

(A) Underline adjectives in the following sentences and mention their category.

1. She ate some rice but no bread.
2. They are afraid of hidden enemies.
3. The whole town was asleep.
4. They taught us many things about this issue.
5. Which way leads to the city courts ?
6. I did it with my own hands.
7. Every word of his was true.

Adjective of quantity
Adjective of quality
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Adjective of number
Interrogative adjective
Adjective of quality
Distributive adjective

(B) Select the correct word from the alternatives given in brackets in the following sentences.

1. (That/These) mangoes are ripe.
2. Rama is (more/most) intelligent than Kavita.
3. Lead is heavier than (any/any other) metal.
4. Ramesh came (soon/sooner) than his brother.
5. Do this work without (further/farther) delay.
6. His school is (further/farther) than that of his brother.
7. Radium is the (rarer/rarest) of metals.

(C) Each of the following sentences has an error of adjective. Correct it.

1. This novel is good than that.
2. I like these kind of magazines.
3. No less than five students won prizes.
4. He is the wisest of the two boys.
5. He is richer than wise.
6. What is the last news ?

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(D) Supply the proper form of the given adjectives.

1. poor : He is poorer than his brother.
2. clever : Of the two he is cleverer.
3. rich : Laxmi Kant is one of the richest men in our city.
4. wise : Shivaji was wiser than all his contemporaries.
5. proud : He is the proudest man in our locality.
6. bad : Her condition is getting from bad to badder.

(E) Fill in the blanks with appropriate adjectives.

The (a) wise frog made the (b) little nightingale to sing loudly at a (c) higher pitch. The nightingale was good enough to follow him. Soon her (d) sweet voice was lost. After (e) some time she died. The frog was very (f) sad and he began to sing in his (g) own voice. All the inhabitants of (h) beautiful island had to listen to whatever he sang.

(F) Supply the appropriate degree of comparison.

1. Shimla is colder (cold) than Jalandhar.
 2. Kolkata is the largest (big) city in India.
 3. Suhana is the most beautiful (beautiful) girl in this class.
 4. He is cleverer (clever) than his friend.
 5. Which is the nearer (near) school?
 6. The thief was taken to the nearer (near) police station.
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(G) Fill in the blanks in the following passage with the appropriate degrees of adjectives given in brackets :

Travelling is the (a) good (good) means of education. Those who travel in various parts of the country and the world develop a (b) larger (large) and (c) wider (wide) view of life. They become (d) more tolerant (tolerant) and secular than others. Last year I paid a visit to Agra and saw the Taj, the (e) most beautiful (beautiful) building I have ever seen. But the Yamuna is not as (f) clean (clean) and as attractive as I had read in the books. The government and the people should pay (g) more (much) attention to this historical building which has got the (h) largest (large) number of votes to make it one of the seven wonders of the world.

(H) Supply the proper form of the adjectives.

1. lazy : Who is the laziest of you all?
 2. wise : Tinny is the wisest girl.
 3. useful : Iron is more useful than any other metal.
 4. heavy : Gold is one of the heaviest metals.
 5. rich : He is the richest man in the world.
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