

REGIONAL LATIN FORUM 2008
ADVANCED DERIVATIVES

I. Choose the response that means the same as the underlined word or best completes the sentence.

1. By definition, a derivative comes from a
a. net. b. root. c. wheel. d. stream.
2. A moribund civilization is one that is
a. dying out. b. influential. c. developing. d. bellicose.
3. The employee completed even the most odious tasks.
a. difficult b. unappreciated c. hated d. laborious
4. The warrior's sword was refulgent.
a. gleaming b. unbreakable c. made of iron d. smeared with blood
5. An ossicle is a small
a. kiss. b. bone. c. speech. d. door.
6. Which of the following could be described as lambent?
a. a broken rock b. a flickering flame
c. a drooping flower d. a hidden treasure
7. The king ignored the imprecations of the mob gathered outside the palace.
a. curses b. fears c. praises d. gifts
8. A vernal activity occurs
a. in the fall. b. every evening. c. in the spring. d. every morning.
9. Our journey was hindered because of niveous conditions.
a. desert b. snowy c. stormy d. windy
10. A penguin is a gressorial animal because it
a. has wings. b. eats fish. c. lives in a cold climate. d. moves by walking.

II. Choose the English word that is derived from the given Latin word.

11. solum
a. soil b. solace c. solution d. solid
12. vitium
a. violate b. vicious c. inevitable d. vital
13. aevum
a. aver b. avarice c. longevity d. relieve
14. saeculum
a. saccule b. sacrament c. sector d. secular

15. cano
 a. candle b. canine c. accent d. incendiary
16. humus
 a. humor b. homage c. humane d. humble
17. fallo
 a. feeble b. foolish c. fault d. futile
18. salio
 a. sauté b. salad c. salubrious d. sauce
19. mitis
 a. mite b. mitigate c. omit d. vomit
20. lis
 a. delirium b. illicet c. litigate d. collision

III. Choose the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

21. libel
 a. bellum b. bis c. libertas d. libellus
22. rupture
 a. ruo b. rumpo c. uro d. utor
23. reliability
 a. ligo b. lego c. lex d. liber
24. ravish
 a. rabies b. res c. reor d. rapio
25. sausage
 a. sanguis b. sal c. sapio d. salio
26. invasion
 a. venio b. vado c. vagor d. viso
27. tedious
 a. taedet b. taeda c. otium d. odi
28. lesion
 a. ludo b. lugeo c. lateo d. laedo
29. pelt
 a. pello b. palleo c. palus d. pellis
30. architrave
 a. arcus b. arceo c. trabs d. traho

IV. Choose the meaning of the Latin word from which the given English word is derived.

31. egregious
a. walk b. bear c. flock d. kind
32. tenuous
a. smooth b. thin c. stretch d. hold
33. leisure
a. it is pleasing b. it is suitable c. it is permitted d. it is necessary
34. innocuous
a. harm b. learn c. night d. birth
35. avuncular
a. bird b. greed c. help d. uncle
36. remunerate
a. wall b. warn c. build d. gift
37. sullen
a. any b. alone c. loosen d. comfort
38. emergency
a. buy b. earn c. dip d. depart
39. torsion
a. roast b. beg c. be numb d. twist
40. vellicate
a. pluck b. cover c. swift d. fleece

V. Choose the word which does NOT belong by derivation.

41. a. tutor b. institution c. tutelage d. tuition
42. a. surround b. abound c. inundate d. refund
43. a. rendezvous b. sedulous c. sacerdotal d. vendor
44. a. cretaceous b. decrease c. concrete d. accrue
45. a. fairy b. face c. prefatory d. infant
46. a. trouble b. turbulence c. distribute d. imperturbable

47. a. joust b. jury c. perjure d. adjust
48. a. immoral b. moratorium c. moralize d. morose
49. a. mincemeat b. diminish c. imminent d. minuet
50. a. radiate b. eradicate c. radish d. radical