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7s [DIS] & [DIF] (not, opposite of, reverse, separate, deprive of, away)

DIFFERS	DEFFIRS	DIFFER, to be unlike [v]
DIFFUSE	DEFFISU	to spread widely or thinly [v -D, -S, -SING]
DISABLE	ABDEILS	to render incapable or unable [v -D, -LING, -S]
DISARMS	ADIMRSS	DISARM, to deprive of weapons [v]
DISAVOW	ADIOSVW	to disclaim responsibility for [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISBAND	ABDDINS	to break up [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISBARS	ABDIRSS	DISBAR, to expel from legal profession [v]
DISBUDS	BDDISSU	DISBUD, to remove buds from [v]
DISCANT	ACDINST	to descant (to sing counterpoint to melody) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCARD	ACDDIRS	to throw away [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCASE	ACDEISS	to remove case of [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISCEPT	CDEIPST	to debate (to argue about) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCERN	CDEINRS	to perceive (to become aware of through senses) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCORD	CDDIORS	to disagree (to differ in opinion) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCUSS	CDISSSU	to talk over or write about [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
DISDAIN	ADDIINS	to scorn (to treat or regard with contempt) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISEASE	ADEEISS	to make unhealthy (having good health) [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISGUST	DGISSTU	to cause nausea or loathing in [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISHELM	DEHILMS	to deprive of helmet [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISJECT	CDEIJST	to disperse (to scatter (to go or send in various directions)) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISJOIN	DIIJNOS	to separate (to set or keep apart) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISLIKE	DEIIKLS	to regard with aversion [v -D, -KING, -S]
DISLIMN	DIILMNS	to make dim (obscure (dark or indistinct)) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISMAST	ADIMSST	to remove mast of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISMAYS	ADIMSSY	DISMAY, to deprive of courage or resolution [v]
DISMISS	DIIMSSS	to permit or cause to leave [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
DISOBEY	BDEIOSY	to fail to obey [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISOWNS	DINOSSW	DISOWN, to deny ownership of [v]
DISPART	ADIPRST	to separate (to set or keep apart) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPELS	DEILPSS	DISPEL, to drive off in various directions [v]
DISPEND	DDEINPS	to squander (to spend wastefully) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPLAY	ADILPSY	to make evident or obvious [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPORT	DIOPRST	to amuse oneself [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPOSE	DEIOPSS	to put in place [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISPUTE	DEIPSTU	to argue about [v -D, -TING, -S]
DISRATE	ADEIRST	to lower in rating or rank [v -D, -TING, -S]
DISROBE	BDEIORS	to undress (to remove one's clothing) [v -D, -BING, -S]
DISROOT	DIOORST	to uproot (to pull up by roots) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISRUPT	DIPRSTU	to throw into confusion [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISSAVE	ADEISSV	to use savings for current expenses [v -D, -VING, -S]
DISSEAT	ADEISST	to unseat (to remove from seat) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISSECT	CDEISST	to cut apart for scientific examination [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISSENT	DEINSST	to disagree (to differ in opinion) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISSERT	DEIRSSST	to discuss in learned or formal manner [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISTANT	ADINSTT	far off or apart [adj]
DISTEND	DDEINST	to swell (to increase in size or volume) [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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DISTENT	DEINSTT	distended [adj]
DISTORT	DIORSTT	to put out of shape [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISTURB	BDIRSTU	to interrupt quiet, rest, or peace of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISUSED	DDEISSU	DISUSE, to stop using [v]
DISUSES	DEISSSU	DISUSE, to stop using [v]
DISYOKE	DEIKOSY	to free from yoke [v -D, -KING, -S]

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DIFFERED	DDEEFFIR	DIFFER, to be unlike [v]
DIFFRACT	ACDFFIRT	to separate into parts [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DIFFUSER	DEFFIRSU	one that diffuses (to spread widely or thinly) [n -S]
DIFFUSOR	DFFIORSU	diffuser (one that diffuses (to spread widely or thinly)) [n -S]
DISABLER	ABDEILRS	one that disables (to render incapable or unable) [n -S]
DISABUSE	ABDEISSU	to free from false or mistaken ideas [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISAGREE	ADEEGIRS	to differ in opinion [v -D, -ING, -S]
DISALLOW	ADILLOSW	to refuse to allow [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISANNUL	ADILNNSU	to annul (to make or declare void or invalid) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISARMED	ADDEIMRS	DISARM, to deprive of weapons [v]
DISARMER	ADEIMRRS	one that disarms (to deprive of weapons) [n -S]
DISARRAY	AADIRRSY	to disorder (to put out of order) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISASTER	ADEIRSST	calamity (grievous misfortune) [n -S]
DISBOSOM	BDIMOOSW	to confess (to acknowledge or disclose) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISBOUND	BDDINOSU	not having binding [adj]
DISBOWEL	BDEILOSU	to remove intestines of [v -ED, -ING, -S or -LLED, -LLING, -S]
DISBURSE	BDEIRSSU	to pay out [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISCLAIM	ACDIILMS	to renounce any claim to or connection with [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCLOSE	CDEILOSS	to reveal (to make known) [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISCOLOR	CDILOORS	to alter color of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCOUNT	CDINOSTU	to reduce price of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCOVER	CDEIORSV	to gain sight or knowledge of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISCROWN	CDINORSW	to deprive of crown [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISENDOW	DDEINOSW	to deprive of endowment [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISFAVOR	ADFIORSV	to regard with disapproval [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISFROCK	CDFIKORS	to unfrock (to divest of ecclesiastical authority) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISGORGE	DEGGIORS	to vomit (to eject contents of stomach through mouth) [v -D, -GING, -S]
DISGRACE	ACDEGIRS	to bring shame or discredit upon [v -D, -CING, -S]
DISGUISE	DEGISSU	to alter appearance of [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISHERIT	DEHIIRST	to deprive of inheritance [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISHONOR	DHINOORS	to deprive of honor [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISINTER	DEIINRST	to exhume (to dig out of earth) [v -RRED, -RRING, -S]
DISJOINT	DIIJNOST	to put out of order [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISJUNCT	CDIJNSTU	alternative in logical disjunction [n -S]
DISLIKER	DEIIKLRS	one that dislikes (to regard with aversion) [n -S]
DISLODGE	DDEGILOS	to remove from firm position [v -D, -GING, -S]
DISLOYAL	ADILLOSY	not loyal [adj]



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DISMALER	ADEILMRS	DISMAL, cheerless and depressing [adj]
DISMALLY	ADILLMSY	DISMAL, cheerless and depressing [adv]
DISMAYED	ADDEIMSY	DISMAY, to deprive of courage or resolution [v]
DISMOUNT	DIMNOSTU	to get down from elevated position [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISORDER	DDEIORRS	to put out of order [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISOWNED	DDEINOSW	DISOWN, to deny ownership of [v]
DISOWNER	DEINORSW	one that disowns (to deny ownership of) [n -S]
DISPATCH	ACDHIPST	to send off with speed [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
DISPENSE	DEEINPSS	to distribute [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISPERSE	DEEIPRSS	to scatter (to go or send in various directions) [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISPIRIT	DIIIPRST	to lower in spirit [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPLACE	ACDEILPS	to remove from usual or proper place [v -D, -CING, -S]
DISPLANT	ADILNPST	to dislodge (to remove from firm position) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISPLODE	DDEILOPS	to explode (to blow up) [v -D, -DING, -S]
DISPLUME	DEILMPUSU	to deplume (to deprive of feathers) [v -D, -MING, -S]
DISPOSAL	ADILOPSS	act of disposing (to put in place) [n -S]
DISPOSER	DEIOPRSS	one that disposes (to put in place) [n -S]
DISPREAD	ADDEIPRS	to spread out [v DISPREAD, -ING, -S]
DISPRIZE	DEIIPRSZ	to disdain (to scorn (to treat or regard with contempt)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DISPROOF	DFIOOPRS	act of disproving (to refute (to prove to be false or erroneous)) [n -S]
DISPROVE	DEIOPRSV	to refute (to prove to be false or erroneous) [v -D, -N, -VING, -S]
DISQUIET	DEIIQSTU	to deprive of quiet, rest, or peace [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISROBER	BDEIORRS	one that disrobes (to undress (to remove one's clothing)) [n -S]
DISSAVER	ADEIRSSV	one that dissaves (to use savings for current expenses) [n -S]
DISSEISE	DEEIISSS	to deprive (to take something away from) [v -D, -SING, -S]
DISSEIZE	DEEIISSZ	to disseise (to deprive (to take something away from)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DISSERVE	DEEIRSSV	to treat badly [v -D, -VING, -S]
DISSEVER	DEEIRSSV	to sever (to divide or cut into parts) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISSOLVE	DEILOSSV	to make into solution [v -D, -VING, -S]
DISSUADE	ADDEISSU	to persuade not to do something [v -D, -DING, -S]
DISTALLY	ADILLSTY	DISTAL, located far from point of origin [adv]
DISTANCE	ACDEINST	to leave behind [v -D, -CING, -S]
DISTASTE	ADEISSTT	to dislike (to regard with aversion) [v -D, -TING, -S]
DISTINCT	CDIINSTT	clearly different [adj -ER, -EST]
DISTRACT	ACDIRSTT	to divert attention of [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISTRAIN	ADIINRST	to seize and hold property as security [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISTRAIT	ADIIRSTT	absentminded [adj]
DISTRESS	DEIRSSST	to cause anxiety or suffering to [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
DISTRUST	DIRSSTTU	to have no trust in [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DISUNION	DIINNOSU	state of being disunited [n -S]
DISUNITE	DEIINSTU	to separate (to set or keep apart) [v -D, -TING, -S]
DISUNITY	DIINSTUY	lack of unity [n -TIES]
DISUSING	DGIINSSU	DISUSE, to stop using [v]
DISVALUE	ADEILSUV	to treat as of little value [v -D, -UING, -S]