Order of Adjectives

The general order of adjectives before a noun is the following:

Opinion	Size	Age	Shape	Color	Origin	Material	Purpose	Noun
ugly	small	old	thin	red	Italian	cotton	sleeping	bag
beautiful	--	--	long	white	French	silk	wedding	dress
--	large	ancient	--	--	Greek	clay	flower	vases

O S A S C O M P

Choose the correct variant:

1. **I like this _____ alarm clock.**
   - **A. big, new, pink**
   - **B. pink, new, big**
   - **C. new, big, pink**

2. **Look at my _____ dress!**
   - **A. beautiful, red, silk**
   - **B. red, beautiful, silk**
   - **C. silk, red, beautiful**

3. **Jessy hid in the _____ box.**
   - **A. big, brown, square**
   - **B. brown, square, big**
   - **C. big, square, brown**

4. **The cook is using _____ knife.**
   - **A. a sharp long metal**
   - **B. a long metal sharp**
   - **C. a long sharp metal**

5. **Bob lives in a _____ house.**
   - **A. brick, modern, double-storey**
   - **B. double-storey, brick, modern**
   - **C. modern , double-storey, brick**

6. **I gave him a _____ shirt for his birthday.**
   - **A. white, long, cotton**
   - **B. long, white, cotton**
   - **C. white, cotton, long**