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DIRECTIONS: Identify the function each semicolon is performing.

1. I would love to help; you will have to tell me how.

Function: _____

2. I am very careful about my diet; for that reason, I only eat organic.

Function: _____

3. Jill wanted to go out; however, she didn't have anyone to go with.

Function: _____

4. Today I need to wrap some gifts; take the dog to the vet; and make a casserole for tomorrow's dinner, since I'll be out all day tomorrow.

Function: _____

5. Will is overworked: he is in charge of customer relations; he has to review all incoming opportunities; and he creates all the company's presentations.

Function: _____