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Q.1

(1) range

(2) depth

(3) midst

(4) essence

(5) debate

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Q.2

(1) benefit

(2) cost

(3) earn

(4) facilitate

(5) save

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Q.3

(1) donated

(2) demanded

(3) dwindled

(4) spent

(5) pocketed

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Q.4

(1) hesitate

(2) come

(3) defy

(4) have

(5) admit

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Q.5

(1) decreed (2) refrained (3) commented (4) admonished (5) visualised

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Q.6

(1) consumers (2) advocates (3) exponents (4) producers (5) users

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Q.7

(1) revoked (2) forced (3) squashed (4) abandoned (5) enacted

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Q.8

(1) regain (2) claim (3) pay (4) demand (5) wonder

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Q.9

(1) practice

(2) reason

(3) compensation

(4) issue

(5) wonder

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Q.10

(1) force

(2) plead

(3) appeal

(4) dupe

(5) follow

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