

**I. Select the Correct sentence**

- 1 A. The affects of the war were devastating.  
B. The effects of the war were devastating.
- 2 A. The psychiatrist found the patient's effect worrisome.  
B. The psychiatrist found the patient's affect worrisome.
- 3 A. She resolved to affect a change in the healthcare system.  
B. She resolved to effect a change in the healthcare system.
- 4 A. The negotiators effected an agreement.  
B. The negotiators affected an agreement.
- 5 A. While she waited to be seen in the ER, her personal effects were stolen.  
B. While she waited to be seen in the ER, her personal affects were stolen.
- 6 A. The bacteria that I was trying to grow died.  
B. The bacteria which I was trying to grow died.
- 7 A. There is limited data.  
B. There are limited data.
- 8 A. Bob and I were very fond of the piece.  
B. Bob and me were very fond of the piece.
- 9 A. Their data was intriguing.  
B. Their data were intriguing.
- 10 A. I hope that she and I will reconcile.  
B. I hope that she and me will reconcile.
- 11 A. Between you and I, we should have it done in no time.  
B. Between you and me, we should have it done in no time.
- 12 A. It's my head on the line.  
B. Its my head on the line.
- 13 A. Over 30 disease states can result in the clinical characteristics of dementia.  
B. More than 30 disease states can result in the clinical characteristics of dementia.

14 A. Cream and chocolate are comprised in chocolate sauce.

B. Cream and chocolate are composed of chocolate sauce.

15 A. I always thought it was further to the moon.

B. I always thought it was farther to the moon.

16 A. We worked on localizing proteins in the cell from their phylogenetic profiles.

B. We worked on locating proteins in the cell from their phylogenetic profiles.

17 A. The sequencing of the human genome has been compared to a schoolyard brawl.

B. The sequencing of the human genome has been compared with a schoolyard brawl.

18 A. Each person is responsible for their grade.

B. Each person is responsible for his grade.

19A. She commented on the clearly defined mutant traits.

B. She commented on the clearly-defined mutant traits.

20 A. I like books, chocolate, and coffee.

B. I like books, chocolate and coffee.

## II. Edit the following sentences

1. Recent research suggests that these two disorders may not be as distinct as previously was thought and the degree of overlap may be considerable.
2. A serious problem in large-scale trials that [*require/requires*] the investment of tremendous resources, financial and otherwise, and [*take/takes*] years to complete [*are/is*] that their interpretation is often clouded by a problem in design or methodology that may not have been appreciated at an early stage of the study.
3. There are a number of known causes of epilepsy. However, epilepsy with a definite antecedent neurologic insult that is presumed to be causal applies to only about one-third of all cases of epilepsy. The remaining two-thirds are idiopathic/cryptogenic
4. Biostatistics can be a lot of fun because of the multidisciplinary team approach. In one project we have a nutritionist, a psychologist, statisticians, a computer specialist, and dietitians: a whole range of specialties. When we all get together, everyone has a perspective to bring to the problem.