

Unit 9 – Set 4 – Verbs

Exercise A

Match the words to their meanings:

	Words			Meanings
1	to assume	.....	a.	להכין
2	to combine	.....	b.	להניח
3	to persuade	.....	c.	להפחית
4	to prepare	.....	d.	לייצר
5	to produce	.....	e.	לשכנע
6	to reduce	.....	f.	לשלב

Exercise B

Circle the correct answer:

1. If she doesn't want to go to the party, nothing will **persuade / prepare** her.
2. Russia **produces / persuades** a lot of gas for export.
3. The cake took four hours to **combine / prepare**.
4. The car **reduced / produced** speed as it approached the parking.
5. Three countries **combined / assumed** their efforts to fight the crisis together.
6. We **reduced / assumed** that they knew each other because they went to the same college.

Exercise C

Complete the definitions with the words below:

assume, combine, persuade, prepare, produce, reduce

1. To _____ means to accept something to be true without question or proof.
2. To _____ means to become or to make something become smaller in size, amount, degree, importance, etc.
3. To _____ means to cause to exist together or join together to make a single thing or group.
4. To _____ means to make or get something or someone ready for something that will happen in the future.
5. To _____ means to make someone do or believe something by giving them a good reason to do it or by talking to that person and making them believe it.
6. To _____ means to make something or bring something into existence.

*Definitions are taken from:

<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english/>

<https://www.merriam-webster.com/>