Put Down Roots

Put down on your Scrabble board **WORD ROOTS** that convey a particular description, thought, or meaning (7s then 8s)

7s [SECT] & [SEC] (cut)

BISECTS	BCEISST	BISECT, to cut into two parts [v]
DISSECT	CDEISST	to cut apart for scientific examination [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EXSECTS	CEESSTX	EXSECT, to cut out [v]
INSECTS	CEINSST	INSECT, any of class of small invertebrate animals [n]
PROSECT	CEOPRST	to dissect (to cut apart for scientific examination) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
RESECTS	CEERSST	RESECT, to excise part of organ or structure surgically [v]
SECANTS	ACENSST	SECANT, trigonometric function of angle [n]
SECTILE	CEEILST	capable of being cut smoothly [adj]
SECTION	CEINOST	to divide into sections (distinct parts) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SECTORS	CEORSST	SECTOR, to divide into sectors (sections) [v]
SUBSECT	BCESSTU	sect directly derived from another [n -S]
TRISECT	CEIRSTT	to divide into three equal parts [v -ED, -ING, -S]

8s [SECT] & [SEC] (cut)

BISECTED	BCDEEIST	BISECT, to cut into two parts [v]
BISECTOR	BCEIORST	something that bisects (to cut into two parts) [n -S]
COSECANT	ACCENOST	trigonometric function of angle [n -S]
EXSECANT	ACEENSTX	trigonometric function of angle [n -S]
EXSECTED	CDEEESTX	EXSECT, to cut out [v]
RESECTED	CDEEERST	RESECT, to excise part of organ or structure surgically [v]
SECANTLY	ACELNSTY	in intersecting manner [adv]
SECATEUR	ACEERSTU	pruning tool [n -S]
SECTORAL	ACELORST	of or pertaining to sector [adj]
SECTORED	CDEEORST	SECTOR, to divide into sectors (sections) [v]
TRANSECT	ACENRSTT	to cut across [v -ED, -ING, -S]
VIVISECT	CEIISTVV	to dissect living body of [v -ED, -ING, -S]