Conditionals B2

1. **Put the verbs in brackets in a correct form.**
2. What (happen) \_\_will happen\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when we (apply) \_\_\_apply\_\_\_\_\_\_ this trend to the next decade?
3. Phosphorus (burn) \_\_burns\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if you (expose) \_\_expose it\_\_\_\_\_\_ it to air.
4. If you (submit) \_\_\_submit\_\_\_\_ your essay after the deadline, it (not mark)\_\_\_will not be marked\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
5. If you (not satisfy)\_\_are not satisfied\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with any item you buy from us, we (refund) \_\_will refund\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your money in full for up to one year after purchase.
6. Archaeologists (make) \_could make\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ important new discoveries if they (allow)\_\_were allowed\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ long-time access to building sites in key areas of major cities. Instead, valuable discoveries are lost as bulldozers tear up the earth.
7. If fast broadband access (introduce) \_\_were/was introduced\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to remote areas of the country, the local population (be able) \_would be able\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to sell some of their products on the internet. Now they have to sell the goods underpriced to supermarkets.
8. What (happen) \_\_would have happened\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if von Staufenberg’s plot against Hitler (succeed) \_had succeeded\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?
9. **Choose the right beginning (there might be more than one correct answer).**
10. *As long as/ Unless/ Provided that/ If* the public continues its love affair with the internal combustion engine, the demand for oil is unlikely to fall.
11. *If/ Unless/ Providing that* you fail the exam, you will need to sit it again.
12. *In the event that/ If/ On condition that* a candidate cannot produce ID, he or she will be unable to take the exam.
13. The person who is going to make the speech should take extra handouts unless*/ in case/ on condition that* the audience is larger than expected.
14. *What if/ Suppose/ Unless/ Supposing* I’m made redundant and have no work? What shall we do then?
15. **Transform the sentences.**
16. Would theoretical physics have arrived at superstring models without the existence of Heisenberg’s S-matrix theory?

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1. In fact, Einstein could not have formulated the theory without prior work by a number of physicists and mathematicians.

In fact, Einstein could not have formulated the theory if it \_\_\_\_hadn’t been for\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (4 words) prior work by a number of physicists and mathematicians.

1. Without physics these sectors would not exist.

\_\_If there were\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (3 words) no physics, these sectors would not exist.

1. If the publisher had set a lower price, the book might have sold better.

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1. Without physicists, the modern world would be a very different place.

\_\_Were it not\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (3 words) for physicists, the modern world would be a very different place.

1. It’s time you started writing your thesis.

\_\_If I were you\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (3 words), I would start writing my thesis.

1. **Transform the underlined phrases in the sentences below with WILL, SHOULD & WERE TO**
2. If by some remote chance technical problems arise, we will repeat the experiment.

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1. Please contact the Conference organizers if by any chance you need to cancel your registration.

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1. If you are willing to lend me the book, I promise to bring it back before the library opens on Monday morning.

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1. If he gave notice, though I doubt that he would, I wouldn’t protest.

If he were to give notice, I wouldn’t protest.