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Irregular Plural Nouns

P

PADRONE	ADENOPR	master, PADRONES, PADRONI
PAESANO	AAENOPS	fellow countryman, PAESANOS, PAESANI
PAILFUL	AFILLPU	as much as pail can hold, PAILFULS, PAILSFUL
PALAZZO	AALOPZZ	impressive building, PALLAZZI
PALESTRA	AAELPRST	school for athletics in ancient Greece, PALESTRAS, PALESTRAE
PALLADIA	AAADILLP	safeguards, PALLADIA
PALLIUM	AILLMPU	cloak worn in ancient Rome, PALLIUMS, PALLIA
PALMETTO	AELMOPTT	tropical tree, PALMETTOES, PALMETTOS
PALPEBRA	AABELPPR	eyelid, PALPEBRAS, PALPEBRAE
PANDANUS	AADNNPSU	tropical plant, PANDANI
PANMIXIS	AIIMNPSX	panmixia (random mating within breeding population), PANMIXES
PAPILLA	AAILLPP	nipple-like projection, PAPILLAE
PAPULA	AALPPU	papule (pimple), PAPULAE
PAPYRUS	APPRSUY	tall aquatic plant, PAPYRUSES, POPYRI
PARABOLA	AAABLOPR	conic section, PARABOLAE, PARABOLAS
PARADOR	AADOPRR	inn in Spain, PARADORS, PARADORES
PARAMENT	AAEMNPRT	ornamental vestment, PARAMENTS, PARAMENTA
PARASHAH	AAAHHPRS	portion of Torah, PARASHAHS, PARASHOTH, PARASHOT
PARERAGON	AEGNOPRR	composition derived from larger work, PARERGA
PAREISIS	AEIPRSS	partial loss of ability to move, PARESIS
PARHELIA	AAEHILPR	bright circular spots appearing on solar halo, PARHELIA
PARIES	AEIPRS	wall of organ, PARIETES
PARODOS	ADOOPRS	ode sung in ancient Greek drama, PARODOI
PASSADO	AADOPSS	forward thrust in fencing, PASSADOS, PASSADOES
PASSERBY	ABEPRSSY	one who passes by, PASSERSBY
PATAGIUM	AAGIMPTU	wing membrane of bat, PATAGIA
PATELLA	AAELLPT	flat, moveable bone at front of knee, PATELLAS, PATELLAE
PATINA	AAINPT	green film that forms on bronze, PATINAS, PATINAE
PECORINO	CEINOOPR	hard cheese made from sheep's milk, PECORINOS, PECORINI
PECTEN	CEENPT	comblike anatomical part, PECTENS, PECTINES
PECULIUM	CEILMPUU	private property, PECULIUMS, PECULIA
PENIS	EINPS	male organ of copulation, PENISES, PENES
PENKNIFE	EEFIKNNP	small pocketknife, PENKNIVES
PENNY	ENNPY	coin of United Kingdom, PENNIES, PENCE
PENSIONE	EEINNOPS	boarding house, PENSIONES, PENSIONI
PENUMBRA	ABEMNPRU	partial shadow, PENUMBRAS, PENUMBRAE
PEPLUM	ELMPPU	short section attached to waistline of garment, PEPLUMS, PEPLA
PEREION	EEINOPR	thorax of some crustaceans, PEREIONS, PEREIA
PEREON	EENOPR	pereion, PEREONS, PEREA
PERICOPE	CEEIOPPR	selection from book, PERICOPES, PERICOPAE
PERIDIUM	DEIIMPRU	covering of spore-bearing organ in many fungi, PERIDIA
PERINEUM	EEIMNPRU	region of body at lower end of trunk, PERINEA
PERITUS	EIPRSTU	expert theologian -S
PERNIO	EINOPR	inflammation on hands or feet caused by exposure to cold, PERNIONES



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PEROGI	EGIOPR	pierogi (small dumpling with filling), PEROGIES, PEROGIS
PERSONA	AENOPRS	character in literary work, PERSONAE
PETECHIA	ACEEHIPT	small hemorrhagic spot on body surface, PETECHIAE
PFENNIG	EFGINNP	formerly used bronze coin of Germany, PFENNIGS, PFENNIGE
PHALLUS	AHLLPSU	penis, PHALLUSES, PHALLI
PHARYNX	AHNPRXY	section of digestive tract, PHARYNXES, PHARYNGES
PHELONIA	AEHILNOP	liturgical vestments, PHELONIA
PHERESIS	EEHIPRSS	withdrawal of blood from donor, PERESES
PHILTRUM	HILMPRTU	indentation between upper lip and nose, PHILTRA
PHIMOSIS	HIIMOPSS	abnormal constriction of opening of prepuce, PHIMOSSES
PHOTICS	CHIOPT	science of light PHOTICS
PHYLESIS	EHILPSSY	course of evolutionary development, PHYLESES
PHYLON	HLNOPY	genetically related group, PHYLA
PHYLUM	HLMPUY	taxonomic division, PHYLA
PIAZZA	AAIPZZ	public square in Italian town, PIAZZAS, PIAZZE
PICADOR	ACDIOPR	horseman in bullfight, PICADORS, PICADORES
PIGNORA	AGINOPR	PIGNUS , property held as security for debt [n]
PINETUM	EIMNPTU	plantation of pine trees, PINETA
PINGO	GINOP	low mound of earth formed by expansion of underlying frost, PINGOS, PINGOES
PINKO	IKNOP	person who holds somewhat radical political views, PINKOS, PINKOES
PINNULA	AILNNPU	pinnule, pinnate (resembling feather) part or organ), PINNULAE
PINTADO	ADINOPT	large food fish, PINTADOS, PINTADOES
PIROG	GIOPR	large Russian pastry, PIROGEN, PIROGHI
PIROZHOK	HIKOOPRZ	small Russian pastry, PIROZHKI, PIROSHKI, PIROJKI
PISCINA	ACIINPS	basin used in certain church ceremonies, PISCINAS, PISCINAE
PLACEBO	ABCELOP	substance containing no medication that is given for its psychological effect, PLACEBOS, PLACEBOES
PLACENTA	AACELNPT	vascular organ in most mammals, PLACENTAS, PLACENTAE
PLANULA	AALLNPU	free-swimming larva of certain organisms, PLANULAE
PLATEAU	AAELPTU	level stretch of elevated land, PLATEAUS, PLATEAUX
PLATEFUL	AEFLPTU	as much as plate can hold, PLATEFULS, PLATESFUL
PLATY	ALPTY	small tropical fish, PLATYS, PLATIES
PLATYPUS	ALPPSTUY	aquatic mammal, PLATYPUSES, PLATYPI
PLAYWEAR	AAELPRWY	clothing worn for leisure activities, PLAYWEAR
PLECTRON	CELNOPRT	plectrum, PLECTRONS, PLECTRA
PLECTRUM	CELMPTU	implement used to pluck strings of stringed instrument, PLECTRUMS, PLECTRA
PLEIAD	ADEILP	group of seven illustrious persons, PLEIADES, PLEIADS
PLENUM	ELMNPU	space considered as fully occupied by matter, PLENUMS, PLENA
PLEURA	AELPRU	membrane that envelops lungs, PLEURAS, PLEURAE
PLEURON	ELNOPRU	part of thoracic segment of insect, PLEURA
PLUS	LPSU	additional quantity, PLUSES, PLUSSES
PLUTEUS	ELPSTUU	larva of sea urchin, PLUTEI
PODIUM	DIMOPU	small platform, PODIUMS, PODIA
POISHA	AHIOPS	paisa of Bangladesh, POISHA
POLITICO	CIILLOPT	one who politicks, POLITICOES, POLITICOS
POLLEX	ELLOPX	innermost digit of forelimb, POLLICES
POLLINIA	AIILLNOP	masses of pollen grains, POLLINIA



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POLYNIA	ALNOPYY	area of open water, POLYNYAS, POLYNYI
POLYPUS	LOPPSUY	growth protruding from mucous lining of organ, POLYPUSES, POLYPI
PONTIFEX	EFINOPTX	ancient Roman priest PONTIFICES
POPLITEI	EIILOPTT	muscles at back of knees POPLITEI
PORCINI	CIINOPR	edible mushroom PORCINIS
PORCINO	CINOOPR	porcini (edible mushroom), PORCINI
PORTICO	CIOOPRT	type of porch, PORTICOS, PORTICOES
POSTCAVA	AACOPSTV	vein in higher vertebrates, POSTCAVAE
PRAXIS	AIPRSX	practical use of theory, PRAXISES, PRAXES
PRECAVA	AACEPRV	vein in higher vertebrates, PRECAVAE
PRELIFE	EEFILPR	life conceived as lived before one's earthly life, PRELIVES
PRENOMEN	EEMNOPR	first name of ancient Roman, PRENOMENS, PRENOMINA
PREPUBIS	BEIPRSU	bone situated in front of pubic bone, PREPUBES
PREPUPA	AEPPRU	stage preceding pupal stage, PREPUPAS, PREPUPAE
PRESIDIA	ADEIIPRS	Soviet executive committee PRESIDIA
PRIAPUS	AIPRSU	representation of phallus, PRIAPUSES, PRIAPI
PRIEDIEU	DEEIIPRU	piece of furniture for kneeling on during prayer, PRIEDIEUS, PRIEDIEUX
PRINCIPE	CEIINPPR	prince, PRINCIPI
PRODROME	DEMOOPRR	sign of impending disease PRODROMES, PRODROMATA
PRONATOR	ANOOPRRT	forearm or forelimb muscle, PRONATOES, PRONATORS
PRONOTUM	MNOOPRTU	hard outer plate of insect, PRONOTA
PROPRIUM	MIOPPRRU	attribute belonging inseparably to every member of species, PROPRIA
PROSOMA	AMOOPRS	anterior region of body of some invertebrates, PROSOMAS, PROSOMATA
PROTASIS	AIPORSST	introductory part of classical drama, PROTASES
PROTEUS	EOPRSTU	any of genus of aerobic bacteria, PROTEI
PROTOZOA	AOOOPRTZ	unicellular microscopic organisms, PROTOZOA
PROVISO	IOOPRSV	clause in document introducing condition or restriction, PROVISOS, PROVISOES
PRUTAH	AHPRTU	former monetary unit of Israel, PRUTOTH
PSILOSIS	IILOPSSS	tropical disease, PSILOSES
PTERYGIA	AEGIPRTY	fleshy growths over cornea, PTERYGIA
PTERYLA	AELPRTY	feathered area on skin of bird, PTERYLAE
PUDENDUM	DDEMNPUU	external genital organs of woman, PUDENDA
PUERPERA	AEEPRRU	woman who has recently given birth to child, PUERPERAE
PULVILLI	IILLPUV	pads between claws of insect's foot, PULVILLI
PULVINUS	ILNPSUUV	swelling at base of leaf, PULVINI
PUNCTUM	ACMPTUU	opening of tear duct, PUNCTA
PUPARIUM	AIMPPRUU	pupal shell, PUPARIA
PURLIEU	EILPRUU	outlying or neighboring area, PURLIEUS, PURLIEUX
PUTAMEN	AEMNPTU	hard covering of kernel of certain fruits, PUTAMINA, PUTAMENS
PYCNIDIA	ACDIINPY	spore-bearing organs of certain fungi, PYCNIDIA
PYCNOSIS	CINOPSSY	pyknosis (shrinking and thickening of cell nucleus), PYCNOSSES
PYGIDIUM	DGIIMPUY	posterior region of certain invertebrates, PYGIDIA
PYKNOSIS	IKNOPSSY	shrinking and thickening of cell nucleus, PYKNOSSES
PYLORUS	LOPRSUY	opening between stomach and duodenum, PYLORUSES, PYLORI
PYSANKA	AAKNPSY	hand-painted Ukrainian Easter egg, PYSANKY
PYXIDIUM	DIIMPUXY	type of seed vessel, PYXIDIA



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PYXIS IPSXY pyxidium (type of seed vessel), **PYXIDES**

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Q

QINDAR ADINQR qintar (monetary unit of Albania), **QINDARS, QINDARKA**
 QUADRATI AADIQRU QUADRATUS, rectangular muscle, / rectangular muscles, **QUADRATI**
 QUADRIGA AADGIQRU chariot drawn by four horses, **QUADRIGAE**
 QUAICH ACHIQU small drinking vessel, **QUAICHS, QUAICHES**
 QUANTUM AMNQTUU fundamental unit of energy, **QUANTA**
 QUETZAL AELQTUZ tropical bird, **QUETZALS, QUETZALES**
 QUEZAL AELQUZ quetzal (tropical bird), **QUEZALES, QUEZALS**
 QWERTY EQRTWY standard keyboard, **QWERTYS**

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R

RACHILLA AACHILLR central stalk of grass spikelet, **RACHILLAE**
 RACHIS ACHIRS spinal column, **RACHISES, RACHIDES**
 RACHITIS ACHIIRST rickets (disease resulting from vitamin D deficiency), **RACHITIDES**
 RADIALE AADEILR bone of carpus, **RADIALIA**
 RADIUS ADIRSU straight line from center of circle to circumference, **RADIUSES, RADII**
 RADIX ADIRX root of plant, **RADIXES, RADICES**
 RADULA AADLRU tonguelike organ of mollusks, **RADULAS, RADULAE**
 RAILBUS ABILRSU passenger car equipped for operation on rails **RAILBUSES, RAILBUSSES**
 RAINWEAR AAENRRW waterproof clothing, **RAINWEAR**
 RAMENTUM AEMNRTU scale formed on surface of leaves, **RAMENTA**
 RAPHIS AHIPRS rawhide needle-shaped crystal appearing in plant cells, **RAPHIDES**
 RAPINI AIINPR rappini (immature turnip plants, **RAPINI**
 RAPPINI AIINPPR immature turnip plants **RAPPINI**
 RATABLES AABELRST taxable properties, **RATABLES**
 REARMICE ACEEIMRR rearmice (bats (flying mammals)), **REARMICE**
 RECTRIX CEIRRTX feather of bird's tail, **RECTRICES**
 RECTUM CEMRTU terminal portion of large intestine, **RECTUMS, RECTA**
 REFUGIUM EFGIMRUU stable area during period of continental climactic change, **REFUGIA**
 REGALIA AAEGILR rights and privileges of king **REGALIA**
 REGINA AEGINR queen, **REGINAS, REGINAE**
 REGMA AEGMR type of fruit, **REGMATA**
 REGNUM EGMNRU dominion (supreme authority), **REGNA**
 REGULUS EGILRSUU mass that forms beneath slag in furnace, **REGULI**
 REMEX EEMRX flight feather of bird's wing, **REMIGES**
 RENEGADO ADEEGNOR traitor (one who betrays another), **RENEGADOES, RENEGADOS**
 RENMINBI BEIIMNNR currency in People's Republic of China, **RENMINBI**
 REPTILIA AEIILPRT buildings for housing reptiles, **REPTILIA**
 RESEAU AEERSU filter screen for making color films, **RESEAUS, RESEAUX**
 RESIDUUM DEIMRSUU residue (something remaining after removal of part), **RESIDUA, RESIDUUMS**
 RESPONSA AENOPRSS written rabbinic decisions **RESPONSA**
 RETIARII AEIIRRT ancient Roman gladiators, **RETIARII**



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RETICULA	ACEILRTU	netlike structures, RETICULA
RETINA	AEINRT	membrane of eye, RETINAE, RETINAS
RETINULA	AEILNRTU	neural receptor of arthropod's eye, RETINULAE, RETINULAS
RHACHIS	ACHHIRS	rachis (spinal column), RACHISES, RACHIDES
RHAPHE	AEHHRP	raphe seamlike ridge between two halves of organ or part, RHAPHES, RHAPHAE
RHINITIS	HIINRST	inflammation of mucous membranes of nose, RHINITIDES
RHIZOBIA	ABHIIORZ	rod-shaped bacteria, RHIZOBIA
RHIZOMA	AHIMORZ	rhizome rootlike underground stem), RHIZOMATA
RHIZOPUS	HIOPRSUZ	any of genus of mold fungi, RHIZOPI
RHOMBUS	BHMORSU	type of geometric figure, RHOMBUSES, RHOMBI
RHONCHUS	CHHNORSU	rattling respiratory sound, RHONCHI
RHYTON	HNORTY	ancient Greek drinking horn, RHYTONS, RHYTA
RIKISHI	HIIIKRS	sumo wrestler RIKISHI
RILIEVO	EIILORV	relievo (projection of figures or forms from flat background) RILIEVI
RIPIENO	EIINOPR	tutti (musical passage performed by all performers), RIPIENOS, RIPIENI
RISIBLES	BEIILRSS	sense of ridiculous, RISIBLES
RONDEAU	ADENORU	short poem of fixed form, RONDEAUX
ROOMFUL	FLMOORU	as much as room can hold ROOMFULS, ROOMSFUL
ROSARIUM	AIMORRSU	rose garden, ROSARIUMS, ROSARIA
ROSTELLA	AELLORST	small, beaklike structures, ROSTELLA
ROSTRUM	MORRSTU	beaklike process or part, ROSTRUMS, ROSTRA
ROTATOR	AOORRTT	muscle serving to rotate part of body, ROTATORS, ROTATOES
ROULEAU	AELORUU	roll of coins wrapped in paper, ROULEAUS, ROULEAUX
RUBAIYAT	AABIRTUY	four-lined stanzas in Persian poetry, RUBAIYAT
RUBATO	ABORTU	fluctuation of speed within musical phrase, RUBATOS, RUBATI
RUFIYAA	AAFIRUY	monetary unit of Maldives, RUFIYAA
RUGALACH	AACGHLRU	rugelach, RUGALACH
RUGELACH	ACEGHLRU	cookie of cream-cheese dough spread with filling and rolled up, RUGELACH

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S

SACCULUS	ACCLSSUU	saccule (small sac), SACCULI
SACKFUL	ACFKLSU	as much as sack can hold, SACKFULS, SACKSFUL
SACRARIA	AAACIRRS	ancient Roman shrines, SACRARIA
SACRUM	ACMRSU	bone of pelvis, SACRUMS, SACRA
SALPINX	AILNPSX	anatomical tube, SALPINGES
SAMBO	ABMOS	Latin American of mixed back and Indian ancestry, SAMBOS, SAMBOES
SANCTUM	ACMNSTU	sacred place, SANCTUMS, SANCTA
SANTIM	AIMNST	former coin of Albania, SANTIMS, SANTIMI, SANTIMU
SAPHENA	AAEHNPS	vein of leg, SAPHENAS, SAPHENAE
SARCINA	AACINRS	spherical bacterium, SARCINAS, SARCINAE
SARCOMA	AACMORS	type of tumor, SARCOMAS, SARCOMATA
SARGASSO	AAGORSSS	brownish seaweed, SARGASSA, SARGASSOES, SARGASSOS
SARMENTA	AAEMNRST	sarments (type of plant stem), SARMENTA
SASTRUGA	AAGRSSTU	ridge of snow formed by wind in polar regions SASTRUGI
SAWTOOTH	AHOOSTTW	cutting edge on saw, SAWTEETH



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SCABIES	ABCEISS	skin disease, SCABIES
SCALENUS	ACELNSSU	muscle of neck, SCALENI
SCAMPI	ACIMPS	large shrimp used in Italian cooking, SCAMPI, SCAMPIES
SCAPULA	AACLPSU	bone of shoulder, SCAPULAS, SCAPULAE
SCARF	ACFRS	piece of cloth worn for warmth or protection, SCARFS, SCARVES
SCHEMA	ACEHMS	generalized diagram or plan, SCHEMAS, SCHEMATA
SCHERZO	CEHORSZ	lively musical movement, SCHERZOS, SCHERZI
SCHLIERE	CEEHILRS	small streak in igneous rock, SCHLIEREN
SCHMO	CHMOS	stupid person, SCHMOES, SCHMOS
SCHNAPPS	ACHNPPSS	strong liquor, SCHNAPPS
SCHNAPS	ACHNPSS	schnapps, SCHNAPS
SCHNECKE	CCEEHKNS	sweet roll, SCHNECKEN
SCHOLIUM	CHILMOSU	explanatory marginal note, SCHOLIUMS, SCHOLIA
SCIRRHUS	CHIRRSSU	hard tumor, SCHIRRHI
SCLERA	ACELRS	white, fibrous outer coat of eyeball, SCLERAS, SCLERAE
SCLEROMA	ACELMORS	hardened patch of cellular tissue SCLEROMAS, SCLEROMATA
SCOLEX	CELOX	knoblike head of tapeworm, SCOLECES, SCOLICES
SCOOPFUL	CFLOOPSU	as much as scoop will hold, SCOOPFULS, SCOOPSFUL
SCOPULA	ACLOPSU	dense tuft of hairs, SCOPULAS, SCOPULAE
SCORIA	ACIORS	refuse of smelted metal or ore, SCORIAE
SCOTOMA	ACMOOST	blind spot in field of vision, SCOTOMAS, SCOTOMATA
SCROTUM	CMORSTU	pouch of skin that contains testes, SCROTA, SCROTUMS
SCUNGILE	CEGILNSU	conch used as food, SCUNGILI
SCUTELLA	ACELLSTU	small, scutate organs or parts, SCUTELLA
SCUTUM	CMSTUU	scute (horny plate or scale), SCUTA
SCYPHUS	CHPSSUY	Greek cup with two handles, SCYPHI
SECONDO	CDENOOS	lower part in piano duet SECONDI
SEDER	DEERS	Jewish ceremonial dinner, SEDEERS, SEDARIM
SEDILE	DEEILS	one of seats in church for use of officiating clergy, SEDILIA
SEDILIUM	DEIILMSU	sedile, SEDILIA
SEECATCH	ACCEEHST	adult male fur seal, SEECATCHIE
SEMIHOBO	BEHIMOOS	person having some of characteristics of hobo, SEMIHOBOES, SEMIHOBOS
SEMINOMA	AEIMNOS	malignant tumor of testis, SEMINOMAS, SEMINOMATA
SEMIOSIS	EIIMOSS	process in which something functions as sign to organism, SEMIOSSES
SENARIUS	AEINRSSU	Greek or Latin verse consisting of six metrical feet, SENARII
SENHOR	EHNORS	Portuguese or Brazilian woman, SENHORS, SENHORES
SENITI	EIINST	monetary unit of Tonga, SENITI, SENITIS
SENRYU	ENRSUY	Japanese poem, SENRYU
SENSILLA	AEILLNSS	simple sense organ, SENSILLAE
SENSORIA	AEINORSS	parts of brain concerned with reception and interpretation of sensory stimuli, SENSORIA
SENSUM	EMNSSU	object of perception or sensation, SENSA
SENTE	EENST	monetary unit of Lesotho, LICENTE, LISENTE
SEPTARIA	AAEIPRST	limestone nodules, SEPTARIA
SEPTUM	EMPSTU	dividing membrane or partition, SEPTUMS, SEPTA
SEQUELA	AEELQSU	abnormal condition resulting from preceding disease, SEQUELAE
SERAPH	AEHPRS	winged celestial being, SERAPHS, SERAPHIM, SERAPHIN



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SERENATA	AAEENRST	dramatic cantata, SERENATAS, SERENATE
SEROSA	AEORSS	thin membrane lining certain bodily cavities, SEROSAS, SEROSAE
SERPIGO	EGIOPRS	spreading skin eruption, SERPIGOS, SERPIGOES
SEXTARII	AEIIRSTX	ancient Roman units of liquid measure, SEXTARII
SFERICS	CEFIRSS	electronic detector of storms SFERICS
SHACKO	ACHKOS	shako, type of military hat, SHACKOS, SHACKOES
SHADCHAN	AACDHHNS	Jewish marriage broker, SHADCHANIM, SHADCHANS
SHADKHAN	AADHHKNS	shadchan (Jewish marriage broker), SHADKHANIM, SHADKHANS
SHAKO	AHOKS	type of military hat, SHAKOS, SHAKOES
SHAMAS	AAHMSS	shammes (minor official of synagogue), SHAMOSIM
SHAMES	AEHMSS	shammes (minor official of synagogue), SHAMOSIM
SHAMMAS	AAHMMSS	shammes minor official of synagogue), SHAMMASIM
SHAMMASH	AAHHMMSS	shammes (minor official of synagogue) SHAMMASHIM
SHAMMES	AEHMMSS	minor official of synagogue, SHAMMOSIM
SHAMMOS	AHMMOSS	shammes (minor official of synagogue), SHAMMOSIM
SHAMOIS	AHIMOSS	chamois (soft leather), SHAMOIS
SHAMOS	AHMOSS	shammes, SHAMOSIM
SHEKEL	EEHKLS	ancient unit of weight and money, SHEKELS, SHEKELIM, SHEKALIM
SHEQEL	EEHLQS	shekel, SHEQELS, SHEQALIM
SHIGELLA	AEGHILLS	any of genus of aerobic bacteria, SHIGELLAS, SHIGELLAE
SHILINGI	GHIILNS	monetary unit of Tanzania, SHILINGI
SHINDY	DHINSY	shindig (elaborate party or dance), SHINDYS, SHINDIES
SHINLEAF	AEFHILNS	perennial herb, SHINLEAFS, SHINLEAVES
SHEGETZ	EEGHSTZ	Jewish boy who does not observe Jewish precepts SHKOTZIM
SHNAPPS	AHNPPSS	schnapps (strong liquor), SHNAPPS
SHOCHET	CEHHOST	person who slaughters animals and fowl according to Jewish law SHOCETIM
SHOFAR	AFHORS	ram's-horn trumpet blown in certain Jewish rituals, SHOFARS, SHOFROTH
SHOPHAR	AHHOPRS	shofar, SHOPHARS, SHOPHROTH
SHRAPNEL	AEHLNPRS	fragments from exploding bomb, mine, or shell, SHRAPNEL
SHTETEL	EEHLSTT	Jewish village, SHTETLACH, SHTETELS
SHTETL	EHLSTT	shtetel, SHTETLS, SHTETLACH
SHUMAI	AHIMSU	Japanese dumplings, SHUMAI
SIDDUR	DDIRSU	Jewish prayer book, SIDDURS, SIDDURIM
SIEMENS	EEIMNSS	unit of electrical conductance, SIEMENS
SIGLUM	GILMSU	abbreviation to indicate source of edited text, SIGLA
SIGNIOR	GIINORS	signor (Italian title of courtesy for man) SIGNIORI, SIGNIORS
SIGNOR	GINORS	Italian title of courtesy for man, SIGNORS, SIGNORI
SIGNORA	AGINORS	Italian title of courtesy for married woman, SIGNORAS, SIGNORE
SIGNORE	EGINORS	signor, SIGNORI
SIGNORI	GIINORS	Italian title of courtesy for married woman, SIGNORE, SIGNORA
SILENTS	EILNSST	silent movies, SILENTS
SILENUS	EILNSSU	woodland deity of Greek mythology, SILENI
SILICULA	ACIILLSU	silicle (short flat silique type of seed capsule), SILICULAE
SILIQUA	AIIILQSU	silique (type of seed capsule), SILIQUEAE
SILVICS	CIILSSV	study of forest trees SILVICS
SIMPLEX	EILMPXS	simple word, SIMPLEXES, SIMPLICES, SIMPLICIA



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SINCIPUT	CIINPSTU	forehead (part of face above eyes) SINCIPUTS, SINCIPITA
SINFONIA	AFIINNOS	symphony, SINFONIAS, SINFONIE
SINOPIA	AIINOPS	red pigment, SINOPIAS, SINOPIE
SISTRUM	IMRSSTU	ancient Egyptian percussion instrument, SISTRUMS, SISTRA
SKIWEAR	AEIKRSW	clothing suitable for wear while skiing SKIWEAR, SKIWEARS
SKYPHOS	HKLOPSY	drinking vessel used in ancient Greece, SKYPHOI
SLYBOOTS	BLOOSSTY	shy person, SLYBOOTS
SMALTO	ALMOST	colored glass used in mosaics, SMALTI, SMALTOS
SOLARIUM	AILMORSU	room exposed to sunlight, SOLARIUMS, SOLARIA
SOLATIUM	AILMOSTU	compensation given for damage to feelings SOLATIA
SOLEUS	ELOSSU	muscle in calf of leg, SOLEUSES, SOLEI
SOLFEGGI	EFGGILOS	solfege (type of singing exercise), SOLFEGGI
SOLIDUS	DILOSSU	coin of ancient Rome, SOLIDI
SONATINA	AAINNOST	short sonata, SONATINAS, SONATINE
SOPRANO	ANOOPRS	highest singing voice, SOPRANOS, SOPRANI
SORDINO	DINOORS	sordine (device used to muffle tone of musical instrument) SORDINI
SORITES	EIOR SST	type of argument used in logic, SORITES
SOROSIS	IOORSSS	women's club or society, SOROSISES, SOROSSES
SOVKHOZ	HKOOSVZ	state-owned farm in former Soviet Union, SOVKHOZES, SOVKHOZY
SPADIX	ADIP SX	flower cluster, SPADIXES, SPADICES
SPECTRUM	CEMPRSTU	array of components of light wave, SPECTRUMS, SPECTRA
SPECULUM	CELMPSUU	medical instrument, SPECULA, SPECULUMS
SPHERICS	CEHIPRSS	geometry of figures on surface of sphere, SPHERICS
SPHINX	HINPSX	monster in Egyptian mythology, SPHINXES, SPHINGES
SPHYNX	HNPSXY	cat of breed of hairless cats, SPHYNXES
SPICULA	ACILPSU	spicule (needlelike structure), SPICULAE
SPICULUM	CILMPSUU	spicule (needlelike structure), SPICULA
SPINULA	AILNPSU	spinule (small thorn) SPINULAE
SPIRILLA	AIILLPRS	spirally twisted, aerobic bacteria, SPIRILLA
SPIRITUS	IIPRSSTU	spirit SPIRITUS
SPIRULA	AILPRSU	spiral-shelled mollusk, SPIRULAE
SPLENIUM	EILMNPSU	surgical bandage, SPLENIA
SPLENIUS	EILNPSSU	muscle of neck, SPLENII
SPOONFUL	FLNOOPSU	as much as spoon can hold, SPOONFULS, SPOONFUL
SPOROZOA	AOOOPRSZ	parasitic one-celled animals, SPOROZOA
SPUTUM	MPSTUU	saliva (fluid secreted by glands of mouth), SPUTA, SPUTUMS
SQUAMA	AAMQSU	scale, SQUAMAE
SQUILLA	AILLQSU	burrowing crustacean, SQUILLAS, SQUILLAE
STACCATO	AACCOSTT	musical passage marked by short, clear-cut playing of tones, STACCATOS, STACCATI
STAPES	AEPSST	bone of middle ear, STAPEDES
STARETS	AERSSTT	spiritual adviser in Eastern Orthodox Church, STARTSY
STASIMON	AIMNOSST	choral ode in ancient Greek drama, STASIMA
STEMMA	AEMMST	scroll recording genealogy of family in ancient Rome, STEMMAS, STEMMATA
STENOSIS	EINOSST	narrowing of bodily passage, STENOSES
STERIGMA	AEGIMRST	spore-bearing stalk of certain fungi, STERIGMAS, STERIGMATA
STERNUM	EMNRSTU	long, flat supporting bone of most vertebrates, STERNUMS, STERNA



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STIGMA	AGIMST	mark of disgrace, STIGMAS, STIGMATA
STIMULUS	ILMSSTUU	something that causes response, STIMULI
STIRPS	IPRSST	family or branch of family, STIRPES
STOMA	AMOST	minute opening in epidermis of plant organ, STOMAS, STOMATA
STOMODEA	ADEMOOST	embryonic oral cavities, STOMODEA
STOTIN	INOSTT	monetary unit of SLOVENIA, STOTINS, STOTINOV
STOTINKA	AIKNOSTT	monetary unit of Bulgaria, STOTINKI
STRATUM	AMRSTTU	layer of material, STRATUMS, STRATA
STRATUS	ARSSTTU	type of cloud STRATI, STRATUSSES
STRETTA	AERSTTT	stretto (concluding musical passage played at faster tempo), STRETTAS, STRETTE
STRETTO	EORSTTT	concluding musical passage played at faster tempo, STRETTOS, STRETTI
STRIATUM	AIMRSTTU	mass of nervous tissue within brain STRIATA
STROBILA	ABILORST	entire body of tapeworm, STROBILAE
STROBILI	BIILORST	strobiles (conical, multiple fruit of certain trees), STROBILI
STROMA	AMORST	substance that forms framework of organ or cell, STROMAS, STROMATA
STRUMA	AMRSTU	scrofula (disease of lymph glands), STRUMAS, STRUMATA
STYLOPS	LOPSSTY	insect that is parasite of other insects, STYLOPS
STYLUS	LSSTUY	pointed instrument for writing, marking, or engraving, STYLUSES, STYLI
SUBCUTIS	BCISSTUU	deeper part of dermis, SUBCUTES
SUBGENUS	BEGNSSUU	subdivision of genus, SUBGENERA
SUBINDEX	BDEINSUX	subfix (distinguishing symbol or letter written below another character) SUBINDEXES, SUBINDICES
SUBTAXON	ABNOSTUX	subdivision of taxon (unit of scientific classification), SUBTAXONS, SUBTAXA
SUCCA	ACCHSU	sukkah (temporary shelter in which meals are eaten during Jewish festival), SUCCAHS, SUCCOTH
SUCCUBA	ABCCSUU	succubus (female demon), SUCCUBAS, SUCCUBAE
SUCCUBUS	BCCSSUUU	female demon, SUCCUBUSES, SUCCUBI
SUDARIUM	ADIMRSUU	cloth for wiping face, SUDARIUMS, SUDARIA
SUKKAH	AHKKSU	temporary shelter in which meals are eaten during Jewish festival, SUKKAHS, SUKKOTH, SUKKOT
SWIMWEAR	AEIMRSWW	clothing suitable for swimming SWIMWEAR
SYCOSIS	CIOSSSY	inflammatory disease of hair follicles, SYCOSES
SYLLABUS	ABLLSSUY	outline of course of study, SYLLABI
SYMPODIA	ADIMOPSY	plant stems made up of series of superposed branches, SYMPODIA
SYMPOSIA	AIMOPSSY	conferences for purpose of discussion, SYMPOSIA
SYNAPSIS	AINPSSSY	point at which nervous impulse passes from one neuron to another, SYNAPSES
SYNCONIUM	CIMNNOSUY	fleshy multiple fruit, SYCONIA
SYNCYTIA	ACINSTYY	masses of protoplasm resulting from cell fusion, SYNCYTIA
SYNDESIS	DEINSSSY	synapsis, SYNDESES
SYNGAS	AGNSSY	mixture of carbon monoxide and hydrogen used in chemical synthesis, SYNGASES, SYNGASSES
SYNKARYA	AAKNRSYY	cell nuclei formed by fusion of two preexisting nuclei, SYNKARYA
SYNOPSIS	INOPSSSY	summary, SYNOPSIS
SYNTAGMA	AAGMNSTY	syntactic element, SYNTAGMAS, SYNTAGMATA
SYNURA	ANRSUY	any of genus of protozoa, SYNURAE
SYRINX	INRSXY	vocal organ of bird, SYRINXES, SYRINGES

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TABLEAU	AABELTU	picture, TABLEAUS, TABLEAUX
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TABLEFUL	ABEFLLTU	as much as table can hold, TABLEFULS, TABLESFUL
TAENIA	AAEINT	headband worn in ancient Greece, TAENIAS, TAENIAE
TAGETES	AEEGSTT	flowering plant TAGETES
TAIGLACH	AACGHILT	teiglach (confection consisting of balls of dough boiled in honey), TAIGLACH
TALARIA	AAAILRT	winged sandals worn by various figures of classical mythology TALARIA
TALIPES	AEILPST	clubfoot (deformed foot), TALIPES
TALLIS	AILLST	tallith (Jewish prayer shawl), TALLISES, TALLISIM
TALLIT	AILLTT	tallith (Jewish prayer shawl), TALLITS, TALLITH
TALLITH	AHILLTT	Jewish prayer shawl, TALLITHS, TALLITHIM
TAMBALA	AAABLMT	monetary unit of Malawi, MATAMBALA
TANDOOR	ADNOORT	clay oven, TANDOORS, TANDOORI
TAPETUM	AEMPTTU	layer of cells in some plants, TAPETUMS, TAPETA
TARTUFO	AFORTTU	Italian ice-cream dessert TARTUFI, TARTUFOS
TECTRIX	CEIRTTX	small feather of bird's wing, TECTRICES
TECTUM	CEMTTU	rooflike structure, TECTUMS, TECTA
TEFILLIN	EFIILLNT	phylacteries worn by Jews, TEFILLIN
TEGMEN	EEGMNT	covering, TEGMINA
TEGMENTA	AEEGMNTT	anatomical coverings, TEGMENTA
TEGULA	AEGLTU	flat roof tile used in ancient Rome, TEGULAE
TEGUMEN	EEGMNTU	tegmen, TEGUMINA
TEIGLACH	ACEGHILT	confection consisting of balls of dough boiled in honey, TEIGLACH
TELAMON	AELMNOT	male figure used as supporting column TELAMONES
TELESIS	EEILSST	planned progress, TELESES
TELLY	ELTTY	television set, TELLYS, TELLIES
TEMBLOR	BELMORT	earthquake, TEMBLORS, TEMBLORES
TENACULA	AACELNTU	hooked surgical instruments, TENACULA
TENEBRAE	ABEEENRT	religious service, TENEBRAE
TENESI	EEINST	monetary unit of Turkmenistan, TENESI
TENIASIS	AEIINSST	infestation with tapeworms, TENIASSES
TENNIES	EEINNST	TENNY, tenne (monetary unit of Turkmenistan) [n] / low-cut sneakers, TENNIES
TENORINO	EINNOORT	high tenor, TENORINI
TENTORIA	AEINORTT	internal skeletons of heads of insects, TENTORIA
TENUTO	ENOTTU	musical note or chord held longer than its normal direction, TENUTOS, TENUTI
TERAPH	AEHPRT	image of Semitic household god, TERAPHIM
TERATOMA	AAEMORTT	type of tumor (abnormal swelling), TERATOMAS, TERATOMATA
TEREDO	DEEORT	bivalve mollusk, TEREDINES, TEREDOS
TERMINUS	EIMNRSTU	terminal, TERMINI
TERRARIA	AAEIRRRT	glass enclosures for plants or small animals, TERRARIA
TERRASSE	AEERRSST	paved area outside French cafe TERRASSE
TERZETTO	EEORTTTZ	vocal or instrumental trio, TERZETTOS, TERZETTI
TESSERA	AEERSST	small square used in mosaic work, TESSERAE
TESTUDO	DEOSTTU	portable screen used as shield by ancient Romans, TESTUDOS, TESTUDINES
THALAMUS	AAHLMSTU	part of brain, THALAMI
THALLUS	AHLLSTU	plant body without true root, stem, or leaf, THALLUSES, THALLI
THESAURI	AEHIRSTU	dictionaries of synonyms and antonyms, THESAURI
THORAX	AHORTX	part of body between neck and abdomen, THORAXES, THORACES



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THROMBUS	BHMORSTU	clot occluding blood vessel, THROMBI
THYMOMA	AHMMOTY	tumor arising from thymus tissue, THYOMAS, THYOMATA
THYMUS	HMSTUY	glandular structure in body, THYMUSES, THYMI
THYSUS	HRSTUY	type of flower cluster, THYSI
TIBIALIS	ABIIILST	muscle in calf of leg, TIBIALES
TIDYTIPS	DIIPSTTY	annual herb, TIDYTIPS
TIMPANO	AIMNOPT	kettledrum TIMPANI
TIMPANUM	AIMMNPTU	tympanum (middle ear), TIMPANUMS, TIMPANA
TINSNIPS	IINNPSTT	tool for cutting sheet metal, TINSNIPS
TIPSTAFF	AFFIPSTT	attendant in court of law, TIPSTAFFS, TIPSTAVES
TITMOUSE	EIMOSTTU	small bird, TITMICE
TOBACCO	ABCCOOT	annual herb cultivated for its leaves TOBACCOES, TOBACCOS
TOCCATA	AACCOTT	musical composition usually for organ, TOCCATAS, TOCCATE
TOLAR	ALORT	monetary unit of Slovenia, TOLARS, TOLARJEV
TOMENTUM	EMMNOTTU	network of small blood vessels, TOMENTA
TONNEAU	AENNOTU	rear seating compartment of vehicle, TONNEAUS, TONNEAUX
TORNADO	ADNOORT	violent windstorm, TORNADOS, TORNADOES
TORTELLI	EILLORTT	small stuffed pasta, TORTELLI, TORTELLIS
TORTRIX	IORRTTX	small moth TORTRICES, TORTRIXES
TORULA	ALORTU	type of fungus, TORULAS, TORULAE
TORUS	ORSTU	large, convex molding, TORUSES, TORI
TOWNFOLK	FKLNOOTW	inhabitants of town, TOWNFOLK
TOWNWEAR	AENORTWW	apparel suitable for wear in city, TOWNWEAR
TRACHEA	AACEHRT	passage for conveying air to lungs, TRACHEAS, TRACHEAE
TRADITOR	ADIORRTT	traitor among early Christians, TRADITORES
TRAPEZIA	AAEIPRTZ	four-sided polygons having no parallel sides, TRAPEZIA
TRAPEZII	AEIIPRTZ	triangular muscles of back, TRAPEZII
TRAUMA	AAMRTU	severe emotional shock, TRAUMAS, TRAUMATA
TREVALLY	AELLRTVY	Australian food fish, TREVALLIES, TREVALLYS
TRICHINA	ACHIINRT	parasitic worm, TRICHINAS, TRICHINAE
TRIENNIA	AEIINNRT	periods of three years, TRIENNIA
TRIFORIA	AFIIORRT	galleries in church, TRIFORIA
TRIHEDRA	ADEHIRRT	figures having three plane surfaces meeting at point, TRIHEDRA
TRINKUMS	IKMNRSTU	small ornaments, TRINKUMS
TRIUMVIR	IIMRRTUV	one of ruling body of three in ancient Rome, TRIUMVIRS, TRIUMVIRI
TRIVIUM	MIIRTUV	group of studies in medieval schools, TRIVIA
TROCHIL	CHILORT	African bird, TROCHILS, TROCHILI
TROCHLEA	ACHELORT	anatomical structure resembling pulley, TROCHLEAS, TROCHLEAE
TROUSERS	EORRSSTU	garment for lower part of body, TROUSERS
TRUMEAU	AEMRTUU	column supporting part of doorway, TRUMEAUX
TSADDIK	ADDIKST	zaddik (virtuous person by Jewish religious standards), TSADDIKIM
TSIMMES	EIMMSST	tzimmes (vegetable stew), TSIMMES
TSOORIS	IOORSST	tsuris (series of misfortunes), TSOORIS
TSOORISS	IOORSSST	tsuris, TSOORISS
TSORRISS	IORRSST	tsuris (series of misfortunes) TSORRISS
TSOURIS	IORSSTU	tsuris, TSOURIS



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TSURIS	IRSSTU	series of misfortunes, TSURIS, TSURISES
TUFOLI	FILOTU	large macaroni shell, TUFOLI
TUMULUS	LMSTUUU	mound over grave, TUMULI
TUNICA	ACINTU	enveloping membrane, TUNICAE
TUSSIS	ISSSTU	cough, TUSSISES, TUSSES
TUXEDO	DEOTUX	man's semiformal dinner coat, TUXEDOS, TUXEDOES
TYMPANO	AMNOPTY	timpano (kettledrum) TYMPANI
TYMPANUM	AMMNPTUY	middle ear, TYMPANA, TYMPANUMS
TZADDIK	DDIKTZ	zaddik (virtuous person by Jewish religious standards), TZADDIKIM
TZIMMES	EIMMSTZ	vegetable stew, TZIMMES
TZITZIS	IISTTZZ	zizith (tassels on four corners of Jewish prayer shawl), TZITZIS
TZITZIT	IITTTZZ	zizith (tassels on four corners of Jewish prayer shawl), TZITZIT
TZITZITH	HIITTTZZ	zizith (tassels on four corners of Jewish prayer shawl), TZITZITH