Choose the correct word or phrase for each blank.

1. This mechanism __________________ the engine from exploding (AVOIDS / PREVENTS / FORBIDS / ESCAPES).

2. She is a very __________________ young lady. Be careful about what you say. (SENSIBLE / SENSITIVE / THINKING / LOGICAL)

3. The heavy rain of the last few days __________________ in widespread flooding. (OCCURRED / LEAD / CAUSED / RESULTED)

4. It was your decision that __________________ to the situation we are in now. (LED / CAUSED / RESULTED / DIRECTED)

5. Many producers of the item have __________________ their prices. (INCREASED / RISEN / EXTENDED / ADDED)

6. The weather got so bad that the rescue team had to __________________ the search for the missing people. (DESERT / LEAVE / DUMP / ABANDON)

7. He always looks at the problem from a different __________________ than all the others. (CORNER / EDGE / ANGLE / VIEW)

8. There hasn't been a __________________ earthquake in this area for hundreds of years. (PRINCIPAL / KEY / CHIEF / MAJOR)

9. She worked as a war __________________ in the Middle East for many years. (EDITOR / COMMUNICATOR / CORRESPONDENT / AUTHOR)

10. The weather forecast tells us that rain is __________________ tomorrow. (UNPROBABLY / UNUSUALLY / UNLIKELY / UNCERTAINLY)

11. The telescope was __________________ hundreds of years ago. (INVENTED / DISCOVERED / RECOVERED / EXPLORED)

12. Our __________________ of natural resources has become a major problem for the environment. (CONSUMPTION / DIGESTION / SPENDING / WEAKENING)

13. The zoologist spent a few weeks __________________ the behaviour of the new-born animals. (OBSERVING / SEEING / LOOKING / NOTICING)

14. I paid a lot of money to get a room with a __________________ of the sea. (SCENE / VIEW / VISION / LOOK)

15. The __________________ of the island have voted to become independent. (OCCUPANTS / PUBLIC / INHABITANTS / TENANTS)
1. This mechanism prevents the engine from exploding (AVOIDS / PREVENTS / FORBIDS / ESCAPES).
2. She is a very sensitive young lady. Be careful about what you say. (SENSIBLE / SENSITIVE / THINKING / LOGICAL)
3. The heavy rain of the last few days resulted in widespread flooding. (OCCURRED / LED / CAUSED / RESULTED)
4. It was your decision that led to the situation we are in now. (LED / CAUSED / RESULTED / DIRECTED)
5. Many producers of the item have increased their prices. (INCREASED / RISEN / EXTENDED / ADDED)
6. The weather got so bad that the rescue team had to abandon the search for the missing people. (DESERT / LEAVE / DUMP / ABANDON)
7. He always looks at the problem from a different angle than all the others. (CORNER / EDGE / ANGLE / VIEW)
8. There hasn't been a major earthquake in this area for hundreds of years. (PRINCIPAL / KEY / CHIEF / MAJOR)
9. She worked as a war correspondent in the Middle East for many years. (EDITOR / COMMUNICATOR / CORRESPONDENT / AUTHOR)
10. The weather forecast tells us that rain is unlikely tomorrow. (UNPROBABLY / UNUSUALLY / UNLIKELY / UNCERTAINLY)
11. The telescope was invented hundreds of years ago. (INVENTED / DISCOVERED / RECOVERED / EXPLORED)
12. Our consumption of natural resources has become a major problem for the environment. (CONSUMPTION / DIGESTION / SPENDING / WEAKENING)
13. The zoologist spent a few weeks observing the behaviour of the new-born animals. (OBSERVING / SEEING / LOOKING / NOTICING)
14. I paid a lot of money to get a room with a view of the sea. (SCENE / VIEW / VISION / LOOK)
15. The inhabitants of the island have voted to become independent. (OCCUPANTS / PUBLIC / INHABITANTS / TENANTS)