



# From Start to Finish- Suffix

Less common suffixes – see **All's Well That Ends Well** for common suffixes  
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## 7s -CIDE (meaning = killer; act of killing)

BIOCIDE	BCDEIIO	substance destructive to living organisms [n -S]
DEICIDE	CDDEEII	killing of god [n -S]
ECOCIDE	CCDEEIO	destruction of natural environment [n -S]
OVICIDE	CDEIIOV	agent that kills eggs [n -S]
SUICIDE	CDEIISU	to kill oneself intentionally [v -D, -S, -DING]

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ALGICIDE	ACDEGIIL	substance used to kill algae [n -S]
FETICIDE	CDEEFIIT	killing of fetus [n -S]
FILICIDE	CDEFIIL	killing of one's child [n -S]
GENOCIDE	CDEEGINO	deliberate extermination of national or racial group [n -S]
HOMICIDE	CDEHIIMO	killing of one person by another [n -S]
MEDICIDE	CDDEEIIIM	medically assisted suicide [n -S]
MITICIDE	CDEIIIIMT	substance used to kill mites [n -S]
PULICIDE	CDEIILPU	agent used for destroying fleas [n -S]
RATICIDE	ACDEIIRT	substance for killing rats [n -S]
REGICIDE	CDEEGIIR	killing of king [n -S]
VATICIDE	ACDEIITV	killing of prophet [n -S]
VIRICIDE	CDEIIRV	substance that destroys viruses [n -S]
VIRUCIDE	CDEIIRUV	viricide (substance that destroys viruses) [n -S]