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7s [NOM] & [NYM] (name)

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| ACRONYM | ACMNORY | word formed from initials of compound term or series of words [n -S] : |
| AGNOMEN | AEGMNNO | additional name given to ancient Roman [n -S, -MINA] |
| ALLONYM | ALLMNOY | name of one person assumed by another [n -S] |
| ANONYMS | AMNNOSY | ANONYM, false or assumed name [n] |
| ANTONYM | AMNNOTY | word opposite in meaning to another [n -S] |
| AUTONYM | AMNOTUY | name by which people refers to itself [n -A] |
| CACONYM | ACCMNOY | erroneous name [n -S] |
| EPONYMS | EMNOPSY | EPONYM, person for whom something is named [n] |
| EPONYMY | EMNOPYY | derivation of eponymic name [n -MIES] |
| EXONYMS | EMNOSXY | EXONYM, name for people used by outsiders and not by people themselves [n] |
| HOMONYM | HMMNOOY | namesake (one who is named after another) [n -S] |
| HYPONYM | HMNOPYY | word that denotes subcategory [n -S] |
| MERONYM | EMMNORY | term for part of something that is used to denote whole of it [n -S] |
| METONYM | MMNOTY | word used in metonymy [n -S] |
| NOMINAL | AILMNNO | word used as noun [n -S] |
| NOMINEE | EEIMNNO | one that is nominated [n -S] |
| ONOMAST | AMNOOST | person who studies proper names [n -S] |
| PARONYM | AMNOPRY | word having same root as another [n -S] |
| SYNONYM | MNNOSYY | word having same meaning as another [n -S] |
| TOPONYM | MNOOPTY | name of place [n -S] |

8s [NOM] & [NYM] (name)

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| ANTONYMY | AMNNOTYY | state of being antonym (word opposite in meaning to another) [n -MIES] |
| BINOMIAL | ABIILMNO | algebraic expression [n -S] |
| CACONYMY | ACCMNOYY | state of having erroneous name [n -MIES] |
| COGNOMEN | CEGMNNOO | family name [n -S, -MINA] |
| EPONYMIC | CEIMNOPY | EPONYM, person for whom something is named [adj] |
| ETHNONYM | EHMNNOTY | name of ethnic group [n -S] |
| EUONYMUS | EMNOSUUY | any of genus of shrubs or small trees [n -ES] |
| EVONYMUS | EMNOSUVY | euonymus (any of genus of shrubs or small trees) [n -ES] |
| HOMONYMY | HMMNOOYY | condition of having same name [n -MIES] |
| HYPERNYM | EHMNPRYY | word that denotes broad category that includes more specific words [n -S] |
| HYPONYMY | HMNOPYYY | state of being hyponym (word that denotes subcategory) [n -MIES] |
| IGNOMINY | GIIMNNOY | disgrace or dishonor [n -NIES] |
| MERONYMY | EMMNORYY | semantic relationship between part and whole [n -MIES] |
| METONYMY | EMMNOTYY | type of figure of speech [n -MIES] |
| MISNOMER | EIMMNORS | name wrongly used [n -S] |
| MONOMIAL | AILMMNOO | algebraic expression consisting of single term [n -S] |
| NOMINATE | AEIMNNOT | to name as candidate [v -D, -S, -TING] |
| PARONYMY | AMNOPRYY | state of being paronym (word having same root as another) [n -MIES] |
| PRENOMEN | EEMNNOPR | first name of ancient Roman [n -S, -MINA] |
| RETRONYM | EMNORRTY | term coined to distinguish original referent from later development [n -S] |
| SYNONYME | EMNNOSYY | synonym (word having same meaning as another) [n -S] |
| SYNONYMY | MNNOSYYY | equivalence of meaning [n -MIES] |



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TAUTONYM AMNOTTUY type of taxonomic designation [n -S]
TOPONYMY MNOOPTYY study of toponyms [n -MIES]