

Alternating Current

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| ADAMANT | AAADMNT | extremely hard substance [n -s] |
| ANATASE | AAAENST | mineral (naturally occurring inorganic substance having characteristic set of physical properties) [n -S] |
| APANAGE | AAAEGNP | appanage (land or revenue granted to member of royal family) [n -S] |
| ARAWANA | AAAAANRW | arowana (tropical fish) [n -S] |
| ATABALS | AAABLST | ATABAL, type of drum [n] |
| ATALAYA | AAAALTY | watchtower [n -S] |
| ATAMANS | AAAMNST | ATAMAN, hetman (cossack leader) [n] |
| ATARAXY | AAARTXY | ataraxia (peace of mind) [n -XIES] |
| AVATARS | AAARSTV | AVATAR, incarnation of Hindu deity [n] |
| BACALAO | AAABCLO | baccala (codfish (marine food fish)) [n -S] |
| BALATAS | AAABLST | BALATA, tropical tree [n] |
| BANANAS | AAABNNS | BANANA, edible fruit [n] |
| BATATAS | AAABSTT | BATATA, sweet potato [n] |
| CABALAS | AAABCLS | CABALA, occult or secret doctrine [n] |
| CABANAS | AAABCNS | CABANA, small cabin [n] |
| CALAMAR | AAACLMR | calamary (squid) [n -S] |
| CARBAO | AAABCOR | water buffalo [n -S] |
| CARACAL | AAACCLR | African lynx [n -S] |
| CARAPAX | AAACPRX | carapace (hard, protective outer covering) [n -ES] |
| CARAVAN | AAACNRV | to travel in group [v -ED, -NNED, -ING, -NNING, -S] |
| CARAWAY | AAACRWY | herb used in cooking [n -S] |
| CASABAS | AAABCSS | CASABA, variety of melon [n] |
| CASAVAS | AAACSSV | CASAVA, cassava (tropical plant) [n] |
| CHALAZA | AAACHLZ | band of tissue in egg [n -E, -S] |
| FARADAY | AAADFRY | unit of electricity [n -S] |
| FARAWAY | AAAFRWY | distant (far off or apart) [adj]-S -KOTH H] |
| GUARANA | AAAGNRU | South American shrub [n -S] |
| HALAKAH | AAAHHKL | halacha (legal part of Talmud) [n -S, -KOTH] |
| HALALAH | AAAHLL | halala (Saudi Arabian coin) [n -S] |
| HALALAS | AAAHLLS | HALALA, Saudi Arabian coin [n] |
| HALAVAH | AAAHHLV | halvah (Turkish confection) [n -S] |
| HAMADAS | AAADHMS | HAMADA, hammada (desert plateau of bedrock) [n] |
| HAWALAS | AAAHLSW | HAWALA, type of financial arrangement in Islamic societies [n] |
| JACAMAR | AAACJMR | tropical bird [n -S] |
| JACANAS | AAACJNS | JACANA, wading bird [n] |
| KABAKAS | AAABKKS | KABAKA, Ugandan emperor [n] |
| KABALAS | AAABKLS | KABALA, cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n] |
| KABAYAS | AAABKSY | KABAYA, cotton jacket [n] |
| KAMALAS | AAAKLMS | KAMALA, Asian tree [n] |
| KATANAS | AAAKNST | KATANA, Japanese single-edged sword [n] |
| LAYAWAY | AAALWYY | item that has been reserved with down payment [n -S] |
| MACADAM | AAACDMM | type of pavement (paved surface) [n -S] |
| MAMASAN | AAAMMNS | Japanese woman in position of authority [n -S] |
| MANANAS | AAAMNNS | MANANA, tomorrow (day following today) [n] |
| MARACAS | AAACMRS | MARACA, percussion instrument [n] |
| MASALAS | AAALMSS | MASALA, blend of spices used in Indian cooking [n] |



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| NAGANAS | AAAGNNS | NAGANA, disease of horses in Africa [n] |
| NIAGARA | AAAGINR | outpouring or deluge [n -S] |
| PAJAMAS | AAAJMPS | PAJAMA, garment for sleeping or lounging [n] |
| PALAPAS | AAALPPS | PALAPA, open-sided dwelling with roof of palm leaves [n] |
| PALATAL | AAALLPT | bone of palate [n -S] |
| PANADAS | AAADNPS | PANADA, thick sauce [n] |
| PANAMAS | AAAMNPS | PANAMA, lightweight hat [n] |
| PAPADAM | AAADMPP | papadum (thin, crisp bread of India) [n -S] |
| PAPASAN | AAANPPS | bowllike chair [n -S] |
| PAPAYAN | AAANPPY | PAPAYA, melon-like fruit [adj] |
| PAPAYAS | AAAPPSY | PAPAYA, melon-like fruit [n] |
| PATACAS | AAACPST | PATACA, monetary unit of Macao [n] |
| PATAMAR | AAAMPRT | sailing vessel [n -S] |
| PIASABA | AAABIPS | piassava (coarse, stiff fiber) [n -S] |
| PIASAVA | AAAIPSV | piassava (coarse, stiff fiber) [n -S] |
| QABALAH | AAABHLQ | cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n -S] |
| QABALAS | AAABLQS | QABALA, cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n] |
| RAMADAS | AAADMRS | RAMADA, roofed, open-sided shelter [n] |
| RATATAT | AAARTTT | quick, sharp rapping sound [n -S] |
| SAGAMAN | AAAGMNS | writer of sagas [n -S] |
| SAMARAS | AAAMRSS | SAMARA, dry, one-seeded fruit [n] |
| SATARAS | AAARSST | SATARA, woolen fabric [n] |
| SHAHADA | AAADHHS | Muslim profession of faith [n -S] |
| TAMARAO | AAAMORT | tamarau (small buffalo of Philippines) [n -S] |
| TAMARAU | AAAMRTU | small buffalo of Philippines [n -S] |
| TARAMAS | AAAMRST | TARAMA, Greek paste of fish roe, garlic, lemon juice, and olive oil [n] |
| TUATARA | AAARTTU | large reptile [n -S] |
| YATAGAN | AAAGNTY | yataghan (Turkish sword) [n -S] |
| ZANANAS | AAANNSZ | ZANANA, zenana (section of house in India reserved for women) [n] |

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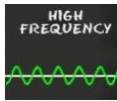
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| BEDEMEN | BDEEEMN | BEDEMAN, beadsman (one who prays for another) [n] |
| BEDEWED | BDDEEEW | BEDEW, to wet with dew [v] |
| BEJEWEL | BEEEEJLW | to adorn with jewels [v -ED, -LLED, -ING, -LLING, -S] |
| BEVELED | BDEEELV | BEVEL, to cut at angle [v] |
| BEVELER | BEEELRV | one that bevels (to cut at angle) [n -S] |
| DELETED | DDEEELT | DELETE, to remove written or printed matter [v] |
| DELETES | DEEELST | DELETE, to remove written or printed matter [v] |
| DESEXED | DDEEESX | DESEX, to castrate or spay [v] |
| DESEXES | DEEESX | DESEX, to castrate or spay [v] |
| DEVELED | DDEEELV | DEVEL, to strike forcibly [v] |
| ELEMENT | EEELMNT | substance that cannot be separated into simpler substances by chemical means [n -S] |
| ELEVENS | EEELNSV | ELEVEN, number [n] |
| EVENERS | EEENRSV | EVENER, one that evens (to make even) [n] |
| EVENEST | EEENSTV | EVEN, flat and smooth [adj] |



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| EXEGETE | EEEEGTX | one skilled in exegesis [n -S] |
| EYEBEAM | ABEEEMY | glance [n -S] |
| EYELESS | EEELSSY | lacking eyes (organ of sight) [adj] |
| EYELETS | EEELSTY | EYELET, to make small hole in [v] |
| EYEWEAR | AEEERWY | device worn on or over eyes [n EYEWEAR] |
| FEDEXED | DDEEEFX | FEDEX, to send by Federal Express [v] |
| FEDEXES | DDEEFSX | FEDEX, to send by Federal Express [v] |
| FEVERED | DDEEFRV | FEVER, to affect with fever (abnormal elevation of body temperature) [v] |
| GENESES | EEEGNSS | GENESIS, origin (coming into being) [n] |
| HEREDES | DDEEHRN | HERES, HERE, this place [n] |
| HEXEREI | EEHIRX | witchcraft [n -S] |
| JEWELD | DDEEJLW | JEWEL, to adorn or equip with jewels (precious stones) [v] |
| JEWELER | EEEJLRW | dealer or maker of jewelry [n -S] |
| JEZEBEL | BEEEJLZ | scheming, wicked woman [n -S] |
| KEGELER | EEEGKLR | kegler (bowler (one that bowls (bowl))) [n -S] |
| KETENES | EEEKNST | KETENE, toxic gas [n] |
| LEVELED | DDEELLV | LEVEL, to make even [v] |
| LEVELER | EEELLRV | one that levels (to make even) [n -S] |
| LEVERED | DDEELRV | LEVER, to move with lever (rigid body used to lift weight) [v] |
| LEVERET | EEELRTV | young hare [n -S] |
| LEXEMES | EEELMSX | LEXEME, linguistic unit [n] |
| METERED | DDEEMRT | METER, to measure by mechanical means [v] |
| NEMESES | EEEMNSS | NEMESIS, formidable opponent [n] |
| PETERED | DDEEPRN | PETER, to diminish gradually [v] |
| PRECEDE | CDEEPRN | to go before [v -D, -DING, -S] |
| RECEDED | CDDEEER | RECEDE, to move back or away [v] |
| RECEDES | CDEEERS | RECEDE, to move back or away [v] |
| REDEYES | DEEERSY | REDEYE, railroad danger signal [n] |
| REFEREE | EEEEFRN | to supervise play in certain sports [v -D, -ING, -S] |
| REKEYED | DDEEKRY | REKEY, to key again [v] |
| RELEVES | EEELRSV | RELEVE, raising onto toe in ballet [n] |
| RENEGED | DDEEGNR | RENEGE, to fail to carry out promise or commitment [v] |
| RENEGER | EEEGNRR | one that reneges (to fail to carry out promise or commitment) [n -S] |
| RENEGES | EEEGNRS | RENEGE, to fail to carry out promise or commitment [v] |
| RENEWED | DDEENRW | RENEW, to make new or as if new again [v] |
| RENEWER | EEENRRW | one that renews (to make new or as if new again) [n -S] |
| RESEWED | DEEERSW | RESEW, to sew again [v] |
| RETENES | EEENRST | RETENE, chemical compound [n] |
| REVELED | DDEELRV | REVEL, to engage in revelry [v] |
| REVELER | EEELRRV | one that revels (to engage in revelry) [n -S] |
| REVERED | DEEERRV | REVERE, to regard with great respect [v] |
| REVERER | EEERRRV | one that reveres (to regard with great respect) [n -S] |
| REVERES | EEERRSV | REVERE, to regard with great respect [v] |
| SECEDED | CDDEEES | SECEDE, to withdraw formally from alliance or association [v] |
| SECEDER | CDEEERS | one that secedes (to withdraw formally from alliance or association) [n -S] |
| SECEDES | CDEEESS | SECEDE, to withdraw formally from alliance or association [v] |
| SEMEMES | EEEMMSS | SEMEME, meaning of morpheme [n] |



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| SERENER | EEENRRS | SERENE, calm; tranquil [adj] |
| SERENES | EEENRSS | SERENE, serene condition or expanse [n] |
| SEVERED | DEEERSV | SEVER, to divide or cut into parts [v] |
| SEVERER | EEERRSV | SEVERE, unsparing in treatment of others [adj] |
| SEWERED | DEEERSW | SEWER, to clean or maintain sewers (underground conduits for waste) [v] |
| STELENE | EEELNST | STELA, inscribed slab used as monument [adj] |
| TELEMEN | EEELMNT | TELEMAN, naval officer [n] |
| TELESES | EEELSST | TELESIS, planned progress [n] |
| TELEXED | DEEELTX | TELEX, to send message by type of telegraphic system [v] |
| TELEXES | EEELSTX | TELEX, to send message by type of telegraphic system [v] |
| TERESES | EEERSST | TERES, either of two muscles helping to rotate arm [n] |
| TERETES | EEERSTT | TERES, either of two muscles helping to rotate arm [n] |
| UKELELE | EEEKLLU | ukulele (small guitar-like instrument) [n -S] |
| VENENES | EEENNSV | VENENE, venom (toxin found in snake venom) [n] |
| WEDELED | DDEEELW | WEDEL, to perform wedeln [v] |

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| BIKINIS | BIIIKNS | BIKINI, type of two-piece bathing suit [n] |
| BIMINIS | BIIIMNS | BIMINI, type of awning for yacht [n] |
| CRIMINI | CIIIMNR | cremini (brown mushroom) [n -S] |
| FINIKIN | FIIIKNN | finicky (difficult to please) [adj] |
| INITIAL | AIIILNT | to mark with first letters of one's name [v -ED, -LLED, -ING, -LLING, -S] |
| IRIDIUM | DIIIMRU | metallic element [n -S] |
| IRISING | GIIINRS | IRIS, to give form of rainbow to [v] |
| LIPIDIC | CDIILP | LIPID, any of class of fatty substances [adj] |
| LIXIVIA | AIIILVX | LIXIVIUM, solution obtained by leaching [n] |
| MILITIA | AIIILMT | citizen army [n -S] |
| MINIKIN | IIIKMNN | small or dainty creature [n -S] |
| OIDIOID | DDIIIOO | OIDIUM, type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [adj] |
| SHIVITI | HIIISTV | plaque with Hebrew verse [n -S] |
| SILICIC | CCIIILS | pertaining to silicon (nonmetallic element) [adj] |
| SIMIOID | DIIIMOS | simious (pertaining to simians (ape or monkey)) [adj] |
| VIVIFIC | CFIIIVV | vivifying [adj] |

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| NONANES | AENNNOS | NONANE, colorless liquid hydrocarbon [n] |
| SYNANON | ANNNOSY | method of group therapy for drug addicts [n -S] |

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| AMOROSO | AMOOORS | type of wine [n -S] |
| BONOBOS | BBNOOOS | BONOBO, anthropoid ape [n] |
| COROZOS | COOORSZ | COROZO, tropical palm tree [n] |
| HOMOLOG | GHLMOOO | something that exhibits homology [n -S] |



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| MONOCOT | CMNOOOT | type of seed plant [n -S] |
| MONOLOG | GLMNOOO | to deliver monolog (lengthy speech by one person) [v -GGED, -GGING, -S] |
| MONOPOD | DMNNOOP | one-legged support for camera [n -S] |
| OBOVOID | BDIOOOV | ovoid with narrow end at base [adj] |
| ODOROUS | DOOORSU | having odor (property of substance that affects sense of smell) [adj] |
| OLOROSO | LOOOORS | dark sherry [n -S] |
| OROLOGY | GLOOORY | study of mountains [n -GIES] |
| OTOLOGY | GLOOOTY | science of ear [n -GIES] |
| OZONOUS | NOOOSUZ | pertaining to ozone (form of oxygen) [adj] |
| POCOSON | CNOOOPS | pocosin (upland swamp) [n -S] |
| QUOMODO | DMOOOQU | means or manner [n -S] |
| ROCOCOS | CCOOORS | ROCOCO, style of architecture and decoration [n] |
| SONOVOX | NOOOSVX | sound effects device [n -ES] |

P 7s

Q 7s

R 7s

S 7s

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| ASSISTS | AISSSST | ASSIST, to give aid or support to [v] |
| DESISTS | DEISSST | DESIST, to cease doing something [v] |
| DISUSES | DEISSSU | DISUSE, to stop using [v] |
| INSISTS | IINSSST | INSIST, to be resolute on some matter [v] |
| LUSUSES | ELSSSUU | LUSUS, abnormality (abnormity (departure from ordinary type)) [n] |
| MISUSES | EIMSSSU | MISUSE, to use (to put into service) incorrectly [v] |
| MYSOSTS | MOSSSTY | MYSOST, mild cheese [n] |
| RESISTS | EIRSSST | RESIST, to strive against [v] |
| RISUSES | EIRSSSU | RISUS, grin or laugh [n] |

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| RATATAT | AAARTTT | quick, sharp rapping sound [n -S] |
| STATUTE | AESTTTU | law enacted by legislative branch of government [n -S] |
| TETOTUM | EMOTTTU | teetotum (spinning toy) [n -S] |

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|---------|---------|------------------------------|
| CUMULUS | CLMSUUU | type of cloud [n -LI, -ES] |
| FUMULUS | FLMSUUU | thin cloud [n -LI] |
| JUGULUM | GJLMUUU | part of bird's neck [n -LA] |
| TUMULUS | LMSTUUU | mound over grave [n -LI, ES] |
| UNUSUAL | ALNSUUU | not usual [adj] |

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X 7s

Y 7s

Z 7s