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Revise the following table:

Antonyms/ Opposites with prefixes

un-	certain x un certain	able x un able
in-	correct x in correct	justice x in justice
im	possible x im possible	perfect x im perfect
dis	agree x dis agree	obey x dis obey
il-	literate x il literate	legal x il legal
ir-	regular x ir regular,	$relevant \ x \ irrelevant$
anti-	social x anti social	warx anti war
mis	behave x mis behave	guide x mis guide
extra	ordinary x Extraordinary	Suffixes –
non-	violence x non -violence	care ful x care less
mal-	nutrition x mal nutrition	

(1) Four pairs are given. Which pair is not pair of opposite words?

- (1) complete incomplete
- (2) poor rich
- (3) hard-easy
- (4) praise admire

(2) Four pairs are given in the following. Which pair is not the pair of opposite words?

Choose the correct alternative.

- (1) wild-tame
- (2) gather disperse
- (3) astonish surprise
- (4) agree disagree

(3) Choose the opposite meaning word for the underlined words.

Hercules was brave and strong, but his enemy was _____ and _____.

- (1) deadly and difficult
- (2) strength and big
- (3) timid and weak
- (4) thin and kind

(4) Find the opposite words for 'lost'?

- (1) lifted
- (2) won
- (3) gain
- (4) foot

(5) To which of the following words you cannot add the prefix 'in' to make it opposite in meaning.

- (1) possible
- (2) patiently
- (3) Active
- (4) purity

(6) Which prefix will you add to make the opposite of the word 'able'?

- (1) im
- (2) ir
- (3) un
- (4) in

(7) Find the opposite words for 'violent'?

(1) fierce

- (2) humble
- (3) non-violent
- (4) vicious

(8) Which of following two sets have pairs of opposite words:

- (1) joy x sorrow, strong x weal
- (2) buy x bring, get x find
- (3) begin x end, lost x found
- (4) true x right, small x little

(9) Choose the correct pair of opposites:

- (1) little x poor
- (2) tiny x huge
- (3) long small
- (4) large x big

(10) Choose the correct pair of opposites:

- (1) bold x coward
- (2) same x similar
- (3) smart x ugly
- (4) soft x cold



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