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Exercise One

1.						
The understandi	ng that human mental	l ba	andwidth is a finite a	nd s	carce resource could	
	hange the way we thi					
cognitive load or	n the poor, a mental (ii)_	akin to losing	13 I	Q points, that they have litt	le
bandwidth left o	ver to do what might	lif	t them out of poverty	7 — li	ike go to night school or	
search for a new	job. Being poor mea	ns	coping with not just	the	financial instability, but als	О
with a concurrer	nt (iii) of cognit	ive	e resources.			
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	massive		hysteria		shortfall	
	ephemeral		burden		superfluity	
	esoteric		rhapsody		surfeit	
2.						
	es clear there has nev	ær	been a single "authe	ntic	" style of jazz conclusively	
	*		C		stylistic innovations achieve	
-		_			nis extraordinary originality	
	a number of musician		-			,
·			• •		succession of great me	en
	• •		•		th he describes with a(n)	
(iii) of tast						
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	depreciated		linear		circumscription	
	universal		divergent		exclusivity	
	parochial		interwoven		catholicity	
3.						
	re designed without	a(n) (i) understand	ling	of such wind flows, they a	ıre
	•			_	n gusts is especially (ii)	,
	-		-		transmission line overload	ds.
The situation is	similar to the early da	ays	of aviation, when a	rcra	ft designers were working	by
(iii) because	e the atmosphere was	so	poorly understood.			
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	complete		intriguing		trial and error	
	dubious		problematic		sophisticated design	
	outdated		elusive		proven routine	

4.				
There is the	(i) situation in many	of toda	ay's organizations wh	here they are attempting to (ii)
stakehol	ders by means of social i	nedia,	while at the same tim	e prohibiting their own
employees fr	om using social network	ing too	ls at work. There are	too many reported instances
of employees	s being (iii) the soc	ial netv	orking tools they are	e told to use.
	Blank (i)	Bl	ank (ii)	Blank (iii)
	outrageous	de	ter	tired of employing
	predictable	mı	ızzle	banned from using
	paradoxical	en	gage	exhausted by
5.				
	brilliant at learning new	langua	ges of all sorts. Their	neurons are practically
	•	_	-	As we age, however, the
	•	_	-	nd the entire neuronal matrix,
				r early thirties, the mind is
				eaks, and that commitment is
reflected in i		10 11110 (s nom whomes it spe	, with the total to the total t
Terrected III I	is structure.			
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)	Blank (iii)
	with little effort		mingle	made up
	painstakingly		metamorphose	nimble
	with clear objectives		harden	transformed
	with clear objectives		narden	
6.				
	eritus at Occidental Coll	aga ang	I the leader of an inte	arnational folkdance
		_		ossroads of archeology and
			_	cavation of myth and legend
_				
	_	es of a	ancing in the shape of	of agrarian ritual and then
leaps into (iii				
	Blank (i)	Blan	nk (ii)	Blank (iii)
	romantic		terate fantasy	mystery
	scholarly		al history	anonymity
	surreal		onal choreography	sanctimony

The country's self-perception is highly (i) ____, its mood swinging repeatedly from (ii) ____ to near despair and back again. Less than a decade ago, in the wake of the deceptively easy triumph over the wretched legions of Saddam Hussein, the United States was the lonely superpower. Today the conventional wisdom speaks of inevitable decline; of an American financial system flawed by greed and debt; of a political system (iii) ____ and corrupted by campaign contributions, negative ads, and lobbyists.

Blank (i) staunch

volatile saccharine Blank (ii)

solicitude disgruntlement euphoria Blank (iii)

mitigated deadlocked optimized

8

The glories yielded by a successful politics lie outside itself. Its deepest purpose is to create the conditions for the cultivation of the finer things, beginning with philosophy and science, and (i)____ to the ever more delicate and (ii)___ arts. The lesson of our history is that the task of merely maintaining strong and sturdy the structures of a constitutional order is unending, the continuing and (iii)___ work of every generation.

Blank (i)

condescending tracing back ascending Blank (ii)

gaudy antediluvian refined Blank (iii)

ceaseless episodic ruthless

9.

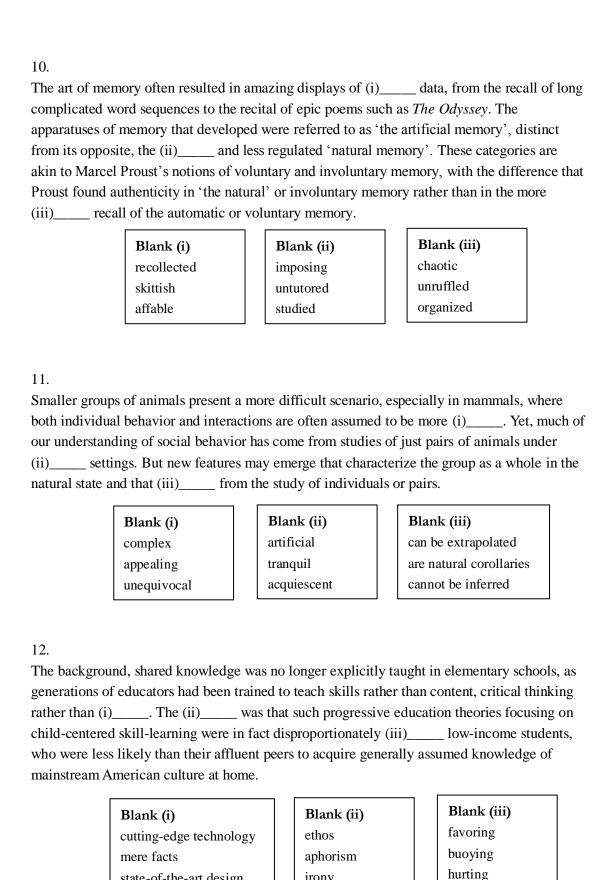
The existence of multiple forms of intelligence has become a(n) (i)_____, but however much elite universities like to sprinkle their incoming classes with a few actors or violinists, they select for and develop only one form of intelligence, the analytic, and tend to (ii)_____the value of others. One naturally prizes what one most possesses, but social intelligence and emotional intelligence and creative ability, to name just three other forms, are not distributed (iii)___among the educational elite.

Blank (i)

privilege anomaly commonplace Blank (ii)

extol ignore extinguish Blank (iii)

haphazardly preferentially randomly



irony

state-of-the-art design

Exercise Two

these forms of	ion of black politics is (struggle as political. Yntesting white supremace)	et v	we should regard the	m as	(ii), I suggest	,		
	Blank (i) too narrow too conceptual too speculative	ta p	Blank (ii) angential political rrelevant	re re	lank (iii) construct inforce nplement			
studied, little idifficulty of ode experience san	14. Although the macro-level and long-term implications of happiness have been extensively studied, little is known about the (i) social behavior of happy people, primarily due to the difficulty of objectively measuring everyday behavior. Many behavioral measures (e.g., experience sampling, day reconstruction method) rely on self-reports and so (ii) true associations between happiness and behavior from (iii) or idealized self-views.							
	Blank (i) daily typical buoyant		Blank (ii) cannot synthesize cannot disentangle cannot orchestrate		Blank (iii) insouciance biases detachment			
For much of human history, priests, politicians, and philosophers cast a (i) eye on curious folks. It wasn't just that staring at rainbows all day or pulling apart insects' wings seemed weird, even (ii) It also represented a colossal waste of time, which could be better spent building the economy or reading the Bible. Only in the 1600s did society start to (iii) or at least tolerate the pursuit of idle interests, which led to the rise of modern science.								
	Blank (i) trustful luke warm suspicious		Blank (ii) childish impressive promising		Blank (iii) ban sanction admonish			

As underlined by the wonder and horror in the exhibition's title, the head signified both the (i) ____ of which man was capable as well as the weaknesses to which he was (ii) ____: the head is not only man's most dominating feature in the physical sense, it is also his most (iii) ____ feature.

Blank (i)
frailties
powers
cunningness

Blank (ii) supercilious susceptible impervious Blank (iii)
insolent
prevailing
vulnerable

17.

There is a sliding scale between clich é and archetype; an archetype is nothing more than a retrieved clich é The essential difference between the two is not a (i) ____ or stylistic one, but rather the difference between two situations, a(ii) ____ variation between two distinct modes of production and two different moments of history. The originality ostensibly supporting the archetype is revealed as always already manufactured—a (iii) ____ stereotype—just like the clich é

Blank (i)
generic
local
positional

Blank (ii) contextual geographical hackneyed Blank (iii)
refreshing
trite
seminal

18.

While the popular image of Sun Ra during much of his career was that of an offbeat, (i)____ character at the (ii)___ of both mainstream and avant-garde jazz, many scholars now see Sun Ra as a central figure in the 1950s' African American embrace of science and technology. Sun Ra's art, in this view, looked to both the past and future to (iii)___ and claim new metaphorical and material spaces for the diaspora.

Blank (i) cheerful creative domineering Blank (ii)
epicenter
margins
pedigree

Blank (iii) re-envision enclose narrow

During the period of US military involvement in Vietnam, responses to the war in various cultural fields were (i)____, with artists preferring appropriation, allegory, and satire as critical strategies. Even in protest, artists of the time chose (ii) ____politicians responsible for the war, but museums of art, which were seen to be both (iii) ____ and implicated in the war.

Blank (i) forthright indirect perspicuous Blank (ii)
to interrogate
not to toady to
not to confront

Blank (iii) ambivalent pragmatic atrocious

20.

Many researchers have chipped away at the edges of Vera's argument, (i) ____ his take on the data or his interpretation of historical documents. But no one has directly (ii) ____ the heart of his argument: that we have wildly underestimated the impact that animals, especially large ones, had on the environment. Even Vera's critics say they appreciate the debate he has stirred up, if only because it has made them (iii) ____ their convictions.

Blank (i)
embracing
quibbling with
deliberately overlooking

Blank (ii) confronted supported apprehended

Blank (iii)
reaffirm
reexamine
revivify

21.

Among men older than 54, the labor force participation rate has actually been rising for the past couple of decades, reversing an old trend. That alarms some observers, who argue that it is another sign of (i) ____ —that men are being forced out of retirement or have been unable to retire in the first place. But this increase has been (ii) ____ among the best-educated and highest-earning workers, often men who are staying on the job less for a paycheck than for (iii) ____ stimulation, camaraderie, and other intangible benefits.

Blank (i)
distress
senility
tapering

Blank (ii) attenuated concentrated aggravated Blank (iii) worldly piquant mental



Both books, although (i)____, are limited by lack of empirical data and cross-cultural and cross-racial comparisons that could strengthen their arguments. They are missing an honest discussion of how black women's superhuman strength can sometimes harm and stifle not just black women themselves but also black men, children, and others. This idea has been written off as a (ii) ____ stereotype circulated by whites and black men, who've also been (iii) ____ by racialized notions of strength and weakness.

Blank (i)
provincial
interesting
abridged

Blank (ii)
vicious
transient
hoary

Blank (iii) amused infuriated victimized

23.

Because the wind doesn't always blow and the sun doesn't always shine, the power to be derived from these can be (i)_____ and unreliable. But the authors dismiss this and argue for developing new energy storage facilities as if this were as (ii)____ as building a huge storage tanker to hold electricity generated when the wind is blowing hardest and the sun shining brightest. This idea is akin to cold fusion or the perpetual-motion machine: (iii)____ ideas, but existing only in the imagination. Unlike coal or gas, electricity must be generated essentially at the time of use.

Blank (i)
intermittent
stationary
unrelenting

Blank (ii)
easy
prickly
thorny

Blank (iii) wonderful outlandish extraterrestrial

24.

Dance is the quintessential ephemeral cultural artifact. No culture discovered to date has been entirely danceless, yet western notions of dance culture, both before and after the advent of film, have often been fraught with (i)____, colonialism, and exoticism. Until recently, it was not uncommon for a college-level dance history syllabus to (ii)___ the idea of cultural progress by starting with the so-called "primitivism" of African tribes or "aboriginal" dancing in the Americas and then moving toward a perceived cultural (iii)___ in the modern ballets.

Blank (i) denigration reverence aloofness Blank (ii) deconstruct promote excoriate Blank (iii) vernacular apotheosis atavism

Exercise Three

25.											
A notorious	feature of Arendt's poli	tica	l theory is her asserti	on t	hat strictly political	debate,					
deliberation	a, and concerted action (i)	social and econ	omi	c issues. Many of A	rendt's					
critics have	objected to this asocial	und	erstanding of the pro	per	content of politics,	Sheldon					
Wolin and I	Ralph Ellison among the	m.]	Both thinkers, howev	ver, o	despite their (ii)	of					
Arendt, (iii)) her in disti	ngui	shing between conce	eptic	ons of politics based	lon					
rulership an	nd those based on action	in c	oncert.		_						
	Blank (i) Blank (iii) Blank (iii)										
	necessitate	ap	praisal	co	ncur with						
	exclude	ve	neration	di	sagree with						
	supersede	cr	iticisms	de	mur to						
26.											
	the lightest and by far th										
	s, composed of a single					-					
	lesignation of "heavy hy	dro	gen," which possess	one	or even two neutron	ns in					
addition to	the single proton.										
		Г									
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)						
	denominator	1	residuals	ι	inflattering						
	minimalist	١,			inbefitting						
	constituent	(leviants	C	lumsy						
27.											
	erchants of life, the object		_								
	hey are (i) be vie		•		-						
Unfortunate	ely, for most of us, invisi	ble	often translates into	(ii)_	Thus we are	left with					
(iii) s	ense of just how invisib	le th	ne components of wh	ich	we are constructed	really are.					
		1		1		٦					
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)						
	too tiny to		remote		sobering						
	too conspicuous to	1	insignificant	1		1					
	too conspicuous to insignificant scant too impervious to unverifiable uncanny										

This distinction between the personal and the political gives the political realm too much scope and too little scope; at the same time, it renders the personal (i)_____ and not important enough. If we give up the dimension of the personal, we (ii)_____ one of the most powerful sites of resistance. The celebration of the personal, however, can indicate a (iii)____, an inability to see how larger structures of the economy and the state circumscribe, if not determine, the fragile realm of individuality.

Blank (i)
too irrelevant
too germane
too important

Blank (ii)
count on
risk relinquishing
fail to underplay

Blank (iii) scruple myopia self-importance

29.

Whatever the pest in question, the evolution of pesticide resistance (i)_____ the Darwinian algorithm. Random genetic variations arise all the time in a population, especially among fast breeders. Most of those variations are either of little consequence or are decidedly inadvisable, and they are accordingly (ii)_____ selective pressures, or are quickly swept from the gene pool. Every so often, however, a mutation of enormous utility like toxin resistance springs up, and the novel trait soon becomes (iii)_____.

Blank (i)
invalidates
overrides
conforms to

Blank (ii) ignored by confronted by buttressed by Blank (iii)
extinct among the species
incorporated in the pesticides
the species norm

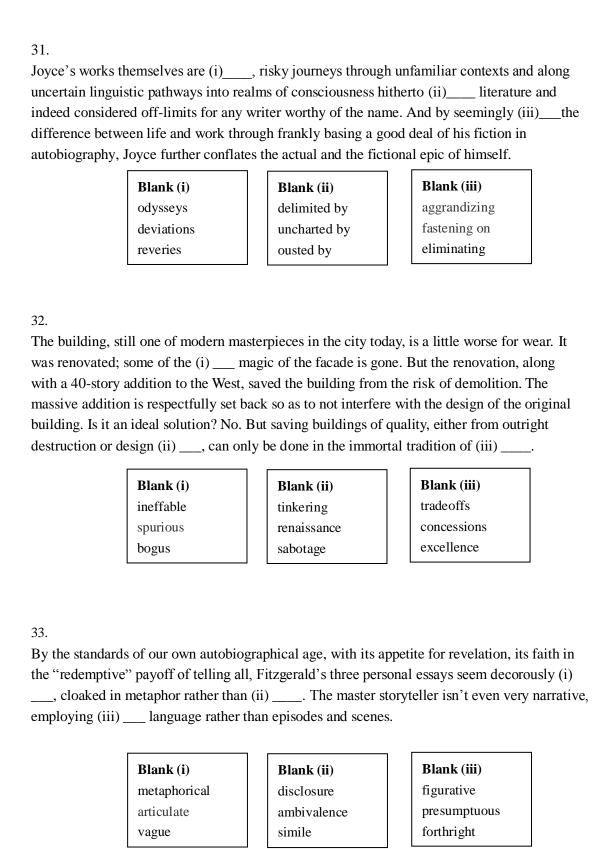
30.

With a better appreciation for the qualities of quantities, people might be able to set aside, if only temporarily, the (i)____ of a human brain that evolved to focus on the peccadilloes of a small, homogeneous tribe, rather than on the (ii)____ population densities and polycultural vortices that characterize life in contemporary cities. If the group you're considering is very big, nearly anything is possible. Events that would be rare on a limited scale become not merely common, but (iii)____.

Blank (i)
cantankerousness
stubbornness
evanescence

Blank (ii)
daunting
negligible
nebulous

Blank (iii) anomalous expected disturbing



The linear no-threshold theory of cancer that no radiation dose is so small that it cannot produce a probability of cancer was proposed when researchers found that survivors of Hiroshima and Nagasaki had (i) high rates of cancer later in life. Scientists used those data at high does to extrapolate how many excess cancer cases would develop at lower doses. Curiously, today we believe these cases to be (ii) even though there is no way to detect them against the normal background of disease: even without (iii) radiation exposure, about one in three people develop cancer.

Blank (i) disproportionately paradoxically unsurprisingly Blank (ii)
spurious
unmistakable
fabricated

Blank (iii) man-made ubiquitous mandatory

35.

Abigail was part of the dominant cohort of Americans who saw in the Constitution a way to stabilize the republic and to secure themselves financially at the expense of the poor. They identified their self-interest with the good of the republic while seeing the interests of debtors and poor people as (i)_____. Does the successful pursuit of wealth impair empathy? Although her concern for herself and other women helped motivate and drive her financial experiments and acquisitiveness, her wealth later (ii)____ many of her own close relationships and (iii)____ the potential scope of her feminism.

Blank (i) desperate dangerous salutary Blank (ii) distorted cultivated fortified Blank (iii) broadened diminished underpinned

36.

Just as preserving forests offers a chance to sequester carbon and (i) ____ unfavorable climate change, preventing the (ii) ____ of coastal habitats, which are often razed for development or aquaculture, ensures that their deep carbon deposits are (iii) ____ into the atmosphere as carbon dioxide.

Blank (i)
facilitate
curb
ameliorate

Blank (ii)
conservation
disruption
expansion

Blank (iii)
reentering
not released
absorbed

Exercise Four

37. The cathedrals and churches of Christendom traditionally were built on the highest promontory in town and outfitted with the loftiest steeples parishioners could afford.									
•									
promontory in town and outfitted with the loftiest steeples parishioners could afford.									
Unfortunately, those tall, wooden towers were regularly struck by lightning. Every time this									
happened, there would be a (i) dialogue about sin and the vengeance of God and what									
the parish had done to bring the wrath of the Lord upon them. Then, in the eighteenth century									
Benjamin Franklin determined that lightning was an electric rather than (ii)									
phenomenon and the debates over the semiotics of lightning bolts (iii)									
Blank (ii) Blank (iii) Blank (iii)									
wrenching an ecclesiastic backfired									
comfortable a secular loomed up									
paltry a controversial vanished									
38.									
Compare the following foursome of forelimbs — a bat's wing, a penguin's flipper, a lizard's									
leg, a human's arm. On the surface, the (i) appendages look quite dissimilar from one									
another, and they perform distinct tasks: flying, swimming, darting, purchasing hands-free									
electronic devices. Yet beneath the (ii) lies skeletal (iii), for each forelimb houses the									
same set of four bones: hum érus, radius, ulna, and carpal.									
Di 1 (1)									
Blank (i) Blank (ii) Blank (iii)									
common miscellany motley									
various vagaries disorder									
redundant arrangement homogeneity									
39.									
The tunicate, or sea squirt, is a (i) hunter in its larval stage and thus has a little brain to									
help it find prey. But on reaching maturity and attaching itself permanently to a safe niche									
from which it can filter-feed on whatever passes by, the sea squirt (ii) the brain. Brains									
are great consumers of energy and it is a good idea to (iii) your brain when you									
discover you have no further need of it.									
Blank (ii) Blank (iii)									
aggressive boosts make to do with									
mobile jettisons get rid of									
veteran bulwarks provide a safeguard for									

In *Social Conquest of Earth*, Edward O. Wilson (i) ____ the very ideas that made him famous: inclusive fitness and kin selection. His followers, as well as those who challenged his theories over the decades, will now read with (ii) ____: "The foundations of the general theory of inclusive fitness based on the assumptions of kin selection (iii) ____; the beautiful theory never worked well anyway, and now it has collapsed."

Blank (i)

reasserts repudiates bolsters

Blank (ii)

astonishment reverence contempt

Blank (iii)

have been fortified have crumbled have been substantiated

41.

Lee's film fails to dispel the notion that African Americans are not quite American."These United States of America", referred to in the film's dedication, thus emerge as a deeply troubled site in which the relative protections of national citizenship remain (i) ____ all but a privileged few. The long history of African American (ii) ____ — placing a large proportion on race and class prejudice—means that America's black population plays a (iii) ____ role in illuminating the national drama of exclusion.

Blank (i)

accessible to elusive for feasible for

Blank (ii)

disenfranchisement displacement dissolution

Blank (iii)

imperceptible central clandestine

42.

The style of Didion's *Blue Nights* is, it's true, hesitant, ruminative, sometimes (i) ____. The muscular snap of her prose from earlier novels and nonfiction is gone. But what you see in *Blue Nights* is how little she needs it. Frail and (ii) ____, she still has (iii) ____.

Blank (i)

sanguine querulous prosaic

Blank (ii)

bereft exuberant stalwart

Blank (iii)

the fragile moment the force to stun the trademark detachment

43.						
Despite the supe	erficial nurturist ideol	ogy	which (i) Ame	ericar	society, the attract	ion to
crass genetic det	terminism which expl	ode	es upon the popular	cultu	re (ii) suggests	that
there is a (iii)	of genetic essentia	lisr	n waiting to be tappe	ed.		
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)] [Blank (iii)	
	enthralls		haphazardly		latent undercurrent	
	dominates		periodically		potent mainstream	
	indoctrinates		coincidentally		prevailing current	
			•			
44.				_		
	nationwide now prod					•
•	percent of total dema				-	_
•	al-fired plants. There					
	il fuels, but one of the		_	: \	We still do not comp	oletely
understand the f	undamental way wind	ls t	olow.			
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	significant feat		blow away		thorny	
	small potatoes		be eclipsed by		basic	
	promising		seriously challenge		notorious	
15						
45.	ماه و معالم و معالم و ماه		anaat thinlyana in asi		oon't hole byt oom	
	who, when reading ab		•		•	-
•	lects with theirs, the f		1 2	•		
	encouraging and disc			_		
	ney were (i), full					
	cause, even at their du					l, Livio
argues that their	"brilliant blunders" e	end	ed up (iii) scien	nce o	verall.	
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)] [Blank (iii)	
	fallible		asinine		harming	
	invincible		incredible		benefiting	
	exceptional		provocative		circumventing	
	L EXCEDITOHAL		DIOVOCALIVE	ı l	CII CUIII VOIIUIII	ı

Through their insistent emphasis on the face as a necessary component of depicting current affairs, the magazine's portraits recast complex issues of national and global concern into a constantly fluctuating cast of characters. However, the portraits do less to convey something of their sitters than they do to constitute (i) _____. No matter who the subject was, the template always (ii) _____. Despite depicting (iii) _____, the subjects within these covers appear more as systematic variations on a standard unit.

Blank (i)

an anomaly a type a mirage Blank (ii)

changed accordingly remained the same conformed to them Blank (iii)

individuals politicians celebrities

47.

As African Americans determine the extent to which their labor can speak for them in shaping their identities, the novel refutes the (i) ____ of physical labor to further affirm the work ethic. Yet the text ultimately notes how white prejudice and black intraracial class (ii) ____ often (iii) ___ advancement by even the most diligent black workers.

Blank (i)

stigma halo peculiarity Blank (ii)

tensions reconciliation rapprochement

Blank (iii)

inhibit augment galvanize

48.

While the pioneering *Bt* potato, the first genetically engineered pest-resistant crop on the market whose genes were complemented by those of *Bacillus thuringiensis*, did not prove a commercial success, genetically engineered corn, soybeans and cotton have become the (i)____ for the vast majority of farmers in the United States today. Genetic engineering, though (ii) ____, has transformed agriculture into a well-oiled and (iii) ____ biological machine that aims to feed the growing global population.

Blank (i)

bane norm trouble-maker Blank (ii)

promising revolutionary contentious

Blank (iii)

finely tuned wieldy gigantic

Exercise Five

American of authoria	al gravity shifted from the a	re in narrative voice, an alleged (iii) afforde	, marking a (ii) in evident moment when the center ed by fiction's third person to the on voice with all its limitations.					
	Blank (i)	Blank (ii)	Blank (iii)					
1	an overwhelming feat	deliberate reinvention						
	an abrupt reversal	fundamental change	omniscience					
[6	a sharp pivot	vehement denunciation	on sincerity					
self-convidual discipline like hindsi	ght bias and the halo effect	blind spots. He repeated lly claiming that others t. While his book rails a						
	Blank (i)	Blank (ii)	Blank (iii)					
	precarious	aphorism	credit					
	unrelenting	quirks	originality					
	flinching	truism	foresight					
Closed-canopy forests, which most people regard as the (i) state of nature, may actually be man-made. In fact, the forest floor is too barren to support large numbers of grazers, and the canopy is too dense to let light-hungry trees like oaks sprout and grow. Yet traditional forest management usually winds up (ii) deer and bison when their behavior starts to affect trees. The tragedy is that biodiversity is (iii) on the altar of the closed-canopy forest.								
	Blank (i)	Blank (ii)	Blank (iii)					
	normal	feeding	conserved					
	abnormal	domesticating	sacrificed					
	artificial	culling	improved					



The eminently portable paint tube was (i) ____ accepted by many French artists since it added considerably to the price of paint, but when it caught on it was exactly what the Impressionists needed to (ii) ____ their escape from the confines of the studio, to take their inspiration directly from the world around them. For the first time in history, it was practical to produce a finished oil painting on-site, although art critics would long argue if Impressionist paintings were truly (iii) ____.

Blank (i) swiftly unanimously slow to be

Blank (ii) abet obviate allegorize

Blank (iii) finished magnificent improvised

53.

Most of the sociological research on arts managers relies on the assumption that the roles and functions in the artistic universe can be precisely separated and that the arts manager's role is limited to financing, and that an arts manager uses one orientation only. However, Bourdieu, though partially follows this perception, recognizes a certain fusion of orientations as (i) _____ the art managers. But he conceptualizes this as an act of (ii) _____, as an intrusion of an economic disposition into the arts, so that he sees it as pure (iii) _____.

Blank (i) essential to tangential to inconvenient to

Blank (ii) infiltration imposition deviation

Blank (iii) exploration exploitation idealism

54.

Some of the lyrics in this song are (i)___ and seem to denigrate the workers as irresponsible, while their declaration of themselves as "happy-hearted" despite their (ii)___ treatment by the circus seems to make light of the genuine difficulty of their lives. And yet there is an earthy (iii)___ to their chant-like song, which suggests something admirable about their ability to maintain their spirits despite the conditions under which they live.

Blank (i)
problematic
inspirational
exhilarating

Blank (ii) sympathetic exploitative ebullient Blank (iii)
profanity
languishment
vitality



Some have (i) ____ the importance of usability in elections, arguing that voters only have themselves to blame if they fail to navigate design flaws. This misunderstands the purpose of elections. They are not a test of voters' ability to follow (ii) ____ designs or complicated instructions; they are, instead, a mechanism by which voters express their preference for candidates and policies. No legitimate public purpose is served by designs that (iii) ____ voters' choices.

Blank (i) stressed exaggerated dismissed Blank (ii)
ingenuous
punctilious
confusing

Blank (iii) distort harbor unravel

56.

Holmes' delightful book about the history of hot air balloons is not just a tale of (i) ____ visionaries of those with dash and (ii) ____; it's an utterly (iii) ____ history of attempts to harness the power of air.

Blank (i) chivalrous quixotic gruesome Blank (ii) conformity eccentricity lassitude Blank (iii)
engrossing
bewildering
pompous

57.

Though Griggs's melodramatic novels often have been dismissed as artistically (i)____, I argue that melodramatic form productively aligns with the novel's thematic focus on labor and class mobility. Characterized by stark changes in characters' social positions, emotional excess and trauma, and life-altering moral choices, melodrama demonstrates the (ii)____ possibilities of an individual's fate. As such, melodrama's multiclimactic narrative structure simulates the (iii)____ reversals of fortune that may occur for workers in an unstable and volatile job market.

Blank (i) flawed accomplished fiendish Blank (ii) unsolicited extreme normal Blank (iii)
periodic
sudden
predestined

5	8	•

As the units of scientific discovery (i)____, from entire organs, to small glands, to cells, and to the synaptic spaces between the cells, the (ii)____ between researchers and the public yawns wider. The author's popular history about adrenaline presents an awkward but (iii)____ study of science history.

Blank (i) shrink escalate extrapolate Blank (ii) rivalry coincidence chasm Blank (iii)
demanding
obscure
illuminating

59.

The value of study of the arts in American colleges assumes today a special poignancy. Without the kind of experience which this study provides, the student is abandoned to the blind, (i) ____ influence of the mass arts-advertising, movies, and television. Largely commercial in intent, cynical, (ii) ____, they exert a persistent pressure to which he would be unable to oppose a (iii) ____ attitude.

Blank (i) vacillating deforming feeble

Blank (ii) unostentatious dispassionate blatant Blank (iii) critical amicable indifferent

60.

As prices come down and the technology continues to improve, people simply buy the thing ---- which, it turns out, has fulfilled neither the utopian nor (i) ____ scenarios ascribed to it ---- and like a (ii) ____ rainfall refilling a dry desert lakebed, over time it so thoroughly (iii) ____ everyday life that we no longer pause to think about its presence, or indeed what might have once lain beneath the shimmering surface.

Blank (i)
idyllic
apocalyptic
visionary

Blank (ii)
intermittent
fitful
persistent

Blank (iii)
permeates
moistens
overrides

Exercise Six

Instead of automating repetitive tasks, technology today is climbing the (i) ladder, using artificial intelligence and brute processing power to automate, however (ii), the functions of travel agents, secretaries, tax preparers, even teachers who once thought their sheepskins were a bulwark against this sort of thing. With this digital transformation, the last repository of jobs in services is (iii) and we face a problem.									
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)	\neg	Blank (iii)				
	cognitive		marvelously		shrinking				
	metaphysical		imperfectly		burgeoning				
	physiological		spontaneously		inundated				
-	or even as the outcome of a chance operation, the artist's negation of the inscription as an act of personal enunciation serves her model of (ii), (iii) the primacy of the self, indicating her implicit critique of her peers' ego or virtuosic authorship. Blank (ii) Blank (iii)								
	inveterate individualistic		objectivity humility		critical of crying up				
	unequivocal		reclusion		fleeing from				
This backlash against the biomedical model reflects the sophisticated insight of an emerging understanding of the body—epigenetics—in which genes themselves respond to an individual's social context. There is even an effort within psychiatry to (i) medical diagnosis and instead to treat dimensions of specific behaviors, such as fear or working memory. Realistically, this project won't (ii) the diagnostic edifice. Too much of the structure of reimbursement and care depends upon the fiction of (iii), biologically distinct diseases. Still, the scientists are trying. Blank (ii) Blank (iii) Blank (iii)									
	motivate	(dismantle		clear-cut				
	abandon	1	revamp		recalcitrant				

bolster

canonize

enigmatic

64. She was a radiant figure, but she cast no shadow. Something was (i) Her pathos was the pathos of a child, touching but transient—and the public treated her as a child, (ii) her tricks, spoiling her with injudicious petting of her limitations. No one complained about her technical faults. Her (iii) and sunny presence blinded people to a fatal shallowness. Nothing better was expected of her.							
	Blank (i)	В	lank (ii)		Blank (iii)		
	effervescent		dulging		brisk		
	missing		astigating		surly		
	dazzling		orshipping		desultory		
from getting flee	truly (ii) society veced but would also adeat drive them into corn Blank (i) fishy needed	dre ers	ss the lack of choice	es–	-social, economic,	women	
	pointless	j	nclusive		far-fetched		
66. To make his critique of technology, Morozov is very (i) the material he presents to bolster his arguments, but right now the marketplace of ideas is so imbalanced in favor of (ii) conceptions of technology that Morozov should not be blamed too much for using all the ammunition at his disposal. In a climate of (iii) technological optimism, Morozov's book offers a timely consideration of the consequences of investing resources in projects that offer impossible redemption.							
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)]	Blank (iii)		
	selective about		level-headed		attenuated		
	dispassionate about		sobering		relenting		

sobering

idealistic

excessive

impartial to

There are many ev (ii) the movem Bible, but must ar	vangelical Christians whent's theological belief ticulate that claim to ge	f that the faithful have be et those blessings. To ma	the two are not (i) ospel of wealth, and even een promised much in the ny within the conservative m is as much bad taste as it				
	Blank (i) synonymous irreconcilable antithetical	Blank (ii) recoil at rhapsodize about subscribe to	Blank (iii) brazen cavalier compliant				
68. Writing and words are obviously the most usual and immediate way of expressing thought, (i) or special, making visible the "not-yet-seen", but that shouldn't obscure the fact that in the domain of the visual it is the object, the visible, that must be thought of as (ii), irreplaceable and (iii) by writing, words or any other medium.							
	Blank (i) verbose banal ostensible	Blank (ii) intrinsic exogenous subordinate	Blank (iii) irreducible unassailable inscrutable				
culture, evolutiona Robert Trivers, wh to produce a(n) (iii	ary biologists had large no theorized that as the) ratio of male to for conditions in the mother	emale offspring. In red d	orth in 1973 by biologist female declines, she'll tend				

Blank (ii)

archetypal

higher

lower

Blank (i)

ostracized

gainsaid

embraced

Blank (iii)

adverse favorable

mercurial

Gordon's meticulously researched and engagingly written biography, <i>Dorothea Lange</i> , constitutes an essential contribution to Lange scholarship. In (i) readings of the photographer Lange's personal life and professional work, Gordon (ii) previous feminist-leaning readings of Lange to present the photographer as a woman whose familial, social, and professional obligations often (iii) but who nevertheless behaved like a feminist throughout her life.							
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)		
	lackadaisical		amends		conflicted		
	compelling		endorses		jibed		
	watery		eradicates		coalesced		
(i) perceive (iii) fashio	time of the El Paso is ed non-white races, en, the country's indigestizaje, or a mixture Blank (i) assimilated excluded preempted	elite: geno	s in Mexico worked ous and other "non-w	to (white	ii), albeit in a ling " populations into a	nited and	
72. For some, telephones were an antidote to (i), while others argued that the devices augured the destruction of community because they encourage (ii) relationships. The phone tore down the walls of (iii) even as it helped create a general withdrawal into self-pursuit and privatism. It brought people together in cities as it scattered them in far suburbs.							
	Blank (i)	Γ	Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)		
	distraction		far-flung		authority		

immutable

sturdy

procrastination

provincialism

privacy

refuge

Exercise Seven

73. The decision to organize Freytag-Loringhoven's corpus around the corporeal is an interesting one, and in general, Gammel and Zelazo's editorial comments and analytic suggestions are (i) Reading Freytag-Loringhoven's poetry, however, one can't help but be struck by her energy, radicalism, and physicality: her work speaks for itself and, quite frankly, needs little introduction. Thus, at times the editorial voices are (ii) Their emphasis throughout the volume on the scope of Freytag-Loringhoven's influence feels (iii), ahistorical, and unnecessary.						
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	inexorable		riveting		polished	
	helpful		vociferous		clumsy	
	deleterious		distracting		palpable	
on simple for outcome. Dur	mulas and checklists mb luck explains a lo to create narratives t Blank (i) mutually exclusive rampant antagonistic	tha ot m	t measure things stroore of life than most	ongly	associated with a c	lesired
75. Anger never sounded so righteous nor so proudly optimistic as when Guthrie sang "This Land Is Your Land," a folk song that blends hope and (i) and that is both a (ii) the country he loved and a critical broadside launched on behalf of all those—dreamers, migrant workers,						
or anyone else—who ever felt that their vision of America had been (iii)						
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	estrangement		paean to		discharged	
	scorn		parody of		compromised	
	bravado		bane to		outstripped	

While they may not be publishing in equal numbers to their male peers, African women writers are occupying a more central role in the publishing landscape than previously. I do not mean to suggest that gender gaps have been (i)___; they persist. Nor do I mean to suggest that all women have equal access to publishing; certainly class and education differences among women (ii)___ affect the ability to write and publish. Even so, the trend is (iii)___: more women writers are publishing, and their work is reaching new audiences at home and abroad.

Blank (i) eradicated widened staggered Blank (ii) adversely deeply curiously

Blank (iii) sweeping topsy-turvy upward

77.

It is the individual stories, beginning with her own family's, that give *Reimagining Equality* its narrative drive. Hill's (i) ____ from the youngest of thirteen children raised in rural Lone Tree, Oklahoma, to law professor at an elite Eastern university may be known to some. But it is still (ii) ____ and thrilling to read how her mother sent her off to college with a set of Samsonite luggage donated by a local teacher who (iii) ____ her young charge.

Blank (i)
pilgrimage
dynamics
trajectory

Blank (ii) distressing abhorrent poignant Blank (iii) eschewed dismissed believed in

78.

The trove of data generated from online reviews may offer quantitative insight into a perpetually elusive dynamic: the formation of judgments, the expression of preferences, the mechanics of taste. The results, filled with subtle biases and conformity effects, are not always pretty. While any one review is essentially (i) _____ —the low transaction cost tags it with the cheap talk—the aggregate level is where, through sheer numbers, the noise can be (ii) ____, the outliers marginalized, and statistical (iii) ____ achieved.

Blank (i)
useless
fastidious
loquacious

Blank (ii) filtered amplified exacerbated Blank (iii) anomalies extremes consensus

Without the need for genius and with tradition placed at the (i)____ of our understanding of what architecture is, Scruton gives a critical appraisal of the classical vernacular, defending it against its (ii)___ and regarding its merits when set beside the legacy of modernism. The good manners of the classical pattern book provide guidance for the educated builder, whereas the extravagant intellectualism of the would-be modernist genius is a(n) (iii) ____ to any who would live in an educated community.

Blank (i)
fringe
centre
borderline

Blank (ii) devotee detractors patrons Blank (iii) homage gospel affront

80.

Since 1980s, American governments have held an unquestioned, fundamentalist-like belief in the ability of markets to solve all problems and have created a(n) (i)____ political culture that values dominance over cooperation. Dissenters found themselves (ii)____ as promoters of a "nanny state" with citizen's individual choices being stripped by an overprotective government, or discredited as too (iii)___ to be national leaders.

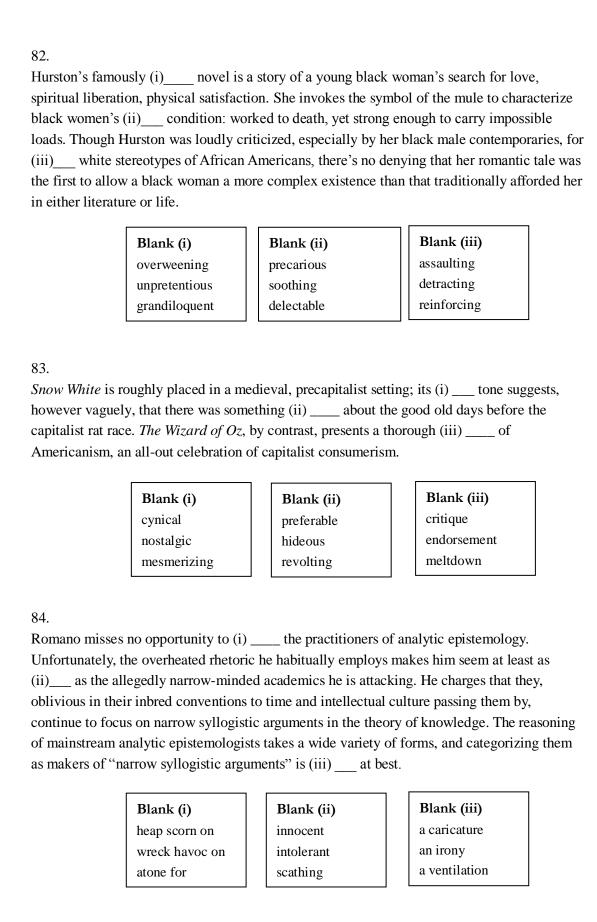
Blank (i) conciliatory imperial rivaling Blank (ii)
venerated
vilified
exalted

Blank (iii) austere puissant soft

81.

Even the best hunters, when (i)_____, benefited from rules that required meat sharing. Solving the collective carnivores' dilemma radically changed the rules of our evolutionary game. Those who were skilled at cooperating fared better, as did those with the fittest sharing rules. Our ancestors went through a major political (ii) _____, developing from a species that lived hierarchically into one that was devoutly (iii) _____.

Blank (i) triumphantly bragging unlucky Blank (ii) transition turmoil quagmire Blank (iii) manipulative egalitarian selfish



Exercise Eight

85.

While Adams self-consciously adopted and performed the emerging ideal of egalitarian marriage, neither she nor her husband seems to have given much thought to incorporating emerging (i)____ perspectives on childrearing into their family. Instead, both parents embraced older, decidedly (ii)____, Puritan ideals of parental authority and childish (iii)____.

Blank (i) liberal hidebound cosmopolitan Blank (ii) parsimonious undemocratic spoiling Blank (iii) willfulness self-love obedience

86.

Some bat and bird fatalities that are discovered and used in fatality rate estimation may not be related to wind-energy projects, even though the cause of death cannot be determined. Natural mortality and predation may be (i)____, but the level of this background mortality in project areas typically has (ii)____. However, background fatalities can be (iii)____.

Blank (i)
responsible
negligible
overestimated

Blank (ii) been extensively investigated proven to be staggering not been studied Blank (iii) remotely possible significant trivial

87.

The prospect of downward mobility is not just (i)____. It assails the whole post—World War II faith in prosperity. To be sure, there were crises of faith, moments when economic progress seemed delayed or doomed. The longest (ii)____ occurred in the 1970s, when double-digit inflation spawned pessimism and frequent recessions. But after the authorities took steps to suppress high inflation, faith returned. Now, it's again imperiled: we may face a (iii)____ and contentious future.

Blank (i) auspicious dispiriting inexorable Blank (ii) moderation abundance lapse Blank (iii)
providential
affluent
crimped

Like Mabee and Painter, Margaret Washington provides a much more accurate, (i)____, and historically contextualized view of "Sojourner Truth" than was available in the heyday of second-wave feminism in the 1970s and 1980s. But in contrast to Mabee and Painter, Washington does not often focus the reader's attention on the (ii) ____ process of making historical judgments from flawed sources. Although she does acknowledge (iii)____ related to the reliability of her sources, there are times when she relies heavily on Truth's *Narrative* in her account of Truth's feelings.

Blank (i) nuanced transcendental obscure Blank (ii) smooth tricky unerring Blank (iii)
problems
merits
contributions

89.

When Einstein asserted that "God does not throw dice," he was not only (i) ___ a common theological position that the world has an order, but also a deep intuition that the world is as it is in a (ii) ____ sense. It is no (iii) ____.

Blank (i)
jettisoning
attacking
reflecting

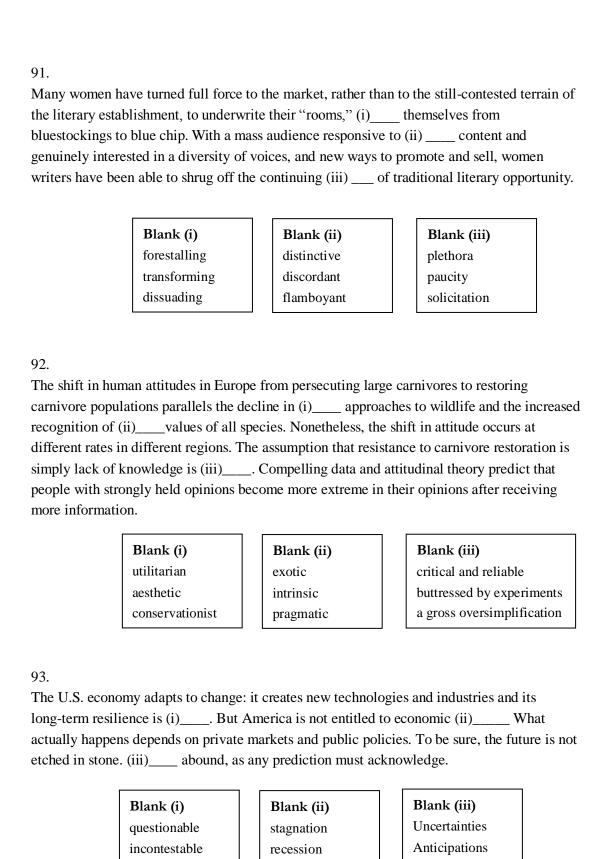
Blank (ii) accidental primordial necessary Blank (iii)
necessity
accident
spontaneity

90.

Almost every film I have discussed actively promotes individualism in one way or another, which is not particularly surprising, given that individualism is probably the (i)____constitutive component of the official ideology of the United States as a nation and of capitalism as a system. Of course, individualism itself is an inherently (ii)____concept that plays out differently in different films, and the very notion of what it means to be an individual is open to (iii)____.

Blank (i) controversial central optional Blank (ii)
versatile
chaotic
consistent

Blank (iii) caprice discretion debate



success

evanescent

Anarchies

A master of circumlocution, Hitchens writes with a spontaneous, understated, (i)_____ style, orbiting a target with asides and allusions until it is all but lost from sight. Then he suddenly stops dancing and punches with his whole arm. At times all the ironical, wordy sentences and name-dropping can feel like (ii)____. But more often, Hitchens's luminous style and his ingenious development of an argument (iii)____.

Blank (i) concise progressive digressive

Blank (ii) eclecticism obfuscation minimalism Blank (iii) crumble implode thrill

95.

Missing heritability refers to the fact that genetics has (i)____ find common genetic variants that are associated with complex traits like personality and intelligence. This is surprising because these traits are largely heritable. But if they're heritable then, by definition, there must be genes behind that. But with a few minor exceptions, over a decade of studies drew (ii)____. Hence the heritability is missing in our DNA, (iii)____.

Blank (i) failed to strove to successfully Blank (ii) prizes blanks lotteries Blank (iii) emerging from obscurity unaccounted for curiously enlightening

96.

In the publishing industry twenty-some years ago, there was critically (i)_____, prize-winning, beautiful writing that doesn't sell, while audience-oriented popular work, often written to formula, published to meet a well-understood demand. This opposition was called "the literary vs. the (ii)_____"; the literary set donned tuxes for awards dinners while the other gang paid the bills. By the early 1990s, though, every book was to pay its own way. The (iii)____ alone were to be our measuring sticks.

Blank (i) criticized acclaimed reviewed Blank (ii) realistic professional commercial Blank (iii)
aesthetic qualities
academic prizes
sales numbers

Exercise Nine

97. When numerous small decisions about related environmental issues are made (i), the combined consequences of those decisions often are not considered. As a result, the patterns of the environmental perturbations or their effects over large areas and long periods are (ii) analyzed. This is the basic issue of (iii) effects assessment.							
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)		
	simultaneously		not adequately		cumulative		
	independently		not loosely		backfiring		
	jointly		intensively		discrete		
spiral for the wincreasing taxe and deficit increasing	velfare state. That co	uld (ii) efit	happen if we continue economic growns. But to all of these lovercome. Blank (ii) accelerating retarding facilitating	ue to	p pay for promised beand thus spurring still	enefi 1 mor	ts by e tax
The (i) treatment of the politician's early history is no fault of the author, who (ii) mined previous biographies, archives, and interviews for what little material was available. But the author's research does provide (iii) detail about the most important period of the politician's career. Blank (i) Blank (ii) Blank (iii) extravagant eliments along the politician along the politician are provided to the provided to th							
	skimpy		diligently		abundant		
	rigid		inextricably		dull		

and membershi coolness, and to for girls. Leade	p, second-tier memb oughness for boys, are are admired rather	ers, and hi	and so on. The base gh socioeconomic n liked. By contrast	es of statu , mi	ert power over group leadership include as, good looks, and st ddle friendship group ctures are less (iii)	athleticism, cylishness os are
Γ	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)	ſ	Blank (iii)	
	stratified	a	nggressive		horizontal	
	loose	r	reciprocal		hierarchical	
	oppressive		discordant		malleable	
It is the most (i	ii) and widely p	racti	ced of the arts, for	the f	randers of the (ii) rashioning of attractives as well as the shop Blank (iii) domestic	ve,
	pragmatic		artistry		flashy	
	ideological		luxury		ostentatious	
102. Blood samples must be centrifuged soon after collection to (i) red blood cells from the serum or plasma, which then must be (ii) until assay, preferably in an ultralow rather than conventional frost-free freezer, since the warming cycles that prevent frost buildup can (iii) sample integrity.						
	Blank (i)	Г	Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	separate		frozen		enhance	
	synthesize		warmed		compromise	

encapsulated

recover

rehabilitate

103.

To be sure, the management of a nongovernmental organization can be a lot different from that of a corporation or government agency. But there's a great deal of (i)_____, and the leaders of nonprofit organizations are far out ahead in meeting one challenge: injecting meaning into work. Today's jobholders want to (ii)_____. Nonprofits invariably help them do so. Many corporate chiefs have come to the conclusion in the last decade that, to excel, they have to do the same, if they want to retain (iii)_____ employees.

Blank (i) squabble noisomeness overlap Blank (ii) make a fortune make a difference make a living Blank (iii) motivated flamboyant philistine

104.

However deep the novelist's (i)____ to imagination, he was unable to commit himself fully to its efficacy and relied on the (ii)____ to convey his central ideas, even in his imaginative fiction. We found in him a separation between reason and imagination, a resistance to allowing interpenetration between their two worlds. Only late in his life did he begin to break down the (iii)____ between them and allow imagination to work on its own.

Blank (i) devotion hostility indifference Blank (ii) emotion intellect impulse Blank (iii)
barrier
communication
fusion

105.

Classrooms were conceptualized as institutionalized peer groups that are orchestrated by teachers, and that are sometimes divided into smaller subgroups. The point is that the peer group context has little direct impact on curriculum mastery. This is despite its positive potential, as revealed in studies where children work (i)_____ with small numbers of peers. Nevertheless, even though peers are (ii)_____ the teaching and learning agenda, the fact that they are jointly engaged with this agenda means that they are not (iii)_____.

Blank (i) sullenly unproductively cooperatively Blank (ii) involved in marginalized from highly regarded by Blank (iii)
cultivated
ignored
valued

Generally admitted theories about interva-	al systems are based on	the idea that a scale system in				
music—apart from the more-or-less large	e margins of tolerance it	allows—consists of a mental				
(i), a kind of mental (ii), in whi	ch each degree of the so	eale has its (iii),				
more-or-less fixed, position.						
Blank (i)	Blank (ii)	Blank (iii)				
template	deadlock	predetermined				
trick	grid	randomly specified				
twist	leeway	intractable				
107.						
Pinpointing the causes of Central Asia's g	golden age is all the mor	re difficult because the great				
minds who gave the age its brilliance wer	-					
		•				
high offices. But they were (ii) Mos		landed families and could live off their estates, while others won appointments to lucrative				
	st of the thinkers were it	ill-time scientists, scholars.				
and intellectuals. With no universities or						
and intellectuals. With no universities or the (iii) of rulers.	academies of science to					
and intellectuals. With no universities or the (iii) of rulers. Blank (i)		support them, they relied on				
and intellectuals. With no universities or the (iii) of rulers.	Blank (ii)	support them, they relied on Blank (iii)				
and intellectuals. With no universities or the (iii) of rulers. Blank (i) haphazard	academies of science to Blank (ii)	support them, they relied on Blank (iii) dictation				
and intellectuals. With no universities or the (iii) of rulers. Blank (i) haphazard diverse	Blank (ii) norm exceptions	Blank (iii) dictation patronage				
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minimizing

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nutrition

fitness

mating

Blank (iii)

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segregate from

Exercise Ten

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-	—that have helped or		-			
-	s better than the Unite			(<u>,</u>	
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	unlucky		utopia		squeeze	
	propitious		practical		mobilize	
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Fearing that young people will be (i)_____ by emotional propaganda, educators have decided the best thing they can do for children is to fortify their minds against imagination and emotion by teaching them to dissect all things by rigorous (ii)____ analysis. But an opposite tale is true. For every one pupil who needs to be guarded from a weak excess of (iii)____ there are three who need to be awakened from the slumber of cold vulgarity.

Blank (i) unaffected swept away

disparaged

Blank (ii) intellectual pathological comparative

Blank (iii)
rationality
sensibility
exquisiteness

113.

The fact that completely exaggerated expectations in spite of the ecologists' (i) ____ are still attached to ecology and that politics continues to demand total analysis of ecosystems may be rooted in human psychology. Dealing with the exponential character of complexity in enormous ecosystems may simply be beyond the conceptual capacities of humans, which are adapted to (ii) ____ dimensions of human habitats. The problem is aggravated by the fact that linear causality embraced by everyday experience and found in the technical world is (iii) ____ applied to the domain of life processes as well.

Blank (i) reservations enthusiasm overstatement Blank (ii) intermediate psychic cosmic Blank (iii)
intentionally
unwittingly
meticulously

114.

Despite a(n) (i) ____ in these two statements, there is a difference between the idea of a 'trade press' and that of 'centre of interest' magazines. 'Trade press' and the perpetration of femininity go hand in hand, whereas there is no inevitable (ii) ____ of 'centre of interest' magazines and femininity. This argument rests on a further one: that 'trade press' depends on the operation of a dominant ideology of femininity, a sign of how woman's housewife role was professionalized in the 1950s as her trade or career; 'centre of interest' presupposes its (iii) ____.

Blank (i) discrepancy antagonism similarity Blank (ii) separation yoking dichotomy Blank (iii)
renaissance
kernel
dissolution

115.

The author's first efforts to grapple with rock music from within an account of the postmodern condition remain empirically quite (i)_____. But while later efforts to work with this theory in relation to popular music are certainly better informed about the music, there is a noticeable (ii)_____ in orientation, away from a concern with the discrepancy between social formation and aesthetic form, in favor of the apparent (iii)_____ of distinctions between art and mass culture.

Blank (i)
verifiable
unconvincing
presumptive

Blank (ii)
elevation
shift
perpetuation

Blank (iii)
dismantling
accentuation
revivification

116.

Some scholars argue that networks are inherently nonhierarchic and inclusive, whereas others say that networks are not automatically politically progressive and participatory but can be (i)____ and hierarchic. A network generally defined as a system of (ii)____ nodes doesn't imply full connectivity and a symmetric flow of resources. There can be (iii)____ that are of strategic importance because they have much more direct links from and to other nodes than other nodes; they store and centralize resources and hence also control the flow of resources throughout the network.

Blank (i) centralized decentralized holistic Blank (ii) discrete fleeting interlinked Blank (iii) islands peripheries hubs

117.

Although the summer rainfall in 2012 was unusually large, the model distributions studied suggest that there was almost no anthropogenic influence on the rainfall patterns. However, a note of (i)____ must be expressed with regard to this result. The event occurs beyond the 99th percentile of the model ensemble distribution. We suspect that there remain deficiencies in our atmospheric model that require resolution before making any such (ii)____ statements regarding (iii)____ influence on changed probabilities of rainfall events.

Blank (i) commendation encouragement caution Blank (ii)
definitive
tentative
deflationary

Blank (iii)
climatic
human
natural



The current Great Correction in the relationship between pay and productivity has surely been (i)____ for men, who have borne the brunt of the pay slowdown. Women, who started from a lower base, have fared much better, moving into better-paying jobs thanks to the (ii)____ of discrimination and occupational segregation. But in time, the Great Correction will run its course, bringing productivity growth and compensation back into long-term alignment; pay and productivity should begin to move (iii)____ once more, putting Americans' wages back on an upward trajectory.

Blank (i) frustrating mesmerizing gripping Blank (ii)
erosion
invocation
resurgence

Blank (iii) in conflict downward in tandem

119.

Many of the scientists in the book, especially ones that Horgan does not like, are presented as weird people, put out that their privileged place in the world is being (i)_____. Their understandable annoyance with Horgan is reported as defensiveness and interpreted as (ii)_____. But he is no innocent. The book is filled with mean-spirited remarks about clothing, grooming, thick accents, and other personal characteristics. (iii)____ and occasionally crossing the border into downright nastiness, these asides set the tone of the book.

Blank (i)
hardened
ingrained
challenged

Blank (ii) arrogance snobbery delectation Blank (iii)
Swaggering
Condescending
Confessing

120.

Paradoxically, the most catastrophic of all disturbances in evolution seem to have been the most (i)_____ in opening up new pathways, namely the geological and extraterrestrial ones. They presumably contributed to mass extinctions and successive evolutionary (ii)____ through adaptive radiation. A meteorite hit the earth 65 million years ago and the resulting changes in climate led to the death of many species of dinosaurs in the millennia that followed. Only after this interlude did an opening occur for mammals, which until then had played a(n) (iii)____ part in life on earth.

Blank (i) productive apocalyptic supernatural Blank (ii) demolitions breakthroughs stagnations Blank (iii)
counterbalancing
insignificant
enormous

Exercise Eleven

121. Anastas tries to compare Martin's ideas about the self with those of Laura Riding, despite the fact that neither an artistic or historical context nor any evidence of contact can be named to connect Riding with Martin. The (i)____ is indeed a serious stretch: Anastas suggests that the artist's (ii) as formulated by Riding can map onto Martin's rule that the artist remain separate from society, but the poetic solipsism implied in Riding's writings contrasts utterly with the (iii) called for in Martin's. Blank (i) Blank (iii) Blank (ii) demarcation self-effacement gregariousness pairing self-reliance narcissism conundrum camaraderie self-flattery 122. Though by principle, the (i) may rule in democratic societies, political success depends more on the correct identification and successful cooption of key active opponents who can exert a (ii) impact on public acceptance, than on the ability to persuade large numbers of citizens who (iii) the tools to influence decision-making at political levels. Blank (i) Blank (iii) Blank (ii) deploy elites marginalized minority lack disproportionate meteoric majority hone 123. The decision of which diseases to vaccinate a restoration population against is most frequently dictated by the availability of safe and (i)_____ vaccines. Unfortunately, useful vaccines are not available for all diseases that can challenge a restoration. Few vaccines are actually tested in non-domestic carnivores, and safety and efficacy are generally (ii) information on domestic carnivores. Experience with captive animals sometimes provides _ safety information, but challenge studies, which would confirm efficacy, are rarely done. Blank (ii) Blank (iii) Blank (i) undermined by useful unviable

coincident with

extrapolated from

prohibitive effective

meager

shady

124.

What Proust, in his early modernist enthusiasm for the mobility afforded by the automobile, did not seem to foresee was that the ability to conquer distance would lead to the (i)____ of landscapes between the points of origin and destination, and that once the mass of society had acquired cars, those distances would feel more (ii)___ to cross, thus increasing the pressure of time. The masters of space and time awaken to find themselves (iii)___ of distance and haste.

Blank (i) glorification denigration celebration Blank (ii) arduous commodious delightful Blank (iii) sycophants slaves dictators

125.

In terms of receiving a dictate, Milton's wives and daughters stand in sharp contrast to Blake's inspiration-receiving speakers who enter a dialogic relationship with a muse. Although Blake's speakers of *Urizen, Milton*, and *Jerusalem* ask their muses to dictate to them, they always have the opportunity to question and respond to their muses and to (i)_____ the creative process of the poem. As a result of Milton's (ii)_____ discourse, however, the wives and daughters have no such role except for that of copyists recording and (iii)____ Milton's impositions.

Blank (i)
participate in
trump
reinvent

Blank (ii) indulgent compliant self-closed

Blank (iii)
rebutting
refashioning
repeating

126.

Remmert ironically referred to green plants (eucaryotes) as the first great environmental (i)_____, the reason being that when they created the earth's present oxygen atmosphere through photosynthesis and thus subjected the surface of the earth to (ii)_____, all those living things were doomed to die which had previously adapted themselves to life without oxygen. For the blue-green algae (procaryotes) that predominated at the time, oxygen was a metabolic (iii)____!

Blank (i) boosters cleaners polluters Blank (ii)
oxidation
deoxidation
selection

Blank (iii) catalyst poison panacea



In 1964 Thelonious Monk, unknown to the public then, appeared on the cover of a newsmagazine written for a mass audience of middlebrows, because he was an eccentric whose (i) ____ made for good copy — a mad genius. That Monk deserved attention for other, better reasons is now (ii) ____. The sharp-edged, excitingly astringent wit of his hard-swinging compositions had already won him the acclaim of musicians and critics, who (iii) ____ regarded him as a key figure in the development of modern jazz.

Blank (i) pedantry peculiarities bigotry

Blank (ii) highly preposterous beyond question incredibly implausible

Blank (iii) bizarrely rightly curiously

128.

Given the complexity of designating and conserving a managed meta-population of carnivores, and the assumed conflict with local people, both the conservation unit and the management plan must be explicitly (i) _____ through an adaptive approach. The (ii) ____ process must be part of the plan. Achieving the conservation targets may require reshaping the conservation unit but, more importantly, a (iii) ____ with local people is easier to reach if they know that they will be involved continuously.

Blank (i) changeable scrupulous protean

Blank (ii) revision circumscription preemption

Blank (iii) consensus schism caucus

129.

While science, art, space, sports, and all things hard and beautiful promise purity, elegance and sometimes even (i)____, they are fundamentally (ii)____. In the end, they must bow to the sovereignty of politics. Politics, the crooked timber of our communal lives, dominates everything because, in the end, everything lives or dies by politics. Politics is the moat, the (iii)____, beyond which lie the barbarians. Fail to keep them at bay, and everything burns and even the most advanced and efflorescent of cultures is swept away.



Blank (ii) subordinate extraterrestrial prestigious Blank (iii) walls abyss asylum



Compartmentalization, that is, dividing the system into a number of largely (i)_____ subsystems, reduces the (ii)____ of systems to disturbances. If a given ecological factor changes in a manner that is unfavorable for the entire system, compartmentalization (iii)____ the chances that at least one of the subsystems might develop a solution that could help the entire system to survive.

Blank (i) concerted interconnected independent Blank (ii) intractability susceptibility resistibility Blank (iii) constrains truncates increases

131.

To be sure, both borrowing and taxing offer channels through which politically (i) groups can tilt resources in their favor. For taxes, this (ii) largely occurs across groups within a generation, whereas debt might transfer resources from future generations to the present. But debt also embodies a number of (iii) mechanisms in that financial markets continually discount the potential for public spending to decrease the government's repayment ability, whereas taxes create relatively little discipline on how productively governments spend resources.

Blank (i) marginalized influential disadvantageous Blank (ii) redistribution deprivation forfeiture Blank (iii) uncontrolled self-glorifying self-policing

132.

Those (i)_____ the historical development of science are not likely ever to understand fully the nature of science and scientific research. They have no comprehension of the way in which a new and radical theory—at first (ii)____ common sense, and often mathematical—can become accepted as physical reality, usually after a period of rejection and (iii)____.

Blank (i)
delving into
ignorant of
amazed by

Blank (ii)
defying
vindicating
quelling

Blank (iii) surveillance incredulity rumination

Exercise Twelve

are increasingly (give way to guita The audience can bed of numbness,	i) Power, unequer solos—along with momentarily join in	uivo h so thi ent	ocating in its boldness creaming vocals, the s statement and rise a of (iii) pleasure	s, i sta abo	n a sea of pop music f s writ large as power andard fare of metal (i we everything on a material sabout to be cast i	chords i) agical
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	intelligible		refrain		lukewarm	
	articulate		flagging		incredible	
	incomprehensible		mania		ambivalent	
opportunities, we interested produce beneficial trades. we working at the	should not be surprisers and consumers ra	sed the sly o	when rules that gove r than ease the (ii) condemning societies law, and business st	ern — s to	(i) of economic economic exchange of that discourage mutual popoor performance, heave a (iii) but Blank (iii) colossal constrained	ally
	appropriation		polarities		slim	
Schelling's groundbreaking work started a contemporary appreciation of how delegating decision-making authority to imperfect agents can paradoxically lead to (i) outcomes for their principals. Alesina and Tabellini furthered this understanding in the other way, carefully deriving conditions under which policies from (ii) bureaucrats (iii) do better than those from more democratically accountable politicians. The conditions include predictable electoral preferences and a considerable potential for time-inconsistency problems. Blank (ii) Blank (iii) Blank (iii)						
	Blank (i) dismal		Blank (ii) overbearing		rarely	
	preferable		delegated		overwhelmingly	
	impartial		hidebound		regularly	



It is strange to discover that a media form whose postmodernity was supposedly secured partly through its 24-hour 'flow' and (i)____ of traditional scheduling practices, has—over the last five years—progressively established rigid program slots and begun utilizing the (ii)____ practices of TV scheduling, often around the deployment of (iii)____ broadcast-TV genres.

Blank (i) cultivation camouflage abandonment

Blank (ii) routine idiosyncratic offbeat

Blank (iii) conventional newfangled maverick

137.

Seeking to limit judicial discretion as part of (i) ____ all government decision makers, the postwar legal elite (ii) ____ any special competence on the part of legal scholars or judges to prescribe behavior in particular situations. The function of legal science was rather to draw the boundary lines beyond which the conduct of social actors would be sanctioned. Legal science would thus create combat zones of free conduct in which individuals might do as they willed without (iii) ____ of legal reprisal, and it would specify the precise legal consequences of infringing on someone else's zone.

Blank (i) disciplining empowering exorcising

Blank (ii) embraced disclaimed legitimatized

Blank (iii) authorization revocation fear

138.

Since the medieval artist paid little attention to a systematic spatial relationship between objects, medieval vision was an incarnated vision, a vision that was both (i)____ and movable. It did not privilege a single point of view. In the modern perspectival gaze, on the other hand, the moment of bodily projection in vision was (ii)___ as the bodies of the painter and viewer were forgotten in the name of an allegedly (iii)___ absolute eye.

Blank (i)	
tactile	
impalpable	
ethereal	

Blank (ii)
hoisted
lost
extolled

Blank (iii) disenfranchised disincarnated multifarious



What allows Paine to reframe the underlying ideas behind the French Revolution in terms that are in such stark opposition to Burke is that whereas Burke's argument in the *Reflections* depends on an organic view of a (i) history in which each generation depends on the last, Paine sees each new generation as (ii) free to make its own decisions, and the ties to previous generations as (iii) impositions of the old on the new.

Blank (i)
intermittent
continuous
erratic

Blank (ii) decadent subjugated self-determining Blank (iii) benevolent oppressive liberal

140.

A de-facto underclass caste system has emerged in the U.S., with generation after generation inheriting chaotic family lives and (i)_____ prospects. Discipline, foresight, and bourgeois willingness to delay gratification are traits developed over time through adults' (ii)____ and example. But children raised in communities where almost no one is married are hard-pressed to teach themselves how to move, one step at a time, through the normal middle-class trajectory. Thus a caste (iii)____.

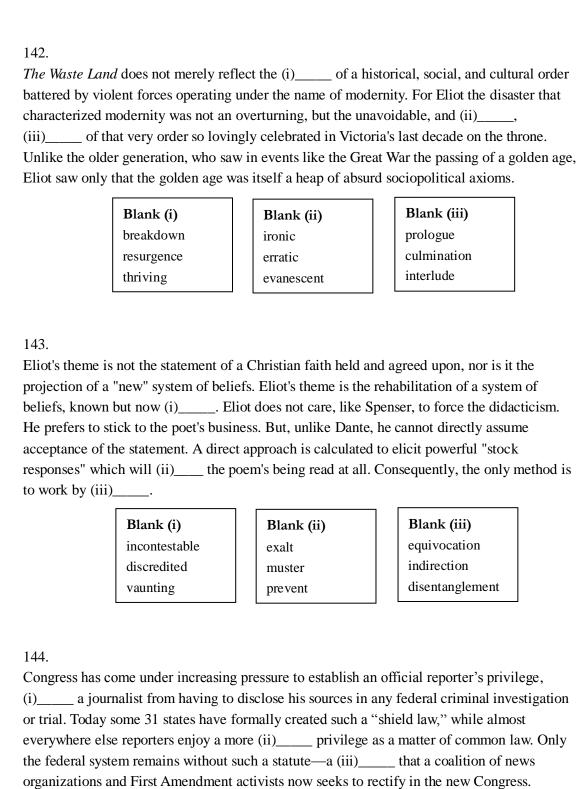
Blank (i)
bleak
poignant
heartening

Blank (ii) transgression prodding foiling Blank (iii) dissolves solidifies metamorphoses

141.

Perhaps the telephone, despite its seemingly (i)_____ nature—the annihilation of time and space—didn't change us much after all. Fischer, in *America Calling*, refuting the technological (ii)_____ who see the telephone altering the way we think and behave, quoted historian George Daniels: "Habits seem to grow out of other habits far more directly than they do out of (iii)____."

Blank (i) transformative esoteric unremitting Blank (ii) determinists nonconformists mavericks Blank (iii)
gadgets
serendipities
ideologies



Blank (i)
interrogating
exempting
detracting

Blank (ii)
qualified
exorbitant
egregious

Blank (iii)
deficit
pinnacle
merit

Exercise Thirteen

Like the Maya, the Chimu had built a centralized society dependent on massive waterworks. But, unlike the Maya, the Chimu knew the sting of great droughts and had already (i) by building redundant irrigation systems to withstand the flooding that preceded Pacific-spanning La Ni ña droughts, by planting a wide variety of crops on intensively farmed fields, and by (ii) their bets with a trade in anchovies from the coast. As Fagan puts it, "Chimor's cities survived the Medieval Warm Period because its lords closely supervised a (iii) culture that revolved around insuring against drought, floods, and deprivation."						
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)]	Blank (iii)	
	dispersed		discarding	t	oureaucracy	
	retreated		overwhelming	ľ	ebellion	
	adapted		hedging	S	ubsistence	
Industrialization was a necessary prelude to mass prosperity; but in America, as elsewhere, it often made for a (i) spectacle—pollution, urban blight, (ii) material inequalities, ethnic and class conflict, moral dislocation. To observers at the time, modern America's coming of age often seemed like an unraveling of the social fabric. Because so much had changed so quickly, precise explanations were hard to come by, but the responsibility for what had gone wrong settled quickly on those who had most obviously benefited and they had to be made to answer for its (iii)						
	Blank (i) thrilling		Blank (ii) reassuring		Blank (iii) triumph	
	dispiriting		glimmering		shortcomings	
	reigning		glaring		splendor	
147. Structurally, Foster's <i>Field Manual</i> is an assemblage of fragments, untitled, unnumbered, that can be read in any order and which exhibit a great variation in tone, mood and mode, ranging from fairly straightforward (i) to feverish lyrical delirium, from smoldering rage and baffled grief to tenderness and (ii) Whatever the mode, though, and whatever the length of the fragment, Foster's writing sustains a (iii) intensity that renders the texture of his world in a way that feels physically and emotionally exhausting, oppressive and exhilarating at the same time.						
	Plant (i)	[Plants (2)	Γ	Rlank (iii)	
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	hallucination		disillusion		waning relentless	
	narration		wrath		flinching	
	babbling		nostalgia	- 1	miching	



Minds evolved to deal with immediate experience. And although human minds can now specialize in abstract thought or (i)_____ imagination, we still respond most vividly and multimodally to immediate experience. For that reason more of our multimodal memories can be activated by language that prompts us to (ii)_____ experience, as fiction does, rather than more abstract, less (iii)_____, less sequential texts.

Blank (i)
instantaneous
free-roaming
proximate

Blank (ii)
recreate
outwit
decipher

Blank (iii) recondite inferential personal

149.

The opportunity for electronic sharing of design information, including the ability for all members of the design team to work on a shared project model, is (i)_____ the way in which building design is undertaken at a very basic level. There is some way to go, however, before designers are (ii)____ designing using 3D modeling software rather than treating the computer as an electronic drawing board, and there are still interoperability problems to be resolved before truly seamless exchange of information is (iii)____ across all platforms.

Blank (i)
obviating
foiling
altering

Blank (ii) inadvertently routinely impromptu Blank (iii)
jejune
possible
demoralizing

150.

The anthropologists rescued the major cultural production of primitive societies—myth—from the view that saw these ancient narratives either as the quaint decorative brio of simple folk or, if they were Greek, as the narrative mirrors of heroic society. Instead myth was (i)_____ as the narrative thematics of (ii)____ cosmologies that provided an account of the relationship between the human and the divine. Myth was also interpreted psychologically as making visible the deeper strata of the mind. If the concept is the notional idiom of reason, myth is the language of (iii)_____ life.

Blank (i)
rejected
reconceived
rejuvenated

Blank (ii) scientific prerationalist mechanistic Blank (iii) unconscious unadulterated voluptuous



For the one sense of natural life, Thoreau envisions it as a life of moral freedom, in the pursuit of which each choice in our daily life is a (i)_____ of our constructive agency in the world, while for the other sense of natural life—the workings of the nonhuman world—he eventually arrives at a proto-ecological understanding, marked by the recognition of an ever-enlarging (ii)____ of relations, in which natural objects were defined through their part in a larger system, and thus through the process of their (iii)____.

Blank (i)
malfeasance
reaffirmation
defiance

Blank (ii) dynamics confederation network

Blank (iii) escalation interactions strife

152.

Some people are in business for the joy, even the (i)_____, of bringing men and materials together, taking risks and staving off disasters, and finally producing something good that other people can use or enjoy. As the contemporary versions of the two divided cultures, government and business, gyre farther apart, those of us on the "public service" side of the fence often (ii)____ that the man who invented the calculator, or simply found a more efficient way to manufacture it, feels (iii)____ for reasons other than the profit he's made.

Blank (i) gloat nobility taunt Blank (ii) forget eulogize divulge

Blank (iii) guilty revolting proud

153.

The (i)_____ of any serious consideration of class in most Toomer criticism has divested Toomer's work of a crucial social and historical dimension. In part the blame for this distortion can be laid upon Toomer himself, whose comments about his own writing tended to stress its mythic, lyrical, and (ii)____ qualities—that is, those features that have subsequently come to be seen as definitive of high modernism. In part, however, the stripping away of (iii)____ from Toomer's early texts has been carried out by critics approaching Toomer through the lens of a high modernist *a priori*.

Blank (i)
omission
supplement
hyperbole

Blank (ii) realistic transhistorical sociopolitical Blank (iii)
mythology
history
chorus



Whenever we are introspective about our own feelings or imaginatively intuit the feelings of others, the medial prefrontal cortex (MPFC) comes into play. The research finding that our thoughts and feelings about ourselves and others are processed in the same brain areas (i)_____ what sages and religious thinkers have been saying throughout the ages: we're not (ii)____ components in an impersonal social network but, rather, deeply social creatures capable of imagining each other's internal experiences. Thanks to the MPFC we can mentally (iii)____ our own perspective and see things from another person's perspective.

Blank (i) confirms deflects outrages Blank (ii)
integral
isolated
predetermined

Blank (iii) transcend repeal anchor

155.

Even though the legendry of jazz creation simplified and misrepresented history in any number of significant ways, the absence of serious primary-source research into the origins of jazz made it (i)_____ that "legendry" would get the better of fact. Indeed, to this day the creation myth continues to be (ii)_____, albeit in a more (iii)_____ form, by amateur historians.

Blank (i)
inevitable
unforgivable
reprehensible

Blank (ii) liquidated espoused forsaken

Blank (iii) draconian overwhelming subtle

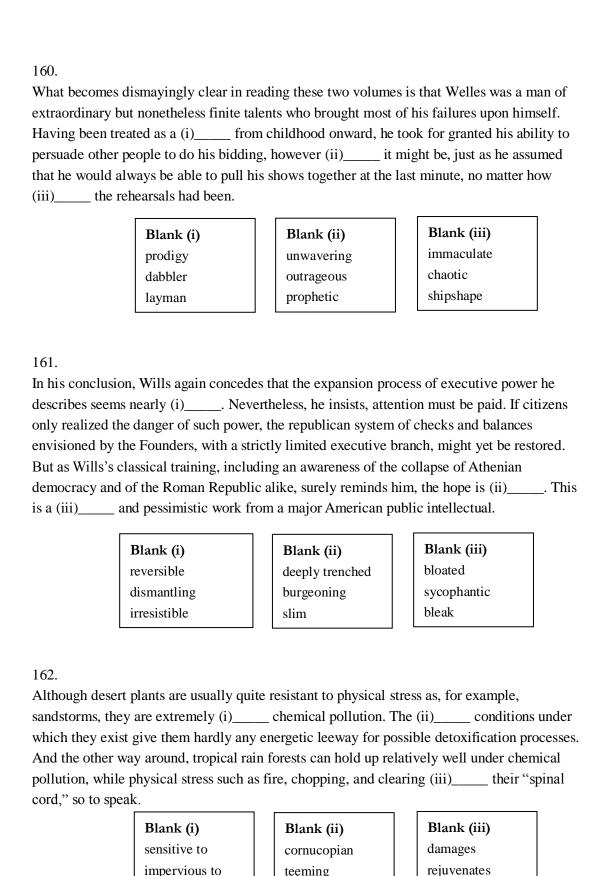
156.

Given the probable results of eliminating affirmative action—a student body consisting almost wholly of whites and Asian Americans—no chief administrator of a respectable college or university would happily oversee the (i)_____ of the presence of black or Hispanic students. Meanwhile, in order to protect themselves against litigation by a white plaintiff arguing that his or her chance of admission has been (ii)_____, colleges and universities have increasingly relied on admissions standards that depend less on scores and more on (iii)____ and personal attributes: having leadership skills or being the first in the family to seek higher education.

Blank (i) overrepresentation erosion initiation Blank (ii) augmented terminated jeopardized Blank (iii)
intangible
financial
intellectual

Exercise Fourteen

ecological aspectalculate and the complex, (iii)	ct, we should still be us also predict great	cau er et en d	tious about (ii) ffects of intervention leveloped, they all fa	_ th ns in	e formal side of a pa eir ability to permit u nature. Even though o succeed when appl	ıs to n highly
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	outlandish		downplaying		compartmental	
	useful		overestimating		provincial	
	miserable		revoking		generalizing	
The Internet in all its accessorized (i) may be the product of advanced science and engineering, yet it paradoxically can feed some of our most unscientific, irrational, and (ii) impulses. Not only does the Web allow every crank and conspiracy theorist to instantly find a global community of like-minded <i>indignati</i> , its open-platform structure (iii) opinion over evidence, conviction over uncertainty, popularity over statistical value.						
	Blank (i)		Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	overhaul		prerogative		underrates	
	fabulousness		temperate		disparages	
	devastation		overwrought		favors	
Sacks's remarkable achievement is to normalize the strangeness of hallucinations by reveling in their creativity. Hallucinations teach us that these (i) moments of sensation are an extreme point of a continuum along which what we imagine becomes more real, more possible than the (ii) And that continuum has (iii): the terror of horrible imaginings can nearly destroy us, but good moments can change us for the better.						
	Blank (i)	ſ	Blank (ii)		Blank (iii)	
	archetypical		mundane		recalcitrance	
	ecstatic		chimerical		power	
	odd		fictitious		obscurity	



54

teeming

marginal

antagonistic to

soothes



Consider that the United States is worst in education, Judt insists, with American students consistently underperforming; indeed, the picture Judt paints is of such (i)_____ that one wonders why U.S. institutions of higher learning remain a mecca for aspiring young scholars everywhere. Poor benighted America, with its "widespread religiosity, suspicion of dissent, fear of foreign influence"—all these (ii)____ make us akin to the worst nations in the world—and this despite the fact that, over the years, America has taken in and created a (iii)____ for a more diverse and multicultural population than exists anywhere else.

Blank (i)

severe wretchedness high standing ever-increasing glory

Blank (ii)

parochialism cosmopolitanism bureaucratism

Blank (iii)

controlled meltdown civic home fugitive sanctuary

164.

However (i) _____ Snyder's endorsement of the literary supermarket may be to some, his description of that supermarket's customer -- non-elite and usually female -- matches the historical profile of the audience for the novel itself. Although reading has a long tradition as an activity of the elite, the history of novel-reading is linked to the more recent emergence of an educated middle class. As the numbers of the moderately wealthy grew, there was a(n) (ii) _____ increase in leisure time, literacy and education, all of which were conditions (iii) _____ the novel.

Blank (i)

delectable distasteful convincing

Blank (ii)

corresponding precipitate unanticipated

Blank (iii)

impervious to favorable to deleterious to

165.

The left hemisphere's job is to create a belief system or model and to fold new experiences into that belief system. If confronted with anomalies, it relies on Freudian defense mechanisms to deny, repress or confabulate—anything to (i)_____ the status quo. The right hemisphere's strategy, on the other hand, is to question the status quo and look for global inconsistencies. When the anomalous information reaches a certain threshold, the right hemisphere forces a "Kuhnian paradigm shift", a complete (ii)____ of the entire model, whereas the left hemisphere always tries to cling (iii)____ to the way things were.

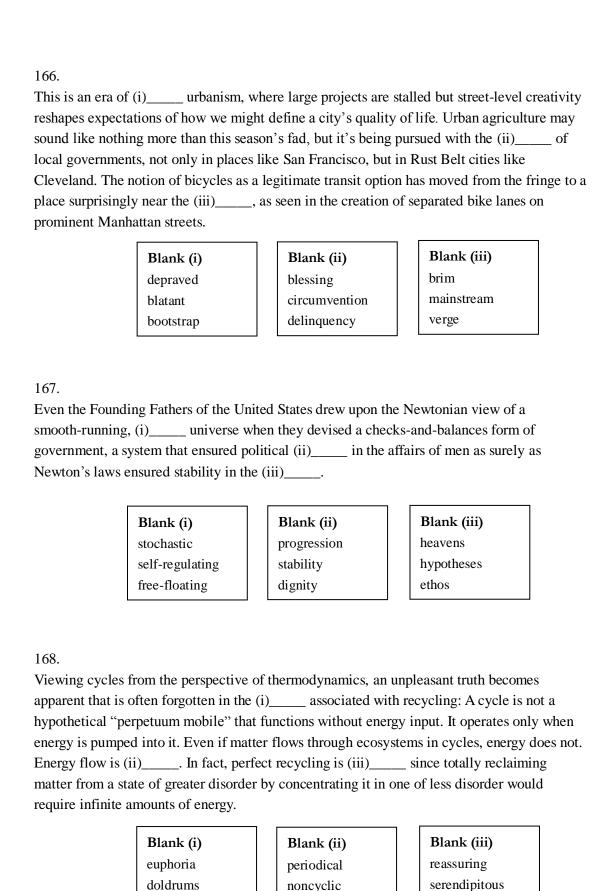
Blank (i) subdue tilt

preserve

Blank (ii)

resuscitation revision invocation Blank (iii)

tenaciously listlessly tenuously



noncyclic

circulatory

paranoia

impossible

Exercise Fifteen

(i) zeal'. I quantity not its	He argued that a true quality. Whereas past	test of a fad is not its di	oursued for a brief time warability but its (ii) faction and consumption.	, and its	
	Blank (i) irrational tepid tempered	Blank (ii) desirability feasibility intelligibility	Blank (iii) pulverizing aristocratic occasional		
170. For stories and for buildings alike, incremental change has been the paradoxical mechanism of their (i) Not one of the buildings whose secret lives are recounted here has lost anything by having been (ii) Instead, they have (iii) in a way that they would never have done if no one had ever altered them. Architecture is all too often imagined as if buildings do not—and should not—change. But change they do, and have always done.					
	Blank (i) disintegration obliteration preservation	Blank (ii) left intact salvaged transformed	Blank (iii) endured been frayed crumbled		
In practice, what happens is that one or two criteria are identified as critical. The project manager then tries to satisfy them as much as possible within the limits set by the other project (i) This issue of effectiveness versus efficiency appears in other guises, such as that of satisfying rather than optimizing. Aiming to satisfy rather than optimize permeates project management, although the idea is (ii) to many specialists. In practice, however, it is often necessary to accept (iii) decision-making in order to get the job done. Blank (i) Blank (ii) Blank (iii) latitude latitude Blank (iii) dogmatic					
	constraints discretion	boon shibboleth	ludicrous sub-optimal		



Rebirth of a Nation features an enormous and variegated cast of characters, all of them longing for regeneration—of mind, of body, of national will. While (i)_____ that private desires do not always influence public affairs, the author argues that this was a time when personal fears and regenerative dreams had (ii)_____ effects: they transformed the politics and culture of the United States, and they were (iii)_____ in launching modern America's delusional (and apparently endless) crusade to save the world.

Blank (i)
balking
conceding
objecting

Blank (ii) cursory suppressive far-reaching

Blank (iii)
instrumental
deterrent
malignant

173.

The talk show is a prominent example of the way in which broadcast enables forms of (i)_____ without interaction between a large number of persons who are nevertheless (ii)____ involved with the affective identifications between the audiences, guests, hosts and companions in the viewing or studio experience, the identifications in which an ordinary person may become a(n) '(iii)____' performer on behalf of those millions of viewers who will never get that chance.

Blank (i) squabble solitude reciprocity Blank (ii)
profoundly
scarcely
accidentally

Blank (iii) representative interloping lamentable

174.

Peterson claims that, if a species does not have language, we can uncover its morality by looking for rules that appear to govern its behavior. But this is to equivocate two senses of "rule." The rules that a scientist may discover by noting the regularities in an animal's behavior are purely (i)_____. The rules of morality are prescriptive, and, since they may be (ii)_____ as often as they are adhered to, may not even be detectable by an observer of (iii) _____ behavior.

Blank (i) probabilistic descriptive normative Blank (ii)
honored
divined
transgressed

Blank (iii)
covert
overt
mental

175.

The accumulation of greenhouse gases in the earth's atmosphere is already posing a grave threat to mankind but is expected to get even (i)_____ in the coming decades. The global electricity generation portfolio is based on exhaustible and scarce fuels (uranium, gas, coal and petroleum). Global reserves are diminishing fast and fuel prices are increasing (ii)_____ which is seriously damaging the global economy. Therefore even without the problem of climate change, the need for action would nevertheless (iii)_____.

Blank (i)
more erratic
worse
better

Blank (ii)
drastically
moderately
sporadically

Blank (iii)
vanish
exist
abate

176.

The housing bubble only (i)_____ after government subsidies pushed house prices up so fast that marginal buyers could no longer afford to chase prices even higher. A bubble created by rigged financial markets and a government-sponsored obsession with home ownership is not a result of market failure, but rather, a result of bad (ii)_____. The belief that home ownership, per se, is such a benefit that no amount of government support could be too great and no pace at which home prices rise could be too fast is the (iii)_____ of the crisis.

Blank (i) burst soared swelled Blank (ii)
timing
speculation
public policy

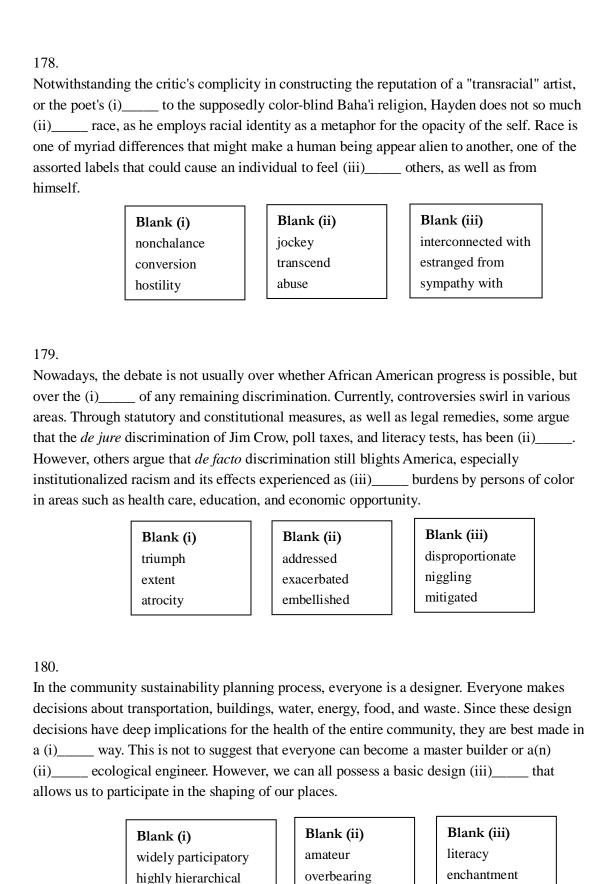
Blank (iii) root harbinger aftermath

177.

Harlow's most famous experiment showed that baby rhesus monkeys, raised alone or with same-age peers, preferred a foodless but fuzzy terrycloth surrogate "mother" over a wire-mesh version that freely dispensed meals. He showed that these infants desperately wanted to bond, and that depriving them of physical, emotional, and social attachment could create a significant (i)_____. In the 1950s this work provided critical evidence for the emerging theory of infant (ii)_____: a theory that, with its emphasis on rich, (iii)_____ parent-child bonds and happy early experiences, still dominates child-development theory (and parenting books) today.

Blank (i) dynamics dysfunction equilibrium Blank (ii)
nonchalance
attachment
overindulgence

Blank (iii) insipid warm tenuous



largely gradualist

competent

innocence

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