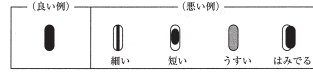


試験時間 60分

1. 試験監督の指示があるまで開いてはならない。
2. 試験時間は60分である。
3. この問題冊子は1頁～8頁である。
4. この問題冊子を持ち帰ってはならない。
5. 表紙の右下に受験番号を記入すること。
6. 解答用紙に氏名と受験番号を記入し、受験番号はマークもすること。

7. 各問題の解答として適したものを選んで、HBの鉛筆で濃くマークすること。



8. 解答用紙を折り曲げたり、メモやチェックなどで汚したりしないこと。

**I** 互いに関連した以下の英文 (A) と (B) を読み、下記の設問に答えなさい。

(A) Epiphonia was a (1) remarkable planet. So like Earth in appearance, and yet its inhabitants were different in one remarkable way. As one of them, Huxley, explained ( 6 ) the visiting \*Earthling Dirk, the Epiphens had long ago 'discovered' that their thoughts did not (2) affect their actions. Thoughts were the effects of bodily processes, not the other way around. Dirk found this \*baffling.

'You can't really believe this,' he protested to Huxley. 'For (3) instance, when we met in this bar, you said, "Gee, I could kill for a beer," and ordered one. Are you saying that the thought "I want a beer" had no effect on your actions?'

'( 7 )', replied Huxley, as though the question were \*idiotic. "We have thoughts and these often precede actions. But we know full well that these thoughts aren't causing the actions. My body and brain were already gearing up to order a beer. The thought "I could kill for a beer" was just something that popped into my head as a result of what was happening in the physical brain and body. Thoughts don't cause actions.'

'For Epiphens, maybe,' replied Dirk.

'Well I can't see what's different about humans,' said Huxley, and for a while at least, nor could Dirk.

(B) The American philosopher Jerry Fodor once said that if epiphenomenalism were true, it would be the end of the world. Epiphenomenalism is the view that thoughts and other mental events do not cause anything in the physical world, including our actions. Rather, the brain and the body work like some kind of (4) purely physical machine, and our conscious experience is a \*by-product, caused by the machine but not affecting it.

The reason why this would be the end of the world is that everything we seem to believe about what we are apparently depends on the idea that thoughts do cause actions. If what goes on in our minds has no impact on what we actually do, the world as we think of it is just an illusion.

But is this really the consequence of accepting epiphenomenalism? The imaginary land of Epiphonia is designed to test the idea that no one can live with the truth of epiphenomenalism. The suggestion is that people could come to see epiphenomenalism as some \*banal truth which does not affect the way they live their lives. The \*crucial point is that how it feels to be an Epiphon is exactly the same as what it feels like to be a human being. In both cases, thought accompanies action in just the same way. The only difference is that Epiphens do not believe their thoughts are doing any causing.

Is it really possible, however, to divorce what we believe about the link between thought and action and how we actually live? People such as Fodor think not, but it is ( 8 ) (5) obvious why this separation can't be achieved. For example, take a situation where the thinking does seem to be crucial. Let's say you're trying to work out a solution to a tricky logical or mathematical problem. Eventually, the \*eureka moment comes. In this case, surely the actual thinking has to play a part in the explanation for your actions?

Well, no. Why can't I believe that the conscious experience of thinking is just a by-product of the \*computing that is going on at brain level? It may be the *necessary* by-product. But just as the noise that a boiling pot of water makes is an inevitable by-product of the heating without that meaning it is the noise which cooks the egg, so thought could be the necessary by-product of \*neural computation that doesn't itself produce a solution to the problem.

Indeed, if you think about thinking, there does seem to be something almost \*involuntary about it. Solutions 'come to us', for example, not we to them. Reflect on what it really feels like to think, and the idea that it is a by-product of a process you are not conscious of may not seem quite so \*fanciful.

[註] \*Earthling「地球人」 \*baffling「困惑させる」 \*idiotic「ばかげた」 \*by-product「副産物」  
 \*banal「普通の」 \*crucial「重大な、必須の」 \*eureka「わかった！」 \*computing「計算」  
 \*neural computation「神経計算」 \*involuntary「自動的な」 \*fanciful「非現実的な」

出典：The Pig That Wants to Be Eaten, Julian Baggini, Plume(Penguin Group)

問1 本文中の下線部 (1) ~ (5) の単語の意味に最も近いものを、それぞれ①~④の中から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (1) remarkable  
 ① notable      ② sensible      ③ tragic      ④ traditional
- (2) affect  
 ① pretend      ② allow      ③ influence      ④ continue

- (3) instance  
 ① easiness      ② illustration      ③ second      ④ betrayal

- (4) purely  
 ① severely      ② totally      ③ sincerely      ④ coldly

- (5) obvious  
 ① forgetful      ② optional      ③ occasional      ④ clear

問2 本文中の (6) ~ (8) の空欄に入る最も適切な語 (句) を、それぞれ①~④の中から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (6) ① as      ② of      ③ on      ④ to

- (7) ① Certainly it did      ② Of course it didn't  
 ③ It cannot be decided if it did or not      ④ So far, so good

- (8) ① far from      ② fair      ③ only too much      ④ for the sake of

問3 次の (9) と (10) の各問の答えとして最も適切なものを、それぞれ①~④の中から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (9) According to the passages, which of the following statements is true of Epiphonia?  
 ① Its inhabitants admire the beauty of the surface of the Earth.  
 ② Human beings live on that planet.  
 ③ It is so far apart from our Earth that nobody can travel alive from one planet to the other.  
 ④ It is a fictional planet theoretically constructed to experiment on a philosophical assumption.

- (10) Which of the following statements does the passage (B) agree with?  
 ① It is not to be doubted that the sudden discovery of any mathematical truth is brought about solely by hard, conscious thinking.  
 ② If epiphenomenalism were true, that would inevitably cause a serious feeling of powerlessness among all human beings and the present civilization of ours would be destroyed.  
 ③ It might not be so impossible that our conscious thinking is only a by-product of an unconscious process rather than a cause of any results.  
 ④ The belief that our thoughts do not cause actions is so horrible and unimaginable that no normal human being can live up to it.

**II** 次の (11) ~ (15) の各英文の空欄に入る最も適切なものを、それぞれ①~④の中から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (11) People tend to concentrate ( ) on a conversation when they are talking on the phone.  
 ① more earnestly than  
 ② twice as hard  
 ③ as much as  
 ④ the most of

- (12) ( ), all animals need oxygen, food, water, and the proper range of temperatures.  
 ① Being survived  
 ② For their survival  
 ③ To becoming survival  
 ④ To be survived

- (13) Japan's thousands of forests ( ) about 75% of its land.  
 ① that cover  
 ② covering  
 ③ are covered  
 ④ cover

- (14) Rarely ( ) last longer than an hour in this region.  
 ① do thunderstorms  
 ② thunderstorms  
 ③ thunderstorms that  
 ④ thunderstorms do

- (15) Our factory ( ) people who can make screws from various kinds of metals.  
 ① needs to seriously  
 ② needs to be hired serious  
 ③ is in serious need of  
 ④ has serious needs

Ⅲ 次の (16) ~ (20) の各英文の下線部の中で誤っているものを、それぞれ①~④の中から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (16) I had no idea that the kitten and the puppy were that fond of each another.  
 ① ② ③ ④
- (17) The chameleon's able to change color to match its surroundings is shared by quite a few lizards.  
 ① ② ③ ④
- (18) Insects appeared on this planet before long the earliest mammals.  
 ① ② ③ ④
- (19) Being bored the long and monotonous lecture, students started to nod off.  
 ① ② ③ ④
- (20) The first recorded use of natural gas to light street lamps it was in the town of Frederick, New York, in 1825.  
 ① ② ③ ④

Ⅳ 以下の E メールメッセージを読み、下記の設問に答えなさい。

Dear xyxtravel.com customer,

Thank you for booking with xyxtravel.com. It is with pleasure that we can now confirm that your flight tickets have been issued as electronic tickets.

An electronic ticket, also known as an e-ticket, means that you will not need to collect a paper ticket. Instead, the information that would normally be found on your paper ticket is now kept electronically at the airline you are travelling with.

Paper tickets will not be sent to you unless you are travelling with an infant. Infants will be required to have paper tickets for all airlines except for \*British Airways.

Electronic tickets remove the worry of losing or simply forgetting to bring your tickets to the airport. More importantly, your electronic ticket cannot be stolen and therefore saves you the cost and the trouble of buying a replacement ticket.

When you arrive at the airport, please go directly to the airline check-in desk where you will be required to present your passport in order for the check-in staff to generate your boarding pass. If you are travelling on a domestic flight, you may simply provide your driver's license in order for the check-in staff to identify you and issue you with your boarding pass.

You should also take a copy of the previous confirmation email that we already sent to you at the time you purchased your flights. That can then be used as proof of your booking.

If you are travelling on \*KLM, \*Air France or \*SAS, at check-in you will also need to present the credit card you originally used to pay for your flights.

**IMPORTANT:**

Please note that it is not possible to change the delivery method of your paper tickets now that they have been issued.

Any other \*amendments or cancellations will \*incur a minimum charge of \*£45 per passenger plus any additional charges \*levied by the airline. Please submit all cancellations or amendment enquiries to us in writing at our email address: info@xyxtravel.com.

Please contact your chosen carrier 72 hours prior to departure to reconfirm your flights.

If you have any further questions concerning your order, please feel free to contact us at www.xyxtravel.com/faq.

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【註】 \*British Airways, \*KLM, \*Air France, \*SAS それぞれ航空会社の名称  
 \*amendment 「修正」 \*incur 「負う」 \*£45 「45ポンド」 ポンドは英国の貨幣単位 \*levy 「課す」

問1 次の (21) ~ (23) の各問の答えとして最も適切なものを、それぞれ①~④から一つずつ選びなさい。

- (21) According to the email message, which of the following is true of an electronic ticket?  
 ① It is usually cheaper than the paper ticket.  
 ② Adult passengers travelling without an infant have to go and collect their paper tickets, since they are not sent to them.  
 ③ The information usually printed on the paper tickets is stored on the computer system of the airline.  
 ④ It saves you the trouble of producing your passport to have your boarding pass issued.
- (22) If you are travelling internationally on British Airways with an infant, which of the following will the airline definitely ask you to present at the airport?  
 ① a paper ticket for your infant  
 ② your passport  
 ③ the credit card that was used to purchase the tickets  
 ④ your driver's license
- (23) According to the email, if you are travelling internationally on KLM with an infant, which of the following would NOT be needed at the airport?  
 ① a paper ticket for your infant  
 ② your passport  
 ③ the credit card that was used to purchase the tickets  
 ④ your driver's license

問2 次の (24) の英文の書き出しに続けるのに最も適切なものを、①~④の中から一つ選びなさい。

- (24) If the recipient of this email wants to ask questions about cancellations or amendments, he or she should  
 ① write a letter and submit it by post.  
 ② contact the airline three days before the flight.  
 ③ send the questions electronically.  
 ④ do nothing, since it's already too late to make any changes.

Ⅴ 次の (25) ~ (29) の各組の①~④の単語の中から、下線部の発音が他と異なるものを、それぞれ一つずつ選びなさい。

- (25) ① people      ② peace      ③ pleased      ④ pleasure  
 (26) ① numbed      ② kicked      ③ assumed      ④ healed  
 (27) ① question      ② congratulation      ③ elevation      ④ station  
 (28) ① brings      ② talks      ③ moves      ④ sings  
 (29) ① cousin      ② cow      ③ counter      ④ council

Ⅵ 次の (30) ~ (34) の各組の①~④の単語の中から、最も強いアクセントの位置が他と異なるものを、それぞれ一つずつ選びなさい。

- (30) ① con-nect      ② re-quest      ③ in-stead      ④ com-ment  
 (31) ① ac-cept      ② reck-on      ③ ad-just      ④ con-sent  
 (32) ① ap-par-ent      ② al-co-hol      ③ es-sen-tial      ④ im-pa-tient  
 (33) ① struc-tur-al      ② sub-se-quent      ③ def-i-nite      ④ ge-net-ic  
 (34) ① nec-es-sar-y      ② re-spon-si-ble      ③ de-moc-ra-cy      ④ sig-nif-i-cance

Ⅶ 次の (ア) ~ (ウ) の英文の意味が最もよく通るように、それぞれ①~⑥の語 (句) を各空欄に一つずつあてはめ、(35) ~ (40) の空欄に入るものの番号を選びなさい。ただし、文頭に来る語 (句) も小文字の書き出しにしてあります。

- (ア) The liar's punishment is not ( ) ( ) that he is not believed, but that he ( ) ( 35 ) ( 36 ) ( ).  
 ① else      ② cannot      ③ the least  
 ④ believe in      ⑤ in      ⑥ anyone
- (イ) ( ) ( ) ( 37 ) also be a ( 38 ) ( ) ( ) oneself.  
 ① to      ② can      ③ about oneself  
 ④ conceal      ⑤ means      ⑥ talking much
- (ウ) First say to ( ) ( 39 ) ( ) ( ) be, and then do what you ( 40 ) ( ) do.  
 ① you      ② to      ③ would  
 ④ have      ⑤ what      ⑥ yourself