



11.1 DESCRIBING CONSUMER GOODS (PAGE 108)

A Complete the sentences with the correct words in the box.

authentic	counterfeit	deadly	sophisticated
fireproof	inferior	legal	

- 1 Is this watch real or not? If it's a copy, it's a very _____ one.
- 2 Don't buy that phone. It's made of cheap, _____ materials, which won't last.
- 3 Your purse is _____. It's definitely made by our company.
- 4 Is it _____ to copy designer clothing if you openly say it's not real?
- 5 One of the chemicals used in this hair dye is dangerous. In fact, it's _____. Throw it away!
- 6 I got a(n) _____ \$5 bill in my change yesterday. I took it to the bank, and they gave me a real one.
- 7 This blanket is made of _____ material and is very safe for your child's bed.

B Circle the correct options.

My friend says she doesn't mind if goods are ¹counterfeit / sophisticated as long as they're cheap. But it's an ²inferior / illegal trade, so that's why I prefer to buy ³fake / genuine goods. Besides, I don't like ⁴second-rate / original stuff.

I bought some ⁵fireproof / inferior gloves because I often have barbecues in the summer. But it turned out they weren't ⁶a deadly / an authentic product. The design was ⁷imperfect / original and had many problems. To me, this was a ⁸fake / legal issue because of the risk of injury, so I went to the police.