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国家开放大学2020年春季学期期末统一考试

理工英语 4 试题

2020年9月

注 意 事 项

一、将你的学号、姓名及分校(工作站)名称填写在答题纸的规定栏内。考试结束后,把试卷和答题纸放在桌上。试卷和答题纸均不得带出考场。监考人收完考卷和答题纸后才可离开考场。

二、仔细阅读题目的说明,并按题目要求答题。答案一定要写在答题纸的指定位置上,写在试卷上的答案无效。

三、用蓝、黑圆珠笔或钢笔答题,使用铅笔答题无效。

四、考试时间为 60 分钟。

9. They are trying to make a new product—the world's smallest _____ robot.
 A. hammer
 B. humane
 C. humanoid
10. The scientist spoke confidently, _____ impressed me most.
 A. that
 B. so that
 C. which
11. The Cheetah robot made by MIT's scientists can jump over hurdles while _____.
 A. it running
 B. running
 C. be ran
12. What's _____ issue here is the difference between cosmetic and plastic surgery.
 A. at
 B. on
 C. in
13. Although plastic surgery is created to improve the looks of a person, there are a certain percentage of _____.
 A. effect
 B. results
 C. consequences
14. _____ the new law is used one day, I hope it will not punish people using 3D printers for personal purposes.
 A. When
 B. Why
 C. If
15. She's been interested in computer science _____ she was eight.
 A. before
 B. since
 C. while
16. He is still a _____ in handling such things.
 A. green hand
 B. visitor
 C. adult
17. Between 1975 and 1996, the number of overseas visitors expanded _____ 27% on average each year.
 A. in
 B. by
 C. for
18. So little _____ about chemistry that the lecture was completely beyond me.
 A. did I know
 B. I knew
 C. do I know

• Since it is an unnatural way of producing foods, there is an increased health hazard such as allergens, transfer of antibiotic resistance markers and unknown effects.

• Since the production of engineered food involves infusing animal genes in the crops and tampering with nature, it might not be good for consumption in the long run.

21. How does genetically modified food control the occurrence of certain diseases?

A. By cross-pollinating.

B. By conventional crossbreeding.

C. By altering the DNA system of these foods.

22. Do farmers need to buy any chemicals and pesticides if they plant genetically modified food?

A. Yes, they need to. Because the food is not resist to pests.

B. No, they don't need to. Because the food is naturally pest-resistant.

C. No, they don't need to. Because the chemicals and pesticides are provided by the government.

23. Which statement is not the advantage of genetically modified food?

A. It may have harmful effects on human body.

B. Genetically modified food grows faster than their traditionally grown counterparts.

C. Farming genetically modified food can help fight world hunger.

24. What would happen to a person if he regularly consume genetically modified food?

A. He would get cold.

B. He would lose some weight.

C. He would have cancer.

25. Which of the following would be the best title for this passage?

A. Can Genetically Modified Foods Combat World Hunger?

B. Genetically Modified Mood: Our Answer Is No.

C. Genetically Modified Foods: Pros And Cons

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Passage 2

Engineers who build and program robots have fascinating jobs. These researchers tinker (修补) with machines in the lab and write computer software to control these devices. “They’re the best toys out there,” says Howle Choset at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh. Choset is a roboticist, a person who designs, builds or programs robots.

When Choset was a kid, he was interested in anything that moved—cars, trains, animals. He put motors on Tinkertoy cars to make them move. Later, in high school, he built mobile robots similar to small cars.

Hoping to continue working on robots, he studied computer science in college. But when he got to graduate school at the California Institute of Technology in Pasadena, Choset's labmates were working on something even cooler than remotely controlled cars: robotic snakes. Some robots can move only forward, backward, left and right. But snakes can twist (扭曲) in many directions and travel over a lot of different types of terrain (地形). "Snakes are far more interesting than the cars," Choset concluded.

After he started working at Carnegie Mellon, Choset and his colleagues there began developing their own snake robots. Choset's team programmed robots to perform the same movements as real snakes, such as sliding and inching forward. The robots also moved in ways that snakes usually don't, such as rolling.

Choset's snake robots could crawl (爬行) through the grass, swim in a pond and even climb a flagpole.

But Choset wondered if his snakes might be useful for medicine as well. For some heart surgeries, the doctor has to open a patient's chest, cutting through the breastbone. Recovering from these surgeries can be very painful. What if the doctor could perform the operation by instead making a small hole in the body and sending in a thin robotic snake?

Choset teamed up with Marco Zenati, a heart surgeon now at Harvard Medical School, to investigate the idea. Zenati practiced using the robot on a plastic model of the chest and they tested the robot in pigs.

A company called Medrobotics in Boston is now adapting the technology to surgeries on people.

Even after 15 years of working with his team's creations, "I still don't get bored of watching the motion of my robots," Choset says.

26. Choset began to build robots in high school.

27. Snake robots could move in only four directions.

28. Choset didn't begin developing his own snake robots until he started working at Carnegie Mellon.

29. Zenati tested the robot on people after using it in pigs.

30. The robotic technology for surgeries on people has brought a handsome profit to Medrobotics.

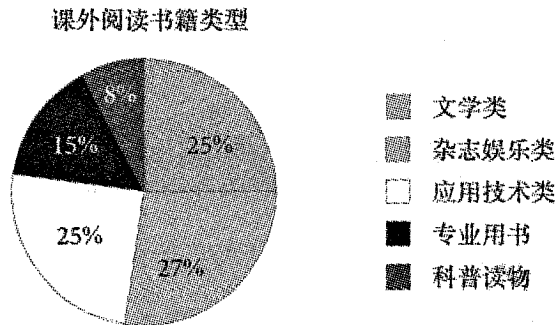
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6. 7. 8. 9. 10.
11. 12. 13. 14. 15.
16. 17. 18. 19. 20.

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21. 22. 23. 24. 25.

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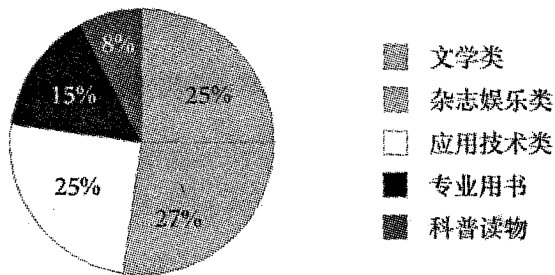
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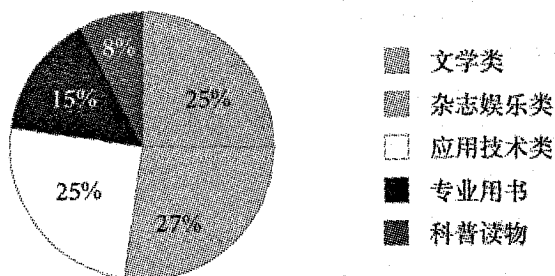
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参考范文:

Recently we have conducted a survey among 200 college students to find out their reading preference. As can be seen in the pie chart, 27 % of the surveyed said they spent most of their time reading magazines and books for entertainment. What ranks the second are books of literature and applied technology, and they each account for 25 %. The percentage decreases to 15 % as to students who prefer to read books relevant to their majors, while only 8 % tend to read popular science books during their spare time.

It should be noted that books of literature, applied technology, and entertaining books like magazines are main interests of college students. That ' s because these kinds of books are fun and easy to read; what ' s more, they bring students some cutting-edge information regarding books of applied technology. The percentage of students who like to read professional books is relatively lower may be due to the reason that these books are hard to understand and time-consuming.

To sum up, the data reveals a serious problem that college students ' reading preference stays at a relatively shallow level since the percentage of reading magazines exceeds that of literature and professional books. We thus suggest that colorful reading activities like recommending great books be carried out to help students develop capabilities of appreciation and criticism.

作文评分标准:

1. 评分原则

(1) 本题总分为 20 分, 按 6 个档次给分。

(2) 评分时, 先根据文章的内容和语言初步确定其所属档次, 然后以该档次的要求来衡量、确定或调整档次, 最后给分。

(3) 评分时应注意的主要内容为: 内容要点、句型变化、词汇运用和语法结构的准确性, 语意的连贯性、逻辑性以及应用文的格式要求。

(4) 评分时, 如拼写错误较多, 书写较差, 以至影响交际, 将分数降低一个档次。

2. 各档次的给分范围和要求

16—20 分	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●完全完成了试题规定的任务； ●覆盖所有内容要点； ●语法结构、句型和词汇有变化； ●语法结构和用词准确。 ●语意连贯、逻辑性强。 ●应用文写作格式规范。
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3—5 分	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●虽尽力但不足以完成试题规定的任务； ●仅覆盖部分主要内容,或写了一些无关内容； ●语法结构和词汇运用能力很弱； ●有许多语法结构或词汇方面的错误,影响了对写作内容的理解。 ●语意不连贯,逻辑性方面问题较大。 ●应用文写作格式不规范。
1—2 分	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●未完成试题规定的任务； ●句子不完整或无法理解； ●语法结构或词汇方面错误连篇,影响对写作内容的理解；语言运用能力差。 ●语意不清,毫无逻辑。 ●应用文写作格式不规范。
0 分	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●未答题,或虽作答但不知所云。