Name

Al Bias Hunter Answer Key

Signs of Bias / Exaggeration:

"#1 choice" → unsupported claim (no data or source).

"Superior technology and unmatched design" \rightarrow vague, promotional language.

"Trusted by professionals everywhere" \rightarrow sweeping generalization.

Mentions "other bottles" but then dismisses them \rightarrow biased framing.

Sample Student Notes:

The ad sounds like it's **pushing one brand** without comparing fairly.

The language is **persuasive**, **not factual**, which shows possible Al-generated bias toward promoting HydroMax.

Recommendation List Analysis

Pattern Noticed:

Four of the five recommendations are the same brand (SonicBeats).

Why It's Biased:

Recommending mainly one company suggests the algorithm may be **favoring a partner brand** rather than showing the best range of options.

Possible Al Causes:

Training data over-represents SonicBeats.

Paid advertising/partnership influencing the system.

Algorithm designed to **boost sales for a specific brand** instead of being neutral.

Sample Student Notes:

"Feels like an ad disguised as a recommendation."

"Al might have been trained with biased data or told to push SonicBeats more."

