Read the text and choose the correct word for each space. For each question circle A, B, C or D.

SMART SHOES



Smart shoes that adjust their size throughout the day could soon be available. A prototype of such a shoe has already been produced and a commercial **(1)** _____ may be in production within a few years. The shoe contains sensors that constantly **(2)** _____ the amount of a **(3)** _____ left in it. If the foot has become too large, a tiny valve opens and the shoe **(4)** _____ slightly. The entire control system is about 5mm square and is **(5)** _____ inside the shoe. This radical shoe **(6)** _____ a need because the volume of the **(7)** _____ foot can change by as much as 8% during the course of the day. The system is able to learn about the wearer's feet and **(8)** _____ up a picture of the size of his or her feet throughout the day. It will allow the shoes to change in size by up to 8% so that they always fit **(9)** _____. They are obviously more comfortable and less likely to **(10)** _____ blisters. From an athlete's point of view, they can help improve **(11)** _____ a little, and that is why the first **(12)** _____ for the system is likely to be in a sports shoe.

Eventually, this system will find a **(13)** _____ in other household items, from beds that automatically change to fit the person sleeping in them, to power tools that **(14)** _____ themselves to the user's hand for better grip. There is no reason why the system couldn't be adapted for use in hundreds of consumer **(15)** _____.

1.	A) assortment	B) version	C) style	D) variety
2.	A) prove	B) confirm	C) inspect	D) check
3.	A) room	B) gap	C) area	D) emptiness
4.	A) amplifies	B) develops	C) expands	D) increases
5.	A) located	B) sited	C) established	D) laid
6.	A) detects	B) finds	C) meets	D) faces
7.	A) average	B) general	C) usual	D) medium
8.	A) build	B) pick	C) grow	D) set
9.	A) exactly	B) absolutely	C) completely	D) totally
10.	A) provoke	B) form	C) initiate	D) cause
11.	A) achievement	B) performance	C) success	D) winning
12.	A) purpose	B) exercise	C) use	D) operation
13.	A) function	B) part	C) way	D) place
14.	A) shape	B) change	C) respond	D) convert
15.	A) commodities	B) possessions	C) goods	D) objects

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