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GMAT 硬功夫之 句子该怎么读

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由于中国英语教育的遗毒,很多学生接触英语多年之后,居然依然没有解决一些最基本的问题,句子读法就是其中一项。由于长期的字对字翻译式的信息处理习惯,大部分中国学生的信息吸收习惯是将每个英文字尽量变成中文,然后将一串中文字组合起来拼凑出整个句子的意思。这个习惯对 GMAT 实战的危害非常严重,不仅降低了信息处理速度,更大的负面影响在于过早进入逐字处理,会使得失去对宏观结构的体察。

在 GMAT 语文的不同部分,实际上对读句子的技术要求有所不同。简单地说,SC 部分强调视角切换,调整宏观微观角度,对句子大结构、定性要求较高。CR 部分对句子逻辑发展要求较高,但又不能放过细节,其实是对信息处理吸收比例要求最高的一部分。RC 需要的是积极的预判型阅读,随时判断句子的功能,对句子既要定性也要定向。

练功夫,我们先从 SC 的读法练起吧。对 SC 部分句子的读法的核心,是从“word”升级到“segment”(原则上以逗号区分板块),从以字为单位,升级到以“意群”为单位。对句子先做定性分析,即哪个是主句,哪个是修饰部分,尤其注意定性分析中,对一团英语,判断这到底是个句子还是个被层层修饰包裹着的短语或词。相信大仙,练对了读法,上升的不仅是速度,还有你对考试的理解。

1 With no natural predators and expanses of green suburban neighborhoods that allow no hunting, wildlife officials estimate the New Jersey deer population to have grown to exceed 175,000

- A. With no natural predators and expanses of green suburban neighborhoods that allow no hunting, wildlife officials estimate the New Jersey deer population to have
- B. With no natural predators and with expanses of green suburban neighborhoods that do not allow hunting, wildlife officials' estimate of the deer population in New Jersey has
- C. With no natural predators and with expanses of green suburban neighborhoods where there is no hunting, the deer population in New Jersey, wildlife officials estimate, has
- D. Without natural predators and no hunting allowed in expanse of green suburban neighborhoods, New Jersey has a deer population that wildlife officials estimate to have
- E. Without natural predators and with expanses of green neighborhoods where there is no hunting, wildlife officials in New Jersey estimate a deer population that has

读法: 句子大结构为: 修饰, 主句

: 木有捕食者和一个神马玩意, 主语怎么怎么了。如果能读出这个样子, 可见“木有捕食者”需要一个能被修饰的主语, 比较各个选项可见只有 C 选项能被修饰。

2 An international team of astronomers working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain has detected at least 18 huge gas spheres estimated to have 5 to 15 times the mass of Jupiter, the solar system's largest planet.

- A.) astronomers working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain has detected at least 18 huge gas spheres estimated to have 5 to 15 times the mass of Jupiter
- B.) astronomers working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain has detected at least 18 huge gas spheres estimated to be 5 to 15 times Jupiter's mass
- C.) astronomer is working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain, having detected at least 18 huge gas spheres that are estimated at 5 to 15 times the mass of Jupiter
- D.) astronomer, working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain, and has detected at least 18 huge gas spheres estimated at 5 to 15 times the mass of Jupiter
- E.) astronomer, working at telescopes in the Canary Islands and Spain, has detected at least 18 huge gas spheres they have estimated to be 5 to 15 times Jupiter's mass

读法：句子大结构为：主句，修饰

提炼出关键成分：XXXXXXXXXXXX Jupiter, planet。可见主句必须以 Jupiter 结尾，起码排除 2 个选项。另 D 项按意群读出 team, working, and has, 显然缺乏第一个谓语。余下两个选项应该分别读成：

Team has detected (A)

Team 在干活 (E)

在此基础上再做判断。

3 Initiated five centuries after Europeans arrived in the New World on Columbus Day 1992, Project SETI pledged a \$100 million investment in the search for extraterrestrial intelligence.

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(B) Initiated on Columbus Day 1992, five centuries after Europeans arrived in the New World, a \$100 million investment in the search for extraterrestrial intelligence was pledged by Project SETI.

(C) Initiated on Columbus Day 1992, five centuries after Europeans arrived in the New World, Project SETI pledged a \$100 million investment in the search for extraterrestrial intelligence.

(D) Pledging a \$100 million investment in the search for extraterrestrial intelligence, the initiation of Project SETI five centuries after Europeans arrived in the New World on Columbus Day 1992.

(E) Pledging a \$100 million investment in the search for extraterrestrial intelligence five centuries after Europeans arrived in the New World, on Columbus Day 1992, the initiation of Project SETI took place.

修饰，主句

提炼出关键成分：被发起，主句 (ABC), 或者 承诺要干嘛，主句

被发起的应该是项目，承诺的也应该是项目。马上可以去掉 BDE。

4 Studying the fruit fly, a household nuisance but a time-honored experimental subject, has enabled the secrets of how embryos develop to begin to be unraveled by scientists.

A) Studying the fruit fly, a household nuisance but a time-honored experimental subject, has enabled the secrets of how embryos develop to begin to be unraveled by scientists.

B) By the study of the fruit fly, a household nuisance and also a time-honored experimental subject, it was possible for the secrets of how embryos develop to begin to be unraveled by scientists.

C) By studying a household nuisance but a time-honored experimental subject, the fruit fly enabled scientist to begin to unravel the secrets of how embryos develop.

D) By studying the fruit fly, a household nuisance and also a time-honored experimental subject, the secrets of how embryos develop are beginning to be unraveled by scientist.

E) The study of the fruit fly, a household nuisance but a time-honored experimental subject, has enabled scientist to begin to unravel the secrets of how embryos develop.

学习 使得 怎么怎么了 (AE) 主谓一致没有问题

修饰, 主句。(BCD) 学习 (或通过学习), 主语怎么怎么了。主语应该是科学家, 可以排除这三项。

5 The ability of scientists to provide models of the atmosphere's complex responses to changing conditions, like seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions, have become ever more accurate.

A. The ability of scientists to provide models of the atmosphere's complex responses to changing conditions, like seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions, have become ever more accurate.

B. The ability of scientists has become ever more accurate in providing models of the atmosphere's complex responses to changing conditions, such as seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions.

C. Scientists have become able to provide ever more accurate models of the atmosphere's complex responses to such changing conditions as seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions.

D. Scientists have become ever more accurate in their ability for providing models of the atmosphere's complex responses to changing conditions, like seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions.

E. Scientists' ability to provide models of the atmosphere's complex responses to such changing conditions as seasonal and daily cycles or different planetary conjunctions have become ever more accurate.

均为单一句子。提取主谓可排除 AE。其它三项分别应该提炼为能力变得精确、科学家越来越能、科学家越来越精确。可见考察精确的修饰对象。C 项更合理。

6 The computer company reported strong second-quarter earnings that surpassed Wall Street's estimates and announced the first in a series of price cuts intended to increase sales further.

- A. The computer company reported strong second-quarter earnings that surpassed Wall Street's estimates and announced the first in a series of price cuts intended to increase sales further.
- B. The report of the computer company showed strong second-quarter earnings, surpassing Wall Street's estimates, and they announced the first in a series of price cuts that they intend to increase sales further.
- C. Surpassing Wall Street's estimates, the report of the computer company showed strong second-quarter earnings, and, for the purpose of increasing sales further, they announced the first in a series of price cuts.
- D. The computer company reported strong second-quarter earnings, while announcing the first in a series of price cuts for the purpose of increasing sales further that surpass Wall Street's estimates.
- E. The computer company, surpassing Wall Street's estimates, reported strong second-quarter earnings, while announcing that to increase sales further, there would be the first in a series of price cuts.

- A 为单一句。公司报告。。。和 宣布。。。。
- B 报告显示， 超过。。。。 超过的发出者不应该是报告
- C 超过。。。。， 报告显示， 同上
- D 公司报告， 宣告。。。。
- E 公司， 超过， 报告。超过的发出者不是公司

7 Data gathered by weather satellites has been analyzed by scientists, reporting that the Earth's northern latitudes have become about ten percent greener since 1980, due to more vigorous plant growth associated with warmer temperatures and higher levels of atmospheric carbon dioxide.

- A. Data gathered by weather satellites has been analyzed by scientists, reporting that the Earth's northern latitudes have
- B. Data gathered by weather satellites has been analyzed by scientists, and they report the Earth's northern latitudes as having
- C. After analyzing data gathered by weather satellites, scientists report that the Earth's northern latitudes have
- D After analysis of data, gathered by weather satellites, scientists report the Earth's northern latitudes as having
- E After data gathered by weather satellites was analyzed by scientists, who report that the Earth's northern latitudes have

主句， ing (A) report 发出者不是 data

Data has。。。, and 他们怎么怎么着。They 不知道指代谁 (B)

分析 ing, 科学家怎么怎么着(C)

分析后， 被收集， 科学家怎么怎么。(D) 科学家不是被收集对象

After 句子 1, who。。。。 无主句 (E)

Concerns about public health led to the construction between 1876 and 1904 of three separate sewer systems to serve metropolitan Boston.

- (A) Concerns about public health led to the construction between 1876 and 1904 of three separate sewer systems to serve

(B) Concerns about public health have led to the construction of three separate sewer systems between 1876 and 1904 to serve

© Concerns about public health have led between 1876 and 1904 to the construction of three separate sewer systems for serving

(D) There were concerns about public health leading to the construction between 1876 and 1904 of three separate sewer systems serving

(E) There were concerns leading between 1876 and 1904 to the construction of three separate sewer systems for serving

ABC: 顾虑导致建设

DE: 有顾虑（注意绝对不能翻译成顾虑怎么怎么了，先从大结构入手定性！）在此基础上判断，可以先比较两组内部，也可以先判断大结构哪个更合理。