



Summary completion

Answer Key – Summary completion

Summary Completion with a wordlist

1. = **harmless** (harmless = not harmful)
2. = **dangerous** (very dangerous = even experts should be wary of/deadly)
3. = **particularly** (One snake that is particularly dangerous = One snake that has a reputation for being especially dangerous is)
4. = **indigenous** (indigenous = native to)
5. = **quickly** (quickly = it's the quickest moving snake on land)
6. = **bitten** (bitten = some bites contain)
7. = **under** (the mortality rate is just under 15% = the mortality rate is still 14%)



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Summary Completion without a wordlist

1. **parcel** (was sent a parcel = received a parcel)
2. **preserved** (The content of the package was a preserved flower = The parcel contained a carefully preserved flower, which belonged to a certain species of plants which were known to thrive mainly on the island of Madagascar.)
3. **lay** (its nectar lay at a depth of 1.5 inches = its nectar lay 1.5 inches deep)
4. **moth** (Darwin anticipated that there must be a butterfly or moth native to Madagascar that had a proboscis long enough to help with the pollination of the flower = he predicted that not only there should be some kind of butterfly or moth who must be helping with the pollination of such orchid flowers belonging to Madagascar, but also the proboscis of such an insect should be long enough to reach that nectar)
5. **long** (but several years later two British explorers discovered a moth whose proboscis was 40 centimetres long when fully extended = the proboscis was 40 centimetres long when fully stretched.)
6. **Hawk** (Today this is known as the Hawk moth = Today we call it the Hawk moth)



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