Collocations 1

1 He spoke English with a .....French accent.

A. average

B. careless

C. widespread

D. pronounced

E. chronic

2 His new novel has met with..... acclaim.

A. careless

B. dreadful

C. great

D. big

E. wholehearted

3 We need to make sure that there is enough ..... accommodation to house all the delegates.

A. useful

B. wide

C. tidy

D. luxury

E. catering

4 He gave us a..... account of all that you had achieved over there.

A. detailed

B. large

C. wholehearted

D. uncanny

E. interested

5 Could you please give me an ..... account?

A. ample

B. itemised

C. interesting

D. in-depth

E. informative

6 We need to crack down hard on the ..... abuse of drugs.

A. average

B. outright

C. widespread

D. frenetic

E. careless

7 He was able to predict what was going to happen with..... accuracy.

A. wonderful

B. uncanny

C. careless

D. incredibly

E. bright

8 They've made some highly ..... accusations about us.

A. itemised

B. uncanny

C. damaging

D. pronounced

E. glowing

9 We need to find a new site with..... access to the European motorway network.

A. ready

B. outright

C. widespread

D. pronounced

E. wholehearted

10 This will probably be the .....achievement of her career.

A. ample

B. good

C. damaging

D. crowning

E. glowing

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11 I did all the groundwork on this project but he only gave me a ..... acknowledgement in his report.

A. itemized

B. uncanny

C. damaging

D. crowning

E. grudging

12 I don't know him very well. He's just a ..... acquaintance.

A. casual

B. uncanny

C. damaging

13 He invited me around to see his ..... acquisition, a new BMW.

A. casual

B. latest

C. damaging

D. crowning

E. enhanced

14 We need to take some ..... action before it is too late.

A. key

B. excellent

C. decisive

D. damaging

E. vital

15 He wasn't particularly good. He was of about .....ability.

A. middle

B. media

C. optimal

D. excellent

E. average

16 We're fighting for the..... abolition of the death penalty.

A. Average

B. outright

C. decisive

D. frenetic

E. chronic

17 I'm afraid he was involved in a ..... accident.

A. ready

B. dreadful

C. rather

D. mortal

E. fatal

18 I don't think we can succeed without the ..... acceptance of the unions.

A. average

B. polite

C. careless

D. pronounced

E. wholehearted

19 There always a lot of..... activity going on but nothing much seems to get done!

A. interested

B. decisive

C. chronic

D. frenetic

E. grudging

20 I'm afraid her husband has got a ..... addiction to gambling.

A. annoying

B. latest

C. decisive

D. frenetic

E. chronic

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