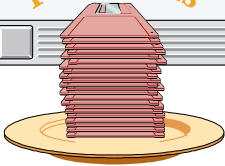


下表右邊所列的十句成語，句首分別是“一”至“十”。試把答案填上，再在左邊找出相應的解釋配對。

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| 1. 形容心意不專，反覆無常       | A. ( ) 曝十寒 |
| 2. 比喻把壞人集中一處，以便一網打盡  | B. ( ) 面玲瓏 |
| 3. 比喻多方受敵，孤立無援       | C. ( ) 內如焚 |
| 4. 形容極度焦急或憂愁         | D. ( ) 畜不安 |
| 5. 猶言雞犬不寧            | E. ( ) 牛一毛 |
| 6. 比喻做事努力少，懈怠多，進展不快  | F. ( ) 人成虎 |
| 7. 比喻謠言重複多次，就能使人信以為真 | G. ( ) 面楚歌 |
| 8. 形容人世故圓滑，面面俱到      | H. ( ) 麩生煙 |
| 9. 形容氣憤至極            | I. ( ) 鼠同穴 |
| 10. 比喻微不足道           | J. ( ) 三其德 |

- 答案： 11. (二) 三其德 12. (一) 鼠同穴 13. (四) 面楚歌 14. (五) 內如焚 15. (三) 人成虎 16. (九) 牛一毛 17. (六) 畜不安 18. (八) 面玲瓏 19. (七) 麩生煙 20. (十) 曝十寒

### IT Snacks



## Something new under the sun



Moving swiftly into the era of information technology, we can expect state-of-the-art technology to emerge and scientific talents to come up with new inventions almost every day. The result is that even with the richness of the language, the bank of English words cannot cope with such rapid explosions of new ideas. Not surprisingly, this “overdraft” is balanced out by the creation of new terms and expressions.

Among the 145 000 entries in the latest edition of the *Oxford Compact English Dictionary*, quite a number of the newly-coined words are related to IT or other modern technologies. See if you can tell what the following mean or simply match them with the definitions on the right.

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| 1. sticky (n)     | A. registering well-known names as Internet domain names, in the hope of selling them on to the owner |
| 2. meatspace      | B. internet- or computer-addicted teenager  |
| 3. cybersquatting | C. food with genetically modified ingredients   |
| 4. flexexecutive  | D. physical world, as opposed to virtual  |
| 5. dotcom         | E. worker who can choose hours and place of work due to the new IT                                    |
| 6. screenager     | F. a website attracting long or repeated visits from users  |
| 7. frankenfood    | G. company that conducts its business on the Internet   |