

SILENT CONSONANTS make alphagrams tricky to decipher – golden scoring opportunities with these 8-letter bingos NWL23 Highlighted compiled by Jacob Cohen, Asheville Scrabble Club

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ABS C ISIN	ABCIINSS	regulatory substance found in plants [n -S]
ABS C ISSA	AABCISSS	particular geometric coordinates [n -S, -E]
ALI GH TED	ADEGHILT	ALIGHT, to come down from something [v]
ALI G NING	AGGIILNN	ALIGN, arrange in straight line [v]
ALTHOU GH	AGHHLOTU	despite fact that [conj]
AMIRI GH T	AGHIIMRT	am I right [interj]
ANS W ERED	ADEENRSW	ANSWER, to say, act, or write in return [v]
APOTHE G M	AEGHMOPT	maxim [n -S]
ARMA G NAC	AAACGMNR	French brandy [n -S]
AS C ENDED	ACDDEENS	ASCEND, to go or move upward [v]
AS C IDIAN	AACDIINS	small marine animal [s]
AS C IDIUM	ACDIIMSU	flask-shaped plant [n -IA]
ASSI G NED	ADEGINSS	ASSIGN, to set apart for particular purpose [v]
ASSI G NEE	AEEGINSS	one to whom property or right is legally transferred [n -S]
ASSI G NER	AEGINRSS	one that assigns [n -S]
ASSI G NOR	AGINORSS	one who legally transfers property or right [n -S]

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В

BARG H EST	ABEGHRST	goblin [n -S]
BEDUM B ED	BBDDEEMU	BEDUMB, to render speechless [v]
BE K NI GH T	BEGHIKNT	to raise to knighthood [v -ED, -ING, -S]
BENI G NLY	BEGILNNY	BENIGN, kind [adv]
BENUM B ED	BBDEEMNU	BENUMB, to make numb [v]
BESOU GH T	BEGHOSTU	past tense of beseech (to implore) [v]
B H EESTIE	BEEEHIST	bheesty [n -S]
B H ELPURI	BEHILPRU	dish of rice, spices, and chutney [n -S]
BI H OURLY	BHILORUY	occurring every two hours [adj]
BLI GH TED	BDEGHILT	BLIGHT, to cause decay [v]
BLI GH TER	BEGHILRT	one that blights [n -S]
BOE H MITE	BEEHIMOT	mineral [n -S]
BOM B LOAD	ABBDLMOO	quantity of bombs being carried [n -S]
BON H OMIE	BEHIMNOO	friendliness [n -S]
BORDEAU X	ABDEORUX	red or white wine [n BORDEAUX]
BOU GH POT	BGHOOPTU	large vase [n -S]
BOU GH TEN	BEGHNOTU	purchased [adj]
BRI GH TEN	BEGHINRT	to make bright [v -ED, -ING, -S]
BRI GH TLY	BGHILRTY	BRIGHT [adv]
BROU GH AM	ABGHMORU	type of carriage [n -S]
BU H LWORK	BHKLORUW	buhl (style of furniture decoration) [n -S]
BUNCOM B E	BBCEMNOU	nonsense [n -S]
BURGONE T	BEGNORTU	open helmet [n -S]



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CABBALAH
             AAABBCHL
                         cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n -S]
CABERNET
            ABCEENRT
                         dry red wine [n -S]
CACHALOT
                         large whale [n -S]
             AACCHLOT
            ACCDEEHT
                         CACHET, to print design on envelope [v]
CACHETED
            AAACGMNP
                         flat, open plain [n -NE]
CAMPAGNA
                         to conduct series of operation to reach specific goal [n -S]
CAMPAIGN
            AACGIMNP
CAPONIER
            ACEINOPR
                         type of defense [n -S]
                         to combine chemically with carbon [v -ED, -TTED, -ING, -TTING, -S]
CARBURET
            ABCERRTU
CATACOMB
            AABCCOMT
                         underground cemetery [n -S]
                         CHAPEAU, hat [n]
CHAPEAUX
             AACEHPUX
                         CHATEAU, large country house [n]
CHATEAUX
             AACEHTUX
                         part of stringed instrument [n -S]
CHEVALET
            ACEEHLTV
                         CHETRUM, monetary unit of Bhutan [n]
CHHERTUM
            CEHHMRTU
CHRISTEN
            CEHINRST
                         to baptize [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CHUTZPAH
             ACHHPTUZ
                         supreme self-confidence [n -S]
CLADDAGH
            AACDDGHL
                         ring designed with two hands [n -S]
                         CLIMB, to ascend [v]
CLIMBING
             BCGIILMN
CODEBTOR
            BCDEOORT
                         one that shares debt [n -S]
                         to design jointly [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CODESIGN
             CDEGINOS
COIGNING
            CGGIINNO
                         COIGN, to quoin (to secure with type of wedge) [v]
             BCEIKLMO
                         resembling a comb (toothed instrument) [adj]
COMBLIKE
COMBOVER
             BCEMOORV
                         hair that is combed over bald spot [n -S]
                         Australian gum tree [n -S]
COOLABAH
            AABCHLOO
COOLIBAH
             ABCHILOO
                         coolabah (Australian gum tree) [n -S]
COPPERAH
             ACEHOPPR
                         copra (dried coconut) [n -S]
            ACMMOPRS
                         enlisted man trained in first aid [n -MEN]
CORPSMAN
             CDEGINOS
                         COSIGN, to sign jointly [v]
COSIGNED
            CEGINORS
                         one that cosigns [n -S]
COSIGNER
COUGHING
            CGGHINOU
                         COUGH, to expel air from lungs noisily [v]
                         COUTEAU, knife [n]
COUTEAUX
            ACEOTUUX
            CEIORRTW
                         one that cowrites [n -S]
COWRITER
COXSWAIN
            ACINOSWX
                         to direct (crew) as coxswain [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CRESCIVE
            CCEEIRSV
                         increasing [adj]
CROTCHET
            CCEHORTT
                         small hook [n -S]
CROUPIER
            CEIOPRRU
                         attendant at casino [n -S]
CRUMBIER
             BCEIMRRU
                         comparative of crumby (full of crumbs) [adj]
                         CRUMB, to break into crumbs (small pieces) [v]
CRUMBING
             BCGIMNRU
                         comblike anatomical structures [n]
CTENIDIA
            ACDEIINT
                         cabinet (piece of furniture with drawers and shelves) [n -S]
CUPBOARD
            ABCDOPRU
                         daughter of czar [n -S]
CZAREVNA
             AACENRVZ
CZARITZA
            AACIRTZZ
                         czarina [n -S]
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DAHABEA H	AAABDEHH	large passenger boat [n -S]
DAHABIE H	AABDEHHI	dahabeah (large passenger boat) [n -S]
DAM N ABLE	AABDELMN	detestable [adj]



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DAMNDEST
             ADDEMNST
                         utmost [n -S]
DAMNEDER
             ADDEEMNR
                         damnable (detestable) [adj]
                         female child [n -S]
DAUGHTER
            ADEGHRTU
DEBTLESS
             BDEELSST
                         DEBT, something that is owed [adj]
                         DEIGN, to lower oneself to do something [v]
DEIGNING
             DEGGIINN
             DDEEGINS
                         DESIGN, to conceive and plan out [v]
DESIGNED
DESIGNER
            DEEGINRS
                         one that designs [n -S]
                         DHOOLY, dooly (doolee (stretcher for sick or wounded)) [n]
DHOOLIES
            DEHILOOS
DIARRHEA
            AADEHIRR
                         intestinal disorder [n -S]
             DGGHIINT
                         DIGHT, to adorn [v]
DIGHTING
DINGHIES
            DEGHIINS
                         DINGHY, small boat [n]
                         to cause to become follower [v -D, -LING, -S]
DISCIPLE
            CDEIIPLS
                         to drop bombs on target from diving airplane [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DIVEBOMB
             BBDEIMOV
DJELLABA
            AABDEJLL
                         long hooded garment [n -S]
            BDKNOOOR
                         handle for opening door [n -S]
DOORKNOB
            BDGHOOUY
                         infantryman [n -S]
DOUGHBOY
                         DOUGHY, resembling dough [adj]
DOUGHIER
            DEGHIORU
DOUGHNUT
            DGHNOTUU
                         ring-shaped cake [n -S]
                         drafty [adj -TIER, -TIEST]
DRAUGHTY
            ADGHRTUY
DROUGHTY
             DGHORTUY
                         dry [adj -TIER, -TIEST]
            BDENNOTU
                         red color [n -S]
DUBONNET
DUMBBELL
             BBDELLMU
                         weight lifted for muscular exercise [n -S]
             ABCDEMNU
                         tropical plant [n -S]
DUMBCANE
DUMBHEAD
             ABDDEHMU
                         stupid person [n -S]
DUMBNESS
             BDEMNSSU
                         state of being dumb [n -ES]
                         to reduce workforce so low that work cannot be done effectively [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DUMBSIZE
             BDEIMSUZ
             DFKMMOPU
                         dolt (stupid person) [n -S]
DUMMKOPF
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EC H INOID	CDEHIINO	spiny marine mammal [n -S]
EC H OGRAM	ACEGHMOR	record produced by device that uses ultrasonic waves [n -S]
EC H OLESS	CEEHLOSS	producing no echo (repetition of sound by reflection of sound waves) [adj]
EI GH TEEN	EEEGHINT	number [n -S]
EI GH THLY	EGHHILTY	in eighth place [adv]
ELOI G NED	DEEGILNO	ELOIGN, to remove to distant place [v]
ELOI G NER	EEGILNOR	one that eloigns (to remove to distant place) [n -S]
ENC H ORIC	CCEHINOR	belonging to particular country [adj]
enjam b ed	ABDEEJMN	marked by continuation of sentence from one line of poem to next [adj]
ENSI G NCY	CEGINNSY	rank of ensign (navy officer) [n -CIES]
ENTOM B ED	BDEEMNOT	ENTOMB, to place in tomb [v]
ENTREPO T	EENOPRTT	warehouse [n -S]
ENWOM B ED	BDEEMNOW	ENWOMB, to enclose as if in womb [v]
EREW H ILE	EEEHILRW	some time ago [adv]
ESCARGO T	ACEGORST	edible snail [n -S]
EYESI GH T	EEGHISTY	ability to see [n -S]



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		<u>.</u>
FA H LBAND	AABDFHLN	band or strata of rock impregnated with metallic sulfides [n -S]
FAS C IATE	AACEFIST	FASCIA, broad and distinct band of color [adj]
FAS C ICLE	ACCEFILS	small bundle [n -S]
FAS C ITIS	ACFIISST	inflammation of connective tissue [n -ES]
FAS T ENER	AEEFNRST	one that fastens (to secure) [n -S]
FAU X HAWK	AAFHKUWX	hairstyle resembling mohawk [n -S]
FEI G NING	EFGGIINN	FEIGN, to pretend [v]
FEVERFE W	EEEFFRVW	perennial herb [n -S]
FE W TRILS	EFILRSTW	things of little value [n]
FI GH TING	FGGHIINT	FIGHT, to attempt to defeat adversary, [v]
FILE T ING	EFGIILNT	FILET, to fillet (to cut boneless slices from) [v]
FINOC H IO	CFHIINOO	perennial herb [n -S]
FIREBOM B	BBEFIMOR	to attack with incendiary bombs [v -ED, -ING, -S]
FLYW H EEL	EEFHLLWY	heavy disk used in machinery [n -S]
FOU GH TEN	EFGHNOTU	exhausted [adj]
FURLOU GH	FGHLORUU	to grant a leave of absence [v -ED, -ING, -S]

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G

GALABIE H	AABEGHIL	djellaba (long hooded garment) [n -S]
G H ARRIES	AEGHIRRS	GHARRY, carriage used in India [n]
G H ASTFUL	AFGHLSTU	frightful [adj]
G H ERAOED	ADEEGHOR	GHERAO, to coerce by physical means [v]
G H ERAOES	AEEGHORS	GHERAO, to coerce by physical means [v]
G H ETTOED	DEEGHOTT	GHETTO, to isolate in slum [v]
G H ETTOES	EEGHOSTT	GHETTO, to isolate in slum [v]
G H OSTIER	EGHIORST	GHOSTY, ghostly (spectral) [adj]
G H OSTING	GGHINOST	GHOST, to haunt [v]
G H OULISH	GHHILOSU	GHOUL, demon [adj]
GLU H WEIN	EGHILNUW	wine flavored with spices [n -S]
G NARLIER	AEGILNRR	GNARLY, gnarled [adj]
G NARLING	AGGILNNR	GNARL, to twist into state of deformity [v]
G NARRING	AGGGINRR	to gnar (to snarl) [v]
G NASHING	AGGHINNS	GNASH, to grind teeth together [v]
G NATHION	AGHINNOT	tip of chin [n -S]
G NATHITE	AEGHINTT	jawlike appendage of insect [n -S]
G NATLIKE	AEGIKLNT	resembling a gnat [adj]
G NATTIER	AEGINRTT	GNATTY, infested with gnats [adj]
G NEISSES	EEGINSSS	GNEISS, type of rock [n]
G NEISSIC	CEGIINSS	GNEISS, type of rock [adj]
G NOCCHIS	CCGHINOS	GNOCCHI, dumplings made of pasta [n]
G NOMICAL	ACGILMNO	gnomic (resembling or containing aphorisms) [adj]
G NOMONIC	CGIMNNOO	GNOMON, part of sundial [adj]
GROS C HEN	CEGHNORS	formerly used Austrian coin [n GROSCHEN]
GUNSI GH T	GGHINSTU	device on gun for aiming [n -S]



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AAGHKMNY athletic meet [n -S] GYMK**H**ANA

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HABDALA H	AAABDHHL	Jewish ceremony [n -S]
HAFTARA H	AAAFHHRT	haphtara (biblical selection) [n -S, -ROS, ROT, -ROTH]
HAFTORA H	AAFHHORT	haphtara (biblical selection) [n -S, -ROS, ROT, -ROTH]
HAGGADA H	AAADGGHH	biblical narrative [n -DAHS, -DOT, -DOTH]
HALAK H A H	AAAHHHKL	halacha (legal part of Talmud) [n -S, -KHOT]
HAS T ENED	ADEEHNST	HASTEN, to hurry [v]
HAS T ENER	AEEHNRST	one that hastens [n -S]
H AUTBOI S	ABHIOSTU	hautboy (oboe) [n -S]
HAVDALA H	AAADHHLV	habdalah (Jewish ceremony) [n -S]
HECATOM B	ABCEHMOT	great sacrifice or slaughter [n -S]
HEI GH TEN	EEGHHINT	to raise [v -ED, -ING, -S]
H EIRLESS	EEHILRSS	having no inheritors [adj]
H EIRLOOM	EHILMOOR	inherited possession [n -S]
H EIRSHIP	EHHIIPRS	right to inheritance [n -S]
HERBAGED	ABDEEGHR	HERBAGE, nonwoody plant life [adj]
H ERBARIA	AABEHIRR	collections of dried plants [n]
H ERBIEST	BEEHIRST	HERBY, abounding in herbs [adj]
H ERBLESS	BEEHLRSS	lacking herbs [adj]
H ERBLIKE	BEEHIKLR	resembling herb [adj]
HICCOU GH	CCGHHIOU	to hiccup (to make particular sounding spasmodic inhalation) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
HOORA H ED	ADEHHOOR	HOORAH, to hurrah (to cheer (to applauds with shouts of approval)) [v]
HOSANNA H	AAHHNNOS	shout f fervent praise [n -S]
HOTELIER	EEHILORT	hotel manager [n -S]
H OURLIES	EHILORSU	HOURLY, worker paid by hour [n]
H OURLONG	GHLNOORU	lasting hour [adj]
HUISACHE	ACEHHISU	flowering plant [n -S]
HUS T LING	GHILNSTU	HUSTLE, to hurry [v]
HUZZA H ED	ADEHHUZZ	HUZZAH, to huzza (to cheer) [v]
HYM N BOOK	BHKMNOOY	hymnal [n -S]
HYM N LESS	EHLMNSSY	lacking hymn [adj]
HYM N LIKE	EHIKLMNY	resembling hymn [adj]
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IMPU G NED	DEGIMNPU	IMPUGN, to make insinuations against [v]
IMPU G NER	EGIMNPRU	one that impugns [n -S]
INC H OATE	ACEHINOT	being in early stage [adj]
INDE B TED	BDDEEINT	beholden [adj]
INDI C TED	CDDEIINT	INDICT, to charge with crime [v]
INDI C TEE	CDEEEINT	one that is indicted [n -S]
INDI C TER	CDEIINRT	one that indicts [n -S]
INDI C TOR	CDIINORT	indicter (one that indicts) [n -S]
INFLI GH T	FGHIILNT	done during voyage [adj]



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INFOBA H N	ABFHINNO	electronic communications [n -S]
INTOM B ED	BDEIMNOT	INTOMB, to entomb (to place in tomb) [v]
I S LANDED	ADDEILNS	ISLAND, to make into island (land area entirely surrounded by water) [v]
I S LANDER	ADEILNRS	one that lives on island [n -S]
I S LELESS	EEILLSSS	lacking isle [adj]

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JAGG**H**ERY **AEGGHJRY** jaggery (coarse, dark sugar) [n -RIES]

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K
                          cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n -S]
KABBALAH
             AAABBHKL
KAFFIYAH
             AAFFHIKY
                          kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
                          large, square kerchief [n -S]
KAFFIYEH
             AEFFHIKY
                          kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
KEFFIYAH
             AEFFHIKY
KEFFIYEH
             EEFFHIKY
                          kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
KHAMSEEN
             AEEHKMNS
                          khamsin (hot, dry wind) [n -S]
                          KHAZEN, hazzan (hazan (cantor (religious singer))) [n]
KHAZENIM
             AEHIKMNZ
KHEDIVAL
             ADEHIKLV
                          KHEDIVE, Turkish viceroy [adj]
             AACKKNPS
                          bag carried on back [n -S]
KNAPSACK
KNAPWEED
             ADEEKNPW
                          meadow plant [n -S]
KNEADING
                          KNEAD, to work into uniform mixture with hands [v]
             ADEGIKNN
KNEEHOLE
             EEEHKLNO
                          space for knees [n -S]
KNEELING
             EEGIKLNN
                          KNEEL, to rest on knees [v]
                          pressing of one's knees against another person's knees [n]
KNEESIES
             EEEIKNSS
                          sock reaching up to knee [n -S]
KNEESOCK
             CEEKKNOS
KNELLING
             EGIKLLNN
                          KNELL, to sound bell [v]
KNICKERS
             CEIKKNRS
                          loose-fitting pants gathered at knee [n]
                          KNIGHT, to make knight (medieval gentleman-soldier) of [v]
             DEGHIKNT
KNIGHTED
             GHIKLNTY
                          of or befitting knight [adj]
KNIGHTLY
                          comfrey (coarse herb) [n -S]
KNITBONE
             BEIKNNOT
                          KNIT, to make fabric or garment by joining loops of yarn [v]
KNITTING
             GIIKNNTT
KNITWEAR
             AEIKNRTW
                          knitted clothing [n KNITWEAR]
KNOBBIER
             BBEIKNOR
                          KNOBBY, full of knobs [adj]
             BBGIKNNO
                          KNOB, to provide with knob (rounded protuberance) [v]
KNOBBING
KNOBLIKE
             BEIKKLNO
                          resembling knob [adj]
KNOCKING
             CGIKKNNO
                          KNOCK, to strike sharply [v]
KNOCKOFF
             CFFKKNOO
                          copy that sells for less than original [n -S]
                          blow that induces unconsciousness [n -S]
KNOCKOUT
             CKKNOOTU
             GIKLLNNO
                          KNOLL, to knell (to sound bell) [v]
KNOLLING
             ADEHKNOT
                          stupid person [n -S]
KNOTHEAD
KNOTHOLE
             EHKLNOOT
                          hole in plank [n -S]
KNOTLESS
             EKLNOSST
                          having no knots [adj]
KNOTLIKE
             EIKKLNOT
                          resembling knot [adj]
                          KNOTTY, full of knots [adj]
KNOTTIER
             EIKNORTT
KNOTTING
             GIKNNOTT
                          KNOT, tie in knot (closed loop) [v]
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K NOTWEED	DEKNOTTW	common weed [n -S]
KNOUTING	GIKNNOTU	KNOUT, to flog with leather whip [v]
K NUBBIER	BEBIKNRU	KNUBBY, nubby (having nubs (protuberance or knob)) [adj]
K NUCKLER	CEKKLNRU	type of baseball pitch [n -S]
K NURLIER	EIKLNRRU	KNURLY, gnarly (gnarled (gnarl (to twist into state of deformity))) [adj]
K NURLING	GIKLNNRU	KNURL, to make grooves or ridges in [v]
KO H LRABI	ABHIKLOR	variety of cabbage [n -ES]
KOLK H OSY	HKKLOOSY	kolkhoz (collective farm in Russia) [n]
KOLK H OZY	HKKLOOYZ	kolkhoz (collective farm in Russia) [n]

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LAM B IEST	ABEILMST	LAMBY, resembling lamb [adj]
LAM B KILL	ABIKLLLM	evergreen shrub [n -S]
LAM B LIKE	ABEIKLLM	resembling lamb [adj]
LAM B SKIN	ABIKLMNS	skin of lamb [n -S]
LAU GH ING	AGGHILNU	LAUGH, to express emotion, typically mirth, by series of inarticulate sounds [v]
LAU GH TER	AEGHLRTU	act or sound of one that laughs [n -S]
LEN G THEN	EEGHLNNT	to make or become longer [v -ED, -ING, -S]
LE W DNESS	DEELNSSW	state of being lewd (obscene) [n -ES]
LI GH TFUL	FGHILLTU	brightly illuminated [adj]
LI GH TING	GGHIILNT	LIGHT, to illuminate [v]
LI GH TISH	GHHIILST	somewhat light [adj]
LIMBLESS	BEILLMSS	having nor arms or legs [adj]
LIMEKIL N	EIIKLLMN	furnace in which shells are burned to produced lime [n -S]
LIS T ENED	DEEILNST	LISTEN, to make conscious use of sense of hearing [v]
LIS T ENER	EEILNRST	one that listens [n -S]

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MADRASA H	AAADHMRS	madrassa (Muslim school) [n -S]
Ma h jong g	AGGHJMNO	mahjong (game of Chinese origin) [n -S]
MALI G NED	ADEGILNM	MALIGN, to speak evil of [v]
MALI G NER	AEGILMNR	one that maligns [n -S]
MALI G NLY	AGILLMNY	in evil manner [adv]
MARABOU T	AABMORTU	marabou (African stork) [n -S]
MASHGIA H	AAGHHIMS	inspector of kosher establishments [n -IHIM]
MASTABA H	AAABHMST	mastaba (ancient Egyptian tomb) [n -S]
MEGILLA H	AEGHILLM	long, involved story [n -S]
MESHUGA H	AEGHHMSU	meshuga (crazy) [adj]
MICROM H O	CHIMMOOR	unit of electrical conductance [n -S]
MIGNONNE	EGIMNNNO	daintily small [adj]
MI J NHEER	EEHIJMNR	mynheer (Dutch title of courtesy for man) [n -S]
MILLIM H O	HIILLMMO	unit of electrical conductance [n -S]
MILLIO H M	HIILLMMO	unit of electrical resistance [n -S]
MIREPOI X	EIIMOPRX	sauteed mixture of diced vegetables [n MIREPOIX]
MISALI G N	AGIILMNS	to align improperly [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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MIS C IBLE	BCEIILMS	capable of being mixed [adj]
MIS W RITE	EIIMRSTW	to write incorrectly [v MISWRIT, -ROTE, -TTEN, -TING, -S]
M NEMONIC	CEIMMNNO	device to assist memory [n -S]
MO N SIEUR	EIMNORSU	French title of courtesy for man [n MESSIEURS]
MORCEAU X	ACEMORUX	MORCEAU, short literary or musical composition [n]
MOUSSEU X	EMOSSUUX	sparkling wine [n MOUSSEUX]
MURR H INE	EHIMNRRU	murra (substance used to make fine vases and cups in ancient Rome) [adj]
MUS C LING	CGILMNSU	MUSCLE, to proceed by force [v]

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Nap h thol	AHHLNOPT	chemical compound [n -S]
NAP H THYL	AHHLNPTY	radical derived from naphthalene
NARGILE H	AEGHILNR	narghile (hookah) [n -S]
NARW H ALE	AAEHLNRW	narwhal (arctic aquatic animal) [n -S]
NAS C ENCE	ACCEENNS	nascency (birth; origin) [n -S]
NAS C ENCY	ACCENNSY	birth; origin [n -CIES]
NEI GH BOR	BEGHINOR	to live close to [v -ED, -ING, -S]
NEI GH ING	EGGHIINN	NEIGH, to utter cry of horse [v]
NES C IENT	CEEINNST	one who is ignorant [n -S]
NES T LING	EGILNNST	NESTLE, to be snugly [v]
NIC H ROME	CEHIMNOR	trademark [n -S]
NI GH NESS	EGHINNSS	state of being nigh (near) [n -ES]
NI GH TCAP	ACGHINPT	cap worn to bed [n -S]
NI GH TJAR	AGHIJNRT	nocturnal bird [n -S]
NI H ILISM	HIIIILMNS	doctrine that denies traditional values [n -S]
NONO H MIC	CHIMNNOO	not measured in ohms [adj]
NONW H ITE	EHINNOTW	person who is not of white race [n -S]
NUDZ H ING	DGHINNUZ	NUDZH, to noodge (to nag (to find fault incessantly)) [v]
NUM B FISH	BFHIMNSU	fish capable of emitting electrical shocks [n -S]
NUMBNESS	BEMNNSSU	state of being numb (lacking sensation) [n -S]
NUMBNUTS	BMNNSTUU	offensive word [n]

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OBEA H ISM	ABEHIMOS	use of obeah (form of sorcery of African origin) [n -S]
OC H ERISH	ECHHIORS	resembling ocher [adj]
OF T ENEST	EEFNOSTT	OFTEN, frequent [adv]
OG H AMIST	AGHIMOST	one who writes in ogham (old Irish alphabet) [n -S]
O HM METER	EEHMMORT	instrument for measuring ohmage [n -S]
OOMPA H ED	ADEHMOOP	OOMPAH, to play repeated rhythmic bass accompaniment [v]
OPPU G NED	DEGNOPPU	OPPUGN, to assail with argument [v]
OPPU G NER	EGNOPPRU	one that oppugns (to assail with argument) [n -S]
OS C ININE	CEIINNOS	OSCINE, any of family of songbirds [adj]
OS C ITANT	ACINOSTT	yawning [adj]
OUTFI GH T	FGHIOTTU	to defeat [v -FOUGHT, -ING, -S]
OUTLAU GH	AGHLOTUU	to surpass in laughing [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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OUT**P**SYCH **CHOPSUTY** to defeat by psychological means [v -ED, -ING, -S] **OUTSIGHT GHIOSTTU** power of perceiving external things [n -S] to weigh more than [v -ED, -ING, -S] OUTWEIGH EGHIOTUW OUTW**H**IRL HILORTUW to surpass in whirling [v -ED, -ING, -S] **OUTWRITE EIOTTRUW** to write better than [v OUTWRIT, -ROTE, -TTEN, -TING, -S] OVERHI**GH EGHHIORV** too high [adj]

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PADISHAH
             AADHHIPS
                          sovereign [n -S]
                          small dog having large ears [n -S]
PAPILLON
             AILLNOPP
PARACHOR
            AACHOPRR
                          mathematical constant that relates molecular volume to surface tension [n -S]
             AADGIMPR
                          pattern or example [n -S]
PARADIGM
PARASHAH
             AAAHHPRS
                          portion of Torah read on Sabbath [n -S, -SHOTH, -SHOT]
PEIGNOIR
             EGIINOPR
                          woman's gown [n -S]
PINOCHLE
             CEHILNOP
                          card game [n -S]
                          to revolve at end of stick [v -ED, -ING, -S]
PINWHEEL
             EEHILNPW
PLIGHTED
             DEGHILPT
                          PLIGHT, to promise or bind by solemn pledge [v]
                          one that plights (to promise or bind by solemn pledge) [n -S]
PLIGHTER
             EGHILPRT
PLOUGHED
             DEGHLOPU
                          PLOUGH, to plow (to turn up land with plow (farm implement)) [v]
                          one that ploughs [n -S]
PLOUGHER
             EGHLOPRU
PLUMBERY
             BELMPRUY
                          work of plumber [n -RIES]
PLUMBING
             BGILMNPU
                          pipe system of building [n -S]
PNEUMATA
            AAEMNPTU
                          PNEUMA, soul or spirit [n]
PRECIEUX
             CEEIPRUX
                          excessively refined [adj]
                          PRECIS, to make concise summary of [v]
PRECISED
             CDEEIPRS
             EFGHIPRT
                          preceding fight [adj]
PREFIGHT
             EEGHIPRW
                          to weigh beforehand [v -ED, -ING, -S]
PREWEIGH
PSALMING
             AGILMNPS
                          PSALM, to praise in psalms (sacred songs) [v]
PSALMIST
             AILMPSST
                          writer of psalms [n -S]
PSALMODY
             ADLMOPSY
                          use of psalms in worship [n -DIES]
PSALTERY
             AELPRSTY
                          ancient stringed musical instrument [n -RIES]
PSAMMITE
             AEIMMPST
                          fine-grained rock [n -S]
PSILOCIN
             CIILNOPS
                          hallucinogenic drug [n -S]
PSILOSIS
             IILOPSSS
                          tropical disease [n -SES]
PSILOTIC
             CIILOPST
                          PSILOSIS, tropical disease [adj]
                          plant of bean family [n -S]
PSORALEA
             AAELOPRS
             AELNOPRS
                          drug used to treat psoriasis [n -S]
PSORALEN
             CGHINPSY
                          PSYCH, to put into proper frame of mind [v]
PSYCHING
PSYCHISM
             CHIMPSSY
                          belief that there is fluid that animates all living beings [n -S]
PSYLLIUM
             ILLMPSUY
                          seed of fleawort [n -S]
PTEROPOD
             DEOOPPRT
                          type of mollusk [n -S]
                          fleshy growths over cornea [n]
PTERYGIA
             AEGIPRTY
PTOMAINE
             AEIMNOPT
                          compound produced by decomposition of protein [n -S]
PTYALISM
             AILMPSTY
                          excessive flow of saliva [n -S]
PURLIEUX
             EILPRUUX
                          PURLIEU, outlying or neighboring area [n]
                          discharge of pus [n -S]
PYORRHEA
             AEHOPRRY
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Q

QUILLAJA AAIJLLQU quillai (evergreen tree) [n -S]

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		R
RAGOU T ED	ADEGORTU	RAGOUT, to make into highly seasoned stew [v]
REAS C ENT	ACEENRST	new or second ascent [n -S]
REASSI G N	AEGINRSS	ASSIGN, to set apart for particular purpose [v -ED, -ING, -S]
REFAS T EN	AEEFNRST	FASTEN, to secure (to make firm or tight) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
RESI G NED	DEEGINRS	RESIGN, to give up one's position [v]
RESI G NER	EEGINRRS	one that resigns [n -S]
RESOF T EN	EEFONRST	SOFTEN, to make soft (yielding readily to pressure) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
RESOU GH T	EGHORSTU	RESEEK, SEEK, to go in search of [v]
R H ABDOME	ABDEHMOR	rhabdom (rodlike structure in retinula) [n -S]
R H AMNOSE	AEHMNORS	sugar found in plants [n -S]
R H APSODE	ADEHOPRS	reciter of epic poetry in ancient Greece [n -S]
R H APSODY	ADHOPRSY	exalted expression of feeling [n -DIES]
R H EMATIC	ACEHIMRT	pertaining to verb [adj]
R H EOBASE	ABEEHORS	smallest amount of electricity required to stimulate nerve [n -S]
R H EOLOGY	EGHLOORY	study of matter in fluid state [n -GIES]
R H EOPHIL	EHHILOPR	living in flowing water [adj]
R H EOSTAT	AEHORSTT	resistor used to control electric current [n -S]
R H ESUSES	EEHRSSSU	RHESUS, Asian monkey [n]
R H ETORIC	CEHIORRT	study of effective speech and writing [n -S]
R H EUMIER	EEHIMRRU	RHEUMY, marked by rheum (watery discharge from eyes or nose) [adj]
R H INITIS	HIIINRST	inflammation of mucus membranes of nose [n -IDES, -ES]
R H IZOBIA	ABHIIORZ	rod-shaped bacteria [n]
R H IZOPOD	DHIOOPRZ	any of class of protozoans [n -S]
R H IZOPUS	HIOPRSUZ	any of genus of mold fungi [n -ES, -PI]
R H ODAMIN	ADHIMNOR	red dye [n -S]
R H OMBOID	BDHIMOOR	type of geometric figure [n -S]
R H ONCHUS	CHHNORSU	rattling respiratory sound [n -CHI]
R H UMBAED	ABDEHMRU	RHUMBA, to rumba (to perform ballroom dance) [v]
R H YOLITE	EHILORTY	volcanic rock [n -S]
R H YTHMIC	CHHIMRTY	science of rhythm [n -S]
RICOCHE T	CCEHIORT	to rebound from surface [v -ED, -TTED, -ING, -TTING, -S]
RI GH TEST	EGHIRSTT	RIGHT, being in accordance with what is good, proper, or just [adj]
RI GH TFUL	FGHILRTU	just or proper [adj]
RI GH TIER	EGHIIRRT	RIGHTY, politically conservative [adj]
RI GH TIES	EGHIIRST	RIGHTY, right-handed person [n]
RI GH TING	GGHIINRT	RIGHT, to put in proper order or condition [v]
RI GH TISM	GHIIMRST	conservative political philosophy [n -S]
RI GH TIST	GHIIRSTT	advocate of rightism (conservative political philosophy) [n -S]
RONDEAU X	ADENORUX	RONDEAU, short poem of fixed form [n]
RONDELE T	DEELNORT	rondeau of 5 or 7 lines [n -S]



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ROQUETED DEEOQRTU ROQUET, to cause one's own ball to hit another in croquet [v]

RUS**T**LING GILNRSTU RUSTLE, to make succession of slight soft sounds [v]

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S

SAVANNA H	AAAHNNSV	savanna (flat, treeless grassland) [n -S]
S C IAENID	ACDEIINS	carnivorous fish [n -S]
S C IATICA	AACCIIST	painful disorder of hip and adjoining areas [n -S]
S C ILICET	CCEIILST	namely [adv]
S C IMETAR	ACEIMRST	scimitar (curved sword used by Arabs and Turks) [n -S]
S C IMITAR	ACIIMRST	curved sword used by Arabs and Turks [n -S]
S C IMITER	CEIIMRST	scimitar (curved sword use by Arabs and Turks) [n -S]
S C INCOID	CCDIINOS	one of family of smooth short-limbed lizards [n -S]
S C IOLISM	CIILMOSS	superficial knowledge [n -S]
S C IOLIST	CIILOSST	one whose knowledge is superficial [n -S]
S C IROCCO	CCCIOORS	sirocco (hot, dry wind) [n -S]
S C IRRHUS	CHIRRSSU	hard tumor [n -ES, -HI]
S C ISSILE	CEIILSSS	capable of being cut or split easily [adj]
SCISSION	CIINOSSS	act of cutting or splitting [n -S]
S C ISSURE	CEIRSSSU	lengthwise cut [n -S]
S C IURINE	CEIINRSU	rodent of squirrel family [n -S]
S C IUROID	CDIIORSU	resembling squirrel [adj]
S C YPHATE	ACEHPSTY	shaped like cup [adj]
S C YTHING	CGHINSTY	SCYTHE, to cut with scythe (single-bladed cutting implement) [v]
SEI G NEUR	EEGINRSU	seignior (feudal lord) [n -S]
SEI G NIOR	EGIINORS	feudal lord [n -S]
SEI G NORY	EGINORSY	power of seignior (feudal lord) [n -RIES]
SELVE D GE	DEEEGLSV	selvage (edge of woven fabric finished to prevent raveling) [n -S]
SEN H ORES	EEHNORSS	SENHOR, Portuguese or Brazilian gentleman [n]
SERA G LIO	AEGILORS	harem [n -S]
SHADK H AN	AADHHKNS	shadchan (Jewish marriage broker) [n -S, -IM]
SHEP H ERD	DEEHHPRS	to watch over carefully [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SI GH LESS	EGHILSSS	uttering no sigh [adj]
SI GH LIKE	EGHIIKLS	resembling sigh [adj]
SI GH TING	GGHIINST	SIGHT, to observe or notice [v]
SI GH TSEE	EEGHISST	to visit and view places of interest [v -SAW, -N, -ING, -S]
SI G NIORY	GIINORSY	seignory (power of seignior) [n -RIES]
SI G NPOST	GINOPSST	to provide with signposts (posts bearing signs) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SLEI GH ED	DEEGHILS	SLEIGH, to ride in sled [v]
SLEI GH ER	EEGHILRS	one that sleighs [n -S]
SLI GH TED	DEGHILST	SLIGHT, to treat with disregard [v]
SLI GH TER	EGHILRST	one that slights [n -S]
SLI GH TLY	GHILLSTY	SLIGHT, small in size or amount [adv]
SLOU GH ED	DEGHLOSU	SLOUGH, to cast off [v]
SOF T ENER	EEFONRST	one that softens [n -S]
STRAI GH T	AGHIRSTT	extending uniformly in one direction without bends or irregularities [adj -ER, -EST]
STRAI GH T	AGHIRSTT	to make straight (extending uniformly in one direction without bends or irregularities) [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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STREN G TH	EGHNRSTT	capacity for exertion or endurance [n -S]
SUBA H DAR	AABDHRSU	governor of subah (province of India) [n -S]
SUBTILIN	BIILNSTU	antibiotic [n -S]
SUBTILTY	BILSTTUY	subtlety (state of being subtle (so slight as to be difficult to detect)) [n -TIES]
SUBTLEST	BELSSTTU	SUBTLE, so slight as to be difficult to detect [adj]
SUBTLETY	BELSTTUY	state of being subtle (so slight as to be difficult to detect) [n -TIES]
SUNLI GH T	GHILNSTU	light of sun [n -S]

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TABLEAU X	AABELTUX	TABLEAU, picture [n]
TABOULE H	ABEHLOTU	tabouli (Lebanese salad containing bulgur wheat, tomatoes, parsley, onions, and mint) [n -S]
TABOURE T	ABEORTTU	taboret (small drum) [n -S]
THOROU GH	GHHOORTU	complete in all respects [adj -ER, -EST]
THROS T LE	EHLORSTT	songbird [n -S]
THUM B ING	BGHIMNTU	THUMB, to leaf through with thumb (short, thick digit of human hand) [v]
THUM B KIN	BHIKMNTU	screw that is turned by thumb and fingers [n -S]
THUM B NUT	BHMNTTUU	nut that is turned by thumb and fingers [n -S]
TI GH TEST	EGHISTTT	TIGHT, firmly or closely fixed in place [adj]
TI GH TWAD	ADGHITTW	miser [n -S]
TOMBLESS	BELMOSST	having no tomb (burial vault or chamber) [adj]
TOMBLIKE	BEIKLMOT	resembling tomb (burial vault or chamber) [adj]
TORTI LL A	AILLORTT	round, flat cake of unleavened cornmeal [n -S]
TOU GH EST	EGHOSTTU	TOUGH, string and resilient [adj]
TOU GH ING	GGHINOTU	TOUGH, to endure hardship [v]
TOU GH ISH	GHHIOSTU	somewhat tough [adj]
TRUMEAU X	AEMRTUUX	TRUMEAU, column supporting part of doorway [n]

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U

UNBENI G N	BEGINNNU	BENIGN, kind (having gentle, giving nature) [adj]
UNBOU GH T	BGHNOTUU	BOUGHT, BUY, to purchase (to acquire by payment of money) [adj]
UNBRI GH T	BGHINRTU	BRIGHT, emitting much light [adj]
UNCAU GH T	ACGHNTUU	CAUGHT, CATCH, to capture after pursuit [adj]
UNCOM B ED	BCDEMNOU	COMB, to arrange or clean with comb (toothed instrument) [adj]
UNFOU GH T	FGHNOTUU	FOUGHT, FIGHT, to attempt to defeat adversary
UNR H YMED	DEHMNRUY	RHYME, to compose verse with corresponding terminal sounds [adj]
UNSOU GH T	GHNOSTUU	SOUGHT, SEEK, to go in search of [adj]
UNSU B TLE	BELNSTUU	SUBTLE, so slight as to be difficult to detect [adj]
UNSU B TLY	BLNSTUUY	SUBTLE, to slight as to be difficult to detect [adv]

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V

veranda h	AADEHNRV	veranda (type of porch) [n -S]
VIGNERON	EIGNNORV	winegrower [n -S]
VIS C ERAL	ACEILRSV	pertaining to internal organs [adj]



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WA H CONDA	AACDHNOW	wakanda (supernatural force in Sioux beliefs) [n -S]
WARS T LER	AELRRSTW	wrestler (one that wrestles (to engage in type of hand-to hand contest) [n -S]
WAU GH TED	ADEGHTUW	WAUGHT, to drink deeply [v]
WEI GH ING	EGGHIINW	WEIGH, to determine weight of [v]
WEI GH MAN	AEGHIMNW	one whose occupation is weighing goods [n -MEN]
WEI GH TED	DEEGHITW	WEIGHT, to add weight (heaviness) to [v]
WEI GH TER	EEGHIRTW	one that weights [n -S]
W H ACKIER	ACEHIKRW	WHACKY, wacky (very irrational) [adj]
W H ACKING	ACGHIKNW	WHACK, to strike sharply [v]
W H ACKOES	ACEHKOSW	WHACKO, wacko (wacky person) [n]
W H ALEMAN	AAEHLMNW	whaler (person engaged in whaling (industry of hunting and processing whales)) [n -MEN]
W H AMMIES	AEHIMMSW	WHAMMY, supernatural spell bringing bad luck [n]
W H AMMING	AGHIMMNW	WHAM, to hit with loud impact [v]
W H ANGING	AGGHINNW	WHANG, to beat with whip [v]
W H APPING	AGHINPPW	WHAP, to whop (to strike forcefully) [v]
W H ARFAGE	AAEFGHRW	use of wharf [n -S]
W H ARFING	AFGHINRW	WHARF, to moor to wharf (docking place for vessels) [v]
W H ATEVER	AEEHRTVW	being what or who it may be [adj]
W H ATNESS	AEHNSSTW	true nature of something [n -ES]
W H EATEAR	AAEEHRTW	small bird of northern regions [n -S]
W H EEDLER	DEEEHLRW	one that wheedles [n -S]
W H EELING	EEGHILNW	WHEEL, to convey on wheels (circular frames designed to turn on axis) [v]
W H EELMAN	AEEHLMNW	helmsman [n -MEN]
W H EEPING	EEGHINPW	WHEEP, to wheeple (to give forth prolonged whistle) [v]
W H EEZIER	EEEHIRWZ	WHEEZY, characterized by wheezing [adj]
W H EEZILY	EEHILWYZ	WHEEZY, characterized by wheezing [adv]
W H EEZING	EEGHINWZ	WHEEZE, to breathe with whistling sound [v]
W H ELKIER	EEHIKLRW	WHELKY, marked with whelks (pustules) [adj]
W H ELMING	EGHILMNW	WHELM, to cover with water [v -ED, -ING, -S]
W H ELPING	EGHILNPW	WHELP, to give birth to [v -ED, -ING, -S]
W H ENEVER	EEEHNRVW	at whatever time [conj]
W H EREVER	EEEHRRVW	in or to whatever place [conj]
W H ERRIED	DEEHIRRW	WHERRY, to transport in light ferryboat [v]
W H ERRIES	EEHIRRSW	WHERRY, to transport in light ferryboat [v]
W H ETTING	EGHINTTW	WHET, to sharpen by friction [v]
W H EYFACE	ACEEFHWY	pale, sallow face [n -S]
W H EYLIKE	EEHIKLWY	WHEY, watery part of milk [adj]
W H IFFIER	EFFHIIRW	WHIFFY, having unpleasant smell [adj]
W H IFFING	FFGHIINW	WHIFF, to blow or convey with slight gusts of air [v]
W H IFFLER	EFFHILRW	one that whiffles [n -S]
W H IMBREL	BEHILMRW	shore bird [n -S]
W H IMSIED	DEHIIMSW	WHIMSY, whim (impulsive idea) [adj]
W H IMSIES	EHIIMSSW	WHIMSY, whim (impulsive idea) [n]
W H INCHAT	ACHWINTW	songbird [n -S]
W H INGIER	EGHIINRW	WHINGY, tending to whinge [adj]



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WHINGING
            GGHIINNW
                         WHINGE, to whine (to utter plaintive, high-pitched sound) [v]
                         WHINY, tending to whine [adj]
WHINIEST
            EHIINSTW
                         WHINNY, to neigh in low or gentle manner [v]
WHINNIED
             DEHIINNW
WHINNIER
            EHIINNRW
                         abounding in whin (furze (spiny shrub)) [adj]
                         WHINNY, to neigh in low or gentle manner [v]
WHINNIES
            EHIINNSW
                         strong, twisted cord [n -S]
WHIPCORD
            CDHIOPRW
WHIPLASH
            AHHILPSW
                         lash of whip [n -ES]
WHIPLESS
            EHILPSSW
                         lacking whip [adj]
WHIPLIKE
            EHIIKLPW
                         resembling whip [adj]
                         WHIPPY, pertaining to or resembling whip [adi]
WHIPPIER
            EHIIPPRW
WHIPPING
            GHIINPPW
                         WHIP, to strike with whip (instrument for administering corporal punishment) [v]
WHIPTAIL
            AHIILPTW
                         lizard having long, slender tail [n -S]
                         parasitic worm [n -S]
WHIPWORM
            HIMOPRWW
WHIRLIER
            EHIILRRW
                         WHIRLY, marked by whirling motion [adj]
                         WHIRLY, small tornado [n]
WHIRLIES
            EHIILRSW
WHIRLING
            GHIILNRW
                         WHIRL, to revolve rapidly [v]
WHIRRIED
            DEHIIRRW
                         WHIRRY, to hurry [v]
WHIRRIES
            EHIIRRSW
                         WHIRRY, to hurry [v]
WHIRRING
            GHIINRRW
                         WHIR, to move with buzzing sound [v]
WHISHING
             GHHIINSW
                         WHISH, to move with hissing sound [v]
                         WHISHT, to hush [v]
WHISHTED
             DEHHISTW
WHISKERY
             EHIKRSWY
                         WHISKER, hair on man's face [adj]
WHISKIES
            EHIIKSSW
                         WHISKY, whiskey (liquor) [n]
WHISKING
             GHIIKNSW
                         WHISK, to move briskly [v]
WHISPERY
            EHIPRSWY
                         resembling whisper [adj]
                         WHIST, to hush [v]
WHISTING
            GHIINSTW
                         one that whistles [n -S]
WHISTLER
            EHILRSTW
            ACEHIPTW
                         wave with crest of foam [n -S]
WHITECAP
WHITEFLY
            EFHILTWY
                         small, whitish insect [n -LIES]
WHITENED
            DEEHINTW
                         WHITEN, to make white [v]
                         one that whitens [n -S]
WHITENER
            EEHINRTW
                         arctic weather condition [n -S]
WHITEOUT
            EHIOTTUW
WHITIEST
            EHIISTTW
                         WHITY, whitish (somewhat white) [adj]
WHITRACK
             ACHIKRTW
                         weasel [n -S]
WHITTLER
            EHILRTTW
                         one that whittles [n -S]
WHITTRET
            EHIRTTTW
                         weasel [n -S]
                         type of explosive shell [n -S]
WHIZBANG
            ABGHINWZ
                         WHIZZY, marvelous in construction or operation [adi]
WHIZZIER
            EHIIRWZZ
                         WHIZZ, to whiz (to move with buzzing or hissing sound) [v]
WHIZZING
            GHIINWZZ
                         mystery story [n -S]
WHODUNIT
             DHINOTUW
WHOMEVER
            EEHMORVW
                         objective case of whoever [pron]
WHOMPING
             GHIMNOPW
                         WHOMP, to defeat decisively [v]
                         WHOOF, to make deep snorting sound [v]
WHOOFING
             FGHINOOW
WHOOPING
             GHINOOPW
                         WHOOP, to utter loud cries [v]
WHOOSHED DEHHOOSW
                         WHOOSH, to move with hissing sound [v]
WHOOSHES
            EHHOOSSW
                         WHOOSH, to move with hissing sound [v]
                         WHOP, to strike forcibly [v]
WHOPPING
            GHINOPPW
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WHOREDOM DEHMOORW prostitution [n -S] WHORESON EHNOORSW bastard [n -S] W**H**ORLING WHORL, to move in twisted or convoluted fashion [v] GHILNORW **EEHORSVW W**HOSEVER possessive case of whoever [pron] WHOSIS, whoosis (object or person whose name is not known) [n] WHOSISES **EHIOSSSW** WHUMP, to thump [v -ED, -ING, -S] W**H**UMPING **GHIMNPUW WHUPPING GHINPPUW** WHUP, to defeat decisively [v] **W**RACKFUL **ACFKLRUW** destructive [adj] **W**RACKING **ACGIKNRW** WRACK, to wreck [v] **W**RANGLER **AEGLNRRW** one that wrangles [n -S] **W**RAPPING AGINPPRW to enclose in something wound or folded about [v] WRATHY, wrathful (extremely angry) [adj] **W**RATHIER AEHIRRTW WRATH, to make wrathful (extremely angry) [v] **W**RATHING **AGHINRTW W**REAKING **AEGIKNRW** WREAK, to inflict [v] one that wreathes [n -S] **W**REATHER **AEEHRRTW** act of wrecking (occupation of salvaging wrecked objects) [n -S] **W**RECKAGE **ACEEGKRW** destructive [adj] **W**RECKFUL CEFKLRUW WRECKING CEGIKNRW WRECK, to cause to ruin [v] WRENCH, to twist suddenly and forcibly [v] **W**RENCHED CDEEHNRW **W**RENCHER CEEHNRRW one that wrenches [n -S] WREST, to take away by force [v] **W**RESTING **EGINRSTW W**RESTLER EELRRSTW one that wrestles [n -S] **W**RETCHED **CDEEHRTW** extremely unhappy [adj -ER, -EST] **W**RETCHES **CEEHRSTW** WRETCH, wretched person [n] WRICKING **CGIIKNRW** WRICK, to wrench [v] one that wriggles [n -S] WRIGGLER **EGGILRRW** WRING, to twist as to compress [v] WRINGING GGIINNRW WRISTRY, using much wrist action [adj} WRISTIER **EIIRRSTW** WRISTING **GIINRSTW** WRIST, to sweep puck along ice before shooting it [v] **W**RISTLET **EILRSTTW** band worn around wrist [n -S] WRITE, to form characters or symbols on surface with instrument [adj] **W**RITABLE ABEILRTW **EFFIORTW** uncollected debt that is cancelled [n -S] **W**RITEOFF **W**RITERLY **EILRRTWY** characteristic of writer [adj] **W**RITHING **GHIINRTW** WRITHE, to squirm or twist in pain [v] **W**RONGEST **EGNORSTW** WRONG, not according to what is right, proper, or correct [adj] **FGLNORUW** wrong [adi] **W**RONGFUL WRONG, to treat injuriously or unjustly [v] WRONGING **GGINNORW W**ROTHFUL **FHLORTUW** wroth [adi]

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X

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Y

YA CH TING	ACGHINTY	YACHT, to sail in yacht (vessel used for pleasure cruising or racing) [v]
YA CH TMAN	AACHMNTY	yachter (one who sails yacht) [n -MEN]
YATAG H AN	AAAGHNTY	Turkish sword [n -S]



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YESHIVAH AEHHISVY yeshiva (orthodox Jewish school) [n -S]

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ZABAJONE AABEJNOZ zabaione (dessert resembling custard) [n -S]