

Read the text below. For questions (33—42) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

JAPANESE SCIENTISTS PHOTOGRAPH GIANT SQUID

Japanese scientists have taken the first-ever photographs of a live giant squid. These sea creatures are called «giant» for a reason. This particular squid was 26 feet long. Giant squids (33) _____ to grow up to 60 feet long!

Squids are *invertebrates*, which (34) _____ they do not have backbones. They have eight short arms and two long tentacles, which are covered with suction cup-like suckers.

(35) _____ giant squids on film has been very difficult because they are shy creatures that (36) _____ in very deep water. In the past 100 years, there only have been 50 confirmed (37) _____ of live giant squids. Most scientists have only seen dead squid that were washed ashore or were caught in (38) _____ nets.

It took three years for scientists to get pictures of this squid. Scientists placed a camera about 3,000 feet under water near the coast of Japan's Bonin Islands. They put bait near (39) _____ camera. Finally, a squid came by to test the bait and (40) _____.

Scientists already have learned a lot about giant squids from the pictures. Many people thought squids (41) _____ slow because they are so big. But the photos show that giant squids might be (42) _____ active predators than people thought. The photos also show that a giant squid uses its tentacles to squeeze prey in much the same way a python does.

	A	B	C	D
33	have been known	have known	had been known	known
34	mean	means	meaning	meant
35	To capture	Capture	Captures	Capturing
36	have lived	have been living	were living	live
37	sights	sightseeings	sightings	sighters
38	fishermen	fishermen's	fishermens'	fishermen'
39	a	an	the	no article
40	has been photographed	was photographed	photographed	has photographed
41	had been	were	are	have been
42	much	many	most	more