

**Match** the phrases (1–15) with the correct situation (a–d).

- a** When trying to make your ideas clearer.
- b** When asking for someone to repeat something.
- c** When asking for clarification.
- d** When you realize you have made a mistake.



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| 6 Perhaps I could make that clearer by saying ... | <div>.....</div> |
| 7 Would you mind repeating that?                  | <div>.....</div> |
| 8 What I meant to say was ...                     | <div>.....</div> |
| 9 When you say XXX, do you mean ...?              | <div>.....</div> |
| 10 Sorry, what was that?                          | <div>.....</div> |
| 11 Could you explain what you mean by ...?        | <div>.....</div> |
| 12 I'm sorry, can I say that again?               | <div>.....</div> |
| 13 What I mean is ...                             | <div>.....</div> |
| 14 What I'm trying to say is ...                  | <div>.....</div> |
| 15 I'm sorry?                                     | <div>.....</div> |