

Sample Answer Key for  
AS/JP1000 6.0 Interactive Exercise 15

**Note: Other variations in spacing or in phrasing are possible. Only the “type in” portion is provided in blue.**

I. Provide the Japanese equivalent.

1. I am hungry. **onaka ga suite**
2. I am thirsty. **nodo ga kawaita**
3. I am tired. **tsukaremashita**
4. I am full. **onaka ga ippai**
5. I am sleepy. **nemui**
6. the fourth **yonbanme**
7. in a hurry **isoide**
8. any time **itsudemo**
9. anyone **daredemo**
10. was not tasty [casual] **oishiku nakatta**
11. did not return [causal] **kaeranakatta**
12. is not pretty [causal] **kiree ja nai**
13. is not difficult [casual] **muzukashiku nai**
14. was not sturdy [casual] **joobu ja nakatta**
15. do not want [casual] **hoshiku nai**
16. as .... as possible **dekiru dake**
17. did not look for [casual] **sagasanakatta**
18. unreliable **tayorinai**
19. is not young [casual] **wakaku nai**
20. is not popular [casual] **ninki ga nai**

II. Insert the most appropriate particles.

1. Midori ( **wa** ) itsumo Tadashi ( **to** ) issho ( **ni** ) iru ( **kara** ), Tadashi ( **to** ) kekkon suru no kashira?
2. Amerika ( **to** ) Kankoku ( **de** ) ( **wa** ) kotoba ( **to** ) bunka ( **ga** ) daibu chigau ( **kara** ), futari ( **no** ) kekkon ( **wa** ) tabun muzukashii deshoo.
3. Kono purintaa ( **no** ) naka ( **de** ) ( **wa** ) dore ( **ga** ) ichiban ninki ( **ga** ) arimasu ka?
4. Ano gakusee ( **to** ) kono gakusee ( **de** ) ( **wa** ) dochira ( **no** ) hoo ( **ga** ) nihongo ( **ga** ) joozu desu ka?

III. What would you say when:

1. you ask someone what kind of laptop she is looking for? [lit. would be good] **Should be “Donna rappu-toppu ga ii deshoo ka”**
2. you ask someone about how many students there are in this university? **Should be “kono daigaku ni nan nin gurai gakusee ga imasu ka”**
3. you say anything would be fine, but would like to have a sturdy one? **Should be “nan demo iin dakedo ganjoo nano arimasu ka”**
4. you are wondering if Tomoko and Masao are getting married? **Should be “Tomoko-san to Masao-san wa kekkon-shite-imasu ka”**
5. you ask someone if (it is the case that) he is taking economics and psychology? **Should be “keezaigaku to shinrigaku wo totte iru n desu ka”**
6. you ask a customer about how much she can spend? [lit. about how much the budget is] **Should be “go-yosan wa dono gurai desu ka”**
7. you suggest to someone this kind? **Should “kore nanka doo deshoo”**
8. you try to negotiate the price and ask if the salesperson could make it 20,000 yen exact? **Should be “ni-man-en choodo ni naranai”**
9. you say that you won't need it, and will look for one at other places? **Should be “jaa kekkoo desu. hoka o sagasu kara”**

IV. Express the following in Japanese.

1. I would like to have a little larger one. **Should be “moo chotto ookii no ga hoshii n desu kedo”**
2. Where can I find fax paper? **fakkusu no kami wa doko desu ka**
3. Are you looking for a video camera? [very polite] **Should be “bideo-kaera o o-sagashi desu ka”**
4. Among these which is the best DVD? **Should be “kono naka de dono DVD ga ichiban ii desu ka”**
5. Spanish is not as difficult as German. **supein-go wa doitsu-go hodo muzukashiku arimasen**

6. For me Chinese is probably the easiest. **Should be** “watashi ni wa chuugoku-go ga ichiban muzukashii de shoo ne”
  7. Among Chopin, Beethoven, and Brahms, I like Brahms the best. **Should be** “shopan to beetooben to buraamusu no naka de buraamusu ga ichiban suki da”
  8. I would prefer a Canadian to an American. **Should be** “amerika-jin yori kanada-jin no hoo ga ii”
  9. Young men these days are not very reliable, are they? **Should be** “saikin no wakai otoko no hito tayorinai yo”
  10. This dictionary is more expensive than that one. **Should be** “kono jisho wa ano jisho yori takai”
  11. Canada is smaller than Russia. **Should be** “kanada wa roshia yori chiisai”
  12. Sony is more popular than Toshiba. **Should be** “sonii wa tooshiba yori ninki ga aru”
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“should be”がほんとうにたくさんあって、すみません！

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