

Stars & Stripes Reading page 6 – Part 1

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| 1. spiraling | _____ | a. Turning quickly |
| 2. inexorably declined | _____ | b. Existing and posing potential danger |
| 3. spinning | _____ | c. Wait for |
| 4. metric tons | _____ | d. Continuing in an extreme way |
| 5. viable | _____ | e. Rising without stopping |
| 6. large-scale | _____ | f. Holding steady |
| 7. lurking | _____ | g. Usable |
| 8. biding | _____ | h. Relating to the organization of something |
| 9. logistical | _____ | complicated |
| 10. stabilizing | _____ | i. Over a wide area or involving a lot of |
| 11. relentless | _____ | people |
| | | j. 1 metric ton = 2000 pounds (USA) = 453 |
| | | grams |
| | | k. Become less and less |