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## 7s -IZE (verb; cause)

AGATIZE	AAEGITZ	to cause to resemble agate [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AGENIZE	AEEGINZ	to treat with agene [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AGONIZE	AEGINOZ	to suffer extreme pain [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ANODIZE	ADEINOZ	to coat with protective film by chemical means [v -D, -ZING, -S]
APPRIZE	AEIPPRZ	to appraise (to set value on) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ARABIZE	AABEIRZ	to cause to acquire Arabic customs [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ATOMIZE	AEIMOTZ	to reduce to fine spray [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AZOTIZE	AEIOTZZ	to treat with nitrogen [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BAPTIZE	ABEIPTZ	to administer baptism to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BROMIZE	BEIMORZ	to treat with bromine or bromide [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CAPSIZE	ACEIPSZ	to overturn (to turn over) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
COGNIZE	CEGINOZ	to become aware of in one's mind [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CYCLIZE	CCEILYZ	to form one or more rings in chemical compound [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DUALIZE	ADEILUZ	to make twofold [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EBONIZE	BEEINOZ	to stain black in imitation of ebony [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EGOTIZE	EEGIOTZ	to talk and think about oneself excessively [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ELEGIZE	EEEGILZ	to write elegy [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EROTIZE	E EIORTZ	to give sexual meaning to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
GRECIZE	CEEGIRZ	to provide with Greek style [v -D, -ZING, -S]
HEROIZE	EEHIORZ	to make heroic [v -D, -ZING, -S]
IDOLIZE	DEIILoz	to worship (to honor and love as divine being) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
IRONIZE	EIINORZ	to mix with nutritional iron [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ITEMIZE	EEIIMTZ	to set down particulars of [v -D, -ZING, -S]
KYANIZE	AEIKNYZ	to treat wood with type of preservative [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LAICIZE	ACEIILZ	to free from clerical control [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LIONIZE	EIILNOZ	to treat or regard as celebrity [v -D, -ZING, -S]
OBELIZE	BEEILOZ	to mark with obelus [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ODORIZE	DEIOORZ	to make odorous (having odor) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
OXIDIZE	DEIIOXZ	to combine with oxygen [v -D, -ZING, -S]
OZONIZE	EINOOZZ	to convert into ozone [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PECTIZE	CEEIPTZ	to change into jelly [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PEPTIZE	EEIPPTZ	to increase colloidal dispersion of [v -D, -ZING, -S]
POETIZE	E EILOPTZ	to write poetry [v -D, -ZING, -S]
REALIZE	AEEILRZ	to understand completely [v -D, -ZING, -S]
RESEIZE	EEEIRSZ	SEIZE, to take hold of suddenly and forcibly [v -D, -ZING, -S]
STYLIZE	EILSTYZ	to make conventional [v -D, -ZING, -S]
UNITIZE	EIINTUZ	to divide into units [v -D, -ZING, -S]
UTILIZE	EIILTUZ	to make use of [v -D, -ZING, -S]

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## 8s -IZE (verb; cause)

ACTIVIZE	ACEIITVZ	to activate (to set in motion) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ALKALIZE	AAEIKLLZ	to convert into alkali [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AMORTIZE	AEIMORTZ	to liquidate gradually, as debt [v -D, -ZING, -S]
APHORIZE	AEHIOPRZ	to write or speak in aphorisms [v -D, -ZING, -S]

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ARBORIZE	ABEIORRZ	to form many branches [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ARCHAIZE	AACEHIRZ	to use archaisms (archaic word, idiom, or expression) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ATTICIZE	ACEIITZ	to use atticisms (concise and elegant expression) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AVIANIZE	AAEIINVZ	to make less severe by repeated culture in chick embryo, as virus [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BANALIZE	AABEILNZ	to make banal (ordinary (of kind to be expected in normal order of events)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BOTANIZE	ABEINOTZ	to study plants [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CALORIZE	ACEILORZ	to coat steel with aluminum [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CANALIZE	AACEILNZ	to canal (to dig artificial waterway through) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CANONIZE	ACEINNOZ	to declare to be saint [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CAPONIZE	ACEINOPZ	to geld rooster [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CHROMIZE	CEHIMORZ	to chrome (to plate with chromium) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CIVILIZE	CEIILVZ	to bring out of savagery [v -D, -ZING, -S]
COLONIZE	CEILNOOZ	to establish colony [v -D, -ZING, -S]
COLORIZE	CEILOORZ	to give color to black-and-white film [v -D, -ZING, -S]
COMPRIZE	CEIMOPRZ	to comprise (to include or contain) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CREOLIZE	CEEILORZ	to cause language to become creole [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CURARIZE	ACEIRRUZ	to poison with curare [v --D, -ZING, -S]
CUTINIZE	CEIINTUZ	to become coated with cutin [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DEIONIZE	DEEIINOZ	to remove ions from [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DEMONIZE	DEEIMNOZ	to make demon of [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DEPUTIZE	DEEIPTUZ	to appoint as deputy [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DIGITIZE	DEGIITZ	to put data into digital notation [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DIMERIZE	DEEIIMRZ	to form dimer [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DISPRIZE	DEIIPRSZ	to disdain (to scorn (to treat or regard with contempt)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DISSEIZE	DEEIISZ	to disseise (to deprive (to take something away from)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DIVINIZE	DEIINVZ	to make divine (pertaining to or characteristic of god) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ENERGIZE	EEEGINRZ	to give energy to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EQUALIZE	AEEILQUZ	to make equal [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ETERNIZE	EEEINRTZ	to make everlasting [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ETHERIZE	EEEHIRTZ	to treat with ether [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ETHICIZE	CEEHIITZ	to make ethical [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EULOGIZE	EEGILOUZ	to praise highly [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EXORCIZE	CEEIORXZ	to exorcise (to free of evil spirit) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FARADIZE	AADEFIRZ	to treat by faradism [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FEMINIZE	EEFIIMNZ	to make womanly (having qualities of woman) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FIBERIZE	BEEFIIRZ	to break into fibers [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FINALIZE	AEFIILNZ	to put into finished form [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FLUIDIZE	DEFIILUZ	to cause to flow like fluid [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FOCALIZE	ACEFILOZ	to focus (to bring to focus) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
FRANCIZE	ACEFINRZ	to force to adopt French customs and language [v -D, -ZING, -S]
GRAECIZE	ACEEGIRZ	to grecize (to provide with Greek style) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
HEBRAIZE	ABEEHIRZ	to make Hebrew [v -D, -ZING, -S]
HEPATIZE	AEEHIPTZ	to convert tissue into firm mass [v -D, -ZING, -S ES]
HOMINIZE	EHIIMNOZ	to alter environment to conform with evolving man [v -D, -ZING, -S]
HUMANIZE	AEHIMNUZ	to make human [v -D, -ZING, -S]
IDEALIZE	ADEEILZ	to regard as perfect [v -D, -ZING, -S]
IMMUNIZE	EIIMNUZ	to protect from disease [v -D, -ZING, -S]

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JAPANIZE	AAEIJNPZ	to make Japanese [v -D, -ZING, -S]
JAROVIZE	AEIJORVZ	to hasten flowering of plant [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LATERIZE	AEEILRTZ	to convert to laterite [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LATINIZE	AEIILNTZ	to translate into Latin [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LEGALIZE	AEEGILLZ	to make lawful (allowed by law (body of rules governing affairs of community)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LOCALIZE	ACEILLOZ	to confine to particular area [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LOGICIZE	CEGILOZ	to reason (to derive inferences or conclusions from known or presumed facts) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
LYRICIZE	CEILRYZ	to write lyrics [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MADERIZE	ADEEIMRZ	to turn brown used of white wine [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MAXIMIZE	AEIIMMXZ	to make as great as possible [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MELANIZE	AEEILMNZ	to make dark (having little or no light) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MELODIZE	DEEILMOZ	to compose melody [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MEMORIZE	EEIMMORZ	to commit to memory [v -D, -ZING, -S]
METALIZE	AEEILMTZ	to treat with metal [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MINIMIZE	EIIMMNZ	to make as small as possible [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MISPRIZE	EIIMPRSZ	to despise (to loathe (to detest greatly)) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MOBILIZE	BEIILMOZ	to put into movement [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MONETIZE	EEIMNOTZ	to coin into money [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MORALIZE	AEILMORZ	to explain in moral sense [v -D, -ZING, -S]
MOTORIZE	EIMOORTZ	to equip with motor vehicles [v -D, -ZING, -S]
NASALIZE	AAEILNSZ	to produce sounds nasally [v -D, -ZING, -S]
NEBULIZE	BEEILNUZ	to reduce to fine spray [v -D, -ZING, -S]
NOTARIZE	AEINORTZ	to certify through notary [v -D, -ZING, -S]
NOVELIZE	EEILNOVZ	to put into form of novel [v -D, -ZING, -S]
OPSONIZE	EINOOPSZ	to form opsonins in [v -D, -ZING, -S]
OPTIMIZE	EIIMOPTZ	to make as perfect, useful, or effective as possible [v -D, -ZING, -S S]
ORGANIZE	AEGINORZ	to form into orderly whole [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PAGANIZE	AAEGINPZ	to make irreligious [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PATINIZE	AEIINPTZ	to patinate (to give patina to) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PENALIZE	AEEILNPZ	to subject to penalty [v -D, -ZING, -S]
POLARIZE	AEILOPRZ	to give polarity to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
POLEMIZE	EEILMOPZ	to engage in polemics [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PYRITIZE	EIIPRTYZ	to convert into pyrite [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PYROLIZE	EILOPRYZ	to pyrolyze (to affect compounds by application of heat) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
QUANTIZE	AEINQTUZ	to limit possible values of to discrete set [v -D, -ZING, -S]
RACEMIZE	ACEEIMRZ	to convert into racemic compound [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ROBOTIZE	BEIOORTZ	to make automatic [v -D, -ZING, -S]
ROMANIZE	AEIMNORZ	to write in Roman alphabet [v -D, -ZING, -S]
RURALIZE	AEILRRUZ	to make rural (pertaining to country) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SALINIZE	AEIILNSZ	to treat with salt [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SANITIZE	AEIINSTZ	to guard against infection or disease by cleaning or sterilizing [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SATIRIZE	AEIRSTZ	to subject to satire [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SIMONIZE	EIIMNOSZ	to polish with wax [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SINICIZE	CEIINSZ	to modify by Chinese influence [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SOBERIZE	BEEIORSZ	to sober (to make sober) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SODOMIZE	DEIMOOSZ	to engage in sodomy with [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SOLARIZE	AEILORSZ	to expose to sunlight [v -D, -ZING, -S]

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SOLECIZE	CEEILOSZ	to use solecisms (ungrammatical combination of words in sentence) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SUBERIZE	BEEIRSUZ	to convert into cork tissue [v -D, -ZING, -S]
SURPRIZE	EIPRRSUZ	to surprise (to come upon unexpectedly) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
TETANIZE	AEEINTTZ	to affect with convulsions [v -D, -ZING, -S]
THEORIZE	EEHIORTZ	to form theories [v -D, -ZING, -S]
TOTALIZE	AEILOTTZ	to make complete (having all necessary parts) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
UNIONIZE	EIINNOUZ	to form into union [v -D, -ZING, -S]
URBANIZE	ABEINRUZ	to cause to take on urban characteristics [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VALORIZE	AEILORVZ	to establish and maintain price of by governmental action [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VAPORIZE	AEIOPRVZ	to convert into vapor [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VELARIZE	AEEILRVZ	to pronounce with back of tongue touching soft palate [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VIRILIZE	EIIILRVZ	to induce male characteristics in (female) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VITALIZE	AEIILTVZ	to give life to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VOCALIZE	ACEILOVZ	to produce with voice [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VOLUMIZE	EILMOUVZ	to give body to (hair) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
VOWELIZE	EEILOVWZ	to provide with symbols used to indicate vowels [v -D, -ZING, -S]
WOMANIZE	AEIMNOWZ	to make effeminate [v -D, -ZING, -S]