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Connector

Directions: Choose the most appropriate word/phrase to fill in the blanks.

1. The board was reluctant to approve the proposal until its long-term benefits were clearly explained.

(a) unless = ⁺ condition.

(b) until → time.

(c) despite → contrast

(d) because → reason

(e) whereas → contrast

2. Although the government had introduced several reforms, inflation continued to rise steadily.

(a) Since → reason

(b) Although → contrast

(c) Therefore → result

(d) Because → Reason

(e) Consequently → Result

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**3. The company's profits declined sharply this quarter;
____, the management decided against reducing
employee salaries.**

(a) nevertheless

(b) therefore

(c) because

(d) accordingly

(e) moreover

4. No sooner had the new policy been implemented than complaints started pouring in from customers.

(a) than

(b) when

(c) then

(d) although

(e) because

5. The auditor detected multiple discrepancies in the report although it had already been verified twice.

(a) despite

(b) although

(c) therefore

(d) because

(e) unless

6. The bank revised its lending norms _____ minimize the risk of bad loans.

(a) because of

(b) in order to

(c) despite

(d) whereas

(e) however

purpose.

7. _____ being one of the most experienced candidates,
she was not selected for the position.

(a) Because

(b) Despite

☒ (c) In spite of

(d) Since

(e) Whereas

8. The negotiations failed _____ neither party was willing to compromise on key issues.

(a) although

(b) because

(c) despite

(d) however

(e) nevertheless

9. The rainfall was insufficient this year; _____,
agricultural production remained stable.

(a) therefore

(b) consequently

☒ (c) nevertheless

(d) similarly

(e) hence

10. Hardly had the presentation begun When the projector stopped working.

(a) than

(b) when

(c) because

(d) although

(e) however

11. The management appreciated his innovative ideas
_____ questioned the feasibility of implementation.

(a) therefore

(b) but also

✓ (c) yet

(d) because

(e) hence

12. _____ repeated warnings from the authorities, many citizens ignored the safety guidelines.

(a) Because of

(b) Despite

(c) In spite

(d) Owing to

(e) Since

13. The economy showed signs of recovery; _____,
unemployment levels remained high.

(a) consequently

(b) however

(c) moreover

(d) therefore

(e) similarly

**14. The scientist conducted further experiments _____
verify the accuracy of the results.**

(a) because of

(b) so as to

(c) despite

(d) whereas

(e) nevertheless

15. The project was approved _____ concerns regarding its financial viability.

- (a) although
- (b) despite
- ☒ (c) because
- (d) therefore
- (e) unless

16. Scarcely had the meeting ended _____ the media surrounded the minister with questions.

(a) when

(b) than

(c) because

(d) although

(e) however

17. The organization continued its expansion plans _____
the uncertain global economic conditions.

(a) because

(b) despite

(c) whereas

(d) therefore

(e) unless

18. The instructions were simple and precise; _____, several applicants misunderstood them.

(a) nevertheless

(b) therefore

(c) because

(d) accordingly

(e) similarly

19. _____ the evidence against him was substantial, the accused denied all allegations.

(a) Because

(b) Since

~~(c) Although~~

(d) Therefore

(e) Consequently

20. The manager postponed the decision _____ additional information could be gathered.

- (a) so that**
- (b) despite**
- (c) because**
- (d) whereas**
- (e) however**

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