

ZITLIK (CONTRAST)

ŞİFRE-1: Adverbial clause - zarf cümlecikleri başlığı altında incelediğimiz zıtlık sınavda yüksek frekansa sahip bir yapıdır. Birçok cümle tamamlama, gramer ve çeviri sorusunda doğru cevap olarak sıkça karşılaştığımız bu yapı paragraf bütünlüğü sorularında da cevaba ulaşmada yardımcı olabilen bir yapıdır. Zıtlık cümlelerinde anlama girmek önemlidir. Ancak burada bize yardımcı olabilecek birçok kelime vardır. **“KPDS BAKMA DEĞİL, GÖRME SINAVIDİR.”** Doğru bir bakış sergileyerek bu yapıların birbiriyle zıtlık sağladığını görebilir, ve doğru cevaba kolaylıkla ulaşabiliriz. Bununla birlikte cümlenin bir tarafının pozitif-olumlu olması diğer tarafın negatif-olumsuz olmasını gerektirir. Zıtlık yapılarından en yaygın olanı **-e rağmen** anlamında kullanılan aşağıdaki yapıdır.

**ALTHOUGH
EVEN THOUGH
THOUGH**

+ CÜMLE , CÜMLE

**IN SPIE OF
DESPITE**

+ NOUN or Ving

**In spite of
CÜMLE
Despite**

the fact that +

FEN MART 2010

---- **ancient peoples** in several parts of the world built pyramids, **it was the Egyptians** who constructed the tallest and most famous of them.

- A) Unless
- B) Now that
- C) Although**
- D) Once
- E) As if

SOSYAL MART 2010

Although it was **once** thought of as a luxury food,-----

A) **today** chocolate is consumed by everybody since it has become much cheaper

B) steadily rising prices have resulted in increased chocolate production

C) the presence of Caffeine in cocoa powder gave chocolate a mildly stimulating action

D) D)the basic cause of tooth decay is the excessive consumption of chocolate

E) more people consume chocolate in the winter than in other seasons

SOSYAL MART 2010

---- **numerous reformist policies that have helped to improve the economic conditions** in the country, the standard of living for the poor has **improved very little.**

- A) Despite**
- B) Instead of
- C) In connection with
- D) According to
- E) As regards

FEN MART 2009

What you say about the problem may be true in theory, ---- in practice it does not contribute to the solution of the problem.

- A) when
- B) so that
- C) **although**
- D) for
- E) because

ŞİFRE-2: But, yet ve though bağlaçları cümle ortasında kullanılır ve ancak, lakin, fakat anlamı verir. Genellikle bu bağlaçların önünde virgül kullanılır. Ama son yıllarda bazı sınavlarda virgül kuralına uyulmadığı gözlenmiştir.

_____,but _____
_____,yet _____
_____,though _____

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FEN MART 2009

----, it is believed that the effect is intensified artificially by the emission of greenhouse gases into the atmosphere as a result of human activity.

- A) **Although** the greenhouse effect is a naturally occurring phenomenon
- B) Since the atmosphere includes different types of gases
- C) Despite the fact that human activity is one of the causes of global warming
- D) Even if the Earth's climate changes due to the high rate of greenhouse gas emissions
- E) As the emission of carbon dioxide is partly related to the use of fossil fuels

----, yet it is not possible to go much further without any breakthroughs in battery technology.

- A) Electric cars don't make economic sense in view of the harsh environmental regulations in force
- B) Electric cars have simply been a technological failure
- C) **Hybrid cars are certainly a step in the right direction**
- D) Any fuel savings resulting from electric or hybrid cars are likely to be offset by the cost of the cars themselves
- E) One fears that the hybrid car may be yet another technological failure

KPDS MAYIS 2009

Gang violence is deplorable and cannot be tolerated, ---- simply "cracking down" on it is not the solution.

- A) so that
- B) whereby
- C) but**
- D) when
- E) so long as

KPDS MAYIS 2008

All the major cities and islands of Spain have airports, ----.

- A) but buses will be a faster and more frequently used option between smaller towns
- B) until Spain has an increasing efficient transportation system
- C) even if both the road and rail networks were greatly improved during the 1980s and in the run-up to the Barcelona Olympics in 1992
- D) so in much of rural Spain, public transportation is limited and a car is the most practical solution for getting around
- E) though only a few of them cater to international flights**

FEN MART 2010

Air pollution results mainly from human activity, -----.

- A) but natural phenomena like volcanic eruptions also cause it**
- B) though humans play a major role in the contamination of the environment
- C) in case there are a variety of pollutants causing it
- D) while it is a very common problem in many parts of the world
- E) since great progress has been made in methods to prevent it



----- but just over 1 per cent of them spend the night in Umbria, in the south of Tuscany.

- A) Visitors to Lake Trasimeno will see few other tourists
- B) Perugia is home to a world-famous jazz festival in the summer and a chocolate festival in the fall
- C) In the town of Deruta, handmade gift-items fill many shop windows
- D) Tuscany attracts more than 12 per cent of all visitors to Italy**
- E) Scenic stone hilltowns such as Assisi and Gubbio are among the main attractions

ŞİFRE-3: WHILE / WHEREAS (iken)

Yapıları genelde özne zıtlığı veren sınavda bol bol doğru cevap olarak karışımıza çıkan özel yapılardır.

FEN MART 2010

While heavy drinking is known to reduce lifespan, ----.

- A) alcoholics develop a greater tolerance for alcohol
- B) alcoholism is becoming increasingly common in the modern world
- C) ethanol is the type of alcohol used in drinks like beer, wine, and brandy
- D) genetic, psychological, and social factors influence the development of alcoholism
- E) a moderate consumption of alcohol can reduce the risk of heart disease

KPDS KASIM 2009

----, while just 1.7 tonnes of corn yields the same result.

- A) A team of scientists has claimed that the traditional methods of production in plastics are extremely costly and have an adverse impact on the environment
- B) It has been announced that a company in China, sponsored by the government, is planning to harvest plastics from crops of corn

C) Eight tonnes of crude oil are currently needed to create one tonne of polyol, which is an alcoholic substance used in a number of plastics

D) Scientists are now using a new type of microscope that lets them view internal structures of materials in greater detail than ever before

E) The device the company's scientists use utilizes X-ray analysis technology and reveals chemical compositions of objects being studied

KPDS KASIM 2009

In his opinion, poetry is essentially an effort to elude facts, ----

A) since he had been regarded as a promising young poet

B) whereas prose is essentially a means of unearthing and exhibiting them

C) but his poems have been published in respectable literary journals

D) because many critics share the view that poets should be concerned with politics

E) if many prose writers enjoy writing about social and cultural issues

ŞİFRE-4: Zıtlık cümlelerinde **other** kelimesine özel bir yer açalım. Bazıları _____ diğerleri _____ şeklinde bir anlam oluşturan other(s) kelimesi zıtlık cümlelerinin aranılan oyuncusudur.

SOSYAL MART 2010

---- **many people** these days regularly use and rely on computers, **many others** do not even understand how the computer works.

- A) Though
- B) When
- C) Because
- D) In case
- E) If

SOSYAL EKİM 2009

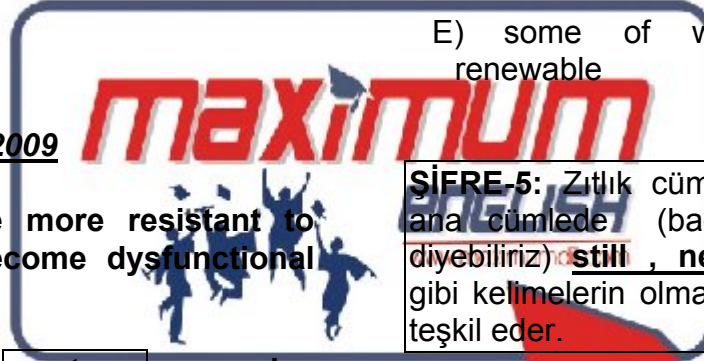
----, **others** are more resistant to change and become dysfunctional and fail.

- A) **While** most companies quickly adopt new information technologies and thus survive
- B) Because companies differ in their goals and the strategies designed to reach them
- C) That most senior managers do not realize how fragile the ongoing viability of a company can be
- D) Provided that the most flexible companies rapidly acquire new knowledge and apply it quickly
- E) Unless the best companies meet the challenges that typically arise in the business environment

FEN EKİM 2009

Some of the world's natural resources, such as natural vegetation and solar energy, are **renewable**, ----

- A) which cannot be renewed easily at a low cost
- B) **while others** like fossil fuels are **non-renewable**
- C) since they are not reliable sources of energy
- D) if conserving them is not possible
- E) some of which are non-renewable



ŞİFRE-5: Zıtlık cümlelerinde özellikle ana cümlede (bağımsız cümle de diyebiliriz) **still , nevertheless, also** gibi kelimelerin olması süper bir ipucu teşkil eder.

SOSYAL MART 2010

Despite the fact that short-term interest rates have marched steadily upward since the early 2000s,-----
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- A) the result will be a sharp slowdown in consumer spending
- B) America's overall inflation hit 4.7% in recent years
- C) the cost of a tank of a petrol would have fallen dramatically
- D) they are **still** negative in real terms
- E) Americans have been able to borrow more and save even less

KPDS KASIM 2006

---- the growth in e-mail and fax transmissions, many communications are **still** best handled by face-to-face or voice-to-voice contact.

- A) Contrary to
- B) In spite of**
- C) By means of
- D) Since
- E) As regards

SAĞLIK MART 2010

The vast sums of money spent to fight diseases such as AIDS and malaria in the past ten years have saved many lives ---- have **also** sometimes undermined health systems in poor countries.

- A) whereas
- B) since
- C) unless
- D) but**
- E) so

FEN MART 2006

Although global warming was outside the parameters of their study, ----.

- A) countries with high gasoline prices are more innovative in the field of personal transportation vehicles
- B) battery-powered electric vehicles would not have been disregarded
- C) fossil fuel consumption habits will have to be curtailed
- D) for the present the focus is on the efficient use of fossil fuels
- E) it is **nevertheless** a fact that should have been faced**

KPDS KASIM 2007

The discovery in 2001 of a juvenile dinosaur's spectacularly preserved fossil with feathers does indicate the dinosaur-bird connection, ---- it **also** casts new light on the mystery of why nature invented feathers in the first place.

- A) whether
- B) where
- C) but**
- D) so
- E) whereas

ŞİFRE-6: however, nevertheless, nonetheless bağlaçları kullanarak da zıtlık cümlesi yapılabilir.

FEN MART 2009

A laptop on board the International Space Station was infected last month with a virus that was later discovered to have been harmless, --

- A) since cosmonauts did not know where the virus might have come from
- B) if it had been quarantined instantly by the security software
- C) unless they lose important data because of it
- D) however, it was understood that cosmonauts had updated it recently
- E) **nevertheless, cosmonauts updated their virus protection systems immediately**

SOSYAL MART 2009

Austria is linguistically homogeneous, with 98 per cent of the population speaking German, ---

- A) so the linguistic differences among this majority cannot be denied
- B) since people in most German-speaking countries don't have much difficulty understanding each other
- C) unless the majority of Austrians learn at least one foreign language
- D) **however there are considerable differences in dialect between the various regions of the country**
- E) for the resulting heterogeneity contributes to the cultural diversity in the country



ŞİFRE-7:

HOWEVER + ADJ /ADV

Son sınavlarda özellikle cümle başında kullanılan **however** den sonra sıfat kullanımı özellikle de miktar belirten little, much gibi sıfatların kullanılması sorulmaktadır. Diğer sıfat ve zarflarda gelebilir expensive, difficult, hard vb.

KPDS MAYIS 2006

---- **little** respect the British people may feel for the monarchy, they are still not likely to change to a republic.

- A) As far as
- B) Whatever
- C) Such a
- D) **However**
- E) Just as

ŞİFRE-8:

However = no matter how
Whatever = no matter what
Wherever = no matter where

NO MATTER + Wh (soru kelimesi)
Regardless of + Wh

SOSYAL EKİM 2009

It is generally thought that animals love us ---- **who** or **what** we are.

- A) so long as
- B) **no matter**
- C) provided that
- D) because of
- E) for the sake of

SOSYAL MART 2010



In democratic societies, everybody should have the right to express and advocate his own views, ----.

- A) so that the good life was made equally available to all persons
- B) since nowhere is courage better demonstrated than in a crisis situation
- C) in order that people become insensitive to violations of the law
- D) while they are few in number
- E) **regardless of how** unpopular they may be