

缺少: in the absence of these conditions 在缺乏这些条件的情况下 ③缺席的时间,外出期: He returned home after an absence of two years.

absent ['æbsənt] *a.* ①(from)不在场的,缺席的: He was absent from the meeting. ②心不在焉的: He was absent in his mind then.

absolute ['æbsəlu:t] *a.* ①绝对的,完全的: He is a man of absolute honesty. ②纯粹的,完全的: absolute liberty 完全自由

absorb [əb'sɔ:b] *vt.* ①吸收: Sponge absorbs water. ②吸引...的注意,使全神贯注: The TV was totally absorbing the children's attention. ③把...并入,同化
be **absorbed** in 专心于

【惯用法】absorb 作“使专心致志”“使全神贯注”解时,常用被动语态,后接 in 或 with.

abstain [əb'stein] *vi.* ①弃权: abstain from speaking 不发言 ②(与介词 from 连用)戒除: to abstain from wine 戒酒

abstract ['æbstrækt] *a.* ①抽象的: an abstract noun 抽象名词 ②抽象派的: an abstract artist 抽象派画家 *n.* ①摘要,文摘,梗概: an abstract of a lecture 讲演的摘要 ②抽象派艺术作品 *vt.* [əb'strækt] 提取,抽取: to abstract metal from ore 从矿石里提炼金属
in the **abstract** 在理论上的,抽象的

absurd [əb'sɜ:d] *a.* 荒谬的,荒唐的,可笑的: He looks absurd in that hat!

abundance [ə'bʌndəns] *n.* 丰富,充裕,大量: There is a great abundance of sunshine here.
in **abundance** 充足,丰富,充裕

abundant [ə'bʌdənt] *a.* (in)丰富的,大量的,充足的: abundant proof 充分的证据

abuse¹ [ə'bju:z] *vt.* ①滥用(职权等),妄用: I'll lend you my camera but don't abuse it. ②(常用被动语态)虐待,伤害,辱骂: a much abused wife 备受虐待的妻子

abuse² [ə'bju:z] *n.* ①滥用,虐待: an abuse of power 滥用权力 ②辱骂,谩骂: He greeted me with a stream of abuse.

academic [ˌækə'demik] *a.* ①学院的,学校的: the academic year 学年 ②学术的: The question is purely academic.

academy [ə'kædəmi] *n.* ①高等学校,专科学校: a military academy 军事学院 ②学会,研究院: the Chinese Academy of Sciences 中国科学院

accelerate [æk'seləreit] *vt./vi.* (使)加快,(使)加速: to accelerate the growth of crops 加快作物的生长

acceleration [æk'selə'reiʃən] *n.* 加速(度): This bus has good acceleration.

accent ['æksənt] *n.* ①口音,腔调: He speaks English with a French accent. ②重音符号 ③重音: In this word the accent is on the second syllable. *vt.* 重读: accent the second syllable 重读第二个音节

accept [ək'sept] *vt.* ①接受,收受: accept a gift 接受礼物 ②同意,承认,认可: accept the view 同意这观点

acceptable [ək'septəbl] *a.* 可接受的: His proposal is quite acceptable.

acceptance [ək'septəns] *n.* ①接受,接纳: The proposal met with general acceptance. ②赞同,承认: The new laws gained wide spread acceptance.

access ['ækses] *n.* ①通路,入口: access to the mountain 到达山峰的通路 ②接近,进入: We gained access into the house through the window. *vt.* 存取(电脑文件): He accessed the data from his personal computer.

have/gain **access** to 有机会,可以获得

accessory [æk'sesəri] *n.* ①(常用复数)附件,零件,配件: computer accessories 电脑配件 ②同谋者,从犯: an accessory to murder 谋杀案的从犯 ③(常用复数)(妇女的手提包等)装饰品: fashion accessories 时装饰品

accident [ˈæksɪdənt] *n.* 事故, 意外的事, 偶然的事; He was killed in a motoring accident.

by **accident** 偶然

accidental [ˌæksɪˈdentl] *a.* 偶然的, 意外的: It is by no means accidental.

acclaim [əˈkleɪm] *vt.* 向…欢呼, 为…喝彩: The crowd acclaimed the hero as he rode through the town.

accommodate [əˈkɒmədeɪt] *vt.* ①向…提供住处(膳宿): The hotel can accommodate 500 guests. ②使适应, 顺应: accommodate oneself to changed conditions 使自己适应变化的情况 ③容纳: This elevator accommodates twelve people.

accommodation [əˈkɒməˈdeɪʃən] *n.* ①(用复数)(膳宿)供应: This hospital has accommodations for 300 patients. ②(用复数)留宿, 住宿: top quality hotel accommodation 一流的旅馆住宿条件

accompany [əˈkʌmpəni] *vt.* ①陪伴, 陪同: accompany a guest to the door 送客到门口 ②伴随, 和…一起发生: The storm was accompanied with thunder.

[惯用法] 表示“陪某人去学校”时, 不能用 accompany sb. to go to school, 因 accompany 本身已包含 go with sb. 的意思, to go 应去掉, 但可以用 accompany sb. to go with。汉语中“与某人作伴”应用 keep sb. company。

accomplice [əˈkɒmplɪs] *n.* 共犯, 从犯: Bill and his accomplice Smith were arrested last week.

accomplish [əˈkɒmplɪʃ] *vt.* 完成(任务), 实现(计划、诺言等), 达到(目的): We cannot accomplish this on our own.

accord [əˈkɔ:d] *vt. /vi.* ①(with) 一致, 符合: Your words should accord with your deeds. ②给予, 授予: They accorded a warm welcome to me. *n.* ①一致, 符合 ②谅解, 协议: peace accord 和平条约

in **accord** with 与…一致

of one's own **accord** 出于自愿, 主动地

with one **accord** 一致地, 一致同意地

accordance [əˈkɔ:dəns] *n.* 一致, 和谐, 符合 in **accordance** with 与…一致, 依照, 根据

according to 按…所载, 据…所说; 根据, 按照

accordingly [əˈkɔ:dɪŋli] *ad.* ①因此, 所以, 于是: He was tired out, accordingly, we sent him to bed. ②照着, 相应地: You told me to lock the door and I acted accordingly.

account [əˈkaunt] *n.* ①账目, 账户: cast accounts 算账 ②记述, 描述, 报告: When you return, please give an account of your trip. ③说明, 解释: No satisfactory account was given of these phenomena. *vi.* (for) 说明, 解释: He could not account for the mistake.

of no **account** 不重要

on **account** of 为了…的缘故, 因为, 由于

on no **account** of 决不, 绝对不

take **account** of 考虑到, 顾及, 体谅

take into **account** = take **account** of

accountable [əˈkauntəbl] *a.* 负有责任的: accountable for one's actions 为自己的行为负责

accountant [əˈkauntənt] *n.* 会计人员, 会计师: a chartered accountant 会计师

accumulate [əˈkju:mjuleɪt] *vt. /vi.* 积累, 积蓄, 堆积, 积聚: Dust soon accumulates if a house is not cleaned regularly.

accuracy [ˈækjʊrəsi] *n.* 准确(性), 精确度(性): I wasn't convinced about the accuracy of the report.

accurate [ˈækjʊrɪt] *a.* 准确的, 精确的, 正确无误的: Your statements about the cost of the house were not accurate.

accurately [ˈækjʊrɪtli] *ad.* 准确地, 精确地: report the situation accurately 如实地反映情况

accuse [əˈkju:z] *vt.* ①谴责, 指责: accuse sb. of carelessness 指责某人粗心大意 ②(of) 控告, 告

发: He accused Bill of hitting his cat.

accustom [ə'kʌstəm] *vt.* (to) 适应, 使习惯: accustom oneself to country life 使自己适应乡村生活

accustomed [ə'kʌstəmd] *a.* ① 惯常的, 通常的 ② (to) 习惯于…的, 适应了: I soon got accustomed to his strange ways.

ace [eis] *n.* ① “A”牌 ② 能手, 专家: an ace pilot 王牌飞行员 ③ 发球得分

achieve [ə'tʃi:v] *vt.* ① 完成, 达到 (目的): By hard work we can achieve anything. ② 得到, 达到: achieve one's purpose 达到目的

achievement [ə'tʃi:vmənt] *n.* ① 完成, 达到 (目的), 实现: the achievement of one's object 达到目的 ② 成就, 成绩, 成功: The inventor was rewarded by the government for his scientific achievements.

acid ['æsid] *a.* ① 酸的: A lemon is an acid fruit. ② 尖刻的, 刻薄的: His remarks were rather acid. *n.* ① 酸: Strong acid corrodes metal. ② 酸性物质

acknowledge [ək'nɒlɪdʒ] *vt.* ① 承认, 承认…的权威 (主张): acknowledge defeat 承认失败 ② 公认为, 认为: He was acknowledged as their leader. ③ 致谢, 鸣谢: We should acknowledge his services to the town. ④ 告知收到, 确认: We must acknowledge his letter.

acoustic [ə'ku:stɪk] *a.* ① 听觉的, 声音的: acoustic waves 声波 ② (乐器) 原声的: an acoustic guitar 原声吉他

acquaint [ə'kweɪnt] *vt.* (with) 认识, 相识, 了解: I am acquainted with him, but only on a professional basis.

acquaintance [ə'kweɪntəns] *n.* ① (with) 熟悉, 熟知, 相识, 了解: a little acquaintance with English 稍微会一点英语 ② 熟人, 相识的人: He is an old acquaintance.

acquire [ə'kwaɪə] *vt.* 取得, 求得, 获得, 学得: He acquired an appreciation of classical music.

acquisition [ˌækwi'zɪʃən] *n.* ① 取得, 获得: Some people are only interested in the acquisition of wealth. ② 获得物, 增添的人 (物): the library's most recent acquisitions 图书馆最近增添的书籍

acquit [ə'kwɪt] *vt.* ① 宣判…无罪: The court acquitted him of all charges. ② 使 (自己) 作出某种表现: acquit oneself well 表现很好

acre ['eɪkə] *n.* 英亩 (约合 0.4 公顷)

across [ə'krɒs] *prep.* ① 穿过, 越过, 横越: They built a bridge across the river. ② 在…对面, 在…那边: My house is across the street. *ad.* ① 有…宽: The river is a mile across. ② 从一边到另一边, 横过: Can you swim across?

act [ækt] *vt. / vi.* ① 行动, 做: Think carefully before you act. ② (on) 起…作用: The brakes refused to act. ③ 表演, 扮演: He acted Sampson very well. *n.* ① 行为, 动作: an act of justice 正义行为 ② 法令, 条例 ③ (戏剧的) 一幕: a play in three acts 三幕剧

act on 遵守…行动, 奉行; 作用于, 影响

act up 出毛病, 运转不正常; 耍脾气, 捣蛋 in the **act** of 正在…的过程中

action ['ækʃən] *n.* ① 行动, 动作: The continuous action of the sewing machine shook the table. ② (on) 作用: It resists the action of acids. out of **action** 不起作用

activate ['æktɪveɪt] *vt.* 使活动起来, 使开始起作用: The smoke activated the fire alarm.

active ['æktɪv] *a.* ① 活跃的, 活泼的, 积极的: His personal life is very active. ② 主动的, 起作用的: an active volcano 活火山

actively ['æktɪvli] *ad.* 活跃地, 积极地: actively expand production 努力发展生产

activist ['æktɪvɪst] *n.* (政治活动的) 积极分子, 活动家

activity [æk'tɪvɪti] *n.* ① 活动, 所做的事情: practical activities 实践活动 ② 活跃, 活力, 活动性: be in activity (火山等) 在活动中

actual ['æktʃuəl, 'æktʃuəl] *a.* 现实的, 实际的, 事实上的: Is this vase an actual antique or a copy?

acute [ə'kju:t] *a.* ①严重的: an acute shortage of water 严重缺水 ②敏锐的: Dogs have an acute sense of smell. ③锐的, 尖的 ④(疾病)急性的: Dogs have very acute hearing.

adapt [ə'dæpt] *vt.* ①使适应, 使适合 ②改编, 改写: The novel has been adapted for radio. *vi.* (to) 适应: He adapted quickly to the new procedures.

adaptation [ˌædæp'teɪʃən] *n.* ①适应: adaptation to the ground 适应地形 ②改编: The movie was an adaptation of a classic novel.

add [æd] *vt.* ①添加, 增加: Three added to four makes seven. ②进一步说(写), 附带说明: I'll add a few words when you finish the letter. *vi.* (to) 增添: Fireworks added to the attraction of the festival night.

add up 加起来; 说得通

add up to 合计达, 总括起来, 意味着

addict¹ [ə'dɪkt] *vt.* 使成瘾, 热衷于: He is addicted to alcohol.

addict² ['ædɪkt] *n.* ①有瘾的人 ②入迷的人: John is an addict when it comes to cigarettes.

addition [ə'dɪʃən] *n.* (增)加, 加法, 附加物: valuable additions to the library 图书馆中新添的有价值的书刊

in addition 另外, 加之

in addition to 除...之外(还)

additional [ə'dɪʃənəl] *a.* 附加的, 额外的, 另外的: An additional charge is made for heavy bags.

additive [ə'dɪtɪv] *n.* 添加剂: chemical additives for making plastics 塑料助剂

address [ə'dres] *n.* ①通讯处, 地址: He wrote wrong address on the envelope. ②致词, 讲话: The headmaster gave a short address to the boys. *vt.* ①向...致词(说话): address to the meeting 向大会演讲 ②(在信封或包裹等上)写姓名地址:

The letter was wrongly addressed to our old home.

adequate ['ædɪkwɪt] *a.* ①充足的, 足够的: What you have given us is not adequate, you must find more. ②适当的, 胜任的: take adequate precautions 采取适当的预防措施

adhere [əd'hɪə] *vi.* ①(to) 粘着, 附着: We use paste to make one surface adhere to another. ②(to) 忠于, 拥护: adhere to a political party 拥护一个政党 ③(to) 坚持, 坚信: We should always adhere to the truth.

adhesive [əd'hɪ:sɪv] *n.* 粘合剂 *a.* 可粘着的, 粘性的: The adhesive power of the glue increased under pressure.

adjacent [ə'dʒeɪsənt] *a.* (to) 邻近的, 毗邻的: Their house is adjacent to ours.

adjoin [ə'dʒɔɪn] *vt. / vi.* 贴近, 与...毗连: The playground adjoins the school.

adjourn [ə'dʒɔɪn] *vt. / vi.* (使)中止, 休会: Let's adjourn until tomorrow.

adjust [ə'dʒʌst] *vt.* ①(to) 调整, 调节: The boy adjusted the TV to get a clearer picture. ②整理, 使合适: She carefully adjusted her clothes before going out.

administer [əd'mɪnɪstə] *vt.* ①管理, 照料: The personnel director administers the attendance policy. ②给予, 实施: administer medicine to the patient 给病人服药

administration [əd,mɪnɪ'streɪʃən] *n.* ①管理, 经营, 支配: under his administration 在他的管理下 ②管理部门, 行政机关, 政府: the college administration 大学行政部门 ③实行, 执行: the administration of the law 执行法律

admiral ['ædmərə(ə)l] *n.* 海军将领, 舰队司令

admiration [ˌædmə'reɪʃən] *n.* 赞美, 羡慕, 钦佩: The Nanking Yangtse River Bridge is the admiration of us all.

admire [əd'maɪə] *vt.* ①钦佩, 赞赏, 羡慕: I admire him for his success in business. ②称赞, 夸

奖: I have always admired my mother's charm.

[惯用法] admire 可用在讥讽的语句中作反语。该词后面可接名词、代词或动名词,但不能接 that 引导的从句。

admission [əd'mɪʃən] *n.* ①准许进入,准许加入: No admission after 5 pm. ②承认,供认: She made an admission that she had lied. ③入场费,入场券: Admission \$10.

admit [əd'mɪt] *vt./vi.* ①准许…进来,准许…加入: He was admitted into the school. ②(to)承认,供认: The club was sued for refusing to admit minorities. ③(of)容许有: The matter admits of no delay.

adolescent [ˌædəʊ'lesnt] *a.* 青少年的,青春期的: adolescent boys 青春期的男孩子 *n.* 青少年

adopt [ə'dɒpt] *vt./vi.* ①采用,采纳,采取: adopt an idea 采纳意见 ②正式通过,批准: The committee adopted the report. ③收养(子女): an adopted son 养子

adore [ə'dɔː] *vt.* ①崇拜,敬慕,爱慕: Grandpa adored Grandma from the day they first met. ②非常喜爱: adore ice-cream 喜欢冰淇淋

adorn [ə'dɔːn] *vt.* 装饰,使…生色: adorn the room with flowers 用花装饰房间

adult [ˈædʌlt] *a.* 已成熟的,成年人的: adult vote 成人票 *n.* 成年人(动物): The movie is suitable for adults only.

advance [əd'vɑːns] *vi.* ①前进 ②取得进展: Has civilization advanced during this century? ③(价格等)上涨: Prices have advanced 5 percent during the past year. ④促进,推进,助长: advance the growth of wheat 促进小麦生长 *vt.* ①预先发放,预先支付: He asked his employer to advance him a month's salary. ②提前,使提前发生 ③提出(建议等): Tom advanced his idea at the beginning of the meeting. *n.* ①前进,进展,发展: make an advance in science 科学上取得进步 ②预付;提前:

He asked for an advance on his salary.

in **advance** 在前面;预先,事先

advanced [əd'vɑːnst] *a.* ①超前的,先进的: advanced experience 先进经验 ②高等的,高级的 ③年迈的,后阶段的: She died at an advanced age.

advantage [əd'vɑːntɪdʒ] *n.* ①优点,有利条件,有利因素: The advantages of a good education are great. ②利益,好处: What are the advantages of air travel?

gain/have an **advantage** over 胜于,优于
take **advantage** of 利用,占…便宜
to **advantage** 有利地,使优点突出地

advent [ˈædvənt] *n.* 出现,到来: People are much better informed since the advent of TV.

adventure [əd'ventʃə] *n.* ①奇遇,异乎寻常的经历: I had a singular adventure. ②冒险,冒险活动: a story of adventure 历险故事

adversary [ˈædvəsəri] *n.* 对手,敌手

adverse [ˈædvɜːs] *a.* ①不利的,有害的: The adverse weather conditions made travel difficult. ②相反的,逆的: adverse winds 逆风

advertise [ˈædvətaɪz] *vt.* ①为…做广告,宣传: advertise a job 登一则招聘广告 ②(在报刊、电视、广播等中)公告,公布: The time and place of the meeting will be advertised later.

advice [əd'vaɪs] *n.* ①忠告,劝告,意见: I want your advice on this work. ②(医生等)的建议: You won't get well unless you follow your doctor's advice.

advisable [əd'vaɪzəbl] *a.* 适当的,明智的,可取的: It is advisable to save part of your paycheck each month.

[惯用法] 在“It is advisable that…”结构中,that 从句中的谓语动词要用虚拟语气。

advise [əd'vaɪz] *vt.* ①劝告,建议,向…提供意见: We advise that steps be taken at once. ②通

知,告知:I have advised her that we are coming.

[惯用法] advise 可接动名词作宾语或“名词(代词)+不定式”作复合宾语,不能接不定式作宾语。该词表示“劝告”、“建议”时,可用 that 从句作宾语,从句中的谓语动词要用虚拟语气。

advocate¹ ['ædvəkit] *n.* ①倡导者,拥护者:an advocate of world peace 世界和平的倡导者 ②辩护人

advocate² ['ædvəkeɪt] *vt.* 拥护,提倡,主张:He do not advocate building large factories.

aerial ['æəriəl] *n.* 天线:Put up the car's aerial. *a.* ①空中的,架空的:an aerial railway 架空铁道 ②飞机的,航空的,由飞机进行的:an aerial attack 空袭

aerospace ['æərəʊspeɪs] *n.* 宇宙空间,太空,宇宙空间学

aesthetic, esthetic [i:st'etɪk] *a.* ①美学的,美感的,美的:I added an aesthetic touch to the living room with silk flowers. ②审美的,有审美能力的:aesthetic standards 审美观

affair [ə'feə] *n.* ①事情,事件:a public affair 一件公事 ②(用复数)业务,事务:The minister deals with important affairs of state.

affect [ə'fekt] *vt.* 影响:Smoking affects health.

affection [ə'fekʃən] *n.* 喜爱,慈爱,感情,爱慕之情:have an affection for sb. 喜欢某人

affiliate [ə'fɪleɪt] *vt./vi.* ①(使…)加入,联合:an affiliated middle school 附属中学 ②(to, with)使隶属(附属)于:We chose not to affiliate with our competitors. *n.* 附属机构,分公司

affirm [ə'fɜ:m] *vt.* ①坚持声称,断言:She affirmed her innocence. ②(在法庭上)证实,确认:He was affirmed as a candidate.

affirmative [ə'fɜ:mətɪv] *a.* 肯定的:an affirmative sentence 肯定句

afflict [ə'flɪkt] *vt.* 使苦恼,折磨:be afflicted with a disease 害病

affluent ['æfluənt] *a.* 富裕的,富足的:Tom is not from an affluent family, but he has traveled a lot anyway.

afford [ə'fɔ:d] *vt.* ①(与 can, could, be able to 连用)买得起,担负得起:We can't afford the waste of a single minute. ②提供,给予:History affords us lessons that merit attention.

afraid [ə'freɪd] *a.* ①恐惧的,害怕的:A postman is not afraid of dogs. ②恐怕:I'm afraid I am late.

[惯用法] afraid 后可接不定式、介词 of 引起的短语或以 that (lest) 引起的从句。afraid to do sth. 表示“因害怕而不敢做某事”;afraid of sth. (doing sth.) 表示“害怕某事或害怕做某事”;afraid that (lest) 表示“担心…”、“恐怕会…”。

after ['ɑ:ftə] *prep.* (表示时间)在…以后,(表示位置顺序)在…后面:We shall leave after breakfast. *ad.* ①后来,以后:He left on Monday and returned two days after. ②后面:look before and after 向前看再向后看 *conj.* 在…后:After the work was done, we sat down to sum up experience.

[惯用法] 表示位置时,常用 behind。

aftermath ['ɑ:ftəməθ] *n.* 后果,余波:the aftermath of the war 战后余殃

afternoon ['ɑ:ftə'nʊm] *n.* 下午,午后

[惯用法] this afternoon 等短语作状语时,前面不用 in 或 on。

afterward(s) ['ɑ:ftəwəd(z)] *ad.* 其后,以后,后来:She stayed for a while afterwards.

again [ə'geɪn, ə'geɪn] *ad.* ①再(次),又,重新:Let me try once again. ②此外,还有:Then again, we must consider the other aspects of the problem.

again and again 再三地,反复不止地

against [ə'genst, ə'geɪnst] *prep.* ①对(着),相反,逆; No one is against this proposal. ②和…比: Red flags stand out brightly against the blue sky. ③靠着,倚着: Place the ladder against the wall.

age [eidʒ] *n.* ①年龄,年纪: They two are of an age. ②时代,时期 *vi./vt.* ①变老,老化: An unusual amount of wear aged the door hinges prematurely. ②成熟,变陈旧

agency ['eidʒənsi] *n.* ①代理行,代办处,经销店: an employment agency 职业介绍所 ②(政府等的)专业行政部门: the Central Intelligence Agency 中央情报局

agenda [ə'dʒendə] *n.* 议事日程: Now let's come to the next item on the agenda.

agent ['eidʒənt] *n.* ①代理人,代理商,经纪人: a shipping agent 运货代理商 ②政府特工人员,政府代表 ③(发生作用或影响的)动因,力量: a natural agent 自然力(如风、水等) ④剂: drying agent 干燥剂

aggravate ['ægrəveɪt] *vt.* ①加剧,加重,使恶化: Tom aggravated his financial difficulties by spending more money than he made. ②激怒,使恼火: She was aggravated by his stupid questions.

aggregate¹ ['ægrɪɡɪt] *n.* ①总数,合计: Society is not just an aggregate of individuals. ②集结,集合

aggregate² ['ægrɪgeɪt] *vt.* ①合计达,总计: The TV audience aggregated 50 million. ②使聚集,使积累
in the **aggregate** 总共,作为总体

aggressive [ə'gresɪv] *a.* ①进攻的,侵略的,侵犯的: an aggressive policy 侵略政策 ②敢作敢为的,有进取心的: The young man is rather aggressive.

agitate ['ædʒɪteɪt] *vt./vi.* ①煽动,鼓动: Tom agitated the dog by poking it with a stick. ②搅动,摇动 ③使焦虑不安: She was agitated by his sudden appearance at the party.

agony ['æɡəni] *n.* 创痛,(极度的)痛苦: He lay

in agony until the doctor arrived.

agree [ə'ɡri:] *vi./vt.* ①(to) 同意,(on) 赞同: I agree with what you say. ②相符,一致: The two don't agree at all, we have to do more ideological work with them. ③应允: He agreed to help us.

[惯用法] 1. agree 后的 that 从句可用或不用虚拟语气。2. agree with 表示同意某人(的意见、想法、解释等); agree on (about) 表示在某件事上取得一致意见; agree to 表示同意某事或某项建议,有时表示不但同意而且愿意协力合作。

agreeable [ə'ɡriəbl] *a.* ①令人愉快的,惬意的: agreeable weather 舒适的天气 ②易相处的 ③(to) (欣然)同意的,乐意的: I am agreeable to do what you suggest.

agreement [ə'ɡri:mənt] *n.* ①同意,达成协议: We are in agreement on that point. ②协定,协议,契约: sign an agreement 签订合同

agricultural [ægrɪ'kʌltʃərəl] *a.* 农业的: agricultural economy 农业经济

agriculture [ægrɪ'kʌltʃə] *n.* 农业,农学: the modernization of agriculture 农业现代化

ahead [ə'hed] *ad.* 向前,在前,提前,前头: He will get ahead of others in English.

ahead of 比…提前,比…更早

aid [eid] *vt.* 帮助,援助,救援: aid him in his work 在工作中助他一臂之力 *n.* ①帮助,救护: He went to the aid of the hurt man. ②助手,辅助物,辅助手段: A dictionary is an important aid in language learning.

aide [eid] *n.* 助手,副官

ailment ['eɪlmənt] *n.* 小病,疾病: all kinds of diseases and ailments breaking out 百病缠身

aim [eɪm] *vt./vi.* ①(at) (以枪等)瞄准,把…对准: The archer aimed the arrow at the target. ②(for) 旨在,目的在于: What are you aiming at? *n.* ①瞄准,对准 ②目的,目标,意图: What is your aim in life?

[惯用法] 1. aim 通常与 at 连用。如果着重指达到最终目的,而不强调所做的努力,可用 for。2. aim at 可用被动语态,aim for 不能。3. aim to do sth. 表示“打算做某事”,常用于美国英语中。

air [ɛə] *n.* ① 空气, 大气: fresh air 新鲜空气
② 天空, 空中: the open air 露天, 户外 *vt.* ① 晾干(干): Grain must be aired in the sun. ② 使(房间等)通风: Let's open the windows and air this smoky room.

air one's view 道出自己的看法

air-conditioning 空调设备, 空调系统

clear the **air** 消除误会(或猜疑等)

in the **air** 流传中

off the **air** 停播

on the **air** 广播

up in the **air** 悬而未决的

aircraft ['ækrɑ:ft] *n.* (单复数同形) 飞机, 航空器

airhostess ['eəhɒstis] *n.* 客机上的女服务员, 空中小姐

airline ['eəlaɪn] *n.* ① (用复数) 航空公司: United Airlines 联合航空公司 ② (飞机的) 航线

airmail ['eəmeɪl] *n.* 航空邮件, 航空邮政: I sent the letter by airmail.

aisle [aɪl] *n.* 过道, 通道: the aisle seats 靠走廊的座位

alarm ['ælɑ:m] *n.* ① 警报, 警报器, 警铃: air alarm 空袭警报 ② 惊慌, 忧虑: This news fills me with alarm. *vt.* ① 向...报警 ② 使惊恐, 使不安, 惊吓: There's nothing to get alarmed about.

album ['ælbəm] *n.* 粘贴簿, 相片簿, 集邮簿, 签名纪念册: a photo album 相片簿

alcohol ['ælkəhɒl] *n.* 酒精, 含酒精的饮料: He does not touch alcohol.

alcoholic ['ælkə'hɒlɪk] *a.* ① 酒精的, 含酒精的: an alcoholic drink 含酒精的饮料 ② 由酒精引起的

alert ['ælə:t] *a.* ① 注意的, 警惕的, 留神的: be

alert to possible dangers 对可能发生的危险有警觉 ② 机灵的, 活跃的: She's old but still very alert. *n.* ① 警戒(状态), 警戒(期间) ② 警报 *vt.* 使警觉, 使...处于待命状态: The troops were alerted.

on the **alert** 警戒着, 随时准备着, 密切注意着

alien ['eɪljən] *a.* ① 外国的, 陌生的: Rabbits are really alien creatures in Australia. ② (to) 与...不同的, 相异的 ③ 性质不同的, 不相容的 *n.* ① 外国人, 外侨 ② 外星人

alienate ['eɪljəneɪt] *vt.* ① 使疏远, 使不友好, 离间: The comedian alienated his audience by making mean jokes that weren't funny. ② 转让(财产): alienate lands to another 把土地转让给别人

alike [ə'laɪk] *a.* (常作表语) 相似的, 相像的, 相同的: The two sisters are very much alike.

alive [ə'laɪv] *a.* (常作表语) ① 活着的, 在世的: She is still alive. ② (继续) 存在的, 在起作用的: Ancient traditions are still very much alive in rural areas.

all [ɔ:l] *a.* 所有的, 整个的, 全部的: all the year 全年 *pron.* 每个人, 全体, 全部, 一切 *ad.* (加强语气) ① 全体, 全部, 完全: I am all for adopting the new technique. ② 更加, 越发, 很: Well I know that there's danger ahead, but I am all the more set on driving forward.

above **all** 首先, 尤其, 最重要的是

after **all** 毕竟, 终究; 虽然这样

all but 几乎, 差不多; 除了...都

all in **all** 从各方面说, 总的说来

all out 全力以赴, 竭尽全力

all over 到处, 四处, 遍及

all right 行, 很好; 顺利, 良好

at **all** (用于否定句) 完全不, 根本不

for **all** 尽管, 虽然

in **all** 总共, 总计

not at **all** 一点儿也不

allege [ə'ledʒ] *vt.* 断言, 宣称, 声称: The report alleged that the prominent lawyer was caught shoplifting.

alleviate [ə'li:vieit] *vt.* 减轻(痛苦等), 缓解, 缓和: The doctor gave her an injection to alleviate the pain.

alley ['æli] *n.* 小巷, 胡同

alliance [ə'laɪəns] *n.* 结盟, 联盟, 同盟: The two countries formed an alliance to protect themselves against enemies.

in **alliance** with 与...结盟

allied [ə'laid] *a.* 联合的, 同盟的: allied country 盟国

allocate ['æləkeɪt] *vt.* 分配, 分派, 把...拨给: The government allocated funds to aid flood victims.

allot [ə'lɒt] *vt.* 分配, 拨出: A part of this urgent task was allotted to us.

allow [ə'lau] *vt.* ①允许, 准许, 容许: Smoking is not allowed here. ②认为, 承认: The whole group allows him to be a good comrade.

allow for 考虑到, 顾及, 为...留出余地

allow of 容许, 容许有...的可能

allowance [ə'lauəns] *n.* ①津贴, 补助, 零用钱: Most people who travel in the course of their work are given traveling allowances. ②宽容, 体谅: You must make allowances for him because he has been ill.

make **allowance**(s) for 考虑到, 顾及; 体谅, 原谅

alloy ['æloi, ə'lɔɪ] *n.* 合金

allude [ə'lʊ:d] *vi.* (常与介词 to 连用) 暗指, 提及: Lily alluded to her birthday, hoping I would buy her a present.

allure [ə'ljuə] *n.* 诱惑力, 魅力: The allure of money makes some people greedy. *vt.* 诱惑, 引诱, 吸引: allure sb. into 诱使某人陷入...

ally [ə'lai, ə'leɪ] *vt.* (with, to) (使) 结盟, (使) 联姻, (使) 联合: Russia allied itself with the United States during World War II. *n.* ①同盟国, 同盟者:

In that war England was not an ally, She was neutral. ②支持者

almighty [ɔ:l'maiti] *a.* 全能的, 万能的: the Almighty God 全能的上帝

almost ['ɔ:l'məʊst] *ad.* 几乎, 差不多: Almost no one took any rest.

[惯用法] 1. almost 用于肯定句, 要放在实义动词前, 系动词、助动词后, 不能放在句末。在否定句中, almost 要放在否定式动词前。2. almost 后可接 no, none, nothing 或 never 等具有否定意义的词。

alone [ə'ləʊn] *a.* ①(只作表语, 不用在名词前) 单独的, 孤独的: I was lonely because I was all alone. ②单单, 仅, 只: You can't live on bread alone. *ad.* ①单独地, 孤独地: He likes living alone. ②(用在名词或代词后) 独个儿, 仅仅 leave/let **alone** 听其自然, 不要去管

along [ə'lɒŋ] *ad.* ①向前地, 往前: Move along, please! ②一道, 一起: We traveled along with his two friends. *prep.* 沿着, 循着: We went for a walk along the road.

all **along** 始终, 一直

along with 和...一道, 和...一起

alongside [ə'lɒŋ'saɪd] *ad.* 横靠着, 并排地, 并肩地: We brought our car alongside. *prep.* 横靠, 在...旁边: The car drew up alongside the curb.

alphabet ['ælfəbɪt] *n.* 字母表

already [ɔ:l'redi] *ad.* 已, 已经, 早已: They continued working, thought it was already near midnight.

also ['ɔ:lsəʊ] *ad.* ①而且(也), 此外(还): That dress is pretty, and cheap also. ②同样地: Since you are having another cup of tea. I'll also have one.

alter ['ɔ:lɪtə] *vt./vi.* 改变, 改动, 变更: Dad altered his old pants because they didn't fit any more.