



Food for Thought – Drink

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A 8s

ABSINTHE	ABEHINST	bitter liqueur [n -S]
ACERBEST	ABCEERST	ACERB, sour (sharp or biting to\ taste) [adj]
ACRIDEST	ACDEIRST	ACRID, sharp and harsh to taste or smell [adj]
ACRIDITY	ACDIIRTY	state of being acrid (sharp and harsh to taste or smell) [n -TIES]
ADVOCAAT	AAACDOTV	liqueur consisting of brandy, sugar, and eggs [n -S]
AMARETTO	AAEMORTT	kind of liqueur [n -S]
ANISETTE	AEEINSTT	liqueur flavored with aniseed [n -S]
APERITIF	AEFIIPRT	alcoholic drink taken before meal [n -S]
APPETITE	AEEIPPTT	desire for food or drink [n -S]
ARMAGNAC	AAACGMNR	French brandy [n -S]

B 8s

BACCHANT	AABCCHNT	carouser (one that carouses (to engage in carousal (boisterous drinking party))) [n -S or -ES]
BARFLIES	ABEFILRS	BARFLY, drinker who frequents bars [n]
BARMIEST	ABEIMRST	BARMY, full of barm (frothy) [adj]
BARRIQUE	ABEIQRUU	wine barrel [n -S]
BARSTOOL	ABLOORST	stool in barroom [n -S]
BEERIEST	BEEEIRST	BEERY, affected by beer [adj]
BEE SWING	BEEGINSW	crust that forms on wines [n -S]
BELIQUOR	BEILOQRU	to soak with liquor [v -ED, -ING, -S]
BESCORCH	BCCEHORS	to scorch (to burn slightly so as to alter color or taste) [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
BEVERAGE	ABEEEGRV	liquid for drinking [n -S]
BIBULOUS	BBILOSUU	given to drinking [adj]
BINGEING	BEGGIINN	act of indulging in something to excess [n -S]
BISTROIC	BCIIORST	BISTRO, small tavern (place where liquor is sold to be drunk on premises) [adj]
BITTERER	BEEIRRTT	BITTER, having disagreeable taste [adj]
BITTERLY	BEILRTTY	BITTER, having disagreeable taste [adv]
BOOZIEST	BEIOOSTZ	BOOZY, drunken (drunk (intoxicated)) [adj]
BORDEAUX	ABDEORUX	red or white wine [n BORDEAUX]
BOTRYOID	BDIOORTY	resembling cluster of grapes [adj]
BOTRYOSE	BEOORSTY	botryoid (resembling cluster of grapes) [adj]
BOTTLING	BGILNOTT	bottled beverage [n -S]
BRACKISH	ABCHIKRS	salty (tasting of or containing salt) [adj]
BRANDIED	ABDDEINR	BRANDY, to mix with brandy (liquor) [v]
BRANDIES	ABDEINSR	BRANDY, to mix with brandy (liquor) [v]
BRINIEST	BEIINRST	BRINY, salty (tasting of or containing salt) [adj]
BUBBLIES	BBBEILSU	BUBBLY, champagne [n]
BULLSHOT	BHLLOSTU	drink made of vodka and bouillon [n -S]
BURGUNDY	BDGNRUUY	red wine [n -DIES]
BUTTLING	BGILNTTU	BUTTLE, to serve as butler [v]

C 8s

CABERNET	ABCEENRT	dry red wine [n -S]
CALVADOS	AACDLOSV	dry apple brandy [n -ES]
CANTHARI	AACHINRT	two-handled drinking cups [n]
CAROUSAL	AACLORSU	boisterous drinking party [n -S]
CELLARER	ACEELLRR	steward of monastery [n -S]
CELLARET	ACEELLRT	cabinet for wine bottles [n -S]



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CHALICED	ACCDEHIL	CHALICE, drinking cup [adj]
CHAMPERS	ACEHMPRS	champagne [n]
CHUGALUG	ACGGHLUW	to drink without pause [v -GGED, -GGING, -S]
CLASSICO	ACCILOSS	made from grapes from certain part of Italy [adj]
COCKTAIL	ACCIKLOT	to drink alcoholic beverages [v -ED, -ING, -S]
COHOBATE	ABCEHOOT	to distill again [v -D, -TING, -S]
CORRETTO	CEOORRTT	espresso mixed with brandy or liqueur [n -S]
CREAMIER	ACEEIMRR	CREAMY, rich in cream [adj]
CREAMILY	ACEILMRY	CREAMY, rich in cream [adv]
CREAMING	ACEGIMNR	CREAM, to form cream (part of milk) [v]
CREATION	ACEINORT	something created [n -S]
CRUDDING	CDDGINRU	CRUD, to curd (to curdle (to congeal (to change from fluid to solid))) [v]
CURDIEST	CDEIRSTU	CURDY, curdled [adj]
CURDLING	CDGILNRU	CURDLE, to congeal (to change from fluid to solid)) [v]

D 8s

DAIQUIRI	ADIIIQRU	cocktail [n -S]
DAIRYING	ADGIINRY	business of dairy (establishment dealing in milk products) [n -S]
DAIRYMAN	AADIMNRY	man who works or owns dairy (establishment dealing in milk products) [n -MEN]
DECOCTED	CCDDEEOT	DECOCT, extract flavor of by boiling [v]
DEFATTED	ADDEEFFT	DEFAT, to remove fat from [v]
DEGUSTED	DDEEGSTU	DEGUST, to taste with pleasure [v]
DELIRIUM	DEIILMRU	wild frenzy [n -S or -IA]
DIABETES	ABDDEEIST	metabolic disorder [n DIABETES]
DIABETIC	ABCDEIIT	one who has diabetes (metabolic disorder) [n -S]
DIETETIC	CDEEIITT	pertaining to diet (to regulate one's daily sustenance) [adj]
DIGESTIF	DEFGIIST	alcoholic drink taken after meal [n -S]
DOLCETTO	CDELOOTT	red wine of Italy [n -S]
DRAMMING	ADGIMMNR	DRAM, to tittle (to drink alcoholic beverages) [v]
DRAMSHOP	ADHMOPRS	barroom (room where liquor is sold) [n -S]
DRINKING	DGIKNNR	habit of drinking alcoholic beverages [n -S] / DRINK, to swallow liquid [v]
DRUNKARD	ADDKNRRU	one who is habitually drunk [n -S]
DRUNKEST	DEKNRSTU	DRUNK, intoxicated [adj]
DRUNKISH	DHIKNRSU	somewhat drunk [adj]

E 8s

EDACIOUS	ACDEIOSU	voracious [adj]
EMBITTER	BEEIMRTT	to make bitter [v -ED, -ING, -S]
EMPOISON	EIMNOOPS	to embitter (to make bitter) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
ENOPHILE	EEHILNOP	oenophile (lover or connoisseur of wine) [n -S]
ESPRESSO	EEOPRSSS	strong coffee [n -S]
EXPRESSO	EEOPRSSX	espresso (strong coffee) [n -S]

F 8s

FIASCOES	ACEFIOSS	FIASCO, wine bottle [n]
FLAVANOL	AAFLLNOV	derivative of flavone (chemical compound) [n -S]
FLAVORED	ADEFLORV	FLAVOR, to give flavor (distinctive taste) to [v]
FLAVORER	AEFLORRV	one that flavors (to give flavor (distinctive taste) to) [n -S]
FOREMILK	EFIKLMOR	milk secreted immediately after childbirth [n -S]
FRASCATI	AACFIRST	Italian white wine [n -S]



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G 8s

GANYMEDE	ADEEGMNY	youth who serves liquors [n -S]
GARLICKY	ACGIKLRY	smelling or tasting of garlic [adj -KIER, -KIEST]
GINNIEST	EGIINNST	GINNY, affected with gin (strong liquor) [adj]
GLASSFUL	AFGLSSU	as much as drinking glass will hold [n -S]
GLUHWEIN	EGHILNUW	wine flavored with spices [n -S]
GLUTCHED	CDEGHLTU	GLUTCH, to drink or swallow [v]
GLUTCHES	CEGHLSTU	GLUTCH, to drink or swallow [v]
GRAPIEST	AEGIPRST	GRAPY, resembling grapes (edible berry) [adj] / GRAPEY, grapy [adj]
GROGGERY	EGGGORRY	barroom (room where liquor is sold) [n -RIES]
GROGSHOP	GGHOOPRS	groggery (barroom (room where liquor is sold) [n -S]
GUZZLING	GGILNUZZ	GUZZLE, to drink rapidly [v]

H 8s

HALAZONE	AAEHLNOZ	disinfectant for drinking water [n -S]
HANGOVER	AEGHNORV	physical effects following drinking binge [n -S]
HIGHBROW	BGHHIORW	person who has superior tastes [n -S]
HINDMILK	DHIIKLMN	breast milk exuded after first part of feeding [n -S]
HOMEBREW	BEEHMORW	alcoholic beverage made at home [n -S]
HOOTCHES	CEHHOOST	HOOTCH, hooch (cheap whiskey) [n]
HOPPIEST	EHIOPPST	HOPPY, having taste of hops (catkins of particular vine) [adj]
HYDROMEL	DEHLMORY	mixture of honey and water [n -S]

I 8s

ICEHOUSE	CEEHIOSU	building for storing ice [n -S]
ICEMAKER	ACEEIKMR	appliance that makes ice [n -S]
IMBIBING	BBGIIIMN	IMBIBE, to drink (to swallow liquid) [v]

J 8s

JACKROLL	ACJKLLOR	to rob drunken or sleeping person [v -ED, -ING, -S]
JEROBOAM	ABEJMOOR	wine bottle [n -S]

K 8s

KAVAKAVA	AAAAKKVV	kava (tropical shrub) [n -S]
KIRSCHES	CEHIKRSS	KIRSCH, kind of brandy [n]
KOUMISES	EIKMOSSU	KOUMIS, koumiss (beverage made from camel's milk) [n]
KOUMYSES	EKMOSUUY	KOUMYS, koumiss (beverage made from camel's milk) [n]
KUMISSES	EIKMSSSU	KUMISS, koumiss (beverage made from camel's milk) [n]

L 8s

LACTEOUS	ACELOSTU	resembling milk [adj]
LEAVENED	ADEEELNV	LEAVEN, to produce fermentation in [v]
LECHAYIM	ACEHILMY	lehayim (traditional Jewish toast) [n -S]
LEMONADE	ADEELMNO	beverage (liquid for drinking) [n -S]
LIQUORED	DEILOQRU	LIQUOR, to intoxicate with liquor (alcoholic beverage) [v]
LITENESS	EEILNSST	state of being lite (lower in calories or having less of some ingredient) [n -ES]
LONGNECK	CEGKLNNQ	beer bottle with long neck [n -S]
LUNCHING	CGHILNNU	LUNCH, to eat noonday meal [v]
LUSCIOUS	CILOSSUU	having very pleasing taste or smell [adj]

M 8s

MALTIEST	AEILMSTT	MALTY, resembling malt [adj]
MALTSTER	AELMRSTT	one that makes malt [n -S]



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MALVASIA	AAAILMSV	malmsey (white wine) [n -S]
MANCIPIE	ACEILMNP	officer authorized to purchase provisions [n -S]
MELLIFIC	CEFIILLM	producing honey [adj]
MELLOWED	DEELLMOW	MELLOW, to make or become mellow [v]
MELLOWER	EELLMORW	MELLOW, soft and full-flavored from ripeness [adj]
MELLOWLY	ELLLMOWY	MELLOW, soft and full-flavored from ripeness [adv]
MILKIEST	EIIKLMST	MILKY, resembling or suggestive of milk [adj]
MILKLESS	EIKLLMSS	lacking milk [adj]
MILKMAID	ADIIKLMM	woman who milks cows [n -S]
MILKSHED	DEHIKLMs	region supplying milk to particular community [n -S]
MIXOLOGY	GILMOOXY	art of making mixed drinks [n -GIES]
MOCKTAIL	ACIKLMOT	cocktail with no alcohol [n -S]
MONTEITH	EHIMNOTT	large punch bowl [n -S]
MOUSSEUX	EMOSSUUX	sparkling wine [n MOUSSEUX]
MOUTHING	GHIMNOTU	MOUTH, to put into mouth [v]
MUSCADEL	ACDELMSU	muscatel (wine made from muscat grapes) [n -S]
MUSCADET	ACDEMSTU	dry white French wine [n -S]
MUSCATEL	ACELMSTU	wine made from muscat grapes [n -S]

N 8s

NICENESS	CEEINNSS	quality of being nice (pleasing to senses) [n -ES]
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O 8s

OENOLOGY	EGLN000Y	study of wines [n -GIES]
OINOLOGY	GILN000Y	oenology (study of wines) [n -GIES]
OUTDRINK	DIKNORTU	to surpass in drinking [v -RANK, -RUNK, -ING, -S]
OUTFEAST	AEFOSTTU	to surpass in feasting [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OUTSAVOR	AORSTUV	to surpass in distinctive taste or smell [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OVERMILK	EIKLMORV	to milk to excess [v -ED, -ING, -S]
VERRICH	CEHIORRV	too rich [adj]
OVERSTIR	EIORRSTV	to stir too much [v -RRED, -RRING, -S]
OVERTART	AEORRTTV	too tart [adj]

P 8s

PASTISES	AEIPSSST	PASTIS, French liqueur [n]
PEANUTTY	AENPTTUY	having taste of peanuts [n -TTIER, -TTIEST]
PILSENER	EEILNPRS	pilsner (light beer) [n -S]
PINOTAGE	AEGINOPT	variety of red wine grape [n -S]
PIQUANCE	ACEINPQU	piquancy (quality of being piquant (agreeably sharp in taste)) [n -S]
PIQUANCY	ACINPQUY	quality of being piquant (agreeably sharp in taste) [n -CIES]
PLACEMAT	AACELMPT	table mat (piece of material for protecting surface) on which place setting is laid [n -S]
PLOTTIES	EILOPSTT	PLOTTY, hot, spiced beverage [n]
POTATION	AINOOPTT	act of drinking (to swallow liquid) [n -S]
POTATORY	AOPRTTY	pertaining to drinking (habit of drinking alcoholic beverages) [adj]
POTHOUSE	EHOOPSTU	tavern (place where liquor is sold to be drunk on premises) [n -S]
PRECHILL	CEHILLPR	to chill beforehand [v -ED, -ING, -S]
PREFROZE	EEFOPRRZ	PREFREEZE [n]
PRETASTE	AEEPRSTT	to taste beforehand [v -D, -TING, -S]
PROSECCO	CCEOOPRS	Italian sparkling wine [n -S]
PRUNELLE	EELLNPRU	plum-flavored liqueur [n -S]



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PUBLICAN	ABCILNPU	one who owns or manages pub [n -S]
PUNGENCY	CEGNNPUY	state of being pungent (sharply affecting organs of taste or smell) [n -CIES]
PUSSLIES	EILPSSSU	PUSSLY, pussley (purslane (common garden herb)) [n]

Q 8s

QUAFFING	AFFGINQU	QUAFF, to drink deeply [v]
QUAICHES	ACEHIQSU	QUAICH, small drinking vessel [n]
QUENCHED	CDEHNQU	QUENCH, to put out or extinguish [v]
QUENCHER	CEEHNQRU	one that quenches (to put out or extinguish) [n -S]
QUENCHES	CEEHNQSU	QUENCH, to put out or extinguish [v]

R 8s

RALPHING	AGHILNPR	RALPH, to vomit (to eject contents of stomach through mouth) [v]
RANCIDER	ACDEINRR	RANCID, having unpleasant odor or taste [adj]
RANCIDLY	ACDILNRY	RANCID, having unpleasant odor or taste [adv]
RANKNESS	AEKNRRS	state of being rank (strong and disagreeable in odor or taste) [n -ES]
REFECTED	CDEEFRT	REFECT, to refresh with food and drink [v]
REHEATED	ADEEHRT	REHEAT, to heat again [v]
REHOBOAM	ABEHMOOR	wine bottle [n -S]
REPOURED	DEEOPRRU	REPOUR, to pour again [v]
RIESLING	EGIILNRS	white Rhine wine [n -S]
RUBBYDUB	BBBDUUY	rubby (alcoholic given to drinking rubbing alcohol) [n -S]

S 8s

SALTIEST	AEILSSTT	SALTY, tasting of or containing salt [adj]
SALTNESS	AELNSSST	state of being salty (tasting of or containing salt) [n -ES]
SANGAREE	AAEEGNRS	alcoholic beverage [n -S]
SAPIDITY	ADIIPSTY	state of being sapid (pleasant to taste) [n -TIES]
SAVORIER	AEIORRSV	SAVORY, pleasant to taste or smell [adj]
SAVORILY	AILORSVY	SAVORY, pleasant to taste or smell [adv]
SAVORING	AGINORSV	SAVOR, to taste or smell with pleasure [v]
SAVOROUS	AOORSSUV	savory (pleasant to taste or smell) [adj]
SAVOURER	AEORRSUV	savorer (one that savors (to taste or smell with pleasure)) [n -S]
SCHNAPPS	ACHNPPSS	strong liquor [n SCHNAPPS or -ES]
SCORCHED	CCDEHORS	SCORCH, to burn slightly so as to alter color or taste [v]
SCORCHER	CCEHORRS	one that scorches (to burn slightly so as to alter color or taste) [n -S]
SCORCHES	CCEHORSS	SCORCH, to burn slightly so as to alter color or taste [v]
SCOUTHER	CEHORSTU	to scorch (to burn slightly so as to alter color or taste) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SEMILLON	EILLMNOS	white grape grown in France [n -S]
SKOALING	AGIKLNOS	SKOAL, to drink to health of [v]
SLURPING	GILNPRSU	SLURP, to eat or drink noisily [v]
SNARFING	AFGINNRS	SNARF, to eat or drink greedily [v]
SNOOTFUL	FLNOOSTU	enough alcoholic liquor to make one drunk [n -S]
SPRITZER	EIPRRSTZ	beverage of white wine and soda water [n -S]
SPUMANTE	AEMNPSTU	Italian sparkling wine [n -S]
SQUIFFED	DEFFIQSU	drunk (intoxicated) [adj]
STILLMAN	AILLMNST	one who operates distillery [n -MEN]
STUBBIES	BBEISSTU	STUBBY, short squat bottle of beer [n]
SUCKLING	CGIKLNSU	unweaned mammal [n -S] / SUCKLE, to give milk to from breast [v]
SWEETEST	EEESSTTW	SWEET, pleasing to taste [adj]



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SWIGGING	GGGIINSW	SWIG, to drink deeply or rapidly [v]
SWILLING	GIILLNSW	SWILL, to swig (to drink deeply or rapidly) [v]
SWITCHEL	CEHILSTW	drink made with water, molasses, and vinegar and often ginger [n -S]
SWIZZLER	EILRSWZZ	one that swizzles (to drink excessively) [n -S]

T 8s

TANGIEST	AEGINSTT	TANGY, pungent (sharply affecting organs of taste or smell) [adj]
TANTALUS	AALNSTTU	case for wine bottles [n -ES]
TAPHOUSE	AEHOPSTU	tavern (place where liquor is sold to be drunk on premises) [n -S]
TARTNESS	AENRSSTT	state of being tart (having sharp, sour taste) [n -ES]
TASTABLE	AABELSTT	TASTE, to perceive flavor of by taking into mouth [adj]
TASTIEST	AEISSTTT	TASTY, pleasant to taste [adj]
TEASPOON	AENOPST	small spoon [n -S]
TEETOTAL	AEELOTTT	to abstain completely from alcoholic beverages [v -ED, -ING, -S or -LED, -LING, -S]
THIRSTED	DEHIRSTT	THIRST, to feel desire or need to drink [v]
THIRSTER	EHIRRSTT	one that thirsts (to feel desire or need to drink) [n -S]
TIDDLIER	DDEIILRT	TIDDLY, slightly drunk [adj]
TIPPLING	GIILNPPT	TIPPLE, to drink alcoholic beverages [v]
TIPSIEST	EIIPSSTT	TIPSY, slightly drunk [adj]
TWANKIES	AEIKNSTW	TWANKY, variety of green tea [n]

U 8s

UNACIDIC	ACCDIINU	not acidic (sour (sharp or biting to taste)) [adj]
UNBITTER	BEINRTTU	not bitter (having disagreeable taste) [adj]
UNSAVORY	ANORSUVY	not savory (pleasant to taste or smell) [adj]
UNTASTED	ADENSTTU	TASTE, to perceive flavor of by taking into mouth [adj]
UNWEANED	ADEENNUW	WEAN, to withhold mother's milk from and substitute other nourishment [adj]
USQUABAE	AABEQSUU	usquebae (whiskey (liquor)) [n -S]

V 8s

VARIETAL	AAEILRTV	wine designated by variety of grape [n -S]
VERJUICE	CEEIJRUV	juice of sour or unripe fruit [n -S]
VERJUSES	EEJRSSUV	VERJUS, verjuice (juice of sour or unripe fruit) [n]
VERMOUTH	EHMORTUV	liqueur [n -S]
VIGNERON	EGINNORV	winegrower [n -S]
VINIFERA	AEFIINRV	European grape [n -S]
VINOSITY	IINOSTVY	character of wine [n -TIES]
VINTAGER	AGEINRTV	one that harvests wine grapes [n -S]

W 8s

WATERING	AEGINRTW	WATER, to sprinkle with water (transparent, odorless, tasteless liquid) [v]
WAUCHTED	ACDEHTUW	WAUCHT, to waught (to drink deeply) [v]
WAUGHTED	ADEGHTUW	WAUGHT, to drink deeply [v]
WINELESS	EEILNSSW	having no wine [adj]
WINESHOP	EHINOPSW	shop where wine is sold [n -S]
WINESKIN	EIIKNNSW	goatskin bag for holding wine [n -S]

X 8s

Y 8s

Z 8s