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

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	EMMNOTY	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)

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	AILMMNNO	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]



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