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## 《大学英语新台阶丛书》序

1985年国家教委颁布了《大学英语教学大纲》，使我国的大学英语教学进入了一个新阶段。1987年又公布了《大学英语四级考试大纲》及样题，从此全国每年举行两次大学英语四级考试。这两个大纲的颁布和实施对提高我国大学英语的整体水平起了有目共睹的促进作用。但随着形势的发展、改革的深入，大学英语的教学与考试和其他事物一样，需要不断地改进和进一步地完善。

近年来，国家教委连续召开了有关会议，并颁发了相应的文件，对近十年来我国的大学英语教学改革工作所取得的显著成绩予以充分的肯定。同时也指出，应当总结经验，对现行的教材及考试作一些必要的修改和调整，以推动我国的大学英语教学上一个新台阶。

浙江科学技术出版社及时组织了十几所院校的资深教师，汇集各校英语教学之所长，撷取各人数十年教学之经验，精心编写了本丛书，包括听力、阅读、语法、写作与翻译、词汇等分册。各分册均有深入浅出的理论性指导，旨在有助于全面提高学生的基本素质；有关分册还配有符合大学英语四级考试新题型要求的练习测试题，以加强学生实际运用语言的能力，尽快适应各种新题型的变化。总之，本丛书力求反映出十年来我国大学英语教学改革所取得的成果以及锐意改革的精神风貌。

尽管这是新的尝试，但我们衷心地希望，这套丛书能成为一颗颗晶莹透亮的小石子，铺在我国大学英语的新台阶上。

丛书编委会  
1995年夏

# 前 言

《新编大学英语词汇详解》(1—4级)是以国家教委批准,从1994年9月起开始执行的《大学英语教学大纲通用词汇表》(1—4级)为依据编写的。本书包括了《大学英语教学大纲通用词汇表》所列出的全部1—4级范围的4 000个单词及723条短语。这些词汇及短语是从1—4级教学和大学英语四级考试命题为依据。

众所周知,理解、记忆、掌握、运用词汇是学好英语的关键,是提高听、说、读、写、译能力的基础。大学生在基础英语学习阶段掌握这4 000词汇及短语对于顺利通过大学英语四级考试及进一步提高英语水平尤为重要。为帮助读者系统、有效、准确地掌握并运用这些词汇和短语,我们特编写此书,以期成为大学生及英语爱好者的良师益友。

本书的主要特点:

## 1. 词义例证通俗、易懂、准确

本书的词义例证通俗易懂,释义准确。书中的例证有句子或词组,所涉及的词汇基本上属于四级范围,以提高词汇的复现率,加深印象。

## 2. 同义词条目恰当、易记,有助于构成同义联想,记忆词汇

本书在许多词条下设有 *Syn.* (Synonym 即同义词) 条目,该条目中所有与词条同义、近义的词凡属四级范围的均已收入,其释义与《大学英语教学大纲通用词汇表》完全一致。编写 *Syn.* 的主要目的在于使读者在记忆词汇时能进行同义联想,以便达到事半功倍的学习效果。以形容词 *chief* (主要的) 为例,将其同义词或近义词 *main, major, capital, key, prime, primary, central, principal, grand* 等列出,使读者在记忆 *chief* 这个词时,就会联想到其余9个与其同义或近义的词。此外,给读者提供同义词或近义词,可有效地提高书面表达能力。

## 3. 例证体现习惯用法和固定搭配,帮助读者提高遣词造句的能力

本书所提供的大量例证其主要目的在于展示词汇及短语的习惯用法以及词汇之间的搭配关系,特别对最常用的动词、名词、形容词列举了各种不同的用法,以指导读者模仿使用,为写作打下坚实基础。

此外,为方便读者查考,我们在正文后编写了两个附录:附录一“大学英语1—4级短语汇总表”,附录二“大学英语1—4级不规则动词表”。

本书由吴燮元、方飞雷两位副教授担任主编，参加编写的（按编写本书词条先后为序）有：浙江大学汤德纲副教授（从 a/an 至 consequence），浙江丝绸工学院方飞雷副教授（从 consequently 至 frame）、商正硕士（从 framework 至 magnetic），浙江工业大学贝聿建副教授（从 magnificent 至 pull）、吴燮元副教授（从 pulse 至 stretch）、黄会健硕士（从 strict 至 zoo）。

本书是各类高等院校非英语专业大学生四级统考的必备用书，是大学英语教师的教学参考书，也可供广大英语爱好者学习参考。

由于时间仓促，编者水平有限，疏漏之处在所难免，敬请读者批评指正。

编者

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## 体 例 说 明

1. 凡正文词条左上角标有\*的词汇均属中学阶段学过的词汇。
2. 凡词条下面有 **Syn.** 缩写词表示同义词 (Synonym)。
3. 单词的词性一律用英语缩写形式注明:

<b>v.</b>	动词 (兼指及物和不及物动词)
<b>vt.</b>	及物动词
<b>vi.</b>	不及物动词
<b>aux. v.</b>	助动词
<b>n.</b>	名词
<b>a.</b>	形容词
<b>ad.</b>	副词
<b>num.</b>	数词
<b>pron.</b>	代词
<b>art.</b>	冠词
<b>prep.</b>	介词
<b>conj.</b>	连词
<b>int.</b>	感叹词

标有 **v.** 的词义例证, 一般先说明及物的用法, 再说明不及物的用法。

4. (/) 的用法:

本书中的 (/) 除用于音标前后 (如: about/ə'baut/) 外, 其余均表示前后两部分是任选关系。如下几种情况:

- 1) **v. /n.**: 表示该词既可作动词, 也可作名词。
- 2) **spring/sprɪŋ/** (sprang/sprung, sprung): 表示动词 spring 的过去式可以是 sprang 或 sprung。
- 3) **emphasize/-ise**: 表示该词的拼写可以是 emphasize 或 emphasise。
- 4) **as/so long as**: 表示该短语可写作 as long as 或 so long as。
- 5) **domestic/home trade** (国内贸易): 表示该词组中用 domestic 或 home 均可。

5. ( ) 用于:

- 1) 对词组例证的补充说明, 如:

rent a suit (a colour TV) 租一套衣服 (一架彩色电视机)。

- 2) 表示可以省略的部分, 如:

labo(u)r 即该词中的字母 u 可省略。

I wish you wouldn't spend so much time (in) watching television. 句中介词 in 可省略。

- 3) 表示动词, 形容词, 名词等常用的搭配关系, 如:

**persist vi** 1. (in) 坚持不懈, 执意

**dependent** *a.* (on, upon) 依靠的, 依赖的

**preference** *n.* (for, to) 更加的喜爱, 偏爱, 优先 (权)

4) 音标后, 表示不规则动词的过去式、过去分词或不规则名词的复数, 如:

**grow**/grəu/ (grew, grown)

**analysis**/ə'næləsis/ (*pl.* analyses)

5) 某些名词词义项中的 (*pl.*) 及 (常 *pl.*) 表示该名词在使用时以复数或通常以复数形式出现, 如:

**short** *n.* (*pl.*) 短裤

**particular** *n.* (常 *pl.*) 详细, 细目

6. 正文中的短语用黑斜体表示。



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# A

\* **a/an** /ei, ə/æn, ən, n/

**art.** 1. 一 (个)

There is a pen on the desk.

a university 一所大学

a house 一幢房子

an umbrella 一把伞

an hour 一小时

2. (同类事物中的任何一个)

A car has four wheels.

A square has four sides.

3. 每一个

He works eight hours a day.

twice an hour 每小时两次

three at a time 每次 3 个

four dollars a pound 每磅 4 元

**abandon** /ə'bændən/

**Syn.** desert 离弃, 抛弃; quit 放弃; resign 放弃, 辞去; discard 丢弃, 抛弃; yield, surrender 放弃

**vt.** 1. 丢弃, 离弃

The vehicle was found abandoned near the village.

The cruel man abandoned his wife and children.

2. 放弃

The scientist abandoned his research for lack of funds.

He abandoned all hope.

**ability** /ə'biliti/

**Syn.** capacity, power 能力; talent, gift 才能; skill 技能

**n.** 1. 能力

I do not doubt your ability to do the work.

Human beings have the ability to speak.

His organization ability is very great.

2. 能耐

From each according to his abilities,

to each according to his work.

a person of great ability 本领高强的人

natural ability 天才

\* **able** /'eibl/

**Syn.** capable 有能力的; efficient 有能力的; competent 有能力的, 胜任的; talented 有才能的; skilled 有技能的

**n.** 1. 有能力的

He is an able student.

She is the ablest woman I know.

2. 出色的

He made a very able speech.

**be able to v.** 能, 会

Will you be able to come tomorrow?

The boy is able to swim.

**aboard** /ə'bɔ:d/

**ad. / prep.** 在船 (或飞机、车) 上, 上船 (或飞机、车)

The captain is aboard.

All aboard for Shanghai!

It's time to go aboard.

aboard a plane 在飞机上

Go aboard the ship!

\* **about** /ə'baut/

**Syn.** concerning, over, on 关于; around 在 ... 四周; some, approximately, around, roughly 大约; around, round 周围; nearby 在附近; everywhere 到处

**prep.** 1. 关于, 对于

What is the speech about?

He is reading a book about electricity.

He knows nothing about music.

be angry (glad, worried) about sth. 对某事物表示愤怒 (高兴、忧虑)

2. 在 ... 周围

The tree threw happy shadows all

about us.

**ad.** 1. 大约

There are about thirty students in the classroom.

The work is about finished.

2. 周围, 附近, 到处

Nobody seemed about, so I went in.

He must be somewhere about.

Don't leave rubbish about.

**be about to v.** 刚要, 即将

He was about to go to bed when the door bell rang.

She is about to speak.

**\* above** /ə'baʊ/

**prep.** 在...之上, 高于

They lived in a flat above the shop.

Birds fly above the earth.

When the temperature is above 0°C, ice will be changed into water.

**ad.** 在上面, 以上

His room is just above.

I have mentioned it above.

**a.** 上面的, 上述的

for the above reason 根据上述的理由  
the above sentence 上面的句子

**abroad** /ə'brɔ:d/

**Syn.** oversea(s) 在(或向)国外, 在(或向)海外

**ad.** 1. 国外, 海外

My son is studying abroad.

His brother is living abroad.

2. 传开

The news is abroad that our team won the match.

The happy news soon spread/got abroad.

**absence** /'æbsəns/

**Syn.** lack 缺乏, 没有; shortage 缺乏, 短缺; want 缺少, 缺乏

**n.** 1. 缺席, 不在

I don't notice his absence.

I'll take your place in your absence.

absence from work (school) 缺勤 (课)

2. 缺乏, 不存在

Dark is the absence of light.

the absence of sunlight 阳光不足

absence of interest 没意思

**absent** /'æbsənt/

**a.** 1. 缺席, 不在

Some students are absent today.

Snow is absent in some countries.

Let's drink a toast to absent friends.

2. 心不在焉的

He looked at me in an absent way and did not hear what I was saying.

**absolute** /'æbsəlu:t/

**Syn.** complete, pure, perfect, thorough, full, utter 完全的; total, entire 全部的; whole 完整的

**a.** 绝对的, 完全的

absolute ownership 绝对占有权

There is no absolute truth in the world.

Are you telling me the absolute truth?

**absolutely** /'æbsəljutli/

**Syn.** wholly 完全, 全部; really 确实; definitely 肯定地; certainly 必定

**ad.** 1. 完全地, 极其

He knew absolutely nothing.

His calculation is absolutely wrong.

2. 肯定地, 绝对地

It is absolutely the best show in town.

Iron is absolutely necessary.

**absorb** /əb'sɔ:b/

**Syn.** attract 引起...的注意; draw 引起, 吸引

**vt.** 1. 吸收

Plants absorb energy from the sun.

The clever boy absorbed all the knowledge that his teacher could give him.

2. 吸引...的注意, 使全神贯注

His business absorbed him.

I was absorbed in a book and didn't hear you call.

His whole soul is absorbed in saving his country.

**abstract** /'æbstrækt/

**Syn.** summary 摘要; digest 文摘; outline

概要; sketch 梗概, 大意

**a.** 抽象的

A flower is beautiful but beauty itself is abstract.

Your explanation is too abstract for me.

**n.** 摘要, 梗概

Please make/write an abstract of this scientific article.

Can you tell me about the abstract of this story.

**abundant** /ə'bʌndənt/

**Syn.** substantial 大量的; numerous 许多的; considerable 相当大(或多)的; plentiful 充足的, 丰富的; adequate, enough 充足的; rich 丰富的

**a.** 大量的, 充足的, 丰富的

Abundant rain fell last month.

She was a pretty girl with large dark eyes and abundant black hair.

Our country has abundant supplies of oil.

an abundant harvest 大丰收

**abuse**

**Syn.** insult 辱骂; scold 责骂

/ə'bjʊ:s/

**n.** 1. 辱骂

shower sb. with abuse 破口大骂某人

2. 虐待

The abuse of the helpless prisoner made him bitter.

3. 滥用

alcohol abuse 酗酒

the abuse of the veto right 对否决权的滥用

/ə'bjʊ:z/

**vt.** 1. 辱骂

Please don't abuse your friends.

2. 虐待

Stop abusing that dog.

3. 滥用

A good worker doesn't abuse his tools.

abuse one's authority (office) 滥用权力(职权)

**academic** /ˌækə'demik/

**a.** 1. 学院的

an academic year 学年

2. 学术的

an academic degree 学位

academic discussion 学术讨论

**accelerate** /æk'seləreit/

**Syn.** hurry 使加快

**v.** (使)加快, (使)加速

Worry accelerated his death.

The driver accelerated to pass the other car.

**accent** /'æksənt/

**Syn.** tone 腔调; stress 重音

**n.** 1. 口音, 腔调

He speaks English with a French accent.

He had some sort of an English accent.

2. 重音, 重音符号

In this word the accent is on the first syllable.

We need to mark this syllable with a written accent.

**\*accept** /ək'sept/

**Syn.** take 接受

**v.** 1. 接受, 领受

He was very glad to accept my gift.

I accept your offer.

2. 认可

Do you accept what he is saying?

People accept him as genius.

**acceptance** /ək'septəns/

**Syn.** admission, recognition 承认

**n.** 接受, 接纳

It took years for Einstein's theory to gain acceptance.

The reform found general acceptance.

My friend was thrilled by his acceptance into the club.

2. 承认

the acceptance of a theory by sb. 某人对一种理论的承认。

**access** /'ækses/

**Syn.** approach 接近; entrance 入口; entry 入口处, 通道; pass, passage 通道

**n.** 1. (to) 接近(或进入)的机会, 享用机

会

The spy gained access to the secret files.

All students have free access to the library.

Students must have access to good books.

2. 通道, 入口

There is no access to the street through that door.

This only access to the farm was a dirty road.

There is no access to the house from the main road.

\* **accident** /'æksɪdɪnt/

*n.* 1. 意外的事, 偶然的事

I'm sorry I broke the cup; it was an accident.

Their meeting was an accident.

2. 事故

There have been many railway accidents.

She was hurt in an automobile accident.

*by accident* 偶然

The boy cut his finger by accident.

Columbus discovered America by accident.

**accidental** /,æksɪ'dentl/

*Syn.* causal 偶然的

*a.* 意外的, 偶然(发生)的

The scientific discovery was accidental.

Our accidental meeting led to our becoming friends.

accidental fire 失火

an accidental error 一个意外的错误

**accommodation** /ə,kəmə'deɪʃən/

*Syn.* residence, quarters 住处; place 住所

*n.* 住处, 膳宿

Can we find accommodations at the hotel for tonight?

Some restaurants have no accommodations.

The hotel has accommodation for two

hundred people.

**accompany** /ə'kʌmpəni/

*vt.* 1. 陪伴, 陪同

His wife wished him to accompany her.

I shall accompany foreign guests on a visit to Shanghai.

2. 伴随, 和...一起发生

He accompanied her to the door.

He accompanied his speech with gestures.

Lightning usually accompanies thunder.

3. 为...伴奏

Maria sang and I accompanied her on the piano.

**accomplish** /ə'kɒmplɪʃ/

*Syn.* complete, finish 完成; fulfil, realize 实现; achieve 完成, 实现

*vt.* 完成, 实现

I accomplished two hours' work before dinner.

They didn't accomplish the purpose desired.

**accordance** /ə'kɔ:dəns/

*n.* 一致, 符合

What he did was in accordance with what he said.

In accordance with your wishes, I have written to him.

*in accordance with* 与...一致, 按照, 根据  
His deeds were in accordance with his words.

In accordance with your request I am sending you sample pages of the dictionary.

In accordance with your orders I sold the boat.

\* **according to** /ə'kɔ:dɪŋ tə/

*prep.* 按照, 根据

According to the law he is innocent.

We must live according to our income.

They were commended or criticized according to how they had done their work.

**accordingly** /ə'kɔ:diŋli/

**Syn.** hence, consequently, therefore, thus, so 因此, 所以

**ad.** 1. 因此, 于是

The weather has changed suddenly, and accordingly we must alter our plans for rush-haversting.

He was tired out, accordingly, we sent him to bed.

2. 照着, 相应地

You told me to lock the door and I acted accordingly.

We must ascertain the actual conditions and arrange accordingly.

**account** /ə'kaunt/

**Syn.** explanation 说明; statement 陈述

**n.** 1. 叙述, 说明

Give us a true account of what happened.

Please give me an account of your trip.

2. 帐, 帐户

The accounts show we have spent more than we received.

keep accounts 记帐

open an account 开立帐户

a bank account 银行帐户

**vi.** (for) 说明(原因等)

That accounts for the delay of the train.

Can you account for why our team lost?

**on account of** 因为, 由于

That was on account of the lack of exercises.

On account of his youth, he was not allowed to take the senior course.

**take into account** 考虑

Taking into account all the circumstances, he thought it wise not to say anything futhur.

We must take local conditions into account.

**accumulate** /ə'kju:mjuleit/

**Syn.** collect 收集, 聚集; gather 收集, 聚集, 集合; group 使聚集, 聚集; con-

centrate 聚集; assemble 集合, 聚集  
**vt.** 积累, 积聚

He had accumulated a large fortune.

He accumulated a large collection of stamps in a short period of time.

**vi.** 积累, 聚积

If you don't clear away the rubbish regularly, it will just accumulate.

Dirt had accumulated in the streets.

His debts accumulated.

**accuracy** /'ækjurəsi/

**Syn.** precision 精确(性)

**n.** 准确(性), 精确(性)

There is need to check the accuracy of the report.

Accuracy is most important in translation.

He shoots with great accuracy.

**accurate** /'ækjurit/

**Syn.** precise 精确的, 准确的; strict, exact 精确的

**n.** 准确的, 精确的

She is an accurate typist.

accurate measure 准确的度量

an accurate observer 精确的观察者

He is very accurate in calculation.

**accuse** /ə'kju:z/

**Syn.** blame 责备; charge 指控

**vt.** 1. 指责

They accused the teacher of favoritism.

His friends accused him of having broken his words.

2. 指控

They accused him of stealing a bicycle.

He was accused as accessory to the crime.

**accustomed** /ə'kʌstəmd/

**Syn.** used 习惯于...的; usual 经常的

**a.** (to) 习惯的, 经常的

My brother was accustomed to use his left hand.

The boy soon became accustomed to hard work.

**\*ache** /eik/

**Syn.** hurt, pain 疼痛

**vi. /n.** 痛, 疼痛

Her head ached all night.

I have an ache in my foot,

He has aches and pains all over.

backache 背痛

stomachache 胃痛

**achieve** /ə'tʃi:v/

**Syn.** accomplish, complete, finish 完成;  
realize, full 实现; acquire, gain, win,  
attain, earn, get, obtain 获得; reach,  
attain 达到

**vt.** 1. 完成, 实现

You can not achieve much without  
hard work.

Only practice can achieve mastery.

2. 达到, 得到

He hoped to achieve his purpose by  
peaceful means.

With courage one can achieve any-  
thing.

He finally achieved great success.

**achievement** /ə'tʃi:vmənt/

**Syn.** success 成就; record, result 成绩;  
fruit 成果

**n.** 1. 成就, 成绩

He didn't become proud over his  
many achievements.

They have made great achievements  
in his new work.

2. 完成, 达到

The achievement of one's purpose de-  
pends mainly on one's perseverance.

The achievement of his aim comes on-  
ly out of his hard work.

**acid** /'æsid/

**Syn.** sour 酸的

**n.** 酸, 酸性物质

Acids react with bases to form salt.

Some acids burn holes in cloth and  
wood.

**a.** 酸的

A lemon is an acid fruit.

The girl has an acid taste.

acid rain 酸雨

**acquaintance** /ə'kweintəns/

**Syn.** knowledge 知道, 了解

**n.** 1. 认识, 了解

I had some slight acquaintance with  
him.

My brother has some acquaintance  
with English but does not speak it  
smoothly.

2. 相识的人, 熟人

I have many acquaintances in all parts  
of the world.

He is but an acquaintance.

**acquire** /ə'kwaɪə/

**Syn.** earn, win, attain, gain, get, obtain  
获得; achieve 得到

**vt.** 取得, 获得, 学到

He had acquired confidence.

She acquired knowledge and skills in  
her job.

I desire to acquire German quickly.

acquire experience 取得经验

acquire a good command of English  
精通英语

acquire reputation 获得名声

**acre** /'eɪkə/

**n.** 英亩

**\*across** /ə'krɒs/

**Syn.** through 穿过; opposite 在对面

**prep.** 1. 横过, 穿过

Don't walk across the street until the  
traffic light turns green.

They built a bridge across the river.

2. 在...对面

He lives just across the street.

**ad.** 1. 横过, 穿过

He helped the blind man across.

We could not get across.

What is the distance across?

2. ...宽

The river is fourteen metres across.

**\*act** /ækt/

**Syn.** do 做, 行动; perform 做; function,  
work 起作用; perform 表演; play 演  
出; action, deed, behavior, conduct  
行为; move, deed 行动; rule 条例

**vi.** 1. 行动, 做

Think before your act.

I don't think he acted quite right.

2. 起作用

The brakes wouldn't act, so there was an accident.

3. 表演

He acts very well.

How long have you been acting?

**n.** 1. 行为, 动作

That's one true act of friendship.

My first act was to run into the waiting room.

2. 法令, 条例

The National Gas Policy Act was passed.

Act forbidding the killing of animals  
禁止杀伤野生动物法令

the Social Security Act 社会保障条例。

3. (一)幕

It's a play in five acts.

Act One 第一幕

**action** /'ækʃən/

**Syn.** deed, move 行动; role, function, part 作用

**n.** 1. 行动, 行动过程

The time has come for action.

Actions are more important than words.

We shall judge you by your actions, not by your promises.

2. 作用

Let's study the action of the heart.

**\*active** /'æktiv/

**Syn.** lively 活泼的; positive 积极的

**a.** 1. 活跃的, 积极的

Although his father is over 70 he is still active.

He takes an active part in physical labour.

2. 在活动中的

Mount Vesuvius is an active volcano.

active tuberculosis 活动性结核

a lawyer in active practice 正在开业的律师

**activity** /æk'tiviti/

**Syn.** movement 活动; deed, move 行动

**n.** 1. 活动, 活跃

There is much activity in trade.

I found tennis a very enjoyable activity.

There is not so much activity in the gold market.

2. 行动

Activity is the test of one's faith.

**actor** /'æktə/

**n.** 男演员

**actress** /'æktris/

**n.** 女演员

**\*actual** /'æktʃuəl, 'æktʃuəl/

**Syn.** practical 实际的; real, true 真的, 真实的; genuine 真的

**a.** 实际的, 事实上的, 真实的

What's the actual position of affairs?

The actual result differed from our predictions.

Can you give me the actual figures?

**actually** /'æktʃuəli, 'æktʃuəli/

**Syn.** practically 实际上; really 确实

**ad.** 实际上

Actually, you owe me more than this.

Believe it or not, but he actually won.

**ad** 见 advertisement

**adapt** /ə'dæpt/

**Syn.** fit 使适合, 适合; suit 合适, 适合; adjust 改变...以适应; qualify 使合适

**vt.** 1. 使适应, 使适合

Mr. Smith always adapted himself easily to new circumstances.

I suggested he should adapt himself to his new conditions.

Can you adapt yourself to the new job?

2. 改编, 改写

This play is adapted from a novel.

Difficult books are sometimes adapted for use in school.

**vi.** (to) 适应

He has not yet adapted to the climate.

**\*add** /æd/

**vt.** 1. 加, 添加

If you add 5 to 6 you will get 11.



He added some wood to the fire.

2. 进一步说(或写)

I should like to add that we are pleased with the result.

What else, one hastens to add, could he do?

It may be added that... 可以附带补充一句: ...

**vi.** (to) 增添

He does nothing but adds to our problem.

This adds considerably to our difficulties.

**add up to** 合计达

The money he spent added up to over \$ 10 000.

**addition** /ə'dɪʃən/

**Syn.** extra 额外的事物

**n.** 1. 加, 加法

The sign “+” stands for addition.

2+2=4 is a simple addition.

2. 附加物

The workers are building an addition to the house.

**in addition** 另外, 加之

In addition, there was a crop failure in many provinces.

**in addition to** 除...之外(还)

In addition to advising him, I gave him one hundred dollars.

In addition to apples you asked for, I bought you some oranges.

**additional** /ə'dɪʃənəl/

**Syn.** extra 外加的, 额外的; further, other 另外的

**a.** 附加的, 另外的

This is something additional.

It will take an additional two weeks to finish the work.

**\*address** /ə'dres/

**Syn.** speech 演说; lecture, talk 演讲; talk 讲话

**n.** 1. 地址, 住址

Let me know if you change your address.

Write your name and address on this

envelope.

2. 演说, 讲话

The president will make an address to the nation.

The chairman gave an address to the people over the radio.

**vt.** 1. 在...上写姓名地址

Please address the envelope.

2. 向...讲话(或发表演说)

He is going to address the meeting in a minute.

The general addressed his troops before the battle.

**adequate** /'ædɪkwɪt/

**Syn.** abundant 充足的; enough, sufficient 足够的; due 适当的; suitable 合适的; fit, proper, appropriate 恰当的; competent, qualified 胜任的

**a.** 1. 充足的, 足够的

His wages are not adequate to support his family.

They had an adequate amount of money for the trip.

2. 适当的, 胜任的

His brother is quite adequate for the job.

He is adequate to the job.

**adjective** /'ædʒɪktɪv/

**n.** 形容词

**adjust** /ə'dʒʌst/

**Syn.** regulate 调整, 调节; set 调整; adapt 使适应

**vt.** 1. 调节, 改变...以适应

He adjusted the bicycle seat so that his feet reached the ground.

I will have to adjust myself to new conditions.

2. 校正, 调整

I must adjust my watch; it is too slow.

adjust an error 调整误差

**administration** /əd,mɪnɪ'streɪʃən/

**Syn.** management 管理; control 管理, 控制; operation 经营; government 政府; organ, organization 机构

**n.** 1. 管理, 经营