

Technical English IV Test

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I. Vocabulary matching

Paragraph 1

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| 1. deal | a. An instance of moving armies into a country or region to take it over. |
| 2. resumption | b. An agreement entered into by two or more people, businesses or countries. |
| 3. ease | c. Make something unpleasant or intense less serious or severe. |
| 4. invasion | d. A formal public occasion that celebrates a particular event. |
| 5. infrastructure | e. Arrange or negotiate an agreement or deal. |
| 6. ceremony | f. The action of beginning something again after a pause or interruption. |
| 7. broker | g. The basic physical and organizational structures and facilities (e.g. buildings, roads, power supplies) a city or country has. |

Paragraph 2

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| 8. negotiations | h. Signed. |
| 9. provocation | i. A lack of proper food that causes one to lose too much weight. |
| 10. jeopardy | j. Exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed. |
| 11. penned | k. Danger of loss, harm, or failure. |
| 12. facilitate | l. Make an action or process easy or easier. |
| 13. vulnerable | m. Discussions aimed at reaching an agreement. |
| 14. malnutrition | n. Action or speech that makes someone angry, especially on purpose. |

II. Synonym match: (The words on the left are from the news article.)

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| 1 deal | a arrange |
| 2 resume | b relieve |
| 3 rise | c Talks |
| 4 ease | d danger |
| 5 broker | e hike |
| 6 negotiations | f slipping |
| 7 last | g recommence |
| 8 jeopardy | h hunger |
| 9 sliding | i continue |
| 10 malnutrition | j Pact |

III. GAP FILL

Listen, and write the correct words from the list on the right in the blanks' article of every paragraph.

Ukraine and Russia have signed a deal to allow (1) -needed exports of grain to resume from Ukraine's Black Sea ports. The resumption should (2) a world shortage of wheat that has left millions of people in Africa and India at (3) of hunger. Russia's invasion of Ukraine has also resulted in a global (4) in food prices. Millions of tons of grain are (5) waiting for export at ports. The deal to allow exports should ease the (6) on food prices. Russia's Defence Minister Sergei Shoigu and Ukraine's Infrastructure Minister Oleksandr Kubrakov signed the deal at a (7) in Istanbul. Turkey's President Erdogan helped to (8) the agreement.

risk
currently
much
broker
rise
ceremony
ease
pressure

The sides took two months to reach the deal, after (9) negotiations. It is set to last for 120 days. Ukraine has warned that any Russian (10) could put the deal in (11) This has already been tested after Russian forces attacked the Black Sea port of Odessa within 24 hours of the deal being (12) . Mr Shoigu told reporters that the deal might facilitate the export of more (13) . He said: "I'm not talking about beginning only the export of agricultural products from Ukrainian ports, but also the export of (14) products and fertiliser from Russian ports." The US said more exports were needed, "to (15) the world's most vulnerable from sliding into deeper food insecurity and (16) .

penned
malnutrition
intensive
jeopardy
agricultural
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products
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IV. Multiple Choice Quiz

Write the letters "a", "b", "c" or "d" to answer the next questions:

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| 1) Where are the ports that Ukraine's grain can now leave from?

a) the Mediterranean
b) on the Baltic Coast
c) on the Black Sea
d) the Ural Sea | <input type="text"/> | 8) How long did the deal take to negotiate?

a) twelve weeks
b) eight weeks
c) ten weeks
d) six weeks | <input type="text"/> |
| 2) What should the deal ease?

a) a world shortage of wheat
b) international relations
c) gasoline prices
d) fighting | <input type="text"/> | 9) How long will the negotiation last?

a) two months
b) eight weeks
c) one hundred and twenty days
d) twenty four hours | <input type="text"/> |
| 3) Has Russia's invasion of Ukraine resulted in a global rise in food prices?

a) Yes, it is.
b) No, it isn't.
c) Yes, it has.
d) No, it hasn't. | <input type="text"/> | 10) What did Ukraine say could jeopardise the deal?

a) global warming
b) the weather
c) food prices
d) Russian provocation | <input type="text"/> |
| 4) How much grain is waiting for export?

a) 6,800,000 tons
b) hundreds of thousands of tons
c) billions of tons
d) millions of tons | <input type="text"/> | 11) What port was attacked in the day following the signing of the deal?

a) Izmail
b) Odessa
c) Kiliya
d) Kerch | <input type="text"/> |
| 5) Who is Sergei Shoigu?

a) Russia's Agriculture Minister
b) Russia's Defence Minister
c) Russia's Security Minister
d) Russia's Finance Minister | <input type="text"/> | 12) When was Odessa port attacked?

a) before the deal being penned
b) within 24 hours of the deal being penned.
c) 24 hours after the deal being penned
d) 24 hours before the deal being penned | <input type="text"/> |
| 6) Where did they sign the deal?

a) in Russia
b) in Ukraine
c) in Istanbul
d) in Ukraine's Black Sea ports. | <input type="text"/> | 13) What does Russia want to export besides agricultural products?

a) fertilisers
b) gas
c) weapons
d) potatoes | <input type="text"/> |
| 7) Who helped to broker the deal?

a) US President Joe Biden
b) Oleksandr Kubrakov
c) Turkey's President Erdogan
d) France's President Macron | <input type="text"/> | 14) Who did the US say could slide into deeper food insecurity?

a) people in Europe
b) the Global South
c) the world
d) the world's most vulnerable | <input type="text"/> |