Task-1 Vocabulary

## *Vocabulary for the Introduction Part:

| Starting | The given / The supplied / The presented / The shown / The <br> provided |
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| Presentation <br> Type | diagram / table / figure / illustration / graph / figure / chart / flow chart / picture/ <br> presentation/ pie chart / bar graph/ line graph / table data/ data / information |
| Verb | shows / represents / depicts / illustrates / presents/ gives / provides / describes / <br> compares/ shows / figures / gives data on / gives information on/ presents <br> information about/ shows data about |
| Description | the comparison of .... the differences .... the number of .... information on .... data <br> on .... the proportion of.... the amount of .... information on... |

## Example :

- The provided diagram shows data on employment categories in energy producing sectors in Europe starting from 1925 to 1985.
- The given pie charts represent the proportion of male and female employee in 6 broad categories, divided into manual and non-manual occupations.
- The chart gives information on expenditures of 4 European countries on six consumer products namely Germany, Italy, Britain and France


## **Vocabulary for the General trends Part:

In general, In common, As is presented, Generally speaking, As is observed.

## Example:

- In general the employment opportunity has increased till 1970 and has dropped down afterward.
- As is observed, the figures for imprisonment in the five mentioned countries show no overall pattern of increase or decrease rather shows the considerable fluctuation from country to country.
- Generally speaking, USA had far more standard life than all the other 4 mentioned countries.

| Trends | Verb form | Noun Form |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increase | rise / increase / go up / uplift / rocketed / climb / upsurge / soar. | a rise / an increase / an upward trend /a growth |
| Decrease | fall / decrease / decline / plummet / plunge / drop / reduce | a fall / a decrease / a reduction / a downward trends /a downward tendency / a decline/ a drop |
| Steadiness | unchanged / level out / remain constant / remain steady / plateau / remain the same / remain stable / remain static | a steadiness/ a plateau / a stability/ a static |
| Gradual Increase | - | an upward trend / an upward tendency / a ceiling trend |
| Gradual decrease | - | a downward trend / a downward tendency / a descending trend |
| Standability | levelled off / remained constant / remained unchanged / remained stable / prevailed consistency / plateaued / reached a plateau / stayed uniform /immutable / levelled out |  |

## Examples:

- The overall sale of the Company has increased by $20 \%$ at the end of the year.
- The expenditure of the office remained constant for the last 6 months but the profit rose by almost $25 \%$.
- There was a $15 \%$ drop in the student enrolment of the University.
- The population of the country remained almost the same as it was 2 years ago.



## **Vocabulary to represent changes in graphs:

| Type of Change | Adverb form | Adjective form |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Rapid change | dramatically / rapidly / sharply / quickly / <br> hurriedly / speedily / swiftly | dramatic / rapid / sharp / quick / hurried <br> / speedy / swift |
| Moderate change | moderately / gradually / progressively / <br> sequentially | moderate / gradual / progressive <br> / sequential |
| Slight change | slightly / slowly / mildly / tediously | slight / slow / mild / tedious |

## Example:

- The economic inflation of the country increased sharply by $20 \%$ in 2008.
- There was a sharp drop in the industrial production in the year 2009.
- The demand for new houses dramatically increased in 2002.


## **Vocabulary to represent frequent changes in graphs:

| Type of Change | Verb form | Noun form |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Rapid ups and downs | wave / fluctuate / oscillate / vacillate / <br> palpitate | waves / fluctuations / oscillations / <br> vacillations / palpitations |

## Example:

- The price of the raw materials fluctuated for the first three months.
- The graph shows the oscillations of the price of fuel from 1998 to 2002

| Highest Point | Peak/ culminated/ climax/ <br> reach a pick/ hit a pick/ touch <br> the highest point/ reach the <br> vertex | A peak/ hit a vertex/get a vertex/ <br> get the highest point |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Lowest Point | Touched the lowest point/ get <br> the lowest point | The lowest point/ the lowest <br> mark/ bottommost point/ rock <br> bottom point/bottommost mark |

## Example-

The price of the oil reached a pick amounting $20 \$$ February and again touched the lowest point amounting \$10 in July.
Student enrolment in foreign universities and colleges increased dramatically hitting a peak of over 20 thousand in 2004.

| Similar | About/ almost/ nearly/ roughly/ approximately/ around/ just about/ very <br> nearly |
| :--- | :--- |
| Just over | Just above/ just over/ just bigger/ just beyond/ just across. |
| Just short | Just below/ just beneath/ just sort/ just under/ just a little. |
| Much more | Well above/ well beyond/ well across/ well over. |
| Much less | Well bellow/ well under/ well short/ well beneath. |

The number of high level women executive is well beneath than the number of male executives in this organisation where approximately 2000 people works in executive levels.
The number of domestic violence cases was just below 500 in March which is just a little over than the previous months.

