Stimuli for Pattern Complexity Experiment

The words containing high and low complexity characters are shown in square brackets separated by a slash (/). An English translations of each sentence is given underneath.

1. 我昨天下班路过[花园/教堂]后门时碰巧遇到了小张。

I happened to meet Xiao Zhang when I passed the back door of the [garden/church] after work yesterday.

2. 校领导下令立即疏散[会场/教室]内的全体学生。

The school leader ordered an immediate evacuation of all the students in the [stadium/classroom].

3. 工作人员正在准备[市民/摄影]艺术节的开幕式。

The staff are preparing for the opening ceremony of the [citizen/photography] arts festival.

4. 此次输油管泄露对青岛[市区/海域]造成了严重污染。

The oil pipeline leak caused serious pollution to the Qingdao [city/sea area].

5. 校长决定由教师代表[充当/推荐]演讲比赛的评委。

The headmaster decided that the teachers' representatives would [act as/recommend] judges in the speech contest.

6. 盟军炸毁多座德国[机场/桥梁]以延缓敌人的反攻。

Allied forces bombed several German [airports/bridges] to delay the enemy's counterattack.

7. 小王准备购买[书本/香烟]的钱被弟弟拿去上网了。

The money that Xiao Wang was about to buy [books/cigarettes] was taken by his brother to go to internet cafe.

8. 老刘计划周末前往[西安/海南]参加战友儿子的婚礼。

Mr. Liu plans to travel to [Xi 'an/Hainan] this weekend to attend the wedding of the son of his comrade-in-arms.

9. 这台雷达能够快速[识别/捕捉]敌军的无线电信号。

This radar can quickly [identify/ capture] the radio signals of the enemy.

10. 团长指示即刻[合并/部署]两个营的兵力用于反攻。

The colonel directed the immediate [combination/deployment] of two battalions for the counter-offensive.

11. 这项决定关系到整个[村庄/家族]今后的命运。

This decision concerns the future of the whole [village/family].

12. 张书记在国际宾馆[会见/接待]了来访的韩国客人。

Secretary zhang [met/hosted] the visiting Korean guests at the international hotel.

13. 消防队员指出[木材/酒精]保管不当极易引发火灾。

The firemen pointed out that improper storage of the [wood/alcohol] could easily cause a fire.

14. 这项改革有助于调动[初中/城镇]教师的工作积极性。

This reform will help to motivate the [junior middle school/city] teachers.

15. 小韩的这份稿件未能通过[市长/编辑]的最终审阅。

Xiao Han's draft did not go through the [mayor's/editor's] final review.

16. 组委会安排来自[广西/新疆]的代表入住友谊宾馆。

The organizing committee arranged for the representatives from [Guangxi/Xinjiang] to stay in the Friendship Hotel.

17. 医院领导正在和那位[女士/家属]协商赔偿事宜。

The hospital director is negotiating with the [lady/family] about compensation.

18. 他的这篇论文试图[论证/推翻]吴教授提出的假说。

His paper attempted to [demonstrate/refute] the hypothesis given by professor Wu.

19. 每周的宗教[仪式/课程]都是由卡尔神父主持的。

Father Carl conducted the weekly religious [services/courses].

20. 出版商对于[私人/领袖]回忆录这种题材很感兴趣。

Publishers are interested in such subjects as [personal/leader] memoirs.

21. 李老师应邀前往[东方/湖南]卫视录制节目。

Teacher Li was invited to visit [Dongfang/Hunan] TV for recording programs.

22. 国际期货市场[玉米/钢铁]成交价连续多日下跌。

[Corn/Steel] prices on the international futures market fell for several days in a row.

23. 邓处长曾参加过援助[山区/朝鲜]铁路建设的工作。

Director Deng has participated in the assistance [mountain area/North Korea] railway construction work.

24. 这项旨在保障[队员/顾客]权利的措施即将实施。

The measures intended to protect the rights of the [players/customers] are being implemented.

25. 昨天下午舞台[灯光/装置]突发故障导致彩排推迟。

The rehearsal was delayed yesterday afternoon due to a sudden breakdown of stage [light/device].

26. 这次讲座的主题是数学[公式/模型]的物理学应用。

The subject of this lecture is the application of mathematical [formulas/models] to physics.

27. 这家超市主要经营[进口/新鲜]水果和牛奶制品。

This supermarket mainly deals in [imported/fresh] fruit and milk products.

28. 这台设备负责调节[电阻/热量]的部件出故障了。

There's something wrong with the component for adjusting the [resistance/heat] in this device.

29. 皮尔爵士是英国[近代/秘密]警察制度的奠基人。

Sir Pierre was the founder of [modern/secret] British police system.

30. 这支车队隶属[广州/铁路]快运集团第二分公司。

The team is affiliated with the 2nd Branch of [Guangzhou/Railway] Express Group.

31. 该电影由两名法国[女子/贵族]的真实经历改编而成。

The film is based on the true experiences of two French [women/noblemen].

32. 电站附近区域[阳光/辐射]过强不适合进行实验。

Too much [sunshine/radiation] around the power station is not suitable for experiments.

33. 实验记录不包含初始[压力/强度]条件下的数据。

The experimental record does not contain data under initial [pressure/strength] conditions.

34. 这份报告是根据[东北/销售]分部的数据汇总而成的。

The report is based on the data from the [northeast/sales] division.

35. 这种违背基本[方针/原理]的做法应坚决予以纠正。

This violation of basic [guidelines/principles] should be resolutely corrected.

36. 市委宣传部负责主办此次[先进/道德]模范表彰大会。

Municipal publicity department is responsible for hosting the [advanced/moral] model recognition conference.

37. 他提醒我不要对找回这些[文件/数据]报太大期望。

He reminded me not to expect too much of the recovery of the [documents/data].

38. 这次会议聚集了各地[电子/新闻]出版领域的专家。

The conference brought together experts from all over the world in the field of [electronic/news] publishing.

39. 这部小说描写了典型南方[农村/家庭]的日常生活。

This novel describes the everyday life of a typical southern [village/family].

40. 这尊铜器的冶炼[年代/温度]成为了争论的焦点。

The smelting [age/temperature] of this bronze vessel became the focus of the argument.

41. 讨论组的成员就如何[运用/理解]这套公式各抒己见。

The members of the discussion group had different views on how to [use/understand] the formula.

42. 店长表示不管收益[多少/怎样]都要接下这笔生意。

The manager said he would take the business no matter [how much/how] the profit is.

43. 下周五将召开企业[文化/管理]创新专题研讨会。

A seminar on corporate [cultural/management] innovation will be held next Friday.

44. 这本书记载了一位罗马[王子/教皇]热衷绘画的故事。

This book tells the story of a Roman [prince/Pope] who loved painting.

45. 探长仔细查看了留在[台阶/楼梯]上的几处脚印。

The inspector examined the footprints left on the [steps/stairs].

46. 张老师下周将前往[大连/敦煌]博物馆参加学术会议。

Mr. Zhang will go to [Dalian/Dunhuang] museum to attend the academic conference next week.

47. 侦查员利用虚假情报成功[收买/迷惑]了敌方的线人。

Investigators used fake information to [buy off/confuse] enemy informants.

48. 老张没料到竟被这种无耻[小人/叛徒]出卖给了敌人。

Lao Zhang didn't expect to be betrayed to the enemy by such a shameless [man/traitor].

49. 办案民警认定[阳台/路旁]那块松动的地砖就是凶器。

The police found that the loose tile on the [balcony/roadside] was the murder weapon.

50. 这个景区尚未对游客[出入/流量]采取任何限制措施。

The scenic spot has not taken any measures to restrict the [access/amount] of tourists.

51. 昨天下午奉命[打扫/搜索]弹药库的五名战士失踪了。

Five soldiers who were ordered to [clean/search] the ammunition depot yesterday afternoon went missing.

52. 前线部队在收到[反击/撤退]命令前一直坚守阵地。

The front troops held their ground until they were ordered to [fight back/withdraw].

53. 这家公司致力于将南方[大米/剧种]推广到华北地区。

This company is dedicated to promoting southern [rice/drama] to northern China.

54. 这个独裁政府禁止外国[艺人/歌剧]在境内演出。

The authoritarian government banned foreign [artists/operas] from performing in the country.

55. 密云水库目前只达到正常[水位/储量]的百分之七十。

The Miyun Reservoir is currently only about 70 percent of normal water [level/storage].

56. 周北山先生很擅长这种[壮丽/清新]的绘画风格。

Mr. Zhou Beishan is good at this kind of [magnificent/fresh] style of painting.

57. 许教授正在讲解[光电/增殖]效应的理论及其应用。

Professor Xu is explaining the theory and application of the [photoelectric/multiplier] effect.

58. 我打算向老陈请教一些[专利/航海]方面的基础知识。

I'm going to ask Mr. Chen for some basic knowledge about [patents/sailing].

59. 我还从没见过[牛奶/辣椒]搭配炸年糕的吃法。

I've never seen [milk/chili] served with Fried rice cakes.

60. 那台磨损到无法[开动/维修]的机器将被拆解变卖。

The worn-out machine that cannot be [started/repaired] will be dismantled and sold.