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CAUTION! Tricky Parts of Speech U

UDDER DDERU mammary gland
only nouns, UDDER, UDDERS, and adjective, UDDERED; no -ING verb

ULLAGE AEGLLU amount that container lacks of being full
only nouns, ULLAGE, ULLAGES, and adjective, ULLAGED; no -ING verb

UMBEL BELMU type of flower cluster
only nouns, UMBEL, UMBELS, and adjectives, UMBELED, UMBELLED, UMBELLAR; no -ING verb

UNABATED AABDENTU ABATE, to reduce in degree or intensity
adjective only; no verb forms

UNABUSED ABDENSUU ABUSE, to use wrongly or improperly
adjective only; no verb forms

UNAGREED ADEEGNRU AGREE, to have same opinion
adjective only; no verb forms

UNAMAZED AADEMNUZ AMAZE, to overwhelm with surprise or wonder
adjective only; no verb forms

UNAMUSED ADEMNSUU AMUSE, to occupy pleasingly
adjective only; no verb forms

UNANELED ADEELNNU not having received sacrament of anointing of sick
adjective only; no verb forms

UNARGUED ADEGNRUU ARGUE, to present reasons for or against
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBAKED ABDEKNU BAKE, to prepare food in oven
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBASED ABDENSU BASED, BASE, to found (to establish)
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBASTED ABDENSTU BASTE, to sew loosely together
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBATED ABDENTU unabated (to reduce in degree or intensity)
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBATHED ABDEHNTU BATHE, to wash (to cleanse by immersing in or applying liquid)
adjective only; no verb forms

UNBLAMED ABDELMNU BLAME, to find fault with
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UNBONED	BDENNOU	BONE, to debone (to remove bones from)
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNCARED	ACDENRU	not properly taken care of
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNCEDED	CDEEENU	CEDE, to yield (to give up)
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNCLONED	CDELNNOU	not made by cloning
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNCURED	CDENRUU	cured, to restore to health
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNDATED	ADDENTU	DATE, to determine or record date of
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNDERLET	DEELNRTU	to lease for less than usual value
only verb forms: UNDERLET, UNDERLETTING, UNDERLETS; no other "past tense" form		
UNDERSET	DEENRSTU	to place under something [v]
only verb forms: UNDERSET, UNDERSETTING, UNDERSETS; no other "past tense" form		
UNDREAMT	ADEMNRTU	not dreamt (to have dream (series of images occurring during sleep))
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNEQUAL	AELNQUU	not equaled (to be equal (having same capability, quantity, or effect as another) to)
only nouns, UNEQUAL, UNEQUALS, and adjectives, UNEQUALED, UNEQUALLED; no -ING verb		
UNERASED	ADEENRSU	ERASE, to rub or scrape out
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNEVADED	ADDEENUV	EVADE, to escape or avoid by cleverness or deceit
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNFADED	ADDEFNU	FADE, to lose color or brightness
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNFAKED	ADEFKNU	FAKE, to contrive and present as genuine
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNFAZED	ADEFNUZ	FAZE, to disturb composure of
adjective only; no verb forms		
UNFIRED	DEFINRU	FIRE, FIRE, to project by discharging from gun
adjective only; no verb forms		



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UNFLUTED DEFNTUU
adjective only; no verb forms

FLUTE, to play on flute (woodwind instrument)

UNFORCED CDEFNORU
adjective only; no verb forms

FORCE, to overcome resistance by exertion of strength

UNFORGED DEFGNORU
adjective only; no verb forms

FORGE, to fashion or reproduce for fraudulent purposes

UNFRAMED ADEFMNRU
adjective only; no verb forms

FRAME, to construct by putting together various parts

UNFUSED DEFNSUU
adjective only; no verb forms

FUSE, to equip with fuse (detonating device)

UNGATED ADEGNTU
adjective only; no verb forms

GATE, to supply with gate (movable barrier)

UNGLAZED ADEGLNUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

GLAZE, to fit windows with glass panes

UNGRACED ACDEGNRU
adjective only; no verb forms

GRACE, to give beauty to

UNGRADED ADDEGNRU
adjective only; no verb forms

GRADE, to arrange in steps or degrees

UNGUIDED DDEGINUU
adjective only; no verb forms

GUIDE, to show way to

UNHALVED ADEHLNUV
adjective only; no verb forms

HALVE, to divide into two equal parts

UNHEDGED DDEEGHNU
adjective only; no verb forms

HEDGE, to surround with hedge (dense row of shrubs)

UNIMBUED BDEIMNUU
adjective only; no verb forms

IMBUE, to make thoroughly wet

UNISSUED DEINSSUU
adjective only; no verb forms

ISSUE, to come forth

UNJADED ADDEJNU
adjective only; no verb forms

JADE, to weary (to make or become weary)

UNLINED DEILNNU

LINED, LINE, to mark with lines (slender, continuous marks)



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adjective only; no verb forms

UNLOBED BDELNOU
adjective only; no verb forms

LOBE, rounded, projecting anatomical part

UNMATED ADEMNTU
adjective only; no verb forms

MATE, to join as mates (partners in union)

UNMINED DEIMNNU
adjective only; no verb forms

MINE, to dig into for valuable materials

UNMOVED DEMNOUV
adjective only; no verb forms

MOVED, MOVE, to change from one position to another

UNNAMED ADEMNNU
adjective only; no verb forms

NAME, to give title to

UNNOTED DENNOTU
adjective only; no verb forms

NOTED, NOTE, to write down

UNPAGED ADEGNPU
adjective only; no verb forms

having no page numbers

UNPAVED ADENPUV
adjective only; no verb forms

PAVE, to cover with material that forms firm, level surface

UNPOSED DENOPUS
adjective only; no verb forms

POSE, to assume fixed position

UNPRICED CDEINPRU
adjective only; no verb forms

PRICE, to set value on

UNPRIMED DEIMNPRU
adjective only; no verb forms

PRIME, to make ready (prepared)

UNPRIZED DEINPRUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

PRIZE, to value highly

UNPROBED BDENOPRU
adjective only; no verb forms

PROBE, to investigate or examine thoroughly

UNPROVEN ENNOPRUV
adjective only; no verb forms

PROVE, to establish truth or validity of

UNPRUNED DENNPRUU
adjective only; no verb forms

PRUNE, to cut off branches or parts from



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UNPURGED DEGNPRUU
adjective only; no verb forms

PURGE, to purify (to free from impurities)

UNRAISED ADEINRSU
adjective only; no verb forms

RAISE, to move to higher position

UNRAKED ADEKNRU
adjective only; no verb forms

RAKE, to gather with toothed implement

UNRATED ADENRTU
adjective only; no verb forms

RATE, to estimate value of

UNRAZED ADENRUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

RAZE, to tear down or demolish

UNRATED ADENRTU
adjective only; no verb forms

RATE, to estimate value of

UNRAZED ADENRUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

RAZE, to tear down or demolish

UNREST ENRSTU
only nouns, UNREST, UNRESTS, and adjective, UNRESTED; no -ING verb

disturbed or uneasy state

UNRHYMED DEHMNRUY
adjective only; no verb forms

RHYME, to compose verse with corresponding terminal sounds

UNRINSED DEINNRSU
adjective only; no verb forms

RINSE, to cleanse with clear water

UNRISEN EINNRSU
adjective only; no verb forms

RISE, to move upward

UNRULED DELNRUU
adjective only; no verb forms

RULE, to exercise control over

UNSATATED ADENSTU
adjective only; no verb forms

SATE, to satiate (to satisfy to or beyond capacity)

UNSAVED ADENSUV
adjective only; no verb forms

SAVE, to rescue from danger, injury, or loss

UNSCALED ACDELNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SCALE, to climb up or over

UNSEIZED DEEINSUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

SEIZE, to take hold of suddenly and forcibly



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UNSERVED DEENRSUV
adjective only; no verb forms

SERVE, to work for

UNSHADED ADDEHNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHADE, to screen from light or heat

UNSHAKEN AEHKNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHAKE, to move to and fro with short, rapid movements

UNSHAMED ADEHMNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHAME, to cause to feel painful sense of guilt or degradation

UNSHAPED ADEHNPSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHAPE, to give shape (outward form) to

UNSHAPEN AEHNNPSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHAPE, to give shape (outward form)

UNSHARED ADEHNRSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SHARE, to have, get, or use in common with another or others

UNSHAVED ADEHNSUV
adjective only; no verb forms

SHAVE, to sever hair close to roots

UNSIZED DEINSUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

SIZE, to arrange according to size (physical proportions)

UNSLAKED ADEKLSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SLAKE, to quench (to put out or extinguish)

UNSLICED CDEILNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SLICE, to cut into thin, flat pieces

UNSMOKED DEKMNSU
adjective only; no verb forms

SMOKE, to emit smoke (gaseous product of burning materials)

UNSOLVED DELNOSUV
adjective only; no verb forms

SOLVE, to find answer or explanation of

UNSTONED DENNSTU
adjective only; no verb forms

STONE, to pelt with stones (pieces of concremented earthy or mineral matter)

UNTAKEN AEKNNTU
adjective only; no verb forms

TAKE, to get possession of

UNTASTED ADENSTTU
adjective only; no verb forms

TASTE, to perceive flavor of by taking into mouth



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UNTINGED DEGINNTU
adjective only; no verb forms

TING, to emit high-pitched metallic sound

UNTIRED DEINRTU
adjective only; no verb forms

TIRED, sapped of strength

UNTONED DENNOTU
adjective only; no verb forms

lacking in muscular definition

UNTRACED ACDENRTU
adjective only; no verb forms

TRACE, to follow course of

UNUNITED DEINNTUU
adjective only; no verb forms

UNITE, to bring together so as to form whole

UNURGED DEGNRUU
adjective only; no verb forms

URGE, to force forward

UNVALUED ADELNUUV
adjective only; no verb forms

VALUE, to estimate value (quality that renders thing useful or desirable) of

UNVERSED DEENRSUV
adjective only; no verb forms

VERSE, to versify (to change from prose into metrical form)

UNWAGED ADEGNUW
adjective only; no verb forms

not receiving money for work

UNWASTED ADENSTUW
adjective only; no verb forms

WASTE, to use thoughtlessly

UNZONED DENNOUZ
adjective only; no verb forms

ZONE, to arrange in zones (areas distinguished from other adjacent areas)

CAUTION! Tricky Parts of Speech

V

VAGINATE AAEGINTV enclosed in sheath
only adjectives, VAGINATE, VAGINATED; no other forms

VALLEY AELLVY depression of earth's surface
only nouns, VALLEY, VALLEYS, and adjective, VALLEYED; no -ING verb

VAMBRACE AABCEMRV piece of armor for forearm
only nouns, VAMBRACE, VAMBRACES, and adjective, VAMBRACED; no -ING verb

VANDYKE ADEKNVY short, pointed beard
only nouns, VANDYKE, VANDYKES, and adjective, VANDYKED; no -ING verb



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VANITY AINTVY inflated pride in oneself
only nouns, VANITY, VANITIES, and adjective, VANITIED; no -ING verb

VARICOSE ACEIORSV abnormally swollen or dilated
only adjectives, VARICOSE, VARICOSED; no other forms

VELVET EELTVV soft, smooth fabric
only nouns, VELVET, VELVETS, and adjective, VELVETED; no -ING verb

VERANDA AADENRV type of porch (covered structure at entrance to building)
VERANDAH AADEHNRV veranda (type of porch (covered structure at entrance to building))
only nouns, VERANDA, VERANDAS, VERANDAH, VERANDAHS, and adjectives, VERANDAED, VERANDAHED; no -ING verb

VERDURE DEERRUV green vegetation
only nouns, VERDURE, VERDURES, and adjective, VERDURED; no -ING verb

VESSEL EELSSV craft for traveling on water
only nouns, VESSEL, VESSELS, and adjective, VESSELED; no -ING verb

VINEGAR AEGINRV sour liquid used as condiment or preservative
only nouns, VINEGAR, VINEGARS, and adjectives, VINEGARED, VINEGARY; no -ING verb

VISAGE AEGISV face or facial expression of person
only nouns, VISAGE, VISAGES, and adjective, VISAGED; no -ING verb

VISTA AISTV distant view
only nouns, VISTA, VISTAS, and adjective, VISTAED; no -ING verb

VIZARD ADIRVZ mask
only nouns, VIZARD, VIZARDS, and adjective, VIZARDED; no -ING verb

VOCODER CDEORV electronic device used in transmitting speech signals
only nouns, VOCODER, VOCODERS, and adjective, VOCODERED; no -ING verb

VOLUTE ELOTUV spiral architectural ornament
only nouns, VOLUTE, VOLUTES, and adjective, VOLUTED; no -ING verb

VOWEL ELOVW type of speech sound
only nouns, VOWEL, VOWELS, and adjectives, VOWELED, VOWELLED; no -ING verb

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WAIST AISTW part of body between ribs and hips
only nouns, WAIST, WAISTS, and adjective, WAISTED; no -ING verb

WALLEYE AEELLWY eye have white cornea
only nouns, WALLEYE, WALLEYES, and adjective, WALLEYED; no -ING verb

WATERSKI AEIKRSTW ski for skiing on water
only nouns, WATERSKI, WATERSKIS; no verb forms

WATERSKIING AEGIIKNRSTW
only nouns, WATERSKIING, WATERSKIINGS; no verb forms



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WEASELY AEELSWY weaselly (resembling weasel (small carnivorous mammal))
adjective but does NOT compare

WEASELly AEELSWY resembling weasel (small carnivorous mammal)
adjective but does NOT compare

WEEVIL EEILVW small beetle
only nouns, WEEVIL, WEEVILS, and adjectives, WEEVILED, WEEVILLY, WEEVILY; no -ING verb

WHEYFACE ACEEFHWY pale, sallow face
only nouns, WHEYFACE, WHEYFACES, and adjective, WHEYFACED; no -ING verb

WHIMSY HIMSWY whim (impulsive idea)
only nouns, WHIMSY, WHIMSIES, and adjective, WHIMSIED; no -ING verb

WHISKER EHIKRSW hair on man's face
only nouns, WHISKER, WHISKERS, and adjectives, WHISKERED, WHISKERY; no -ING verb

WIDOWER DEIORWW man whose wife has died and who has not remarried
only nouns, WIDOWER, WIDOWERS, and adjective, WIDOWERED; no -ING verb

WINNING GIINNNW tending to win
only adjectives, WINNING, WINNINGEST; no comparative form

WOOL LOOW dense, soft hair forming coat of certain animals
only nouns, WOOL, WOOLS, WOOLY, WOOLIES, WOOLEN, WOOLENS, adjectives, WOOLED, WOOLY, WOOLLY, WOOLIER, WOOLLIER, WOOLLIEST, WOOLLIEST, and adverb, WOOLILY; no -ING verb

WRETCH CEHRTW wretched (extremely unhappy) person
only nouns, WRETCH, WRETCHES, and adjective, WRETCHED, WRETCHEDER, WRETCHEDEST; no -ING verb

CAUTION! Tricky Parts of Speech X

CAUTION! Tricky Parts of Speech Y

YCLEPED CDEELPY yclept (called, named)
only adjectives, YCLEPED, YCLEPT; no other forms

CAUTION! Tricky Parts of Speech Z

ZIGZAGGY AGGGIYZZ marked by sharp turns
adjective but does NOT compare

ZONATE AENOTZ arranged in zones
only adjectives, ZONATE, ZONATED; no other forms