

IF CLAUSE (Câu điều kiện)

I / Type 1 . Present possible :

If + S + present tense, S +	$\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{will} \\ \text{shall} \\ \text{can} \\ \text{may} \end{array} \right\}$	+ V _(bare inf.)
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Ex : If the weather is fine, I will go for a picnic.

Ex : If she studies hard , she will pass the exam

II / Type 2. Present unreal :

If + S + past tense (V ₂ /ed or Were) , S +	$\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{could} \\ \text{should} \\ \text{would} \\ \text{might} \end{array} \right\}$	+ V _(bare inf.)
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Ex : I am not fine, so I can't join the party.

=> If I were fine, I could join the party

III / Type 3 . Past unreal :

If + S + past perfect , S +	$\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{could have} \\ \text{should have} \\ \text{would have} \\ \text{might have} \end{array} \right\}$	+ V ₃ / V _{ed}
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Ex : They didn't go because they were busy yesterday.

=> If they hadn't been busy yesterday, they would have gone.

* Note : Past unreal with present effect :

If + S + past perfect , S + would + V ₁
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Ex : If we had got married, we would have a lot of children now.

II. Đảo ngữ của câu điều kiện

1. Đảo ngữ câu điều kiện loại 1: Should + S + V₀, S + Will + V₀

If he has free time, he'll play tennis.

→ Should he have free time, he'll play tennis

2. Đảo ngữ câu điều kiện loại 2: Were + S + to + V₀, S + Would + V₀

If I learnt Russian, I would read a Russian book.

→ Were I to learn Russian, I would read a Russian book

3. Đảo ngữ câu điều kiện loại 3: Had + S + V₃/V_{ed}, S + Would have + V₃/V_{ed}

If he had trained hard, he would have won the match.

→ Had he trained hard, he would have won the match.

***UNLESS = IF ... NOT

If + Neg. form	= Unless + Affir. form
If + S + { am /is/ are not do /does not + V ₁ did not+V ₁ were not had not+ V ₃ ^{ed}	= UNLESS + S + { am /is/ are V ₁ /s/es V ₂ ^{ed} were had + V ₃ ^{ed}

Ex: If you didn't study hard, you'd get bad marks.
 = Unless you studied hard, you'd get bad marks.

****PRACTICE:**

I would have visited you before if there _____ quite a lot of people in your house.

- A. hadn't B. hadn't been C. wouldn't be D. wasn't
2. If you had caught the bus, you _____ late for work.
 A. wouldn't have been B. would have been C. wouldn't be D. would be
3. If I _____, I would express my feelings.
 A. were asked B. would ask C. had been asked D. asked
4. If _____ as I told her, she would have succeeded.
 A. she has done B. she had done C. she does D. she did
5. Will you be angry if I _____ your pocket dictionary?
 A. stole B. have stolen C. were to steal D. steal
6. You made a mistake by telling her a lie. It _____ better if you _____ to her.
 A. would have been / hadn't lied B. would be / didn't lie
 C. will be / don't lie D. would be / hadn't lied
7. John would be taking a great risk if he _____ his money in that business.
 A. would invest B. invested C. had invested D. invests
8. She wouldn't have given them all that money if we _____ her to.
 A. wouldn't advise B. won't advise C. hadn't advised D. didn't advise
9. If the tree hadn't been so high, he _____ it up to take his kite down.
 A. could have climbed B. climb C. is climbing D. climbed
10. If the wall weren't so high, he _____ it up to take his ball down.
 A. climbed B. could climb C. is climbing D. climb
11. If I _____ her phone number, I _____ her last night
 A. had known / could have phoned B. knew / would have phoned
 C. know / can phone D. knew / could phone
12. If he _____ the truth, the police wouldn't arrest him.
 A. tells B. told C. had told D. would tell
13. If you press that button what _____?
 A. would happen B. would have happened
 C. will happen D. happen
14. She says if she _____ that the traffic lights were red she _____.
 A. had realized / would stop B. realized / could have stopped
 C. has realized / stopped D. had realized / would have stopped
15. I am very thin. I think, if I _____ smoking, I might get fat.
 A. stop B. had stopped C. will stop D. stopped

16. If I _____ that yesterday, I _____ them.
A. had discovered / would inform B. had discovered / would have informed
C. had discovered / could inform D. discovered / can inform
17. If you _____ to the course regularly, they _____ a certificate last year.
A. go / gave B. go / give
C. had gone / would have given D. went / would give
18. I think he is not at home. If he _____ in, he _____ the phone.
A. was / answered B. were / would answer
C. were / would have answered D. had been / would have answered
19. If I _____ in London now, I could visit British Museum.
A. were B. had been C. have been D. would be
20. If Columbus _____ money from Queen Isabella, he _____ across the Atlantic.
A. do not receive / could not sail
B. had not received / might not have sailed
C. did not receive / might not have sailed
D. would not receive / might not sail