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7s [OVER] (excessive, above)

| | | |
|----------|----------|---|
| OVERACT | ACEORTV | to act with exaggeration [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERAGE | AEEGORV | amount in excess [n -S] |
| OVERALL | AELLORV | loose outer garment [n -S] |
| OVERAPT | AEOPRTV | excessively apt [adj] |
| OVERARM | AEMORRV | to supply with excess of weaponry [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERAWE | AEEORVW | to subdue by inspiring awe [v -D, -WING, -S] |
| OVERBED | BDEEORV | spanning bed [adj] |
| OVERBET | BEEORTV | to bet too much [v -OVERBET or -TTED, -TTING, -S] |
| OVERBID | BDEIORV | to bid higher than [v -OVERBID, or -DDEN, -DDING, -S] |
| OVERBIG | BEGIORV | too big [adj] |
| OVERBILL | BEILLORV | to bill too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBUY | BEORUVY | to buy in quantities exceeding need or demand [v -BOUGHT, -ING, -S] |
| OVERCOY | CEOORVY | too coy [adj] |
| OVERCUT | CEORTUV | to cut too much [v -OVERCUT, TTING, -S] |
| OVERDID | DDEIORV | OVERDO, to do to excess [v] |
| OVERDOG | DEGOORV | one that is dominant or victorious [n -S] |
| OVERDRY | DEORRVY | to dry too much [v -RIED, -ING, -RIES] |
| OVERDUB | BDEORUV | to add sound to existing recording [v -BBED, -BBING, -S] |
| OVERDUE | DEEORUV | not paid when due [adj] |
| OVERDYE | DEEORVY | to dye with too much color [v -D, -ING, -S] |
| OVEREAT | AEEORTV | to eat to excess [v -RATE, -EN, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFAR | AEFORRV | too great in distance, extent, or degree [adj] |
| OVERFAT | AEFORTV | too fat [adj] |
| OVERFIT | EFIORTV | fitted to excess [adj] |
| OVERFLY | EFLORVY | to fly over [v -LEW, -N, -ING, -LIES] |
| OVERHOT | EHOORTV | too hot [adj] |
| OVERJOY | EJOORVY | to fill with great joy [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLAP | AELOPRV | to extend over and cover part of [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERLAX | AELORVX | too lax [adj] |
| OVERLAY | AELORVY | to lay over [v -AID, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLET | EELORTV | to let to excess [v -OVERLET, -TTING, -S] |
| OVERLIE | EEILORV | to lie over [v -LAY, -LAIN, -ING, -S] |
| OVERMAN | AEMNORV | foreman (man who supervises workers) [n -MEN] |
| OVERMAN | AEMNORV | to provide with more men than are needed [v -NNED, -NNING, -S] |
| OVERMIX | EIMORVX | to mix too much [v -ED, -ING, -ES] |
| OVERNEW | EENORVW | too new [adj] |
| OVERPAY | AEOPRVY | to pay too much [v -AID, -ING, -S] |
| OVERPLY | ELOPRVY | to ply to excess; overwork [v -LIED, -ING, -LIES] |
| OVERRUN | ENORRUV | to spread or swarm over [v -RAN, -NNING, -S] |
| OVERSAD | ADEORSV | excessively sad [adj] |
| OVERSEA | AEEORSV | overseas (beyond or across seas) [adv] |
| OVERSEE | EEEORSV | to watch over and direct [v -SAW, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSET | EEORSTV | to turn or tip over [v -OVERSET, -TTING, -S] |
| OVERSEW | EEORSVW | to overhand (to sew with short vertical stitches) [v -ED, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSUP | EOPRSUV | to sup in excess [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |



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| OVERTAX | AEORTVX | to tax too heavily [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERTIP | EIOPRTV | to tip more than what is customary [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERTOP | EOOPRTV | to rise above top of [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERUSE | EEORSUV | to use too much [v -D, -SING, -S] |
| OVERWET | EEORTVW | to wet too much [v -TTED, -TTING, -S] |

8s [OVER] (excessive, above)

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| OVERABLE | ABEELORV | excessively able [adj] |
| OVERAGED | ADEEGORV | too old to be useful [adj] |
| OVERARCH | ACEHORRV | to form arch over [v -ED, -ING, -ES] |
| OVERBAKE | ABEEKORV | to bake too long [v -D, -KING, -S] |
| OVERBEAR | ABEEORRV | to bring down by superior weight or force [v -BORE, -BORNE or -BORN, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBEAT | ABEEORTV | to beat too much [v OVERBEAT, -EN, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBITE | BEEIORTV | faulty closure of teeth [n -S] |
| OVERBLOW | BELOORVW | to give excessive importance to [v -LEW, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBOIL | BEILOORV | to boil too long [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBOLD | BDELOORV | excessively bold or forward [adj] |
| OVERBOOK | BEKOOORV | to issue reservations in excess of space available [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBOOT | BEOOORTV | boot worn over shoe or another boot [n -S] |
| OVERBRED | BDEEORRV | bred too finely or to excess [adj] |
| OVERBURN | BENORRUV | to burn too long [v -ED or -T, -ING, -S] |
| OVERBUSY | BEORSUVY | too busy [adj] |
| OVERCALL | ACELLORV | to overbid (to bid higher than) [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERCAST | ACEORSTV | to become cloudy or dark [v OVERCAST or -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERCOAT | ACEOORTV | warm coat worn over indoor clothing [n -S] |
| OVERCOLD | CDELOORV | too cold [adj] |
| OVERCOME | CEEMOORV | to get better of [v -CAME, -MING, -S] |
| OVERCOOK | CEKOOORV | to cook too long [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERCOOL | CELOOORV | to make too cool [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERCRAM | ACEMORRV | to stuff or cram to excess [v -MMED, -MMING, -S] |
| OVERCROP | CEOOPRRV | to exhaust fertility of by cultivating to excess [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERCURE | CEEORRUV | to cure too long [v -D, -RING, -S] |
| OVERDARE | ADEEORRV | to become too daring [v -D, -RING, -S] |
| OVERDEAR | ADEEORRV | too dear; too costly [adj] |
| OVERDECK | CDEEKORV | to adorn extravagantly [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERDOER | DEEOORRV | one that overdoes (to do to excess) [n -S] |
| OVERDOES | DEEOORSV | OVERDO, to do to excess [v] |
| OVERDONE | DEENOORV | OVERDO, to do to excess [v] |
| OVERDOSE | DEEOORSV | to give excessive dose to [v -D, -SING, -S] |
| OVERDRAW | ADEORRVW | to draw checks on in excess of balance [v -DREW, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERDYER | DEEORRVY | one that overdyes (to dye with too much color) [n -S] |
| OVEREASY | AEEORSVY | too easy [adj] |
| OVEREDIT | DEEIORTV | to edit more than necessary [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFAST | AEFORSTV | too fast [adj] |



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| OVERFEAR | AEEFORRV | to fear too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFEED | DEEEFORV | to feed too much [v -FED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFILL | EFILLORV | to fill to overflowing [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFINE | EEFFINORV | excessively fine or particular [adj] |
| OVERFISH | EFHISORV | to deplete supply of fish in area by fishing to excess [v -ED, -ING, -ES] |
| OVERFLOW | EFLOORVW | to flow over top of [v -ED, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERFOND | DEFNOORV | too fond or affectionate [adj] |
| OVERFOUL | EFLOORUV | too foul [adj] |
| OVERFREE | EEEFORRV | too free [adj] |
| OVERFULL | EFLLOORUV | too full [adj] |
| OVERFUND | DEFNORUV | to fund more than required [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERGILD | DEGILORV | to gild over [v -ED or -LT, -ING, -S] |
| OVERGIRD | DEGIORRV | to gird to excess [v -ED or -RT, -ING, -S] |
| OVERGLAD | ADEGLORV | too glad [adj] |
| OVERGOAD | ADEGOORV | to goad too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERGROW | EGOORRVW | to grow over [v -REW, -N, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHAND | ADEHNORV | to sew with short, vertical stitches [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHANG | AEGHNORV | to hang or project over [v -HUNG, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHARD | ADEHORRV | too hard [adj] |
| OVERHATE | AEEHORTV | to hate to excess [v -D, -TING, -S] |
| OVERHAUL | AEHLORUV | to examine carefully for needed repairs [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHEAD | ADEEHORV | general cost of running business [n -S] |
| OVERHEAP | AEEHOPRV | to heap up or accumulate to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHEAR | AEEHORRV | to hear without speaker's knowledge or intention [v -D, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHEAT | AEEHORTV | to heat to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHIGH | EGHHIORV | too high [adj] |
| OVERHOLD | DEHLOORV | to rate too highly [v -HELD, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHOLY | EHLOORVY | too holy [adj] |
| OVERHOPE | EEHOOPRV | to hope exceedingly [v -D, -PING, -S] |
| OVERHUNT | EHNORTUV | to deplete supply of game in area by hunting to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERHYPE | EEHOPRVY | to hype to excess [v -D, -PING, -S] |
| OVERIDLE | DEEILORV | too idle [adj] |
| OVERJUST | EJORSTUV | too just [adj] |
| OVERKEEN | EEELNORV | too keen [adj] |
| OVERKILL | EIKLLORV | to destroy with more nuclear force than required [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERKIND | DEIKNORV | too kind [adj] |
| OVERLADE | ADEELORV | to load with too great burden [v -D, -N, -DING, -S] |
| OVERLAND | ADELNORV | train or stagecoach that travels over land [n -S] |
| OVERLATE | AEELORTV | too late [adj] |
| OVERLEAF | AEEFLORV | on other side of page [adv] |
| OVERLEAP | AEELOPRV | to leap over [v -ED or -T, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLEND | DEELNORV | to lend too much [v -NT, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLEWD | DEELORVW | too lewd [adj] |
| OVERLIVE | EEILORVV | to outlive (to live longer than) [v -D, -VING, -S] |
| OVERLOAD | ADELOORV | to load to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLONG | EGLNOORV | too long [adj] |



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| OVERLOOK | EKLOORV | to fail to notice [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLORD | DELOORV | to rule tyrannically [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERLOUD | DELOORUV | too loud [adj] |
| OVERLOVE | EELORVV | to love to excess [v -D, -VING, -S] |
| OVERLUSH | EHLORSUV | excessively lush [adj] |
| OVERMANY | AEMNORVY | too many [adj] |
| OVERMEEK | EEKMORV | excessively meek [adj] |
| OVERMELT | EELMORTV | to melt too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERMILD | DEILMORV | too mild [adj] |
| OVERMILK | EIKLMORV | to milk to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERMINE | EEIMNORV | to mine to excess [v -D, -NING, -S] |
| OVERMUCH | CEHMORUV | excess [n -ES] |
| OVERNEAR | AEENORRV | too near [adj] |
| OVERNEAT | AEENORTV | too neat [adj] |
| OVERNICE | CEEINORV | excessively nice [adj] |
| OVERPACK | ACEKOPRV | to pack to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERPASS | AEOPRSSV | to pass over [v -ED or -AST, -ING, -ES] |
| OVERPERT | EEOPRRTV | too pert [adj] |
| OVERPLAN | AELMOPRV | to plan to excess [v -NNED, -NNING, -S] |
| OVERPLAY | AELOPRVY | to exaggerate [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERPLOT | ELOOPRTV | to devise overly complex plot for [v -TTED, -TTING, -S] |
| OVERPLUS | ELOPRSUV | surplus [n -ES] |
| OVERPUMP | EMOPPRUV | to pump to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERRANK | AEKNORRV | too luxuriant in growth [adj] |
| OVERRASH | AEHORRSV | too rash [adj] |
| OVERRATE | AEEORRTV | to rate too highly [v -D, -TING, -S] |
| OVERRICH | CEHIORRV | too rich [adj] |
| OVERRIDE | DEEIORRV | to ride over [v -RODE, -DDEN, -DING, -S] |
| OVERRIFE | EEFIORRV | too rife [adj] |
| OVERRIPE | EEIOPRVV | too ripe [adj] |
| OVERRUDE | DEEORRUV | excessively rude [adj] |
| OVERRUFF | EFFORRUV | to trump with higher trump card than has already been played [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| VERRULE | EELORRUV | to disallow arguments of [v -D, -LING, -S] |
| OVERSALE | AEELORSV | act of overselling (to sell more of than can be delivered) [n -S] |
| OVERSALT | AELORSTV | to salt to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSAVE | AEEORSVV | to save too much [v -D, -VING, -S] |
| OVERSEED | DEEEORSV | to seed to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSEER | EEEORRSV | one that oversees (to watch over and direct) [n -S] |
| OVERSELL | EELLORSV | to sell more than can be delivered [v -SOLD, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSHOE | EEHOORSV | protective outer shoe [n -S] |
| OVERSHOT | EHOORSTV | type of fabric weave [n -S] |
| OVERSICK | CEIKORSV | too sick [adj] |
| OVERSIDE | DEEIORSV | other side of phonograph record, [n -S] |
| OVERSIZE | EEIORSVZ | unusually large size [n -S] |
| OVERSLIP | EILOPRSV | to leave out [v -PPED, -T, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERSLOW | ELOORSVV | too slow [adj] |



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| OVERSOAK | AEKOORSV | to soak too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSOFT | EFOORSTV | too soft [adj] |
| OVERSOON | ENOOORSV | too soon [adv] |
| OVERSOUL | ELOORSTV | supreme reality or mind in transcendentalism [n -S] |
| OVERSPIN | EINOPRSV | forward spin imparted on ball [n -S] |
| OVERSTAY | AEORSTVY | to stay beyond limits or duration [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSTEP | EEOPRSTV | to go beyond [v -PPED, -PPING, -S] |
| OVERSTIR | EIORRSTV | to stir too much, [v -RRED, -RRING, -S] |
| OVERSUDS | DEORSSUV | to form excessive amount of suds [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERSURE | EEORRSUV | too sure [adj] |
| OVERTAKE | AEEKORTV | to catch up with, [v -TOOK, -N, -KING, -S] |
| OVERTALK | AEKLORTV | to talk to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERTAME | AEEMORTV | too tame [adj] |
| OVERTART | AEORRTTV | too tart [adj] |
| OVERTASK | AEKORSTV | to task too severely [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERTHIN | EHINORTV | too thin [adj] |
| OVERTIME | EEIMORTV | to exceed desired timing for [v -D, -MING, -S] |
| OVERTIRE | EEIORRTV | to tire excessively [v -D, -RING, -S] |
| OVERTOIL | EILOORTV | to wear out or exhaust by excessive toil [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERTONE | EENOORTV | higher partial tone [n -S] |
| OVERTRIM | EIMORRTV | to trim too much [v -MMED, -MMING, -S] |
| OVERTURN | ENORRTUV | to turn over [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERURGE | EEGORRUV | to urge too much [v -D, -GING, -S] |
| OVERVIEW | EEIORVWV | summary (short restatement) [n -S] |
| OVERVOTE | EEOORTVV | to defeat by majority of votes [v -D, -TING, -S] |
| OVERWARM | AEMORRVW | to warm too much [v -ED, -ING, -S] |
| OVERWARY | AEORRVWY | too wary [adj] |
| OVERWEAK | AEEKORVW | too weak [adj] |
| OVERWEAR | AEEORRVW | to wear out [v -WORE, -WORN, -ING, -S] |
| OVERWIDE | DEEIORVW | too wide [adj] |
| OVERWILY | EILORVWY | too wily [adj] |
| OVERWIND | DEINORVW | to wind too much, as watch [v -WOUND, -ING, -S] |
| OVERWISE | EEIORSVW | too wise [adj] |
| OVERWORD | DDEOORVW | word or phrase repeated at intervals in song [n-S] |
| OVERWORK | EKOORRVW | to cause to work too hard [v -ED or -WROUGHT, -ING, -S] |
| OVERZEAL | AEELORVZ | excess of zeal [n -S] |