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## 7s **DI-** & **DY-** (two, twice, double)

DIABASE	AABDEIS	igneous rock [n -S]
DIACIDS	ACDDIIS	DIACID, type of acid (type of chemical compound) [n]
DIAMIDE	ADDEIIM	chemical compound [n -S]
DIAMINE	ADEIIMN	chemical compound [n -S]
DIAMINS	ADIIMNS	DIAMIN, diamine (chemical compound) [n]
DIAPSID	ADDIIPS	reptile with two pairs of temporal openings in skull [n -S]
DIARCHY	ACDHIRY	government with two rulers [n -HIES]
DIATOMS	ADIMOST	DIATOM, any of class of algae [n]
DIATRON	ADINORT	circuitry design that uses diodes [n -S]
DIAZINE	ADEIINZ	chemical compound [n -S]
DIAZINS	ADIINSZ	DIAZIN, diazine (chemical compound) [n]
DIAZOLE	ADEILOZ	chemical compound [n -S]
DIBASIC	ABCDIIS	having two replaceable hydrogen atoms [adj]
DICAMBA	AABCDIM	herbicide [n -S]
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DICLINY	CDIILNY	state of having stamens and pistils in separate flowers [n -NIES]
DICYCLY	CCDILYY	state of being dicyclic (having two maxima of population each year) [n -LIES]
DICOTYL	CDILOTY	dicot (plant with two seed leaves) [n -S]
DIESTER	DEEIRST	type of chemical compound [n -S]
DIETHER	DEEHIRT	chemical compound [n -S]
DIGAMMA	AADGIMM	Greek letter [n -S]
DIGLOTS	DGILOST	DIGLOT, bilingual book or edition [n]
DIGRAPH	ADGHIPR	pair of letters representing single speech sound [n -S]
DIGRESS	DEGIRSS	to stray from main topic [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
DILATED	ADDEILT	DILATE, to make wider or larger [v]
DILATER	ADEILRT	dilator (one that dilates (to make wider or larger)) [n -S]
DILATES	ADEILST	DILATE, to make wider or larger [v]
DILATOR	ADILORT	one that dilates (to make wider or larger) [n -S]
DILEMMA	ADEILMM	perplexing situation [n -S]
DIMERIC	CDEIIMR	dimerous (composed of two parts) [adj]
DIMETER	DEEIMRT	verse of two metrical feet [n -S]
DIMORPH	DHIMOPR	either of two distinct forms [n -S]
DINERIC	CDEIINR	pertaining to interface between two immiscible liquids [adj]
DINITRO	DIINORT	containing two nitro groups [adj]
DIOBOLS	BDILOOS	DIOBOL, coin of ancient Greece [n]
DIOPTER	DEIOPRT	measure of refractive power [n -S]
DIOPTRE	DEIOPRT	diopter (measure of refractive power) [n -S]
DIOXANE	ADEINOX	flammable liquid [n -S]
DIOXANS	ADINOSX	DIOXAN, dioxane (flammable liquid) [n]
DIOXIDE	DDEIIOX	type of oxide (binary compound of oxygen with another element or radical) [n -S]
DIOXIDS	DDIIOSX	DIOXID, dioxide (type of oxide (binary compound of oxygen with another element or radical)) [n]
DIOXINS	DIINOSX	DIOXIN, toxic solid hydrocarbon [n]
DIPHASE	ADEHIPS	having two phases [adj]
DIPLOID	DDIILOP	cell having basic chromosome number doubled [n -S]
DIPLOMA	ADILMOP	certificate of academic degree [n -S or -TA] / to furnish with diploma [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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DIPODIC	CDDIOP	DIPODY, dimeter (verse of two metrical feet) [adj]
DIPOLAR	ADILOPR	DIPOLE, pair of equal and opposite electric charges [adj]
DIPOLES	DEILOPS	DIPOLE, pair of equal and opposite electric charges [n]
DIPTERA	ADEIPRT	DIPTERON, dipteran (two-winged fly) [n]
DIPTYCA	ACDIPTY	diptych (ancient writing tablet) [n -S]
DIPTYCH	CDHIPTY	ancient writing tablet [n -S]
DIQUATS	ADIQSTU	DIQUAT, herbicide [n]
DISTOME	DEIMOST	parasitic flatworm [n -S]
DITHIOL	DHIILOT	containing two chemical groups both of which include sulfur and hydrogen [adj]
DIURONS	DINORSU	DIURON, herbicide [n]
DIVERGE	DEEGIRV	to move in different directions from common point [v -D, -GING, -S]
DYADICS	ACDDISY	DYADIC, sum of mathematical dyads [n]
DYARCHY	ACDHRYY	diarchy (government with two rulers) [n -HIES]
DYNODES	DDENOSY	DYNODE, type of electrode [n]

## 8s DI- & DY- (two, twice, double)

DIABASIC	AABCDIIS	DIABASE, igneous rock [adj]
DIACETYL	ACDEILTY	biacetyl (chemical flavor enhancer) [n -S]
DIACIDIC	ACDDIII	DIACID, type of acid (type of chemical compound) [adj]
DIAGRAPH	AADGHIPR	drawing device [n -S]
DIARCHAL	AACDHILR	DIARCHY, government with two rulers [adj]
DIARCHIC	ACCDHIIR	DIARCHY, government with two rulers [adj]
DIATOMIC	ACDIIMOT	composed of two atoms [adj]
DICENTRA	ACDEINRT	perennial herb [n -S]
DICHASIA	AACDHIIS	flower clusters [n]
DICHOTIC	CCDHIIOT	affecting two ears differently [adj]
DICHROIC	CCDHIIOR	having two colors [adj]
DICROTAL	ACDILORT	dicrotic (having double pulse beat) [adj]
DICROTIC	CCDIORT	having double pulse beat [adj]
DICYCLIC	CCCDIILY	having two maxima of population each year [adj]
DIDACTYL	ACDDILTY	having two digits at end of each limb [adj]
DIDYMIUM	DDIIMMUY	mixture of rare-earth elements [n -S]
DIDYMOUS	DDIMOSUY	occurring in pairs [adj]
DIDYNAMY	ADDIMNYY	state of having four stamens in pairs of unequal length [n -MIES]
DIECIOUS	CDEIIOSU	dioicous (unisexual) [adj]
DIERESIS	DEEIIRSS	separation of two vowels into two syllables [n -SES]
DIERETIC	CDEEIIRT	DIERESIS, separation of two vowels into two syllables [adj]
DIESTRUM	DEIMRSTU	diestrus (period of sexual inactivity) [n -S]
DIESTRUS	DEIRSSTU	period of sexual inactivity [n -ES]
DIGAMIES	ADEGIIMS	DIGAMY, second legal marriage [n]
DIGAMIST	ADGIIMST	one who practices digamy [n -S]
DIGAMOUS	ADGIMOSU	DIGAMY, second legal marriage [adj]
DIHEDRAL	ADDEHILR	dihedron (figure formed by two intersecting planes) [n -S]
DIHEDRON	DDEHINOR	figure formed by two intersecting planes [n -S]



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DIHYBRID	BDDHIIRY	offspring of parents differing in two pairs of genes [n -S]
DIHYDRIC	CDDHIIRY	containing two hydroxyl radicals [adj]
DILEMMIC	CDEIILMM	DILEMMA, perplexing situation [adj]
DIMERISM	DEIIMMRS	state of being dimerous (composed of two parts) [n -S]
DIMERIZE	DEEIIMRZ	to form dimer [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DIMEROUS	DEIMORSU	composed of two parts [adj]
DIMETHYL	DEHILMTY	ethane (gaseous hydrocarbon) [n -S]
DIMETRIC	CDEIIMRT	pertaining to type of crystal system [adj]
DIOBOLON	BDILNOOO	diobol (coin of ancient Greece) [n -S]
DIOECIES	CDEEIIOS	DIOECY, dioecism (state of being dioicous (unisexual)) [n]
DIOECISM	CDEIIMOS	state of being dioicous (unisexual) [n -S]
DIOICOUS	CDIIOOSU	unisexual [adj]
DIOLEFIN	DEFIILNO	hydrocarbon [n -S]
DIOPTRAL	ADILOPRT	DIOPTER, measure of refractive power [adj]
DIOPTRIC	CDIIOPRT	aiding vision by refraction [adj]
DIPHASIC	ACDHIIIPS	diphase (having two phases) [adj]
DIPHENYL	DEHILNPY	biphenyl (hydrocarbon) [n -S]
DIPLEGIA	ADEGIILP	paralysis of same part on both sides of body [n -S]
DIPLEGIC	CDEGIILP	DIPLEGIA, paralysis of same part on both sides of body [adj]
DIPLEXER	DEEILPRX	coupling device [n -S]
DIPLOIDY	DDIILOPY	condition of being diploid [n -DIES]
DIPLOPIA	ADIILOPP	double vision [n -S]
DIPLOPIC	CDIILOPP	DIPLOPIA, double vision [adj]
DIPLOPOD	DDILOOPP	multi-legged insect [n -S]
DIPODIES	DDEIIOPS	DIPODY, dimeter (verse of two metrical feet) [n]
DIPROTIC	CDIIOPRT	having two hydrogen ions to donate to bases [adj]
DIPTERAL	ADEILPRT	having two rows or columns [adj]
DIPTERAN	ADEINPRT	two-winged fly [n -S]
DIPTERON	DEINOPRT	dipteran (two-winged fly) [n -RA]
DISODIUM	DDIIMOSU	containing two sodium atoms [adj]
DITHEISM	DEHIIMST	belief in two coequal gods [n -S]
DITHEIST	DEHIISTT	adherent of ditheism [n -S]
DIVALENT	ADEILNTV	having valence of two [adj]
DIZYGOUS	DGIOSUYZ	developed from two fertilized ova [adj]
DYARCHAL	AACDHLRY	DYARCHY, diarchy (government with two rulers) [adj]
DYARCHIC	ACCDHIRY	DYARCHY, diarchy (government with two rulers) [adj]