

V. 次の英文を読んで以下の設問に答えなさい。

Western science traces its origins to Greece, not to the ancient civilization of Mesopotamia and Egypt, for it was the Greeks who provided (a) a new way of looking at nature. One of the most astonishing events in intellectual history is the sudden appearance, seemingly *de novo*, of naturalistic thought—so dominant in the science of Aristotle and the science of today. This is the procedure of basing explanations of natural phenomena on the things and processes of nature. For example, when ascertainable and specific meteorological conditions prevail, liquid water is precipitated from clouds as rain. This is in marked contrast to a supernatural or mythical explanation which assumes that rain is the tears of weeping gods.

(出典: John A. Moore: *Science as a Way of Knowing*)

注) *de novo*: 新たに、Aristotle: アリストテレス

問1. 下線(a)の内容を的確に説明している英文を和訳しなさい。(10点)

問2. 下線(a)の内容と対立する立場を的確に表している語句を英語で記載しなさい。(10点)