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注意：請一律以英文作答。

I. Define the following terms: (10 題，每題 3 分，共 30%)

- 1) natural classes
- 2) distinctive features
- 3) suprasegmentals
- 4) lingua franca
- 5) accidental gaps
- 6) articulatory phonetics
- 7) assimilation
- 8) complementary distribution
- 9) corpus linguistics
- 10) Sapir-Whorf Hypothesis

II) Answer the following questions: (3 題，每題 10 分，共 30%)

- 1) What are the similarities and differences between linguistic competence and communicative competence?
- 2) What is the critical period hypothesis in second language acquisition about?
- 3) What is the relationship between human brain and language?

III) Analyze the following linguistic data and answer the following questions:

(2 題，每題 20 分，共 40%)

- 1) Write the phrase structure rules required to generate these sentences from Japanese. (The endings -ga and -o indicate a subject and a direct object respectively and may be ignored for the purposes of this question) (20%)

A) Taroo-ga sono gakusei-o hihansita.

Taroo the student criticized

‘Taroo criticized the student.’

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## 九十五學年度轉學招生考試試題紙

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B) Sono syoonen-ga isu ni suwatta.

The boy chair on sat

‘The boy sat on the chair.’

C) Hanako-ga honh-o tukue ni oita.

Hanako book table on put

‘Hanako put the book on the table.’

D) Etsuko-ga tuita.

‘Etsuko arrived.’

2) Compare the data from Inuktitut (an eastern native Canadian language):

|          |                         |       |                       |
|----------|-------------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| iglumut  | ‘to a house’            | pinna | ‘that one up there’   |
| ukiaq    | ‘late fall’             | ani   | ‘female’s brother’    |
| aiviq    | ‘walrus’                | iglu  | ‘house’               |
| aniguvit | ‘if you leave’          | panna | ‘that place up there’ |
| aglu     | ‘seal’s breathing hole’ | aivuq | ‘she goes home’       |
| iglumit  | ‘from a house’          | ini   | ‘place, spot’         |
| anigavit | ‘because you leave’     | ukiuq | ‘winter’              |

(a) List the minimal pairs found in the above data. (10%)

(b) On the basis of the list you have made, identify all contrastive pairs of vowels.(10%)