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Answer all of the questions.

I. For each group of sounds, first identify the segment that differs in place of articulation from the other three. Then identify the place of articulation for the other three. [9%]

(A) [s], [n], [v], [d]

(B) [k], [ʒ], [ŋ], [g]

(C) [m], [b], [l], [w]

II. Identify the inflectional affixes, derivational affixes, and roots in the following words: [21%]

window-cleaners

faithfulness

oversimplified

irreplaceability

unsystematically

III. Consider the following English verbs. The verbs in column 1 have stress on the penultimate (next-to-last) syllable. The verbs in column 2 and column 3 have their last syllable stressed. The stressed vowel is underlined. [20%]

Column 1

astonish

imagine

exit

cancel

elicit

practice

Column 2

collapse

adopt

exist

resent

revolt

insist

Column 3

amaze

imoprove

surprise

combine

believe

atone

(A) Consider the phonemic structure of the stressed syllables in these verbs. What is the difference between the final syllables of the verbs in columns 1 and 2? Formulate a rule that predicts where stress occurs in the verbs in columns 1 and 2.

(B) In the verbs in column 3, stress also occurs on the final syllable. What must you add to the rule to account for this fact?

(Hint: For the forms in columns 1 and 2, the final consonants have to be considered; for the forms in column 3, consider the vowels.)

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IV. Provide two possible interpretations for the following sentences and explain what causes the ambiguity?

[15%]

- (A) *I'm going to tell everybody that I know.*
- (B) *James was unwillingly questioned by the teacher.*
- (C) *He didn't marry her because he loved her.*
- (D) *The police shot the man with a gun.*
- (E) *Terry loves his wife and so do I.*

V. Correct the following sentences and explain why they are ill-formed. [15%]

- (A) *?You have to hear the lecture carefully to understand the issue.*
- (B) *?You must have been painful when you broke up with your boyfriend.*
- (C) *?I fed the dog but he didn't want to eat.*
- (D) *?This news is quite embarrassed.*
- (E) *?Have a drug.*

VI. Read the following sentences and analyze the use of 'newspaper' in the following sentences. In your analysis, quote short phrases from each sentence, if possible. [10%]

a	In modern-day America, stories of collective entrepreneurship typically appear in the sports pages of the daily <u>newspaper</u> .
b	While new technology has reduced the costs of <u>newspaper</u> publishing, its main effect has been to improve the profitability of established press barons.
c	Cornelius snatched the <u>newspaper</u> and gawped at it in disbelief.
d	It was the face in the <u>newspaper</u> . It had to be. There was the little beard, and the smiling mouth with lots of teeth in it.
e	'Well,' Josie said, turning her page and then refolding the <u>newspaper</u> to keep it manageable.
f	Because of the hours I worked at the <u>newspaper</u> I hardly ever saw any television.
g	The rewards could be quick and simple such as reading the <u>newspaper</u> for five minutes, or having a quick chat on the phone with a friend.

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VII. Discuss the use of 'like' and 'you know' in the following two scenarios. You may provide one analysis for both. [10%]

Scenario 1

Helena, Emma, and Joanne are chatting after lunch.

Helena: Joanne and I will be sleeping over <pause> but because Lisa has got a dog... I'm not going to sleep, you know.

Emma: < laughing > Yeah

Joanne: but like <pause> I said to my mum it'll be alright because <pause> Lisa's brother will be in all evening, won't he, Helena?

Helena: Yeah!

Emma: Her brother will take care of the dog.

Scenario 2

Gilbert is on the phone.

Gilbert: It, well, it ought, see, there were so many people come to see it, but there were thousands, you know, at different times like, you know.

Oh yes, yes, perhaps and, and everybody would, would come up.

I don't know how much they gave, but I do know that it, it, it came into a, a few, like, hundred pounds, which is a lot of money in those days you know, when you're talking about 1916.

But I can't remember what it was because obviously, at that age, you don't bother about money, you know.

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- 一、作答於試題上者，不予計分。
- 二、試題請隨卷繳交。