

תרגול מבחן אמיר/ם - ניסוח מחדש

עמוד 1

הוראות: בחר את התשובה שמביעה את הרעיון המרכזי של המשפט המקורי בצורה הטובה ביותר.

Unit 1

1. Of all the types of cooking oil, none is better for high temperature frying than avocado oil.
 - (1) The cooking oils that are used for frying avocado must be able to withstand high temperatures.
 - (2) Avocado oil fries foods at a faster rate than any other oil used for frying.
 - (3) The cooking oils that are most often used for frying foods work better than avocado oil.
 - (4) Avocado oil is the best oil to use for high temperature frying.

2. Bats have poor vision, but they fly using sonar.
 - (1) Bats use sonar even though they have bad vision.
 - (2) Bats fly using sonar, since they have such bad sight.
 - (3) Bats use sonar better than they see.
 - (4) Bats will not fly if they cannot use sonar.

3. In 1908, few baseball fans predicted that the Chicago Cubs baseball team would compete for more than one hundred years without winning a world championship.
 - (1) It was clear to most baseball supporters in 1908 that if the Chicago Cubs won the world championship, it would be the last time for a century.
 - (2) In 1908, the championship of baseball was held in Chicago and it would be the last time there were fans of the Chicago Cubs in the city up until now.
 - (3) That the Chicago Cubs baseball team would not win a championship for over a century could not be foreseen by baseball supporters in 1908.
 - (4) The century that has passed since 1908 has included several Chicago Cubs world championships, but in 1908 fans could not have known this would occur.

4. No airplanes fly to space.
 - (1) No airplanes are built in space.
 - (2) Airplanes are used to fly to space.
 - (3) There are no airplanes that travel to space.
 - (4) Airplanes are sometimes used for space flight.

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5. Much of the jungle areas in Papua New Guinea have yet to be explored.
- (1) Notably, Papua New Guinea has jungles that are expansive.
 - (2) There are many explorers who were lost in Papua New Guinea.
 - (3) It is unclear whether there are areas of Papua New Guinea that no one has
 - (4) There are many areas in Papua New Guinea that are unexplored.
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6. No reptile is smaller than the Jaragua Sphaero.
- (1) The Jaragua Sphaero will not always be the smallest reptile.
 - (2) No one is sure if the Jaragua Sphaero is the smallest reptile.
 - (3) Only a few reptiles are as small as the Jaragua Sphaero.
 - (4) The Jaragua Sphaero is the smallest reptile.
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7. The speed of international flights has progressively increased for ten years, but aerospace engineers predict that the lack of new technology will slow this trend.
- (1) It now appears that there is no limit to the speed of international flights, and most aerospace engineers believe they will continue to progress for the next ten
 - (2) Aerospace engineers believe that the lack of new technology will force the speed of international flights to decline, even though they have increased progressively for a decade.
 - (3) Some aerospace engineers fear that the only way to continue the speeds attained in the last ten years is to develop radical, new technology.
 - (4) According to the top aerospace engineers, only new technology will help to continue the past decade's trend of continually faster speeds on international
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Unit 2

1. Many jungles around the world have not been explored.

- (1) The many jungles around the world are enjoyable to explore.
- (2) There are a lot of jungles in the world that are unexplored.
- (3) It is not important why so many jungles are unexplored.
- (4) Interestingly, most jungles have been explored by humans.

2. No pepper is spicier than the Naga Jolokia.

- (1) The Naga Jolokia is the spiciest pepper.
- (2) No one really knows if the Naga Jolokia is the spiciest pepper.
- (3) Only a few peppers are as spicy as the Naga Jolokia.
- (4) The Naga Jolokia pepper is no longer the spiciest pepper.

3. Over a hundred and fifty years ago, Australian inventor James Harrison created the first refrigerator.

- (1) More than a hundred and fifty years has past since the refrigerator was invented by Australian James Harrison.
- (2) James Harrison, the Australian that invented the refrigerator, was born one hundred and fifty years ago.
- (3) James Harrison, an inventor from Australia, thought that a refrigerator could have been invented over a hundred and fifty years ago.
- (4) Modern refrigerators were built by James Harrison over a hundred and fifty years ago.

4. In sewing, and especially in sewing quilts, needles must be used with precise accuracy.

- (1) In sewing, and even more so in quilt sewing, needle work is often used without much precise accuracy.
- (2) Although sewing sometimes uses needles, quilt sewing requires accuracy with them.
- (3) Sewing needles must be used with exact accuracy, especially in sewing quilts.
- (4) In sewing and quilting, both precise and inaccurate sewing are used.

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5. Eleanor Roosevelt said: "It is not fair to ask of others what you are unwilling to do yourself."
- (1) As Eleanor Roosevelt once said, you should be willing to be fair to other people on occasion.
 - (2) Fairness, according to Eleanor Roosevelt, should not be asked of anyone but instead expected of everyone.
 - (3) There was nothing more important to Eleanor Roosevelt than being fair to oneself before others.
 - (4) According to Eleanor Roosevelt, one should be willing to do whatever they request of others.
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6. Alligators can be very large, but they move quickly.
- (1) Alligators can move quickly even if they are very big.
 - (2) Alligators move so fast that being large is unnecessary.
 - (3) Alligators are faster than they are large.
 - (4) Alligators will not move quickly if they grow to be large.
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7. Among the nine stadiums used in the FIFA World Cup in 1994, only two seated more than eighty thousand people.
- (1) In 1994 at the FIFA World Cup, nine stadiums were used, but only two could hold more than eighty thousand people.
 - (2) It is known that the stadiums at the 1994 FIFA World Cup were smaller in comparison to other such events.
 - (3) In 1994, the FIFA World Cup stadiums began to increase the amount of spectators by introducing two stadiums that could seat more than eighty
 - (4) There were nine stadiums at the FIFA World Cup in 1994, but only two of these were massive stadiums while the rest were tiny.
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Unit 3

1. The Itaipu Dam is the second largest power station in the world; only the Three Gorges Dam is larger.
 - (1) The Itaipu Dam is usually considered the largest power station, but the Three Gorges Dam could be larger.
 - (2) Among power stations, the only power station larger than the Three Gorges Dam is the Itaipu Dam.
 - (3) The Itaipu Dam and the Three Gorges Dam are two of the largest power stations in the world.
 - (4) The largest power station worldwide is the Three Gorges Dam; the next largest is the Itaipu Dam.

2. In Australia, and especially in the desert areas, the wildlife is often undisturbed by human populations.
 - (1) Although the desert areas of Australia are often populated by humans, the wildlife has never come in contact with humans.
 - (2) The Australian wildlife has often never been disturbed by human populations, particularly in the desert areas.
 - (3) In Australia, and even more desert areas worldwide, wildlife has never been seen by humans.
 - (4) In Australia and in its desert areas, human populations are large enough to disturb wildlife.

3. Of the sixty-nine yokozuna in sumo wrestling history, only four of the competitors were born outside Japan.
 - (1) In sumo wrestling history there have been sixty-nine yokozuna, including four who were not native Japanese.
 - (2) It is generally considered in sumo wrestling history that there were only sixty-nine yokozuna but including the foreign born competitors there were seventy-three.
 - (3) In sumo wrestling history, four non-native Japanese achieved the rank of yokozuna in addition to sixty-nine Japanese competitors.
 - (4) There have been sixty-nine yokozuna outside Japan, but most of the yokozuna were born in Japan.

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4. In agriculture, and especially in growing flowers, water is often sprayed from a small airplane.
- (1) In agriculture and in growing flowers, both small and large airplanes are used to spray water on fields.
 - (2) Although water is seldom used in agriculture and in growing flowers, when it is used it is sprayed from a small airplane.
 - (3) In agriculture, and even more so in growing flowers, small airplanes are the only way to spray water.
 - (4) The water used in agriculture is often sprayed from a small airplane, particularly in growing flowers.
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5. Alcohol abuse is the leading reason for urban homelessness.
- (1) Homeless people in cities are sometimes there due to alcohol issues.
 - (2) Homelessness in cities is caused mainly by abuse of alcohol.
 - (3) Alcohol abuse is one type of issue faced by homeless people in cities.
 - (4) Alcohol abuse could be a reason for homelessness in cities.
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6. The best airplane pilots excel not only at technical flying skills, but also at understanding mechanics, physics, navigation and meteorology.
- (1) When the best airplane pilots are not technically flying, they are learning mechanics, physics, navigation and meteorology.
 - (2) The most proficient of airplane pilots were taught not only to fly with style, but also to understand mechanics, physics, navigation and meteorology.
 - (3) Some of the best airplane pilots understood mechanics, physics, navigation and meteorology and taught it to others to help with technical flying skills.
 - (4) Great airplane pilots are masters of understanding mechanics, physics, navigation and meteorology, as well as technical flying skills.
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7. The Venus flytrap is so called because it attracts insects and then traps and eats them.
- (1) The name of the Venus flytrap comes from the strange fact that insects are attracted to the planet Venus.
 - (2) Despite its name, the Venus flytrap is unable to attract flies or any other type of insect.
 - (3) Despite its name, the Venus flytrap exists only in places where insects' traps are unnecessary.
 - (4) The name of the Venus flytrap comes from its ability to attract insects and then trap and eat them.
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Unit 4

1. The flu virus is not deadly, but it is very common.
 - (1) The flu virus is more dangerous when it is common.
 - (2) The flu virus is so common that it has become dangerous.
 - (3) The flu virus is very common, though it is not dangerous.
 - (4) The flu virus is a common danger to everyone.

2. Having been performed continuously since 1952, The Mousetrap is the world's longest running stage production, yet compared to Agatha Christie's other writings the play is by no means her most popular.
 - (1) The play The Mousetrap is not the most popular of Agatha Christie's writings, despite being performed continuously since 1952 making it the longest running stage production in the world.
 - (2) Though The Mousetrap is the longest running stage production in the world, it has not been Agatha Christie's most popular play since 1952 when it debuted.
 - (3) By no means her most famous play, The Mousetrap has nonetheless become the longest running stage production ever put on by Agatha Christie, as it has performed continuously since 1952.
 - (4) Even though her other writings were equally fascinating to readers, Agatha Christie's most famous writing is The Mousetrap which has been continuously performed as a play since 1952.

3. The great enjoyment of movies has made them a valuable resource for education professionals.
 - (1) Movies are so valuable because they give professionals an educational resource.
 - (2) Educational professionals enjoy watching educational materials because it helps them become resourceful.
 - (3) Both professionals and educators enjoy watching movies.
 - (4) Movies have become a valuable resource for educational professionals because they are so greatly enjoyed.

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4. Little about the plant life in Empty Quarter Desert is currently known to botanists.
- (1) The many plants in the Empty Quarter Desert are being studied by botanists
 - (2) At present botanists do not know much about the plant life in the Empty Quarter Desert.
 - (3) It is unknown why botanists know so little about Empty Quarter Desert plant
 - (4) Botanists are surprised about the magnificence of the Empty Quarter Desert's plant life.
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5. No dog is taller than the Irish wolfhound.
- (1) No one really knows which dog is taller than the Irish wolfhound.
 - (2) The Irish wolfhound is the tallest dog.
 - (3) Only a few dogs are taller than the Irish wolfhound.
 - (4) Irish wolfhounds are not always tall dogs.
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6. The sea cucumber is so called because of its elongated shape.
- (1) The name of the sea cucumber comes from the fact that the creature has an elongated appearance.
 - (2) Despite its name, the sea cucumber has a taste that is nothing like a cucumber.
 - (3) Despite its name, the sea cucumber has neither an elongated appearance nor a greenish color.
 - (4) The name of the sea cucumber comes from the odd fact that it looks identical to a cucumber in all ways.
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7. The large improvements in motorcycle safety have made them less dangerous
- (1) Motorcycles are smaller due to improvements in their safety.
 - (2) Motorcycles are dangerous because there have been few improvements to their safety.
 - (3) Motorcycles have improved both in safety and in the way the machines work.
 - (4) Motorcycles are less dangerous because of large improvements in motorcycle safety.
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Unit 5

1. No stars contain water.

- (1) All stars produce water.
- (2) Stars are made of water.
- (3) No stars have water on them.
- (4) Stars sometimes have water.

2. Damaged vocal cords is the leading reason for muteness.

- (1) Muteness mainly occurs because of damaged vocal cords.
- (2) Muteness sometimes happens because of damaged vocal cords.
- (3) Damaged vocal cords is one form of muteness.
- (4) Damaged vocal cords is considered to be a cause of muteness.

3. Michigan has the second longest coastline of any American state; only Alaska has a coastline that is longer.

- (1) The American states of Alaska and Michigan have two of the longest coastlines in America.
- (2) Among American states, the only state with a coastline longer than Alaska is Michigan.
- (3) The longest coastline of any American state is Alaska; the next longest is
- (4) Alaska usually has the longest coastline of any American state, but sometimes Michigan's coastline is longer.

4. In opera, and especially in modern operas, the costumes are often designed with bright fabrics.

- (1) In opera and in modern operas, both design and costume fabrics are bright.
- (2) Although older operas have costume designs with bright fabrics, this is not true of modern operas.
- (3) In opera, and even more so in modern operas, the costumes use bright fabrics that are intricately designed.
- (4) The costumes used in opera are often made with bright fabrics, particularly in modern operas.

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5. The Italian people made great strides not only in the field of fine art, but also at biology, chemistry, sociology and literature.

- (1) When Italian artists were not producing major artistic works, they were working in biology, chemistry, sociology and literature.
- (2) Italians were not only taught how to create fine works of art, but also in the fields of biology, chemistry, sociology and literature.
- (3) Some of the best biologists, chemists, sociologists, and writers were Italians who worked in the field of fine art.
- (4) The Italian people accomplished much in the fields of biology, chemistry, sociology and literature, as well as making advancements in fine art.

6. Race cars are driven exclusively by professional drivers.

- (1) Professional drivers usually drive race cars.
- (2) Race cars are only driven by professional drivers.
- (3) Race cars are mainly enjoyed by professional drivers.
- (4) Professional drivers never drive any cars that are not race cars.

7. In jazz music, and especially in swing jazz, the rhythm of the music is usually performed by a single drummer.

- (1) Although most jazz music requires only one drummer, swing jazz often has multiple drummers and rhythms.
- (2) One drummer is usually used to make the rhythm in jazz music, particularly in swing jazz.
- (3) In jazz music and in swing jazz music, a drummer is sometimes required to perform the rhythm.
- (4) In jazz and in swing jazz music, both a rhythm and a single drummer are often needed.