式单调、份量不够的局限性。主要篇幅是一个具有新颖助记功能的 GRE 常考词汇表（3000 余词）和针对这些词的四套难度渐进的练习题（共 11000 余题）。通过这些练习可以达到将模糊印象清晰化，加深理解和记忆，提高应试反应速度的效果。只要循序攻关，定能达到理想境界。同时，本书在版式设计上充分考虑了高效率学习的要求，以新颖的方式做到了题目不跨页，并在当面给出具有隐蔽性的答案。

本书是适合于 GRE 应试者最有效的学习参考书，同时对于大专院校的本科生、研究生和英语教师来说，也是一本高级教学参考书；还可用作中等英语水平以上的英语学习者的高级英语教程。

# 前　　言

GRE 是 Graduate Record Examination 的简称。GRE 实际上分为两大类：一般能力测试 (General Test) 和专业测试 (Subject Test)。一般不加区分所称的 GRE 是指前者，即 GRE General Test。大多数美国的大学将 GRE General Test 的成绩作为招收研究生和给予资助的一个主要依据。

GRE General Test 有三个分项：Verbal (语文)、Quantitative (数学) 和 Analytical (分析)。每项满分 800 分。美国理工科考生的各分项平均成绩为语文 500 分左右，数学 670 分左右，分析 600 分左右。中国理工科考生的各分项平均成绩大致是数学 780 分左右，分析 600 分左右，而语文成绩因各人词汇水平差异而差别很大，一般在 270~600 分之间。

GRE 语文成绩 (Verbal Score) 是很重要的一个分项。不少美国的大学只注重 GRE 的前两项 (语文和数学)。由于中国考生的数学成绩均接近于满分，故语文成绩的高低就显得尤为重要。一般说来，若语文成绩低于 400 分，则在申请奖学金时所处地位就相当不利。因此，中国考生较为理想的语文成绩应是 500 分或更高。

GRE 的语文测试很难。其主要原因是它所涉词汇的难度水平相当高，有些词已超出了三万个单词容量的词典。若想用背词典的方法来奠定 GRE Verbal Test 应试的词汇基础，就需背一本词汇量为三万的词典。这即使对于美国考生来说也是件难事，更不用说对于中国考生了。对于绝大多数中国考生来说，背一本三万词的词典太令人生畏了。事实上，对付 GRE 语文测试的词汇有一条捷径：学习“GRE 词汇”。所谓“GRE 词汇”是美国的某些教育出版机构根据以前考卷统计出的 3 000 余个 GRE 语文常考单词。

据编者个人的了解与分析，中国理工科考生的 GRE 语文得分与词汇量的关系可大致归纳为下表：

考生的基本词汇量	GRE 语文成绩		“GRE 词汇”的增益
	仅有基本词汇情况下得分	基本词汇 + “GRE 词汇”情况下得分	
6 000	270	380	110
10 000	320	500	180
15 000	400	550	150

可见，考生在具有基本词汇量 10 000 个左右后，再来学习“GRE 词汇”，能得到最大的增益和满意的成绩。如果考生的阅读能力好，掌握词汇的准确度高，则还可望得到高于表中的成绩；反之，则只得到低于表中的分数。基本词汇量越大，其影响程度越大。

中国的考生若想得到 (GRE General Test) 1 900~2 000 分的成绩，其语文分项成绩目标应定在 500 分左右。这是美国考生的平均成绩，对于母语非英语的中国考生来说已相当不错了，但也不是很难达到的目标。

编者认为一个较充分的 TOEFL 应试词汇准备即可使基本词汇量达到 10 000 左右。在此基

础上再较好地掌握 3 000 余个单词的“GRE 词汇”，就奠定了 GRE 语文成绩 500 分的词汇基础。

然而，3 000 余个单词仍不是个小数目。用通常死记硬背的方法，效率低，人很容易疲劳而无法持久，很难达到预期目的。难怪很多人说背单词是外语学习中最苦最累的事。有些人花了三、四个月背这 3 000 余个词，结果只掌握了六、七成。

编者认为引入测试机制是提高学习效率的有效途径，因为学习者在被测试状态下容易维持大脑的兴奋。我们不妨将引入测试机制的学习方法称为**测试式学习**。这是一个具有普遍意义的高效率学习方法，其关键在于要有一份具有针对性和难度渐进性的测试材料。很多人背单词时实际上已引入了测试机制：看到单词先想（猜）词义，然后再核实。但是普通的词汇表不是一个理想的测试式学习的材料。在对词汇表不熟悉时，这个材料太难了；在对词汇表较熟悉时，这个材料又没有新鲜感。学习者还会从词序及词在页中的位置得到不想要的附加信息，这就影响了测试的针对性。虽然单词卡片作为学习材料，较少存在上述的附加信息问题，但是它需要学习者花时间去管理，翻来翻去很费时间。并且测试方式过于单调，没有难度渐进性，因而在学习大量词汇时效率不高。

科学地组织一份针对 3 000 余个 GRE 常考词汇进行测试式学习的合适材料，即是编著本书的目的。

## 一、本书的测试式学习体系

### 1. 词源测试（340 余题）

要求读者辨认词缀或词根在单词中的意思。例：

**un-** in **uninformed, untie**

- (A) slope; lean    (B) not; reverse the action of    (C) lacking; not    (D) one

正确答案是 (B)。

这套练习旨在帮助读者掌握基本英语词源知识。这练习可以做多遍，直至全对为止，必要时要查词典或有关单词构词法（词源）的书。

### 2. GRE 常考词汇表（3 000 余词）

这个词汇表的特色在于对于（几乎）每一个单词都给出了它的不完全形式（由原单词空缺若干个中间的元音字母形成）作为测试式学习材料。

希望读者通过以下几个途径学习词汇表并达到初步熟悉程度：

①研究构词特征。据编者个人经验，大约有一半的“GRE 词汇”可以从词源学中得到助记信息；

②结合语音。对每个单词先读熟发音，然后在想象中填上缺字母单词的空缺。如有录音磁带，可采用下面的办法：先听单词的读音和词义解释，然后暂停录音机，尝试根据语音拼写出单词，弄不清就猜，然后再核对；

③扫视词汇表。对每个单词先想（猜）后核实其词义。对于已认识的单词做上记号，下一遍不再看它们，待每个单词都被做上“已认识”记号后，即可通过做本书后几部分的练习继续学习，以达到熟练掌握程度。

### 3. 词汇测试 (1) (3 000 余题)

要求读者辨认单词的英文词义解释。例：

- RAVENING:** (A) a mixture as of metals  
(B) rapacious; seeking prey

正确答案是 (B)。

由于选择项只有两个，故这是一套较容易的练习。其功效在于：将模糊印象清晰化，并训练对大写英文单词的反应，以适应 GRE 语文学考试中某些问题以大写英文出现的形式。另外，这套题目还可兼作一个随机次序词汇表，供快速扫视用。

### 4. 词汇测试 (2) (3 000 余题)

要求读者辨认适合于词义解释的单词。例：

- RAPACIOUS; SEEKING PREY:**

- (A) generic (B) uncouth (C) ravening (D) invidious

正确答案是 (C)。

这套练习的功效与前一套练习基本一样，而难度则有所增加。

### 5. 完句填空测试 (3 000 余题)

要求读者选择合适单词填入缺词的句子中去。例：

Let us \_\_\_\_\_ our differences rather than engage in a costly strike.

- (A) gainsay (B) betroth (C) wheedle (D) mediate (E) squander

正确答案是 (D)。

这套练习将词与句联系起来，旨在加深对词的理解和记忆，同时也训练阅读能力。为使训练的效果更佳，请尽量减少对句子的重复阅读。这里要声明的一点是：本书的填空题是词汇与阅读基本功训练材料，而不是 GRE 语文学分项中填空题的模拟题。

### 6. 反义词测试 (1 800 余题)

要求读者选择意思最接近相反的词。例：

- PERT:** (A) bashful (B) prone (C) migratory (D) aquiline (E) mean

正确答案是 (A)。

这套题目在形式和难度上均已接近真实考题。

最后，要说明一下以上题目标准答案的给出形式均为：

----- SKIP 4FOR-ANSWERS: ----- ABBB BADCBCDDDD -----  
  |                        |                        |  
  †                        |                        |

一个随机数，指示该跳过多少字母      前一节测试题顺序排列的标准答案

采用这种形式的目的是让在当面给出的标准答案有一定的隐蔽性，避免读者在无意间就看出而影响学习效果。同时，读者做完当面练习，不用翻找即可立刻自我检验，提高了效率。

本书共有习题 11 300 余个，按平均每两题花一分钟计算，做完全部习题需用时间约 94 个小时。

## 二、建议的 GRE 应试准备时间安排

**目标：**GRE General Test 总分 1 900~2 000。

**考生基础：**理工科本科生，基本词汇量 10 000，中等阅读能力。

**全部应试准备时间：**3~4 个月，每天 4~5 小时。

**时间分配：**

①先花 2~3 个月进行词汇准备，掌握“GRE 词汇”；

②考前一个月起每天按考试时间限制做半套全真题（语文、数学、分析各一节），对答案打分后再做刚刚没做完的题。然后弄清楚卷子中出现的所有问题。要勤查词典，要对易犯的错误引起警惕；

③考前 10 天左右起开始做最后一遍“GRE 词汇”复习；

④考前一星期隔天按考试时间限制做一套全真题。第二天复查并解决重点问题，也可以再做些题。

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由于编者水平所限，书中难免有不妥或错误之处，恳请大家多多指教。

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# ETYMOLOGY TEST

1. **contra-**, **contro-**, **counter-** in **contradict**, **cOUNTERCLOCKWISE**, **contraband**, **controvert** :  
(A) water (B) gold (C) against (D) shape
2. **a-** in **abed**, **ablaze**, **aboard** :  
(A) single; one (B) work; power (C) cut; kill (D) in; on; of; to
3. **circum-** in **circumnavigate**, **circumstance**, **circumference** :  
(A) end; limit (B) worthy (C) around (D) seek
4. **bene-**, **ben-** in **benefactor**, **benign**, **benevolent** :  
(A) break (B) act; state; of position of (C) flow (D) good; well
5. **ab-**, **abs-** in **abrade**, **absent**, **abnormal**, **absorb** :  
(A) work (B) sing; charm (C) word; study (D) from; away
6. **ambi-**, **amphi-** in **ambidextrous**, **amphibious** :  
(A) having to do with; like; suitable for (B) around; both  
(C) of; relating to; tending to (D) under; beneath
7. **a-** in **asymptomatic**, **apathy** :  
(A) around; both (B) animal (C) lacking; not (D) before; earlier
8. **ag-** in **aggregate** : (A) across (B) loosen (C) star (D) to; toward

----- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---ADDCCDCDDBCDCAAAC--- Total : 8

1. **de-** in **detract**, **degrade**, **debark**, **descend**, **decode** :  
(A) good; well (B) away from; down; opposite of (C) all (D) work
2. **di-** in **dichromatic**, **disyllable**, **diode** :  
(A) able; capable (B) birth; kind; race (C) thrust (D) twice; double
3. **con-**, **cor-** in **concentrate**, **confide**, **correspond** : (A)one (B)with; together (C)year (D)new
4. **auto-** in **automobile**, **autocrat**, **autograph** : (A)heal; cure (B)break (C)have; hold (D)self
5. **arch-** in **archetype**, **archeology**, **archaic** :  
(A) skill; state of being (B) follow (C) speak; pray (D) first
6. **anti-** in **antiwar**, **antiaircraft**, **antidote**, **antipathy** :  
(A) break (B) skill; state of being (C) blood (D) against
7. **ac-** in **accost**, **accord** : (A) to; toward (B) large; great (C) not (D) around
8. **an-** in **anaerobic** : (A) lacking; not (B) of; like; suitable for (C) wise; wisdom (D)cross

----- SKIP4FOR-ANSWERS : ---DDBDBDBDDDAADBBC--- Total : 16

1. **ana-** in **anabolism**, **anaphylaxis** :  
(A) swear (B) on; into; in (C) upward; up; again; anew (D) belief; faith
2. **ante-** in **antediluvian**, **antecedent**, **antewar**, **anteroom** :  
(A) plunge; dip (B) belief of; practice of (C) to; toward (D) earlier; front; before
3. **bi-** in **bilateral**, **bicycle**, **bilingual**, **binary** :  
(A) swear (B) up; again; anew; throughout (C) too little; under (D) two
4. **ad-** in **adjunct**, **adapt**, **admire** : (A) to; toward (B) call (C) speak; pray (D) sleep
5. **co-** in **cooperate**, **coexist** :  
(A) arm; weapon (B) from; out (C) with; together (D) hidden
6. **demi-** in **demitasse**, **demiofficial** :  
(A)within; inside (B)half (C)back; again (D)having the quality of; a place or thing for
7. **a-** in **avocation** : (A)from; away (B)a resulting thing; condition; or state (C)follow (D)fear
8. **com-** in **combine**, **combat** : (A)above; greater (B)warn (C)with; together (D)twice; double

----- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---ABBADDCCDABACBD--- Total : 24

1. ***mal-***, ***male-*** in **maladjust**, **malevolent** :  
 (A) eye (B) love (C) bad; wrong; poor (D) to; toward
  2. ***equi-*** in **equivalent**, **equinox**, **equitable**, **equivocal** :  
 (A) strength; worth (B) measure (C) equal (D) do; make
  3. ***non-*** in **nonentity**, **nonchalant**, **nonsense** :  
 (A) one (B) not (C) heat (D) one who does, makes or is concerned with
  4. ***omni-*** in **omnipresent**, **omnibus** : (A) take (B) all (C) shape (D) light
  5. ***in-, il-, ig-, ir-*** in **innocent**, **ignorant**, **illogical**, **irresponsible** :  
 (A) breathe (B) skill; state of being (C) fear (D) not
  6. ***dys-*** in **dyslexia**, **dysentery**, **dyspepsia** :  
 (A) speak; pray (B) write (C) bad; poor (D) sing; charm
  7. ***col-*** in **collapse** : (A) seek (B) with; together (C) small (D) flee
  8. ***peri-*** in **periscope**, **perimeter**, **peripatetic** :  
 (A) skill; state of being (B) sleep (C) act; state; of position of (D) around
  9. ***homo-*** in **homophonic**, **homogeneous**, **homosexual** :  
 (A) same; like (B) becoming (C) full of; having (D) earth
- SKIP5FOR-ANSWERS : ---CABCACCBDCBDABDD---Total : 33

1. ***dis-*** in **dislike**, **disable** :  
 (A) wheel; circle (B) poor (C) too much; over (D) not; away from
  2. ***geo-*** in **geography** :  
 (A) earth (B) one who does, makes or is concerned with (C)on; into; in (D)ask; seek
  3. ***extra-*** in **extraterrestrial**, **extraordinary**, **extracurricular** :  
 (A) equal (B) outside; beyond (C) to; toward (D) skill; state of being
  4. ***mis-*** in **misunderstand**, **mistake** : (A) laugh (B) badly; wrongly (C) feel; think (D) stick; sling
  5. ***di-*** in **digress**, **divert** : (A) sleep (B) seek (C) time; age (D) not; away from
  6. ***in-, im-*** in **impose**, **invade** : (A) on; into; in (B) sun (C) star (D) hold
  7. ***mis-, miso-*** in **misogyny**, **misanthrope** : (A) body (B) hatred (C) rule (D) from; away
  8. ***dia-*** in **diameter**, **dialogue**, **diameter** :  
 (A) join (B) across; through (C) not; away from (D) lead
  9. ***im-*** in **immovable** : (A) build (B) touch (C) not (D) foot
- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---CBCBBBDABBDABBCCD---Total : 42

1. ***hyper-*** in **hyperactive**, **hypercritical**, **hyperbole** :  
 (A) too much; over (B) head (C) in; on; of; to (D) custom
  2. ***post-*** in **postmortem**, **postpone**, **postgraduate** :  
 (A) full of; like; somewhat (B) foot (C) go (D) after
  3. ***ob-*** in **obstruct**, **obstacle** :  
 (A) speech (B) city (C) acting for; next in rank to (D) over; against;
  4. ***fore-*** in **forecast**, **foreleg** : (A) work (B) of; like (C) journey; go (D) front; previous
  5. ***hypo-*** in **hypothermia**, **hypodermic** :  
 (A) state; condition (B) too little; under (C) make (D) warn
  6. ***mono-*** in **monorail**, **monotonous**, **monopoly** : (A) twist (B) new (C) single; one (D) time
  7. ***inter-*** in **interplanetary**, **interfere**, **intermission** :  
 (A) go; yield (B) between; among (C) agitate (D) flee
  8. ***ex-, e-, ef-*** in **expatriate**, **emit**, **evade**, **exclude**, **effluent** :  
 (A) from; out (B) measure (C) cut (D) take
  9. ***intra-, intro-*** in **intrastate**, **introduce** : (A) god (B) year (C) pull; draw (D) within; inside
  10. ***neo-*** in **neolithic** :  
 (A) new (B) summon; impel (C) characterized by; having the quality of (D) cross
- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---CDBADDDBCADADDBBB---Total : 52

1. **-dom** in wisdom, freedom : (A) come (B) state; rank; that which belongs to (C) far (D) judge
  2. **super-** in superfluous, superficial, superprofit :  
(A) mind; life; spirit (B) empty (C) do; act; drive (D) above; greater
  3. **poly-** in polygonal, polytechnic : (A) go; yield (B) many (C) free (D) straight; rule
  4. **-escent** in obsolescent : (A) blame (B) make (C) becoming (D) two
  5. **-ence** in dependence : (A) empty (B) water (C) act; state; or quality of (D) rock; stone
  6. **tele-** in television, telegraph :  
(A) over; against; (B) a resulting thing; condition; or state (C) write (D) far
  7. **pan-** in panorama, panacea : (A) power; rule (B) in favor of (C) writing (D) all
  8. **-ate** in aggravate, nominate, fascinate :  
(A) not; away from (B) make; cause to (be) (C) mind (D) short
  9. **sub-, suf-, sus-** in subscribe, suspend, suffer :  
(A) under; beneath (B) blood (C) gold (D) sit; seat
  10. **re-** in rethink, reimburse, recall, refresh : (A) common (B) work (C) shout (D) back; again
- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---DABBACBDBCCDDBADBB---Total:62

1. **-ant, -ent** in defendant, inhabitant, student, president :  
(A) grow (B) join (C) grow (D) one who
  2. **-acious, -cious** in fallacious, audacious, spacious :  
(A) hand (B) characterized by; having the quality of (C) letter (D) leader
  3. **-en** in strengthen, fasten, shorten : (A) touch (B) make (C) around; both (D) slope; lean
  4. **-able, -ible**, in acceptable, movable, divisible :  
(A) before (B) middle (C) able; capable (D) full of; having
  5. **retro-** in retrospective, retrograde : (A) time (B) with; together (C) equal (D) backward
  6. **un-** in uninformed, unbend, unable, untie, unarmed :  
(A) slope; lean (B) not; reverse the action of (C) lacking; not (D) one
  7. **se-** in seclude, secession, secure, seduce : (A) empty (B) apart; away (C) thin (D) end
  8. **-ary, -ar** in military, polar :  
(A) head (B) mind; life; spirit (C) law; rule (D) having the nature of; concerning
  9. **pro-** in proceed, prowar, propel, profess, project :  
(A) dress (B) on; into; in (C) in favor of; forward; in front of (D) with; together
  10. **-acy, -cy** in presidency, ascendancy, accuracy :  
(A) not; away from (B) witness (C) act; state; of position of (D) laugh
- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---DBABADDDBCDBBDCCAA---Total:72

1. **-al** in theatrical, natural, legal, commercial :  
(A) of; like; suitable for (B) look (C) flower (D) away from; down; opposite of
  2. **vice-** in viceroy : (A) people (B) acting for; next in rank to (C) sleep (D) name
  3. **semi-** in semiconscious, semicircle :  
(A) love; friend (B) sign; mark (C) half (D) make; cause to (be)
  4. **trans-** in transport, transact, transfer :  
(A) run; course (B) across (C) back; again (D) full of; like; somewhat
  5. **Syn-, Sym-** in synthesis, sympathy, synchronize :  
(A) with; at the same time (B) becoming (C) foot (D) hundred
  6. **-age** in mileage, baggage : (A) light (B) sum; total (C) know (D) mind
  7. **-er, -or** in doer, conductor : (A) grow (B) law (C) flee (D) one who; that which
  8. **-ance, -ancy** in disturbance, acceptance, brilliance :  
(A) apart; away (B) feel; suffer (C) act or state of (D) know
  9. **pre-** in prejudice, precaution :  
(A) before; earlier (B) outside; beyond (C) perceive; make certain; decide (D) work
- SKIP4FOR-ANSWERS : ---DABDABCABDCACBDC---Total:81

1. **agr** in **agronomy, agriculture** : (A) field (B) equal (C) death (D) sound
  2. **-logy** in **geology, pathology, psychology** :  
(A) trust; believe (B) speech; study of (C) hidden (D) carry; bear
  3. **-ward** in **homeward** : (A) build (B) letter (C) in the direction of (D) hang
  4. **agog** in **pedagogue, demagogic** : (A) end; limit (B) talk; speech (C) place (D) leader
  5. **-y** in **wily, windy, guilty, sleepy** :  
(A) touch (B) lacking; not (C) full of; like; somewhat (D) not
  6. **acu** in **acute, acumen** : (A) against (B) sharp; keen (C) place (D) god
  7. **-ity, -ty, -y** in **amity, jealousy, plenty, superiority** :  
(A) pleasing; agreeable (B) character or state of being (C) not; away from (D) hang
  8. **-ive** in **destructive, attractive, decisive** :  
(A) to; toward (B) of; relating to; tending to (C) life (D) lead
  9. **-ist** in **scientist, typist, artist** :  
(A) one who does, makes or is concerned with (B) bend (C) go (D) sing; charm
  10. **-ic, -ac** in **demonic, maniac** : (A) shout (B) witness (C) of; like (D) judge
- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---CDBBACABCDCCBBACDB---Total : 91

1. **-il, -ile** in **civil, tactile** :  
(A) other; change (B) having to do with; like; suitable for (C) from; out (D) empty
  2. **-ship** in **horsemanship, ownership, hardship** :  
(A) skill; state of being (B) born (C) child (D) after
  3. **-ness** in **kindness, coldness** :  
(A) many (B) hidden (C) away from; down; opposite of (D) act or quality
  4. **-ous, -ose** in **glamorous, globose, dangerous** :  
(A) head (B) work (C) apart; away (D) full of; having
  5. **-tude** in **rectitude, multitude** : (A) feel; think (B) shape (C) tooth (D) state or quality of
  6. **-fy** in **pacify, satisfy** : (A) bitter (B) hard; lasting (C) eye (D) make
  7. **-ment** in **abandonment, excitement** : (A) water (B) book (C) act or state of (D) cut
  8. **-ism** in **racism** : (A) send (B) other (C) belief of; practice of (D) with; together
  9. **-hood** in **adulthood** : (A) know (B) make; cause to (be) (C) state; condition (D) high
  10. **acr** in **acrid, acrimony** : (A) make; cause to (be) (B) bitter (C) skin (D) end; limit
- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---BBBBADDCCCBBBAC---Total : 101

1. **-ious** in **anxious** : (A) star (B) blood (C) having; characterized by (D) all
  2. **-ory** in **compensatory, lavatory** :  
(A) arm; weapon (B) state; rank; that which belongs to (C) act or state of  
(D) having the quality of; a place or thing for
  3. **-logue, -loquy** in **monologue, colloquy** : (A) speech (B) make; become (C) mind (D) love
  4. **ali** in **alias, alienate, inalienable** :  
(A) in the direction of (B) other (C) hatred (D) wise; wisdom
  5. **-ish** in **foolish, yellowish** :  
(A) like; somewhat (B) not; reverse the action of (C) ship; sail (D) act or state of
  6. **act, ag** in **action, react, agitate** :  
(A) flee (B) do; act; drive (C) arrange; arrangement (D) speech
  7. **-ize** in **criticize, organize, sympathize** : (A) name (B) make; become (C) against (D) rule
  8. **-some** in **frolicsome** : (A) full of; like (B) pull; draw (C) sleep (D) flock; crowd
  9. **-ion** in **operation, action** : (A) mind (B) act or condition of (C) war (D) time; age
  10. **-mony** in **patrimony, ceremony, hegemony** :  
(A) across (B) from; away (C) acting for; next in rank to  
(D) a resulting thing; condition; or state
- SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---BBAABDCDABABBABDCC---Total : 111

- cand* in **candid**, **candle**, **incandescent** :  
 (A) white; shining (B) apart; away (C) assign; pay (D) shade
  - arm* in **army**, **armature**, **disarm** : (A) too much; over (B) many (C) bind (D) arm; weapon
  - art* in **artisan**, **artifact**, **articulate** :  
 (A) skill; a fitting together (B) all (C) full of; like; somewhat (D) citizen
  - cap*, *capt*, *cept*, *cip* in **capable**, **captive**, **accept** **incipient** :  
 (A) do; act; drive (B) take; seize; hold (C) many (D) hang
  - bio* in **biosphere**, **amphibious** : (A) bitter (B) pleasing; agreeable (C) life (D) build
  - cern*, *cert* in **concern**, **certificate**, **certain** :  
 (A) against (B) perceive; make certain; decide (C) step; go (D) of; relating to; tending to
  - alter*, *altr* in **alternative**, **altercation**, **altruism** :  
 (A) other; change (B) name (C) know (D) foot
  - aud*, *audit*, *aur* in **auditorium**, **audition**, **auricle** :  
 (A) hear (B) one who; that which (C) ask (D) writing
  - apt*, *ept* in **apt**, **adapt**, **ineptitude** : (A) like; somewhat (B) lacking; not (C) place (D) fit
  - bell* in **antebellum**, **belligerent** : (A) play (B) straight; rule (C) war (D) pour; join
- SKIP4FOR-ANSWERS : ---DCDCADABCBAADCDBBB---Total:121

- cad*, *cas*, *cid* in **cadence**, **casualty**, **occasion**, **accident** :  
 (A) fall (B) drive; push (C) force; power (D) of; relating to; tending to
  - anim* in **animism**, **animate**, **animosity** :  
 (A) alone (B) up; again; anew; throughout (C) mind; life; spirit (D) belief; faith
  - am*, *amic* in **amorous**, **amicable** : (A) shape (B) love; friend (C) first (D) work; power
  - carn* in **carnal**, **incarnate** : (A) make (B) new (C) bend (D) flesh
  - aqu* in **aquatic**, **aquamarine** : (A) send (B) water (C) acting for; next in rank to (D) twist
  - capit* in **capital**, **decapitate**, **recapitulate** : (A) shape (B) head (C) not (D) field
  - arbit* in **arbiter**, **arbitrary** : (A) judge (B) on; into; in (C) sit; seat (D) with; together
  - aster*, *astr* in **asteroid**, **disaster**, **astral** : (A) turn (B) to; toward (C) good; well (D) star
  - alt* in **altitude**, **contralto** : (A) before; earlier (B) hidden (C) summon; impel (D) high
  - brev* in **brevity**, **abbreviation** : (A) half (B) belief of; practice of (C) short (D) light
- SKIP4FOR ANSWERS : ---DACPACBDBBADDCCCD---Total:131

- cent* in **percentage**, **centimeter** : (A) sleep (B) force; power (C) thin (D) hundred
  - bibli* in **bibliography**, **bibliophile** :  
 (A) book (B) one who does, makes or is concerned with (C) twice; double (D) place; put
  - cide*, *cis* in **genocide**, **incision** :  
 (A) belief; faith (B) build (C) fall (D) cut; kill
  - aur* in **aureate**, **aureomycin** : (A) gold (B) judge (C) lacking; not (D) across
  - arch* in **anarchy**, **matriarch** : (A) speech; study of (B) chief (C) book (D) time; age
  - cede*, *ceed*, *cess* in **secede**, **exceed**, **process**, **intercession** :  
 (A) go; yield (B) come (C) marry (D) same; equal
  - cant*, *chant* in **cantor**, **recant**, **enchant** :  
 (A) act or condition of (B) lacking; not (C) sing; charm (D) take; seize; hold
  - chron* in **chronometer**, **anachronism** :  
 (A) word; study (B) time (C) place; put (D) one who; that which
  - annu*, *enni* in **annual**, **superannuated**, **biennial** :  
 (A) year (B) state; rank; that which belongs to (C) time (D) first
  - anthrop* in **anthropoid**, **misanthropy** : (A) man (B) play (C) swear (D) make
  - chrom* in **monochrome**, **chromatic** : (A) rock; stone (B) break (C) color (D) speak; pray
- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---BBCDADABACBAACBDCDD---Total:142

1. *dem* in **demographic, demagogue** : (A) between; among (B) people (C) water (D) know
  2. *duc, duct* in **educate, abduct, ductile** :  
(A) characterized by; having the quality of (B) call (C) lead (D) speech
  3. *di, dia* in **diary, quotidian** : (A) god (B) first (C) day (D) first
  4. *cur, curr, curs* in **occur, current, incursion** :  
(A) skill; state of being (B) run; course (C) shape (D) speech
  5. *corp* in **incorporate, corpse** : (A) body (B) single; one (C) laugh (D) cross
  6. *doc, doct* in **indoctrinate, docile, doctor** :  
(A) act; state; or quality of (B) lacking; not (C) to; toward (D) teach; prove
  7. *clar* in **clarity, clarion, declare** :  
(A) mind; life; spirit (B) clear (C) pull; draw (D) speak; pray
  8. *clud, clus, clos* in **seclude, recluse, closet** :  
(A) clear (B) not (C) close; shut (D) summon; impel
  9. *cycl* in **bicycle, cyclone** : (A) custom (B) law; rule (C) wheel; circle (D) feel; suffer
  10. *crac, crat* in **democrat, theocracy** :  
(A) between; among (B) roll; turn (C) power; rule (D) slope; lean
  11. *clin* in **inclination, recline** : (A) word (B) full of; like; somewhat (C) sleep (D) slope; lean
- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---DCABCCBADBCCCDACDDC---Total : 153

1. *du* in **duo, duplicity, dual** : (A) arrange; arrangement (B) new (C) in the direction of (D) two
  2. *culp* in **culprit, culpability** : (A) blame (B) ten (C) warn (D) drive; push
  3. *dur* in **endure, obdurate, duration** : (A) come (B) hard; lasting (C) large; great (D) writing
  4. *ego* in **egomania, egotist** : (A) back; again (B) I (C) star (D) not; reverse the action of
  5. *col, cul* in **colony, cultivate, agriculture** : (A) press (B) till (C) true (D) not
  6. *crux, cruc* in **crux, crucial, crucifix** : (A) cross (B) shout (C) between; among (D) go; yield
  7. *cre, cresc, cret* in **increase, crescent, accretion** :  
(A) stretch (B) act or state of (C) not (D) grow
  8. *cura* in **curator, accurate** : (A) arm; weapon (B) sea (C) care (D) swear
  9. *dign* in **dignified, dignitary** : (A) straight; correct (B) hard; lasting (C) first (D) worthy
  10. *dec* in **decade, decimal** : (A) warn (B) custom (C) after (D) ten
  11. *cosm* in **cosmetic, cosmos, cosmopolitan** :  
(A) join (B) order; world (C) feel; suffer (D) having the quality of; a place or thing for
- SKIP5FOR-ANSWERS : ---BABCDDBBBADCDDBCCC---Total : 164

1. *dent* in **dental, indentation** : (A) across; through (B) breathe (C) fire (D) tooth
  2. *cogn* in **recognize, incognito** :  
(A) know (B) able; capable (C) fall (D) in favor of; forward; in front of
  3. *domin* in **predominate, domineer, dominion** : (A) life (B) rule (C) on; into; in (D) small
  4. *dic, dict* in **indicative, edict, dictate** :  
(A) white; shining (B) say; speak (C) head (D) before
  5. *clam, claim* in **clamorous, proclaim, claimant** : (A) belief; faith (B) shout (C) earth (D) play
  6. *crypt* in **cryptic, cryptography** :  
(A) full of; like; somewhat (B) acting for; next in rank to (C) press (D) hidden
  7. *dorm* in **dormitory, dormant** : (A) sleep (B) before (C) know (D) write
  8. *civ* in **uncivil, civilization** : (A) citizen (B) run; course (C) dress (D) rock; stone
  9. *cit* in **cite, excite, incitement** : (A) tooth (B) summon; impel (C) thrust (D) field
  10. *cred* in **credit, incredible** : (A) back; again (B) high (C) trust; believe (D) take; seize; hold
  11. *dyn* in **dynamo, dynamite** : (A) self (B) force; power (C) heal; cure (D) state or quality of
  12. *derm* in **dermatitis, pachyderm** : (A) till (B) between; among (C) skin (D) light
- SKIP3FOR-ANSWERS : ---BDBDABBBDABCBCBBAC---Total : 176

1. *habit, hibit* in *habitation, inhibit, habitual* :  
 (A) have; hold (B) in the direction of (C) common (D) dead; die
2. *flu, fluct, flux* in *fluid, fluctuation, influx* : (A) agitate (B) boil (C) flow (D) first
3. *fort* in *effort, fortitude* : (A) work (B) fire (C) strong (D) act; state; of position of
4. *ferv* in *fervid, effervesce* : (A) look (B) boil (C) speak; pray (D) act; state; of position of
5. *heli* in *helium, heliocentric, aphelion* :  
 (A) sun (B) pour; join (C) have; hold (D) of; relating to; tending to
6. *flor* in *florescent, floral* : (A) swear (B) flower (C) speech (D) born
7. *ev* in *coeval, longevity* : (A) mother (B) sharp; keen (C) time; age (D) year
8. *fer* in *prefer, refer, conifer, fertility* :  
 (A) ask (B) bear; carry (C) like; somewhat (D) common
9. *erg, urg* in *energetic, metallurgy, demilurge* : (A) hand (B) cut (C) strong (D) work; power
10. *frag, fract* in *fragility, infraction* : (A) fall (B) earth (C) break (D) step; go
11. *grat* in *congratulate, gratuitous* :  
 (A) half (B) land; earth (C) pleasing; agreeable (D) one who; that which

-----SKIP6FOR-ANSWERS : ---DBDBBDACCBABCBDCCB---Total: 187

1. *her, hes* in *abherent, cohesive* : (A) stick; sling (B) speech; study of (C) move (D) bearing
2. *equ* in *equation, equitable* : (A) equal (B) against (C) across (D) from; away
3. *gest* in *gestation, ingest, digest* : (A) flower (B) carry; bear (C) not; away from (D) all
4. *graph* in *telegraph, graphics* : (A) sharp; keen (B) seek (C) writing (D) half
5. *fid* in *infidelity, confidant, perfidious* : (A) flower (B) of; like (C) laugh (D) belief; faith
6. *ge, geo* in *geology, geode, perigee* : (A) earth (B) blame (C) half (D) father
7. *gam* in *exogamy, polygamous* : (A) hundred (B) marry (C) from; out (D) blame
8. *fus* in *infuse, transfusion* : (A) animal (B) end (C) flow (D) pour; join
9. *flect, flex* in *reflex, inflection* :  
 (A) alone (B) having the quality of; a place or thing for (C) to; toward (D) bend
10. *gram* in *grammar, crytogram* : (A) writing (B) half (C) cut; kill (D) lacking; not
11. *grad, gress* in *progress, gradation* : (A) around; both (B) equal (C) step; go (D) till

-----SKIP5FOR-ANSWERS : ---ACACBAABCDABDDACBAC---Total: 198

1. *gen* in *engender, general, generation, gender* :  
 (A) birth; kind; race (B) step; go (C) carry; bear (D) strength; worth
2. *fin* in *finite, confine* : (A) first (B) end; limit (C) care (D) outside; beyond
3. *firm* in *reaffirm, infirmity* : (A) strong (B) from; away (C) marry (D) new
4. *form* in *formative, reform, formation* :  
 (A) speech; study of (B) bind (C) straight; rule (D) shape
5. *err* in *error, errant* : (A) blame (B) over; against; (C) in the direction of (D) wander
6. *greg* in *gregarious, segregate* :  
 (A) ship; sail (B) flock; crowd (C) strength; worth (D) wheel; circle
7. *gon* in *hexagonal, trigonometry* :  
 (A) cut (B) place; put (C) angle (D) of; relating to; tending to
8. *hem* in *hemoglobin, hemorrhage* :  
 (A) before; earlier (B) act or quality (C) blood (D) character or state of being
9. *fug* in *refuge, fugitive* : (A) swear (B) sing; charm (C) watch; view (D) flee
10. *fac, fact, fect, fic* in *facility, factual, perfect, artifice* :  
 (A) cut (B) in; on; of; to (C) bearing (D) do; make
11. *grav* in *gravamen, gravity* :  
 (A) talk; speech (B) weight; heavy (C) act or condition of (D) loosen

-----SKIP4FOR-ANSWERS : ---AAABABADDCCDDBDABC---Total: 209

1. *loqu*, *locut* in **colloquial**, **loquacious**, **interlocutor** :  
 (A) small (B) talk; speech (C) marry (D) other
2. *merg*, *mers* in **emerge**, **submersion** : (A) plunge; dip (B) city (C) one (D) twice; double
3. *jur* in **perjure**, **jurisprudence** : (A) other (B) strength; worth (C) swear (D) take
4. *mar* in **maritime**, **submarine** :  
 (A) too little; under (B) within; inside (C) around; both (D) sea
5. *mater*, *matr* in **matrilocal**, **maternal** : (A) half (B) mother (C) sit; seat (D) good; well
6. *labor* in **laborious**, **belabor** : (A) body (B) swear (C) summon; impel (D) work
7. *iatr* in **pediatrics**, **psychiatry** : (A) sea (B) against (C) first (D) heal; cure
8. *jud* in **judicial**, **adjudicate** : (A) watch; view (B) judge (C) agitate (D) follow
9. *it* in **itinerary**, **exit** :  
 (A) empty (B) journey; go (C) carry; bear (D) having the quality of; a place or thing for
10. *tuc*, *tum* in **translucent**, **pellucid**, **illumine**, **luminous** :  
 (A) thin (B) birth; kind; race (C) light (D) break

-----SKIP5FOR-ANSWERS : ---BABACBACDBDDBBCDDD---Total : 219

1. *leg* in **legal**, **illegitimate** : (A) law (B) short (C) thin (D) one
2. *ject* in **reject**, **subjective**, **projection** :  
 (A) in front of; previous (B) half (C) of; like (D) throw
3. *mega* in **megaphone**, **megacycle** : (A) large; million (B) cut; kill (C) call (D) full of; having
4. *man*, *manu* in **manifest**, **manicure**, **manuscript** :  
 (A) people (B) belief of; practice of (C) hand (D) two
5. *lev* in **levity**, **alleviate** : (A) end (B) away from; down; opposite of (C) place (D) light; rise
6. *loc* in **locale**, **locus**, **allocate** : (A) place (B) skill; a fitting together (C) run; course (D) not
7. *iso* in **isotope**, **isometric** : (A) laugh (B) same; equal (C) skill; art (D) act or quality
8. *leg*, *lig*, *lect* in **illegible**, **eligible**, **select**, **lecture** :  
 (A) journey; go (B) act; state; of position of (C) word; study (D) choose; gather; read
9. *magn* in **magnificent**, **magnitude** : (A) with; together (B) go; yield (C) far (D) large; great
10. *hydr* in **dehydration**, **hydrofoil** : (A) force; power (B) water (C) birth; kind; race (D) know

-----SKIP4FOR-ANSWERS : ---ADDCADACDABDDBADCC---Total : 229

1. *log* in **logic**, **biology**, **dialogue** : (A) common (B) color (C) word; study (D) within; inside
2. *liber* in **liberal**, **libertine** : (A) love; friend (B) free (C) speech (D) becoming
3. *mal* in **malodorous**, **malingering** : (A) large; great (B) war (C) bad; ill (D) mind
4. *medi* in **intermediary**, **medieval** : (A) color (B) book (C) middle (D) shape
5. *jug*, *junct* in **conjugal**, **juncture**, **conjunction** :  
 (A) join (B) talk; speech (C) skill; a fitting together (D) bad; poor
6. *tud*, *tus* in **allusion**, **ludicrous**, **interlude** :  
 (A) badly; wrongly (B) play (C) on; into; in (D) too little; under
7. *ment* in **demented**, **mental** :  
 (A) mind (B) on; into; in (C) arrange; arrangement (D) land; earth
8. *micr* in **microfilm**, **micron** : (A) small (B) empty (C) arrange; arrangement (D) arm; weapon
9. *lith* in **eolithic**, **lithograph** :  
 (A) rock; stone (B) middle (C) state; rank; that which belongs to  
 (D) acting for; next in rank to
10. *liter* in **literate**, **alliterative** :  
 (A) field (B) having to do with; like; suitable for (C) letter (D) rule
11. *meter*, *metr*, *mens* in **chronometer**, **metronome**, **geometry**, **commensurate** :  
 (A) under; beneath (B) measure (C) know (D) large; great

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