

COLLOCATIONS

OUT OF

Out of breath

Out of control

Out of danger

Out of date

Out of debt

Out of the question

Out of fashion

Out of order

Out of practice

Out of print

Out of work

Out of reach

Out of sight

Out of hearing

Out of stock

Out of turn

Out of use

Out of repair

Out of doors

Out of the ordinary

Out of place

EXERCISE

Use the correct collocation:

1. He has been unemployed for some years.
2. He stood waiting until the train could not be seen any more.
3. The doctor told her that her son was safe.
4. I took my watch to the watchmaker because it was not going right.
5. This mine has been disused for a long time.
6. It is a pity not to be outside on such a lovely day.
7. The material was no longer available.
8. When there are little children about, matchboxes should be kept where they cannot be reached.
9. Such a solution cannot be considered.
10. He ran all the way home and arrived panting.
11. They waited until they could not be heard any more.
12. I have not played tennis for years. I lack practice.