



Lay Your Life on the (Scrabble) Line – Fungi

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A 7s

AGARICS	AACGIRS	AGARIC, any of family of fungi [n]
AMADOUS	AADMOSU	AMADOU, substance prepared from fungi for use as tinder [n]
AMANITA	AAAIMNT	any of genus of poisonous fungi [n -S]
ARMILLA	AAILLMR	thin membrane around stem of certain fungi [n -S or -E]

B 7s

BLEWITS	BEILSTW	pale lilac mushroom [n -S]
BOLETES	BEELOST	BOLETE, boletus (fungus (any of major group of lower plants)) [n]
BOLETUS	BELOSTU	fungus [n -ES or -TI]

C 7s

CAEOMAS	AACEMOS	CAEOMA, spore-forming organ of fungus [n]
CANDIDA	AACDDIN	parasitic fungus [n -S]
CAPTANS	AACNPST	CAPTAN, fungicide [n]
CHYTRID	CDHIRTY	aquatic or soil fungus [n -S]
CORTINA	ACINORT	membrane on some mushrooms [n -S]
CREMINI	CEIIMNR	brown mushroom [n -S]
CRIMINI	CIIIMNR	cremini (brown mushroom) [n -S]

D 7s

DECAYED	ACDDEEY	DECAY, to decompose [v]
DECAYER	ACDEERY	one that decays (to decompose) [n -S]
DOTIEST	DEIOSTT	DOTY, stained by decay [adj]

E 7s

ERGOTIC	CEGIORT	ERGOT, fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [adj]
EXCIPLA	CEEILPX	rim around hymenium of various lichens [n -S]

F 7s

FERBAMS	ABEFMRS	FERBAM, fungicide [n]
FERMENT	EEFMNRT	to undergo type of chemical reaction [v -ED, -ING, -S]
FOXFIRE	EFFIORX	glow produced by certain fungi on decaying wood [n -S]
FUNGALS	AFGLNSU	FUNGAL, fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [n]
FUNGOID	DFGINOU	growth resembling fungus [n -S]
FUNGOUS	FGNOSUU	pertaining to fungus [adj]

G 7s

GIROLLE	EGILLOR	edible mushroom [n -S]
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H 7s

I 7s

INTINES	EIINNST	INTINE, inner wall of spore [n]
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J 7s

K 7s

LEAVENS	AEELNSV	LEAVEN, to produce fermentation in [v]
LICHENS	CEHILNS	LICHEN, to cover with lichens (flowerless plants) [v]

M 7s

MARENGO	AEGMNOR	served with sauce of mushrooms, tomatoes, oil, and wine [adj]
MILDEWS	DEILMSW	MILDEW, to affect with mildew (whitish growth produced by fungi) [v]
MILDEWY	DEILMWY	affected with or resembling mildew [adj]
MILNEBS	BEILMNS	MILNEB, fungicide [n]
MOLDERS	DELMORS	MOLDER, to turn to dust by natural decay [v]
MOLDIER	DEILMOR	moldy, musty (having stale odor) [adj]



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MONILIA	AIILMNO	type of parasitic fungus [n -E]
MOULDER	DELMORU	to molder (to turn to dust by natural decay) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
MYCELES	CEELMSY	MYCELE, mycelium (vegetative portion of fungus) [n]
MYCELIA	ACEILMY	MYCELIUM, vegetative portion of fungus [n]
MYCOSIS	CIMOSSY	disease caused by fungus [n -SES]
MYCOTIC	CCIMOTY	MYCOSIS, disease caused by fungus [adj]

N 7s

O 7s

OAKMOSS	AKMOOSS	lichen that grows on oak trees [n -ES]
OIDIOID	DDIIIOO	OIDIUM, type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [adj]

P 7s

PECKIER	CEEIKPR	PECKY, marked by decay caused by fungi [adj]
PERRIES	EEIPRRS	PERRY, beverage of pear juice often fermented [n]
PORCINO	CINOOPR	porcini (edible mushroom) [n -NI]
PULQUES	ELPQSUU	PULQUE, fermented Mexican beverage [n]
PUNKIER	EIKNPRU	PUNKY, resembling punk (dry, decayed wood used as tinder) [adj]

Q 7s

R 7s

REISHIS	EHIRSS	REISHI, mushroom having shiny cap [n]
RUSSULA	ALRSSUU	woodland fungus [n -S]

S 7s

SAPROBE	ABEOPRS	organism that derives its nourishment from decaying organic matter [n -S]
SAVARIN	AAINRSV	yeast cake baked in ring mold [n -S]
SHITAKE	AEHIKST	shiitake (dark Oriental mushroom) [n -S]
SHROOMS	HMOORSS	SHROOM, mushroom (type of fungus) [n]
SPALTED	ADELPST	denoting wood having irregular lines resulting from fungal decay [adj]
SPORING	GINOPRS	SPORE, to produce spores (asexual, usually single-celled reproductive bodies) [v]
SPOROID	DIOOPRS	resembling spore [adj]
SPORULE	ELOPRSU	small spore [n -S]
STUMMED	DEMMSTU	STUM, to increase fermentation of by adding grape juice [v]
SYMBION	BIMNOSY	symbiont (organism living in close association with another) [n -S]
SYMBIOT	BIMOSTY	symbiont (organism living in close association with another) [n -S]

T 7s

TORULAE	AELORTU	TORULA, type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [n]
TORULAS	ALORSTU	TORULA, type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [n]
TRUFFES	EFFRSTU	TRUFFE, truffle (edible fungus) [n]
TRUFFLE	EFFLRTU	edible fungus [n -S]

U 7s

UREDIAL	ADEILRU	pertaining to uredium (spore-producing organ of certain fungi) [adj]
UREDIIUM	DEIMRUU	spore-producing organ of certain fungi [n -DIA]

V 7s

VOLVATE	AELOTVV	VOLVA, membranous sac that encloses certain immature mushrooms [adj]
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W 7s

X 7s

XANTHAN	AAHNNTX	gum produced by bacterial fermentation [n -S]
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Y 7s

YEASTED	ADEESTY	YEAST, to foam (to form foam (light, bubbly, gas and liquid mass)) [v]
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Z 7s

ZYMOSAN	AMNOSYZ	insoluble fraction of yeast cell walls [n -S]
ZYMOSIS	IMOSSYZ	fermentation [n -SES]
ZYMOTIC	CIMOTYZ	ZYMOSIS, fermentation [adj]
ZYMURGY	GMRUYYZ	branch of chemistry dealing with fermentation [n -GIES]

A 8s

ACERVULI	ACEILRUV	spore-producing organs of certain fungi [n]
AECIDIAL	AACDEIIL	pertaining to aecium (spore-producing organ of certain fungi) [adj]
AECIDIUM	ACDEIIMU	aecium (spore-producing organ of certain fungi) [n -IA]
AOSPORY	AOOPRSY	type of reproduction without spore formation [n -RIES]
APOTHECE	ACEEHOPT	spore-producing organ of certain fungi [n -S]
ASCOCARP	AACCOPRS	spore-producing organ of certain fungi [n -S]
AUTECISM	ACEIMSTU	development of entire life cycle of parasitic fungus on single host [n -S]

B 8s

BASIDIAL	AABDIILS	BASIDIUM, structure on fungus [adj]
BASIDIUM	ABDIIMSU	structure on fungus [n -IA]

C 8s

CANDIDAL	AACDDILN	CANDIDA, parasitic fungus [adj]
CONIDIAL	ACDIILNO	CONIDIUM, fungus spore [adj]
CONIDIAN	ACDIINNO	CONIDIUM, fungus spore [adj]
CONIDIUM	CDIIMNOU	fungus spore [n -IA]
COREMIUM	CEIMMORU	organ of certain fungi [n -IA]

D 8s

DEATHCUP	ACDEHPTU	poisonous mushroom [n -S]
DECAYING	ACDEGINY	DECAY, to decompose [v]
DUXELLES	DEELLSUX	garnish or sauce with minced mushrooms [n DUXELLES]

E 8s

EXOSPORE	EEOOPRSX	outer coat of spore [n -S]
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F 8s

FOUSTIER	EFIORSTU	FOUSTY, moldy (musty (having stale odor)) [adj]
FUNGUSES	EFGNSSUU	FUNGUS, any of major group of lower plants [n]
FUSARIUM	AFIMRSUU	disease-causing fungus [n -S or -IA]

G 8s

H 8s

HAIRLIKE	AEHIKLR	resembling hair (threadlike growth) [adj]
HYMENIAL	AEHILMNY	HYMENIUM, layer in certain fungi [adj]
HYMENIUM	EHIMMNUY	layer in certain fungi [n -S or -IA]

I 8s

ISOSPORY	IOOPRSSY	condition of producing sexual or asexual spores of but one kind [n -RIES]
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J 8s

K 8s

L 8s

LEAFMOLD	ADEFLLMO	soil composed mostly of decayed leaves [n -S]
LEAVENED	ADEEELNV	LEAVEN, to produce fermentation in [v]



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LICHENED CDEEHILN LICHEN, to cover with lichens (flowerless plants) [v]
LICHENIN CEHIILNN chemical compound [n -S]

M 8s

MAZAEDIA AAADIMZ spore-producing organs of certain lichens [n]
MILDEWED DDEEILMW MILDEW, to affect with mildew (whitish growth produced by fungi) [v]
MOLDERED DDEELMOR MOLDER, to turn to dust by natural decay [v]
MOLDIEST DEILMOST MOLDY, musty (having stale odor) [adj]
MOULDIER DEILMORU MOULDY, moldy (musty (having stale odor)) [adj]
MUSHROOM HMMOORSU to grow or spread rapidly [v -ED, -ING, -S]
MYCELIAL ACEILLMY MYCELLIUM, vegetative portion of fungus [adj]
MYCELIAN ACEILMNY MYCELIUM, vegetative portion of fungus [adj]
MYCELIUM CEILMMUY vegetative portion of fungus [n -IA]
MYCELOID CDEILMOY MYCELIUM, vegetative portion of fungus [adj]
MYCETOMA ACEMMOTY fungous infection [n -S or -TA]
MYCOLOGY CGLMOOYY branch of botany dealing with fungi [n -GIES]

N 8s

O 8s

OOGONIAL AGILNOOO OOGONIUM, female sexual organ in certain algae and fungi [adj]
OOGONIUM GIMNOOOO female sexual organ in certain algae and fungi [n -S or -IA]

P 8s

PECKIEST CEEIKPST PECKY, marked by decay caused by fungi [adj]
PERIDIAL ADEIILPR PERIDIUM, covering of spore-bearing organ in many fungi [adj]
PERIDIUM DEIIMPRU covering of spore-bearing organ in many fungi [n -IA]
POLYPORE ELOOPPRY type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [n -S]
PUFFBALL ABFFLLPU any of various globular fungi [n -S]
PUNKIEST EIKNPSTU PUNKY, resembling punk (dry, decayed wood used as tinder) [adj]
PYCNIDIA ACDIINPY spore-bearing organs of certain fungi [n]

Q 8s

R 8s

RHIZOPUS HIOPRSUZ any of genus of mold fungi [n -ES or -PI]
ROTTENER EENORRTT ROTTEN, being in state of decay [adj]
ROTTENLY ELNORTTY ROTTEN, being in state of decay [adv]

S 8s

SAPROBIC ABCIOPRS SAPROBE, organism that derives its nourishment from decaying organic matter [adj]
SAPROPEL AELOPPRS mud consisting chiefly of decaying organic matter [n -S]
SEPTORIA AEIOPRST type of fungus (any of major group of lower plants) [n -S]
SHIITAKE AEHIIKST dark Oriental mushroom [n -S]
SHROOMER EHMOORRS one who enjoys eating mushrooms [n -S]
SNOWMOLD DGLMNOOS fungus disease of grasses near edge of melting snow [n -S]
SPORULAR ALOPPRSU SPORULE, small spore [adj]
STERIGMA AEGIMRST spore-bearing stalk of certain fungi [n -S or -TA]
STUMMING GIMMNSTU STUM, to increase fermentation of by adding grape juice [v]
SYMBIONT BIMNOSTY organism living in close association with another [n -S]
SYMBIOTE BEIMOSTY symbiont (organism living in close association with another) [n -S]

T 8s

TRUFFLED DEFFLRTU TRUFFLE, edible fungus [adj]

U 8s



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V 8s

VINIFIED	DEFIINV	VINIFY, to convert into wine by fermentation [v]
VINIFIES	EFIINSV	VINIFY, to convert into wine by fermentation [v]

W 8s

X 8s

Y 8s

YEASTIER	AEEIRSTY	YEASTY, foamy (covered with foam) [adj]
YEASTILY	AEILSTYY	YEASTY, foamy (covered with foam) [adv]
YEASTING	AEINSTY	YEAST, to foam (to form foam (light, bubbly, gas and liquid mass)) [v]

Z 8s

ZOOSPORE	E00OPRSZ	type of spore [n -S]
ZYMOLOGY	GLMOOYYZ	science of fermentation [n -GIES]