

COMMUNICATION PRACTICE












7 LISTENING

Listen to the conversations between editors at Modern Reader. Then listen again and circle the letter of the sentence you hear from each pair.

1. a. Jill hired Bob.
b. Jill was hired by Bob.
2. a. I trained Minna.
b. I was trained by Minna.
3. a. It's published just six times a year.
b. It was published just six times a year.
4. a. Tony fired Jill.
b. Tony was fired by Jill.
5. a. She interviewed Jay.
b. She was interviewed by Jay.
6. a. He was laid off.
b. Was he laid off?

8 TRANSLATIONS

These are some non-English titles of Reader's Digest. * Work in small groups. Try to guess which language each title is written in and where it is sold.

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EXAMPLE:

A: I think Number 2 is written in German.

B: Right. And it's probably sold in Germany and Austria.

C: It's probably also sold in Switzerland.