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simple reason t	en sentence the only suitable word for the second blank is "consequences" for a that the experimental results cannot be foundations/conditions/ adjuncts of negates all the options except option (c). 'Illuminate' means to make clear;
explain; elucida	ate.
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	C. touted
	D. heralded
	E. promising F. required
	2. The new institute provides intensive postgraduate teaching to a wide range of students, in the hope that these students will use their knowledge to boost the country's economy.
	A. languishing
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	E. bankrupt
	F. flagging

3. Like other metaphors, the "book of Nature" has two facets: it is but if taken literally, it may mislead.
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4. The increasing interactivity emerging in the latest computer systems means that the traditional view of the computer as a of information now unduly limiting.
A. gleaner B. transformer C. processor D. producer E. repository F. cache
5. Turing's life exerts a powerful and effect on writers – the combination of the highly intellectual and the personally dramatic is hard to resist.
A. abiding B. pervasive C. perennial D. irresistible E. unmitigated F. multifaceted
6. As a result of his regimented upbringing, that left him unable to see the nuances of complex situations, he was often accused of being
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A. intractable B. confusing C. elevated D. arcane E. obscure F. rigorous
8. Those with a reputation for behavior seldom inspire respect: unwavering adherence to a viewpoint is more admired than flexibility.
A. capricious B. bombastic C. dogmatic D. fickle E. honorable F. stalwart
9. The courtiers of the time had to be in order to survive in an atmosphere where the least sign of rebellion could lead to banishment or worse.
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77	The youth today are and fulfilling personal aspirations in a competitive world, that to devote hundred percent to social causes becomes impossible.
	<ul> <li>(1) subjected to such compelling social pressures as living up to the expectations of parents, meeting standards of social living</li> <li>(2) a subject to such compelling social pressures as living up to the expectations of parents, meeting social standards of living</li> <li>(3) subjected to such compelling social pressures as living up to the expectations of parents, meeting social standards of living</li> <li>(4) a subject to such compelling social pressures as living up to the expectations of parents, meeting standards of social living</li> <li>Like</li> </ul>
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	Europe's economy isat the moment through the biggest crisis it has seen since the creation of thecurrency now used by sixteen European countries.
	<ul> <li>a) fighting united</li> <li>b) struggling unified</li> <li>c) battling unique</li> <li>d) wrestling common</li> <li>Like</li> </ul>

80	#FIB Please post the reasons along with the answer:
	Now that India isas a production base of top-ranking automobile companies, there is a rise in demand for tyres coupled withfor value addition.  a) growing results b) developing risks c) emerging opportunities d) evolving openings
95	Nonetheless, since the 19th century, some have argued that only a noblemar could have produced writings so with intimate depictions of courtly life and exotic settings far beyond england. Dabbling in entertainments was considered, the thoery goes, so the author laundered his works through shakespeare, a member of the globe theatres acting troupe 1) constructed, plagiarism 2) genuine, good 3) replete, undignified 4) complete, noble 5) full, crime
107	#fib There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.  The at Clube Nacional is perfect, and one immediately the film version of this story: lone journalist, snubbed by (many of) his peers for his collegial exposés, sits at a table in a dimly-lit tavern, sipping his glass of milky feni.  (a) aura, limns (b) feel, cognizes (c) emanation, assimilates (d) ambience, envisions
120	The recent disturbances in the country will and peace will be restored.  (a) blow past (b) blow over (c) pass through (d) come to pass

Please give justification to your answer.

121	3. I should not have to talk in such a s	strain
	especially when I had not studied the man to	
	whom I was talking.	
	(a) daring, commanding	
	(b) try, bold	
	(c) ventured, peremptory	
	(d) emboldened, reckless	
	Please give justication to your answer.	
126	1. If they ( not get ) drunk, they would	
	not have been arrested.	
	2. He ( be ) the dog if he had got hold of	
	a stick.	
	3. If he ( spray ) insecticide on the plant,	
	all the ants would die.	
	4. If you ( drop ) that brick, it would fall	
	on your foot.	
	5. If it rains, we ( not be ) able to get	
	home.	
	6. I ( show ) you how to operate that	
	machine if you were willing to learn.	
	7. If there are no pineapples, she ( buy )	
	some bananas instead.	
	8 he ( climb ) up onto the roof if I	
	held the ladder for him?	
	9. If he ( pull ) out the plug while the	
	current was on, he would get an electric	
	shock.	
	10. Those trees ( bear ) fruit earlier if you	
	planted them from grafts.	
	11. They ( be ) more pleased if you had	
	told them the news yourself.	
	12. The man ( not sell ) you that medicine	
	unless you have a prescription from your	
	doctor.	
	13. We could have given you our help if you	
	( ask ) for it.	
	14. He can have the shoes if they ( be )	
	the right size for him.	
	15. She might be worried if he ( not	

come ) home for dinner.

	16. She ( start ) cooking if she has all the ingredients ready.
128	time I see you, you look so fashionable. A) each B) every C) both can be used
137	Let's see who can answer this correctly!  We our homework last night. a. done b. did c. do d. does
148	<ul> <li>3. Every human being, after the first few days of his life, is a product of two factors: on the one hand, there is his endowment; and on the other hand, there is the effect of environment, including</li> <li>(1) constitutional; weather (2) congenital; education</li> <li>(3) personal; climate (4) economic; learning</li> <li>(5) genetic; pedagogy</li> </ul>
162	Fill in the blanks with the most appropriate pair of words from the given options.  We do not live in a/an, ruled by experts who decide our social goals, but however imperfect, in a popular government that tries to advance the goals that establishes.  OPTIONS  1) technocracy, society 2) democracy, the majority 3) oligarchy, the nation 4) autocracy, the elite
175	After the dog sniffed out the drugs, the policewoman showed her _ P P _ O _ A _ I _ N (praise) by giving him a Scooby Snack.

229	The brilliant boy was able tomany prizes.  A. carry off  B. bear up  C. bear away  D. bring forth  E. none
257	The exorbitant amount charged by the insurance company for the car is unethical and simply  a) appraising, amoral b) appraising, immoral c) apprising, amoral d) apprising, immoral
258	Although there is gunfire ,there is no stiff resistance to the revolutionary army
	bitter meagre continuous sporadic
262	I prohibited him drinking wine. A. for B. to C. at D. from E. none
263	prateek had left before his house .a-I Could reach b-I Would have reached c-I Will reach d-I reached
264	12. the chairman, as well as the members,to blame for this misfortune. a. are b. were c. was d. is previous answer 10-c
265	8. by the time I reach America, itmorning. a. is b. would be c. must be

	d. was
267	Beside At From Of
	A. He was shocked the news of his father's death .
268	Always from notorious persons  A. keep back  B. keep away  C. keep to  D. keep down  E. none
269	Beside At From Of
	E. She did not hide the truth her husband.
270	90% WILL FAIL
	28. the soldierstill till his enemies passed by. a. laid b. lay c. lain d. lied
392	PLEASE PROVIDE REASONS ALSO
	Prince Sultan, like most of the roughly 35 sons of the founding, was given a rudimentary palace education focused on religion and Arabic.
	A moderate B sergeant C occupant D. monarch
399	#FIB 5. Every survey ever held has shown that the image of an attractive woman

	is the most effective advertising She may sit astride the mudguard of a new car, or step into it ablaze with jewels; she may lie at a man's feet stroking his new socks; she may hold the petrol pump in a challenging pose, or dance through woodland in slow motion in all the glory of a new shampoo; whatever she does her image sells.  a) campaign, trees b) proposal, haze c) gimmick, glades d) plan, canopy
444	Choose the most appropriate words to fill in the blanks:  He was accused of and his attitude towards certain ethnic groups cost him his job
	<ul><li>a) plagiarism, frank</li><li>b) high-handedness, conciliatory</li><li>c) bigotry, deprecatory</li><li>d) bribery, peripatetic</li></ul>
459	Fill in the blanks with suitable verb choosing from the brackets
	4. You and i good friend. (is/are)
	5. The blindhelpless. (is/are)
460	He is eagerpeace. (to, for, in)
461	I a friend named Renu who a horse ranch the city.  1. Has,buys  2. Need,holds  3. Possess,runs  4. Have, owns  5. Got, sells
462	The politician had great zealconstructive activities.  A. over  B. on  C. for  D. in  E. none
469	No one is about Rabul: he inspires either uncritical adulation or

	profoundin those who work for him. (a) neutralantipathy (b) infuriatedaversion (c) enthusiasticveneration (d) apprehensiveconsternation
471	Anti-plagiarism software is growing increasingly sophisticated; it is now enabling a scholar like Vickers to investigate the of unattributed works of literature. "With this method we see the way authors use and reuse the same phrases and , like chunks of fabric in a weave," says Vickers.  a. provenance, metaphors b. authenticity, styles c. truthfulness, metres d. plausibility, idioms
472	Dr. Mak was so sad after seeing the conditions of the area affected by the disaster that she decided to donate a million dollars to try to improve the situation.  A. corrosive B. squalid C. commodious D. discern E. inter
528	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.  The term "public figure" covers a relatively large of people who share the of being widely known.  (a) strata, peculiarity (b) spectrum, commonality (c) range, banality (d) consortium, lineage
539	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.  They could not every day sit so grim and; and it was impossible that the universal scowl they wore was their every-day

	<ul><li>(a) laconic, conduct (b) prolix, demeanor</li><li>(c) taciturn, countenance (d) benign, visage</li></ul>
552	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	Notwithstanding the role of politics in influencing this decision, any criticism of the Modi government's latest stand must be with the view that the death penalty is no answer to crimes.
	<ul><li>(a) laden, magnificent (b) tempered, heinous</li><li>(c) raunchy, stinking (d) execrable, villainous</li></ul>
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	An intelligence community, as the Post shows, by a toxic mixture of secrecy, compartmentalization, turf rivalry, and tremendous duplication of effort is further by a problem familiar to every computer addict: too much information.
	(a) hobbled, bedevilled (b) aggravated, emancipated (c) paralysed, scuttled (d) beleaguered, persecuted
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602	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	Domestic violence belongs to the private sphere: it is part of itsnature. There are
	normally no direct witnesses and there are very few convictions, despite its
	<ul><li>(a) pernicious, prevalence (b) pertinent, obscurity</li><li>(c) ominous, disparity (d) vindictive, preponderance</li></ul>
644	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	The increasing interest in animal emotions seems like an important first step in changing
	about our relationship with other species. But this does not necessarily mean that
	we should resign our critical faculties or fail to flaws in how the evidence is presented
	(a) consciousness, interrogate (b) awareness, discover (c) trends, examine (d) knowledge, catechize

645	There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	And so, in order to ensure that, on the one hand, Greece was not in any way tempted into the Soviet camp, and on the other, that following the 1974 war in Cyprus, it did not descend into conflict with
	Turkey, it was deemed to bring it as rapidly as possible into the western
	<ul><li>(a) practical, dominion (b) expedient, fold</li><li>(c) convenient, arrangement (d) appropriate, flock</li></ul>
814	45. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	What made Dr Hawking's revelation so to the religious establishment, and so to its ideological opponents, was that until now he was regarded as an ally of faith.
	<ul><li>(a) offensive, pertinent (b) jarring, mellifluous</li><li>(c) concordant, incongruous (d) appealing, objectionable</li></ul>
815	46. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	Democracy may have replaced the dictators of old—everywhere except in the Castro's Cuba—but other Latin American such as corruption and injustice seem as as ever.
	<ul><li>(a) vices, entrenched (b) foibles, pervasive</li><li>(c) problems, dislodged (d) tricks, rooted</li></ul>
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(4)	Reveres.	Realism
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- 32. Deliberately open in ..... the session not only elicited a series of ..... and inspired presentations; it also incited a series of unusually energetic conversations.
- (1) Scope......Eclectic
- (2) Pretext....Carnal
- (3) Assortment.....Fanatical
- (4) Purview......Variegated

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Question 33: The sentence below has one or more blanks, each blank indicating a missing word or set of words. Four numbered words or sets of words follow each sentence. Choose the option that best fits each blank in the context of the whole sentence.

- 33. Continuing with the theme of ..... the issue closes with an afterword that ..... Vinci via the power of art and place.
- (1) Splendour....Delimits
- (2) Incarnation....Personified
- (3) Interpretation.....Envisages
- (4) Aesthetics.....Contextualizes

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- 34. ..... has to work by coming to a conclusion as quickly as possible and then filling in the .....later.
- (1) Perception...details
- (2) Premonition...details
- (3) Sensitization...quidelines
- (4) Intuition...numbers
- 1062 Question 35: The sentence below has one or more blanks, each blank

indicating a missing word or set of words. Four numbered words or sets of words follow each sentence. Choose the option that best fits each blank in the context of the whole sentence. 35. If a rider doesn't hold the ..... correctly, he is bound to fall, the ..... of the horse notwithstanding. (1) stirrup...pedigree (2) hook...steed (3) bridle...breed (4) saddle...genre 1081 There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately. An intelligence community \_\_\_\_\_, as the Post shows, by a toxic mixture of secrecy, compartmentalization, turf rivalry, and tremendous duplication of effort is further \_\_\_\_\_ by a problem familiar to every computer addict: too much information. (a) hobbled, bedevilled (b) aggravated, emancipated (c) paralysed, scuttled (d) beleaguered, persecuted 1090 There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately. Britain's international development department – has occasionally been in the kind of economic growth that strangulates the poor while making the richest even richer. However, with all its flaws, it is still more than most of its western peers – especially US aid agencies, which blatantly funnel large portions of "aid" money to American "consultants". (a) persuasive, scrupulous (b) complicit, conscientious (c) involved, judicious (d) prudent, fastidious 1100 There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately. Occasionally, though, in the course of our daily Internet culling, we stumble on some news that us question our assumptions about the \_\_\_ effects of literature. It saddens us to say it, but sometimes, books bring out the worst in people, and are made into to all kinds of crimes.

- (a) mitigating, tools (b) elevating, handicaps
- (c) ameliorative, accessories (d) transcending, aids
- DIRECTIONS: There are two gaps in the following sentence. From the pairs of words given, choose the one which fills the gap most appropriately. The first word in the pair should fill the first gap.
  - 80. The ..... candidate's performance in the debate all but ..... any hope he may have had of winning the election.
  - (1) aspiring, nullifies (2) feckless, encourages
  - (3) bigoted, guarantees (4) prospective, accentuates
- DIRECTIONS: There are two gaps in the following sentence. From the pairs of words given, choose the one which fills the gap most appropriately. The first word in the pair should fill the first gap.
  - 81. Robert Williams' style of writing has an air of .....: just when you think the story line is ....., he suddenly takes a different direction. Although this is often the mark of a beginner, Williams pulls it off masterfully.
  - (1) outlandishness, foreseeable (2) impulsivity, definite
  - (3) whimsicality, unpredictable (4) capriciousness, predictable
- DIRECTIONS: There are two gaps in the following sentence. From the pairs of words given, choose the one which fills the gap most appropriately. The first word in the pair should fill the first gap.
  - 82. He is too ..... to be ..... easily.
  - (1) simple, proclaimed (2) strong, mislead
  - (3) sturdy, defeated (4) intelligent, outwitted
- DIRECTIONS: The following paragraph has a number of blanks marked with a number followed by a set of options. Mark the options that best complete the blanks.

The feeling of insecurity among the people has increased even though there is liberal use of the paramilitary and the military. The excesses ...(83)... by the two forces, particularly by the first, do not evoke the type of anger it should because they are seen fighting with those who are trying to disintegrate the country. Even a ...(84)... for more say in the dministration is

shouted down. Human rights organisations and Civil liberty activists are considered a nuisance, if not unpatriotic. Even the blatant cases of cruelty are not pursued by the government lest the inquiry should ...(85)...the forces and blunt the instrument on which it has come to depend.

- 83. (1) cleared (2) committed
- (3) condoned (4) displayed
- 84. (1) longing (2) desire
- (3) prayer (4) plea
- 85. (1) disperse (2) derail
- (3) demoralise (4) ennoble

1166 Directions for Questions 47 to 49: In the following paragraph, there are blanks that have to be filled in by the given options. Choose the most appropriate word as the answer.

> Many have held and still hold the opinion, that there is nothing which has less in common with another, and that is so dissimilar, as civilian life is from the military. Whence it is often observed, if anyone designs to avail himself of an enlistment in the army, that he soon changes, not only his clothes, but also his customs, his habits, his voice, and in the presence of any civilian custom, he goes to pieces; for I do not believe that any man can dress in civilian clothes who wants to be quick and ready for any violence; nor can that man have civilian customs and habits, who judges those customs to be [47] and those habits not conducive to his actions; nor does it seem right to him to maintain his ordinary appearance and voice who, with his beard and cursing, wants to make other men afraid: which makes such an opinion in these times to be very true. But if they should consider the ancient institutions, they would not find matter more united, more in conformity, and which, of necessity, should be like to each other as much as these (civilian and

> military); for in all the arts that are established in a society for the sake of the common good of men, all those institutions created to (make people) live in fear of the laws and of God would be in vain, if their defense had not been provided for and which, if well arranged, will maintain not only these, but also those that are not well established. And so (on the contrary), good institutions without the help of the military are not much differently [48] than the habitation of a superb and regal palace, which, even though adorned with jewels and gold, if it is not roofed over will not have anything to protect it from the rain. And, if in any other institutions of a City and of a Republic

every diligence is employed in keeping men loyal, peaceful, and full of the fear of God,

it is [49] in the military; for in what man ought the country look for greater loyalty than in that man who has to promise to die for her? In whom ought there to be a greater love of peace, than in him who can only be injured by war? In whom ought there to be a greater fear of God than in him who, undergoing infinite dangers every day, has more need for His aid? If these necessities in forming the life of the soldier are well considered, they are found to be praised by those who gave the laws to the Commanders and by those who were put in charge of military training, and followed and imitated with all diligence by others.

47.

- (1) downtrodden (2) effeminate
- (3) larger than life (4) hyperbole

48.

- (1) synchronized (2) kept
- (3) arranged (4) disordered

49.

1183

- (1) hyped (2) doubled
- (3) negated (4) underlined

Directions: The following questions has a sentence with two blanks. Given below each questions are five pairs of words. Choose the pair that best completes the sentence.

- 47. Like many philosophically interesting notions, existence is at once ....... and rather .......
- (1) confusing; abstract(2) decisive; conclusive(3) familiar; elusive(4) apprising; informative
- (5) esoteric; exigent

Directions: The following questions has a sentence with two blanks. Given below each questions are five pairs of words. Choose the pair that best completes the sentence.

- 48. Even if the laws of nature were logically ......, there could be events contrary to those laws if it is assumed that the ...... of those laws is limited.
- (1) necessary; scope (2) intermittent; niche

	(5) incorrect; application (5) inapplicable; trajectory	(4) meaningful; contradiction	
1184	Directions: The following questions are five completes the sentence.		
	49. What kind of overlap can be experience of the poem, and i, reconstituted anew each	ts earlier oral delivery, which r	may have been
	<ul><li>(1) transcribed; orchestrated</li><li>(3) remembered; written</li><li>(5) changed; catered</li></ul>	<ul><li>(2) plagiarized; created</li><li>(4) memorized; designed</li></ul>	
1185	Directions: The following questions are five completes the sentence.		
	50. Contouring is usually perform selected because distribute plot.	•	
	<ul><li>(1) selection; unevenly</li><li>(3) graph; differently</li><li>(5) projection; evenly</li></ul>	<ul><li>(2) track; simultaneously</li><li>(4) distribution; timely</li></ul>	
1201	41. There are two gaps in the pairs of words given, choose t		
	On the other hand, some write publishing houses refuse to pure are described, "not bold enouge the market.	ublish women writers whose w	vorks are, as they
	(a) concern, stimulate (c) anxiety, manoeuvre	(b) disquiet, titillate (d) apprehension, excite	
1202	42. There are two gaps in the pairs of words given, choose t		
	Some of us can be struck by t manifestations: Big Brother do	•	

	movement on television. He doe	licants who want to display their every son't need a secret police to rifle iaries – we post them online for everyone	to
	(a) impose, surreptitiously (c) train, stealthy	(b) monitor, secretly (d) enforce, slyly	
1203	<b>U</b> 1	entence/paragraph given below. From the eone that fills the gaps most appropriately.	-
	creation requires locking oneself seduction of Picasso is that he c	ng that comes at the of life, as f up in a sensory deprivation tank. The created a grand body of work that was all easures and occasionally spitting	if
	(a) detriment, devouring (c) demise, gorging	<ul><li>(b) fruition, chomping</li><li>(d) expense, gobbling</li></ul>	
1216	•	entence/paragraph given below. From the e one that fills the gaps most appropriately.	-
	mixture of secrecy, compartmentalization, turf rivalry	, as the Post shows, by a toxic  y, and tremendous duplication of effort is familiar to every computer addict: too mucl	h
	(a) hobbled, bedevilled (b) aggra (c) paralysed, scuttled (d) beleag	-	
1226	•	entence/paragraph given below. From the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.	-
	in the kind of economi making the richest even richer. H	ent department – has occasionally been c growth that strangulates the poor while However, with all its flaws, it is still more vestern peers – especially US aid agencies ions of "aid" money to American	S,
	(a) persuasive, scrupulous (b) co	omplicit, conscientious	

	(c) involved, judicious (d) prudent, fastidious
1230	45. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	Occasionally, though, in the course of our daily Internet culling, we stumble on some news that makes us question our assumptions about the effects of literature. It saddens us to say it, but sometimes, books bring out the worst in people, and are made into to all kinds of crimes.
	<ul><li>(a) mitigating, tools (b) elevating, handicaps</li><li>(c) ameliorative, accessories (d) transcending, aids</li></ul>
1234	46. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	The increasing interest in animal emotions seems like an important first step in changing about our relationship with other species. But this does not necessarily mean that we should resign our critical faculties or fail to flaws in how the evidence is presented
	<ul><li>(a) consciousness, interrogate</li><li>(b) awareness, discover</li><li>(c) trends, examine</li><li>(d) knowledge, catechize</li></ul>
1235	47. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	And so, in order to ensure that, on the one hand, Greece was not in any way tempted into the Soviet camp, and on the other, that following the 1974 war in Cyprus, it did not descend into conflict with Turkey, it was deemed to bring it as rapidly as possible into the western
	<ul><li>(a) practical, dominion</li><li>(b) expedient, fold</li><li>(c) convenient, arrangement</li><li>(d) appropriate, flock</li></ul>
1268	35. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.

	nature. There are normally no direct witnesses and there are very few convictions, despite its
	<ul><li>(a) pernicious, prevalence (b) pertinent, obscurity</li><li>(c) ominous, disparity (d) vindictive, preponderance</li></ul>
1269	36. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	We can stand in awe of the pyramids while understanding the slave labour and misery that comprised their construction. Similarly, amid the politics and pain that engulf and sometimes threaten to professional sport, there is also a/an that can take your breath away.
	<ul><li>(a) overwhelm, emollient (b) smother, art</li><li>(c) promulgate, beauty (d) destroy, asperity</li></ul>
1270	37. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	The day dies slowly, It's reluctant to go and drags out the farewell, like an elemental orchestra returning with just one more, one final flourish, and then another, and then just one more.
	(a) turbulently, encore (b) arduosly, presage (c) quietly, abyss (d) languorously, refrain
1271	38. There are two gaps in the sentence/paragraph given below. From the pairs of words given, choose the one that fills the gaps most appropriately.
	But what most annoys about the scheme is that it completely misses the point of linguistic It's no funadhering to grammatical rules if it's mandatory.
	<ul><li>(a) sophistication, properly (b) machinations, solemnly</li><li>(c) pedantry, prissily (d) deviousness, steadily</li></ul>