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## A 8s

ABSCISIN	ABCIINSS	regulatory substance found in plants [n -S]
ABSCISSA	AABCISSS	particular geometric coordinates [n -S or -E]
ALIGHTED	ADEGHILT	ALIGHT, to come down from something [v]
ALIGNING	AGGIILNN	ALIGN, arrange in straight line [v]
ALTHOUGH	AGHHLOTU	despite fact that [conj]
ANSWERED	ADEENRSW	ANSWER, to say, act, or write in return [v]
APOTHEGM	AEGHMOPT	maxim [n -S]
ASCENDED	ACDDEENS	ASCEND, to go or move upward [v]
ASCIDIAN	AACDIINS	small marine animal [s]
ASCIDIUM	ACDIIMSU	flask-shaped plant [n -IA]
ASSIGNED	ADEGINSS	ASSIGN, to set apart for particular purpose [v]
ASSIGNEE	AEEGINSS	one to whom property or right is legally transferred [n -S]
ASSIGNER	AEGINRSS	one that assigns [n -S]
ASSIGNOR	AGINORSS	one who legally transfers property or right [n -S]

## B 8s

BARGHEST	ABEGHRST	goblin [n -S]
BEDUMBED	BBDEEMU	BEDUMB, to render speechless [v]
BEKNIGHT	BEGHIKNT	to raise to knighthood [v -ED, -ING, -S]
BENIGNLY	BEGILNNY	BENIGN, kind [adv]
BENUMBED	BBDEEMNU	BENUMB, to make numb [v]
BESOUGHT	BEGHOSTU	past tense of beseech (to implore) [v]
BHEESTIE	BEEEHIST	bheesty [n -S]
BHELPURI	BEHILPRU	dish of rice, spices, and chutney [n -S]
BIHOURLY	BHILORUY	occurring every two hours [adj]
BLIGHTED	BDEGHILT	BLIGHT, to cause decay [v]
BLIGHTER	BEGHILRT	one that blights [n -S]
BOEHMITE	BEEHIMOT	mineral [n -S]
BOMBLOAD	ABBDLMOO	quantity of bombs being carried [n -S]
BONHOMIE	BEHIMNOO	friendliness [n -S]
BORDEAUX	ABDEORUX	red or white wine [n BORDEAUX]
BOUGHTPOT	BGHOOPTU	large vase [n -S]
BOUGHTEN	BEGHNOTU	purchased [adj]
BRIGHTEN	BEGHINRT	to make bright [v -ED, -ING, -S]
BRIGHTLY	BGHILRTY	BRIGHT [adv]
BROUGHAM	ABGHMORU	type of carriage [n -S]
BUHLWORK	BHKLORUW	buhl (style of furniture decoration) [n -S]
BUNCOMBE	BBCEMNOU	nonsense [n -S]

## C 8s

CABBALAH	AAABBCHL	cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n -S]
CABERNET	ABCEENRT	dry red wine [n -S]
CACHALOT	AACCHLOT	large whale [n -S]
CAMPAGNA	AAACGMNP	flat, open plain [n -NE]
CAMPAIGN	AACGIMNP	to conduct series of operation to reach specific goal [n -S]
CATACOMB	AABCCOMT	underground cemetery [n -S]
CHAPEAUX	AACEHPUX	CHAPEAU, hat [n]
CHATEAUX	AACEHTUX	CHATEAU, large country house [n]



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CHEVALET	ACEEHLTV	part of stringed instrument [n -S]
CH <b>H</b> ERTUM	CEHHMRTU	CHETRUM, monetary unit of Bhutan [n]
CHRISTEN	CEHINRST	to baptize [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CHUTZPAH	ACHHPTUZ	supreme self-confidence [n -S]
CLADDAG <b>H</b>	AACDDGHL	ring designed with two hands [n -S]
CLIM <b>B</b> ING	BCGIILMN	CLIMB, to ascend [v]
CODE <b>B</b> TOR	BCDEOORT	one that shares debt [n -S]
CODE <b>S</b> IGN	CDEGINOS	to design jointly [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CO <b>I</b> GNING	CGGIINNO	COIGN, to quoin (to secure with type of wedge) [v]
COM <b>B</b> LIKE	BCEIKLMO	resembling a comb (toothed instrument) [adj]
COM <b>B</b> OVER	BCEMOORV	hair that is combed over bald spot [n -S]
COOLABAH	AABCHLOO	Australian gum tree [n -S]
COOLIBAH	ABCHILOO	coolabah (Australian gum tree) [n -S]
COPPERAH	ACEHOPPR	copra (dried coconut) [n -S]
COR <b>P</b> SMAN	ACMMOPRS	enlisted man trained in first aid [n -MEN]
COS <b>I</b> GNED	CDEGINOS	COSIGN, to sign jointly [v]
COS <b>I</b> GNER	CEGINORS	one that cosigns [n -S]
COU <b>T</b> EAX	ACEOTUUX	COUTEAU, knife [n]
CO <b>W</b> RI <b>T</b> ER	CEIORRTW	one that cowrites [n -S]
COX <b>S</b> WAIN	ACINOSWX	to direct (crew) as coxswain [v -ED, -ING, -S]
CRE <b>S</b> CIVE	CCEEIRSV	increasing [adj]
CROU <b>P</b> IER	CEIOPRRU	attendant at casino [n -S]
CRUM <b>B</b> IER	BCEIMRRU	comparative of crumbly (full of crumbs) [adj]
CRUM <b>B</b> ING	BCGIMNRU	CRUMB, to break into crumbs (small pieces) [v]
<b>C</b> TENIDIA	ACDEIINT	comblike anatomical structures [n]
CUP <b>P</b> BOARD	ABCDOPRU	cabinet (piece of furniture with drawers and shelves) [n -S]
<b>C</b> ZAREVNA	AACENRVZ	daughter of czar [n -S]
<b>C</b> ZARITZA	AACIRTZZ	czarina [n -S]

## D 8s

DAHABEA <b>H</b>	AAABDEHH	large passenger boat [n -S]
DAHABIE <b>H</b>	AABDEHHI	dahabeah (large passenger boat) [n -S]
DAM <b>N</b> ABLE	AABDELMN	detestable [adj]
DAM <b>N</b> DEST	ADDEMNST	utmost [n -S]
DAM <b>N</b> EDER	ADDEEMNR	damnable (detestable) [adj]
DAU <b>G</b> H <b>T</b> ER	ADEGHRTU	female child [n -S]
DE <b>B</b> TLESS	BDEELSST	DEBT, something that is owed [adj]
DES <b>I</b> GNED	DDEEGINS	DESIGN, to conceive and plan out [v]
DES <b>I</b> GNER	DEEGINRS	one that designs [n -S]
D <b>H</b> OO <b>L</b> IES	DEHILOOS	DHOOLY, dooly (doolee (stretcher for sick or wounded)) [n]
DIARR <b>H</b> EA	AADEHIRR	intestinal disorder [n -S]
D <b>I</b> G <b>H</b> TING	DGGHIINT	DIGHT, to adorn [v]
D <b>I</b> NG <b>H</b> IES	DEGHIINS	DINGHY, small boat [n]
DIS <b>C</b> IPLE	CDEIIPLS	to cause to become follower [v -D, -LING, -S]
DIVE <b>B</b> OMB	BBDEIMOV	to drop bombs on target from diving airplane [v -ED, -ING, -S]
D <b>J</b> ELLABA	AABDEJLL	long hooded garment [n -S]
DOOR <b>K</b> NOB	BDKNOOOR	handle for opening door [n -S]
DOU <b>G</b> HBOY	BDGHOOUY	infantryman [n -S]



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DOUGHIER	DEGHIORU	DOUGHY, resembling dough [adj]
DOUGHNUT	DGHNOTUU	ring-shaped cake [n -S]
DRAUGHTY	ADGHRTUY	drafty [adj -TIER, -TIEST]
DROUGHTY	DGHORTUY	dry [adj -TIER, -TIEST]
DUBONNET	BDENNOTU	red color [n -S]
DUMBELL	BBDELLMU	weight lifted for muscular exercise [n -S]
DUMBCANE	ABCDEMNU	tropical plant [n -S]
DUMBHEAD	ABDDEHMU	stupid person [n -S]
DUMBNES	BDEMNSSU	state of being dumb [n -ES]
DUMBSIZE	BDEIMSUZ	to reduce workforce so low that work cannot be done effectively [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DUMMKOPF	DFKMMOPU	dolt (stupid person) [n -S]

## E 8s

ECHINOID	CDEHIINO	spiny marine mammal [n -S]
ECHOGRAM	ACEGHMOR	record produced by device that uses ultrasonic waves [n -S]
ECHOLESS	CEEHLOSS	producing no echo (repetition of sound by reflection of sound waves) [adj]
EIGHTEEN	EEEGHINT	number [n -S]
EIGHTHLY	EGHHILTY	in eighth place [adv]
ELOIGNED	DEEGILNO	ELOIGN, to remove to distant place [v]
ELOIGNER	EEGILNOR	one that eloins (to remove to distant place) [n -S]
ENCHORIC	CCEHINOR	belonging to particular country [adj]
ENJAMBED	ABDEEJMN	marked by continuation of sentence from one line of poem to next [adj]
ENSIGNCY	CEGINNSY	rank of ensign (navy officer) [n -CIES]
ENTOMBED	BDEEMNOT	ENTOMB, to place in tomb [v]
ENTREPOT	EENOPRTT	warehouse [n -S]
ENWOMBED	BDEEMNOW	ENWOMB, to enclose as if in womb [v]
EREWHILE	EEEHILRW	some time ago [adv]
ESCARGOT	ACEGORST	edible snail [n -S]
EYESIGHT	EEGHISTY	ability to see [n -S]

## F 8s

FAHLBAND	AABDFHLN	band or strata of rock impregnated with metallic sulfides [n -S]
FASCIATE	AACEFIST	FASCIA, broad and distinct band of color [adj]
FASCICLE	ACCEFILS	small bundle [n -S]
FASCITIS	ACFIISST	inflammation of connective tissue [n -ES]
FASTENER	AEEFNRS	one that fastens (to secure) [n -S]
FEIGNING	EFGGIINN	FEIGN, to pretend [v]
FEVERFEW	EEEFFRVW	perennial herb [n -S]
FEWTRILS	EFILRSTW	things of little value [n]
FIGHTING	FGGHIINT	FIGHT, to attempt to defeat adversary, [v]
FILETING	EFGIILNT	FILET, to fillet (to cut boneless slices from) [v]
FINOCHIO	CFHIINOO	perennial herb [n -S]
FIREBOMB	BBEFIMOR	to attack with incendiary bombs [v -ED, -ING, -S]
FLYWHEEL	EEFHLLWY	heavy disk used in machinery [n -S]
FOUGHTEN	EFGHNOTU	exhausted [adj]
FURLOUGH	FGHLORUU	to grant a leave of absence [v -ED, -ING, -S]

## G 8s

GALABIEH	AABEGHIL	djellaba (long hooded garment) [n -S]
GHARRIES	AEGHIRRS	GHARRY, carriage used in India [n]



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<b>GHASTFUL</b>	AFGHLSTU	frightful [adj]
<b>GH ERAOED</b>	ADEEGHOR	GH ERAO, to coerce by physical means [v]
<b>GH ERAOES</b>	AEEGHORS	GH ERAO, to coerce by physical means [v]
<b>GHETTOED</b>	DEEGHOTT	GHETTO, to isolate in slum [v]
<b>GHETTOES</b>	EEGHOSTT	GHETTO, to isolate in slum [v]
<b>GHOSTIER</b>	EGHIORST	GHOSTY, ghostly (spectral) [adj]
<b>GHOSTING</b>	GGHINOST	GHOST, to haunt [v]
<b>GHOULISH</b>	GHHILOSU	GHOUL, demon [adj]
<b>GLUHW EIN</b>	EGHILNUW	wine flavored with spices [n -S]
<b>GNARLIER</b>	AEGILNRR	GNARLY, gnarled [adj]
<b>GNARLING</b>	AGGILNRR	GNARL, to twist into state of deformity [v]
<b>GNARRING</b>	AGGGINRR	to gnar (to snarl) [v]
<b>GNASHING</b>	AGGHINNS	GNASH, to grind teeth together [v]
<b>GNATHION</b>	AGHINNOT	tip of chin [n -S]
<b>GNATHITE</b>	AEGHINTT	jawlike appendage of insect [n -S]
<b>GNATLIKE</b>	AEGIKLNT	resembling a gnat [adj]
<b>GNATTIER</b>	AEGINRRT	GNATTY, infested with gnats [adj]
<b>GNEISSES</b>	EEGINSSS	GNEISS, type of rock [n]
<b>GNEISSIC</b>	CEGIINSS	GNEISS, type of rock [adj]
<b>GNOMICAL</b>	ACGILMNO	gnomic (resembling or containing aphorisms) [adj]
<b>GNOMONIC</b>	CGIMNNOO	GNOMON, part of sundial [adj]
<b>GROSCHEN</b>	CEGHNORS	formerly used Austrian coin [n GROSCHEN]
<b>GUNSIGHT</b>	GGHINSTU	device on gun for aiming [n -S]
<b>GYMKHANA</b>	AAGHKMNY	athletic meet [n -S]

## H 8s

<b>HABDALAH</b>	AAABDHHL	Jewish ceremony [n -S]
<b>HAFTARAH</b>	AAAFHHRT	haphtara (biblical selection) [n -S, -ROS, ROT or -ROTH]
<b>HAFTORAH</b>	AAFHHORT	haphtara (biblical selection) [n -S, -ROS, ROT or -ROTH]
<b>HAGGADAH</b>	AAADGGHH	biblical narrative [n -DAHS, -DOT, or -DOTH]
<b>HALAKHAH</b>	AAAHHHKL	halacha (legal part of Talmud) [n -S or -KHOT]
<b>HASTENED</b>	ADEEHNST	HASTEN, to hurry [v]
<b>HASTENER</b>	AEEHNRST	one that hastens [n -S]
<b>HAUTBOIS</b>	ABHIOSTU	hautboy (oboe) [n -S]
<b>HAVDALAH</b>	AAADHHLV	habdalah (Jewish ceremony) [n -S]
<b>HECATOMB</b>	ABCEHMOT	great sacrifice or slaughter [n -S]
<b>HEIGHTEN</b>	EEGHHINT	to raise [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>HEIRLESS</b>	EEHILRSS	having no inheritors [adj]
<b>HEIRLOOM</b>	EHILMOOR	inherited possession [n -S]
<b>HEIRSHIP</b>	EHHIIPRS	right to inheritance [n -S]
<b>HERBAGED</b>	ABDEEGHR	HERBAGE, nonwoody plant life [adj]
<b>HERBARIA</b>	AABEHIRR	collections of dried plants [n]
<b>HERBIEST</b>	BEEHIRST	HERBY, abounding in herbs [adj]
<b>HERBLESS</b>	BEEHLRSS	lacking herbs [adj]
<b>HERBLIKE</b>	BEEHIKLR	resembling herb [adj]
<b>HICCOUGH</b>	CCGHHIOU	to hiccup (to make particular sounding spasmodic inhalation) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>HOORAHED</b>	ADEHHOOR	HOORAH, to hurrah (to cheer (to applauds with shouts of approval)) [v]
<b>HOSANNAH</b>	AAHHNNOS	shout of fervent praise [n -S]



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<b>HOTELIER</b>	EEHILORT	hotel manager [n -S]
<b>HOURLIES</b>	EHILORSU	HOURLY, worker paid by hour [n]
<b>HOURLONG</b>	GHLNOORU	lasting hour [adj]
<b>HUISACHE</b>	ACEHHISU	flowering plant [n -S]
<b>HUSTLING</b>	GHILNSTU	HUSTLE, to hurry [v]
<b>HUZZAHED</b>	ADEHHUZZ	HUZZAH, to huzza (to cheer) [v]
<b>HYMNBOK</b>	BHKMNOOY	hymnal [n -S]
<b>HYMINGLESS</b>	EHLMNSSY	lacking hymn [adj]
<b>HYMNLIKE</b>	EHIKLMNY	resembling hymn [adj]

## I 8s

<b>IMPUGNED</b>	DEGIMNPU	IMPUGN, to make insinuations against [v]
<b>IMPUGNER</b>	EGIMNPRU	one that impugns [n -S]
<b>INCHOATE</b>	ACEHINOT	being in early stage [adj]
<b>INDEBTED</b>	BDDEEINT	beholden [adj]
<b>INDICTED</b>	CDDEIINT	INDICT, to charge with crime [v]
<b>INDICTEE</b>	CDEEEINT	one that is indicted [n -S]
<b>INDICTER</b>	CDEIINRT	one that indicts [n -S]
<b>INDICTOR</b>	CDIINORT	indicter (one that indicts) [n -S]
<b>INFLIGHT</b>	FGHIILNT	done during voyage [adj]
<b>INFOBAHN</b>	ABFHINNO	electronic communications [n -S]
<b>INTOMBED</b>	BDEIMNOT	INTOMB, to entomb (to place in tomb) [v]
<b>ISLANDED</b>	ADDEILNS	ISLAND, to make into island (land area entirely surrounded by water) [v]
<b>ISLANDER</b>	ADEILNRS	one that lives on island [n -S]
<b>ISLELESS</b>	EEILLSSS	lacking isle [adj]

## J 8s

<b>JAGGHERY</b>	AEGGHJRY	jaggery (coarse, dark sugar) [n -RIES]
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## K 8s

<b>KABBALAH</b>	AAABBHKL	cabala (occult or secret doctrine) [n -S]
<b>KAFFIYAH</b>	AAFFHIKY	kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
<b>KAFFIYEH</b>	AEFFHIKY	large, square kerchief [n -S]
<b>KEFFIYAH</b>	AEFFHIKY	kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
<b>KEFFIYEH</b>	EEFFHIKY	kaffiyeh (large, square kerchief) [n -S]
<b>KHAMSEEN</b>	AEEHKMNS	khamsin (hot, dry wind) [n -S]
<b>KHAZENIM</b>	AEHKMNZ	KHAZEN, hazzan (hazan (cantor (religious singer))) [n]
<b>KHEDIVAL</b>	ADEHIKLV	KHEDIVE, Turkish viceroy [adj]
<b>KNAPSACK</b>	AACKKNPS	bag carried on back [n -S]
<b>KNAPWEED</b>	ADEEKNPW	meadow plant [n -S]
<b>KNEADING</b>	ADEGIKNN	KNEAD, to work into uniform mixture with hands [v]
<b>KNEEHOLE</b>	EEHKLNO	space for knees [n -S]
<b>KNEELING</b>	EEGIKLNN	KNEEL, to rest on knees [v]
<b>KNEESIES</b>	EEEIKNSS	pressing of one's knees against another person's knees [n]
<b>KNEESOCK</b>	CEEKKNOS	sock reaching up to knee [n -S]
<b>KNELLING</b>	EGIKLLNN	KNELL, to sound bell [v]
<b>KNICKERS</b>	CEIKKNRS	loose-fitting pants gathered at knee [n]
<b>KNIGHTED</b>	DEGHKNT	KNIGHT, to make knight (medieval gentleman-soldier) of [v]
<b>KNIGHTLY</b>	GHIKLNNTY	of or befitting knight [adj]
<b>KNITBONE</b>	BEIKNNOT	comfrey (coarse herb) [n -S]



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<b>KNITWEAR</b>	AEIKNRTW	knitted clothing [n KNITWEAR]
<b>KNOBBIER</b>	BBEIKNOR	KNOBBY, full of knobs [adj]
<b>KNOBBING</b>	BBGIKNNO	KNOB, to provide with knob (rounded protuberance) [v]
<b>KNOBLIKE</b>	BEIKKLNO	resembling knob [adj]
<b>KNOCKING</b>	CGIKKNNO	KNOCK, to strike sharply [v]
<b>KNOCKOFF</b>	CFFKKNOO	copy that sells for less than original [n -S]
<b>KNOCKOUT</b>	CKKNOOTU	blow that induces unconsciousness [n -S]
<b>KNOLLING</b>	GIKLLNNO	KNOLL, to knell (to sound bell) [v]
<b>KNOTHEAD</b>	ADEHKNOT	stupid person [n -S]
<b>KNOTHOLE</b>	EHKLNoot	hole in plank [n -S]
<b>KNOTLESS</b>	EKLNOSST	having no knots [adj]
<b>KNOTLIKE</b>	EIKKLNOT	resembling knot [adj]
<b>KNOTTIER</b>	EIKNORTT	KNOTTY, full of knots [adj]
<b>KNOTTING</b>	GIKNNOTT	KNOT, tie in knot (closed loop) [v]
<b>KNOTWEED</b>	DEKNOTTW	common weed [n -S]
<b>KNOUTING</b>	GIKNNOTU	KNOUT, to flog with leather whip [v]
<b>KNUBBIER</b>	BEBIKNRU	KNUBBY, nubby (having nubs (protuberance or knob)) [adj]
<b>KNUCKLER</b>	CEKKNLRU	type of baseball pitch [n -S]
<b>KNURLIER</b>	EIKLNRRU	KNURLY, gnarly (gnarled (gnarl (to twist into state of deformity))) [adj]
<b>KNURLING</b>	GIKLNRRU	KNURL, to make grooves or ridges in [v]
<b>KOHLRABI</b>	ABHIKLOR	variety of cabbage [n -ES]
<b>KOLKHOSY</b>	HKKLOOSY	kolkhoz (collective farm in Russia) [n]
<b>KOLKHOZY</b>	HKKLOOYZ	kolkhoz (collective farm in Russia) [n]

## L 8s

<b>LAMBIEST</b>	ABEILMST	LAMBY, resembling lamb [adj]
<b>LAMBKILL</b>	ABIKLLLM	evergreen shrub [n -S]
<b>LAMBLIKE</b>	ABEIKLLM	resembling lamb [adj]
<b>LAMBSKIN</b>	ABIKLMNS	skin of lamb [n -S]
<b>LAUGHING</b>	AGGHILNU	LAUGH, to express emotion, typically mirth, by series of inarticulate sounds [v]
<b>LAUGHTER</b>	AEGHLRTU	act or sound of one that laughs [n -S]
<b>LENGTHEN</b>	EEGHLNNT	to make or become longer [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>LEWDNESS</b>	DEELNSSW	state of being lewd (obscene) [n -ES]
<b>LIGHTFUL</b>	FGHILLTU	brightly illuminated [adj]
<b>LIGHTING</b>	GGHILNT	LIGHT, to illuminate [v]
<b>LIGHTISH</b>	GHHILST	somewhat light [adj]
<b>LIMBLESS</b>	BEILLMSS	having no arms or legs [adj]
<b>LIMEKILN</b>	EIIKLLMN	furnace in which shells are burned to produce lime [n -S]
<b>LISTENED</b>	DEEILNST	LISTEN, to make conscious use of sense of hearing [v]
<b>LISTENER</b>	EEILNRST	one that listens [n -S]

## M 8s

<b>MADRASAH</b>	AAADHMRS	madrasa (Muslim school) [n -S]
<b>MAHJONGG</b>	AGGHJMNO	mahjong (game of Chinese origin) [n -S]
<b>MALIGNED</b>	ADEGILNM	MALIGN, to speak evil of [v]
<b>MALIGNER</b>	AEGILMNR	one that maligns [n -S]
<b>MALIGNLY</b>	AGILLMNY	in evil manner [adv]
<b>MARABOUT</b>	AABMORTU	marabou (African stork) [n -S]





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MASTABAH	AAABHMST	mastaba (ancient Egyptian tomb) [n -S]
MEGILLAH	AEGHILLM	long, involved story [n -S]
MESHUGAH	AEGHHMSU	meshuga (crazy) [adj]
MICROMHO	CHIMMOOR	unit of electrical conductance [n -S]
MIGNONNE	EGIMNNNO	daintily small [adj]
MIJNHEER	EEHIJMNR	mynheer (Dutch title of courtesy for man) [n -S]
MILLIMHO	HIILLMMO	unit of electrical conductance [n -MHOS]
MILLIOHM	HIILLMMO	unit of electrical resistance [n -S]
MIREPOIX	EIIMOPRX	sauteed mixture of diced vegetables [n MIREPOIX]
MISALIGN	AGIILMNS	to align improperly [v -ED, -ING, -S]
MISCIBLE	BCEILMS	capable of being mixed [adj]
MISWRITE	EIIMRSTW	to write incorrectly [v -ROTE or -RIT, -TTEN, -TING, -S]
MNEMONIC	CEIMMNNO	device to assist memory [n -S]
MONSIEUR	EIMNORSU	French title of courtesy for man [n MESSIEURS]
MORCEAUX	ACEMORUX	MORCEAU, short literary or musical composition [n]
MOUSSEUX	EMOSSUUX	sparkling wine [n MOUSSEUX]
MURRHINE	EHIMNRRU	murra (substance used to make fine vases and cups in ancient Rome) [adj]
MUSCLING	CGILMNSU	MUSCLE, to proceed by force [v]

## N 8s

NAPHTHOL	AHHLNOPT	chemical compound [n -S]
NAPHTHYL	AHHLNPTY	radical derived from naphthalene
NARGILEH	AEGHILNR	narghile (hookah) [n -S]
NARWHALE	AAEHLNRW	narwhal (arctic aquatic animal) [n -S]
NASCENCE	ACCEENNS	nascency (birth; origin) [n -S]
NASCENCY	ACCENNSY	birth; origin [n -CIES]
NEIGHBOR	BEGHINOR	to live close to [v -ED, -ING, -S]
NEIGHING	EGGHIINN	NEIGH, to utter cry of horse [v]
NESCIENT	CEEINNST	one who is ignorant [n -S]
NESTLING	EGILNNST	NESTLE, to be snugly [v]
NICHROME	CEHIMNOR	trademark [n -S]
NIGHNESS	EGHINNSS	state of being nigh (near) [n -ES]
NIGHTCAP	ACGHINPT	cap worn to bed [n -S]
NIGHTJAR	AGHIJNRT	nocturnal bird [n -S]
NIHILISM	HIIIIILMNS	doctrine that denies traditional values [n -S]
NONOHMIC	CHIMNNOO	not measured in ohms [adj]
NONWHITE	EHINNOTW	person who is not of white race [n -S]
NUDZHING	DGHINNUZ	NUDZH, to noodge (to nag (to find fault incessantly)) [v]
NUMBFISH	BFHIMNSU	fish capable of emitting electrical shocks [n -S]
NUMBNESS	BEMNNSSU	state of being numb (lacking sensation) [n -S]
NUMBNUTS	BMNNSTUU	offensive word [n -ES]

## O 8s

OBEAHISM	ABEHIMOS	use of obeah (form of sorcery of African origin) [n -S]
OCHERISH	ECHHIORS	resembling ocher [adj]
OFTENEST	EEFNOSTT	OFTEN, frequent [adv]
OGHAMIST	AGHIMOST	one who writes in ogham (old Irish alphabet) [n -S]
OHHMETER	EEHMMORT	instrument for measuring ohmage [n -S]



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OOMP <b>A</b> HED	ADEHMOOP	OOMP <b>A</b> H, to play repeated rhythmic bass accompaniment [v]
OPP <b>U</b> GNED	DEGNOPPU	OPP <b>U</b> GN, to assail with argument [v]
OPP <b>U</b> GN <b>E</b> R	EGNOPPRU	one that oppugns (to assail with argument) [n -S]
OSC <b>I</b> NINE	CEIINNOS	OSC <b>I</b> NE, any of family of songbirds [adj]
OSC <b>I</b> TANT	ACINOSTT	yawning [adj]
OUT <b>F</b> I <b>G</b> H <b>T</b>	FGHIOTTU	to defeat [v -FOUGHT, -ING, -S]
OUT <b>L</b> A <b>U</b> G <b>H</b>	AGHLOTUU	to surpass in laughing [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OUT <b>P</b> SY <b>C</b> H	CHOPSUTY	to defeat by psychological means [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OUT <b>S</b> I <b>G</b> H <b>T</b>	GHIOSTTU	power of perceiving external things [n -S]
OUT <b>W</b> E <b>I</b> G <b>H</b>	EGHIOTUW	to weigh more than [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OUT <b>W</b> H <b>I</b> R <b>L</b>	HILORTUW	to surpass in whirling [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OUT <b>W</b> R <b>I</b> T <b>E</b>	EIOTTRUW	to write better than [v -ROTE or -RIT, -TTEN, -TING, -S]
OVER <b>H</b> I <b>G</b> H	EGHHIORV	too high [adj]

## P 8s

PAD <b>I</b> SH <b>A</b> H	AADHHIPS	sovereign [n -S]
PAP <b>I</b> L <b>L</b> ON	AILLNOPP	small dog having large ears [n -S]
PAR <b>A</b> CH <b>O</b> R	AACHOPRR	mathematical constant that relates molecular volume to surface tension [n -S]
PAR <b>A</b> D <b>I</b> G <b>M</b>	AADGIMPR	pattern or example [n -S]
PAR <b>A</b> SH <b>A</b> H	AAAHHPRS	portion of Torah read on Sabbath [n -S or -SHOTH or -SHOT]
PE <b>I</b> G <b>N</b> O <b>I</b> R	EGIINOPR	woman's gown [n -S]
PIN <b>O</b> CH <b>L</b> E	CEHILNOP	card game [n -S]
PIN <b>W</b> H <b>E</b> E <b>L</b>	EEHILNPW	to revolve at end of stick [v -ED, -ING, -S]
PL <b>I</b> G <b>H</b> T <b>E</b> D	DEGHILPT	PL <b>I</b> G <b>H</b> T, to promise or bind by solemn pledge [v]
PL <b>I</b> G <b>H</b> T <b>E</b> R	EGHILPRT	one that plights (to promise or bind by solemn pledge) [n -S]
PLO <b>U</b> G <b>H</b> E <b>D</b>	DEGHLOPU	PLO <b>U</b> G <b>H</b> , to plow (to turn up land with plow (farm implement)) [v]
PLO <b>U</b> G <b>H</b> E <b>R</b>	EGHLOPRU	one that ploughs [n -S]
PL <b>U</b> M <b>B</b> E <b>R</b> Y	BELMPRUJ	work of plumber [n -RIES]
PL <b>U</b> M <b>B</b> I <b>N</b> G	BGILMNPU	pipe system of building [n -S]
PRE <b>C</b> IE <b>U</b> X	CEEIPRUX	excessively refined [adj]
PRE <b>C</b> I <b>S</b> E <b>D</b>	CDEEIPRS	PRE <b>C</b> I <b>S</b> , to make concise summary of [v]
PRE <b>F</b> I <b>G</b> H <b>T</b>	EFGHIPRT	preceding fight [adj]
PRE <b>W</b> E <b>I</b> G <b>H</b>	EEGHIPRW	to weigh beforehand [v -ED, -ING, -S]
PS <b>A</b> L <b>M</b> I <b>N</b> G	AGILMNPS	PS <b>A</b> L <b>M</b> , to praise in psalms (sacred songs) [v]
PS <b>A</b> L <b>M</b> I <b>S</b> T	AILMPSST	writer of psalms [n -S]
PS <b>A</b> L <b>M</b> O <b>D</b> Y	ADLMOPSY	use of psalms in worship [n -DIES]
PS <b>A</b> L <b>T</b> E <b>R</b> Y	AELPRSTY	ancient stringed musical instrument [n -RIES]
PS <b>A</b> M <b>M</b> I <b>T</b> E	AEIMMPST	fine-grained rock [n -S]
PS <b>I</b> L <b>O</b> C <b>I</b> N	CIILNOPS	hallucinogenic drug [n -S]
PS <b>I</b> L <b>O</b> S <b>I</b> S	IILOPSSS	tropical disease [n -SES]
PS <b>I</b> L <b>O</b> T <b>I</b> C	CIILOPST	PS <b>I</b> L <b>O</b> S <b>I</b> S, tropical disease [adj]
PS <b>O</b> R <b>A</b> L <b>E</b> A	AAELOPRS	plant of bean family [n -S]
PS <b>O</b> R <b>A</b> L <b>E</b> N	AELNOPRS	drug used to treat psoriasis [n -S]
PS <b>Y</b> C <b>H</b> I <b>N</b> G	CGHINPSY	PS <b>Y</b> C <b>H</b> , to put into proper frame of mind [v]
PS <b>Y</b> C <b>H</b> I <b>S</b> M	CHIMPSSY	belief that there is fluid that animates all living beings [n -S]
PS <b>Y</b> L <b>L</b> I <b>U</b> M	ILLMPSUY	seed of fleawort [n -S]
P <b>T</b> E <b>R</b> O <b>P</b> O <b>D</b>	DEOOPRPT	type of mollusk [n -S]
P <b>T</b> E <b>R</b> Y <b>G</b> I <b>A</b>	AEGIPRTY	fleshy growths over cornea [n]





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<b>PTOMAIN</b>	AEIMNOPT	compound produced by decomposition of protein [n -S]
<b>PTYALISM</b>	AILMPSTY	excessive flow of saliva [n -S]
<b>PURLIEUX</b>	EILPRUUX	PURLIEU, outlying or neighboring area [n]
<b>PYORRHEA</b>	AEHOPRRY	discharge of pus [n -S]

## Q 8s

<b>QUILLAJA</b>	AAIJLLQU	quillai (evergreen tree) [n -S]
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## R 8s

<b>RAGOUTED</b>	ADEGORTU	RAGOUT, to make into highly seasoned stew [v]
<b>REASCENT</b>	ACEENRST	new or second ascent [n -S]
<b>REASSIGN</b>	AEGINRSS	ASSIGN, to set apart for particular purpose [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>REFASTEN</b>	AEEFNRS	FASTEN, to secure (to make firm or tight) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>RESIGNED</b>	DEEGINRS	RESIGN, to give up one's position [v]
<b>RESIGNER</b>	EEGINRRS	one that resigns [n -S]
<b>RESOFTEN</b>	EEFONRST	SOFTEN, to make soft (yielding readily to pressure) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>RESOUGHT</b>	EGHORSTU	RESEEK, SEEK, to go in search of [v]
<b>RHABDOME</b>	ABDEHMOR	rhabdom (rodlike structure in retina) [n -S]
<b>RHAMNOSE</b>	AEHMNORS	sugar found in plants [n -S]
<b>RHAPSODE</b>	ADEHOPRS	reciter of epic poetry in ancient Greece [n -S]
<b>RHAPSODY</b>	ADHOPRSY	exalted expression of feeling [n -DIES]
<b>RHEMATIC</b>	ACEHIMRT	pertaining to verb [adj]
<b>RHEOBASE</b>	ABEEHORS	smallest amount of electricity required to stimulate nerve [n -S]
<b>RHEOLOGY</b>	EGHLOORY	study of matter in fluid state [n -GIES]
<b>RHEOPHIL</b>	EHHILOPR	living in flowing water [adj]
<b>RHEOSTAT</b>	AEHORSTT	resistor used to control electric current [n -S]
<b>RHESUSES</b>	EEHRSSSU	RHESUS, Asian monkey [n]
<b>RHETORIC</b>	CEHIORRT	study of effective speech and writing [n -S]
<b>RHEUMIER</b>	EEHIMRRU	RHEUMY, marked by rheum (watery discharge from eyes or nose) [adj]
<b>RHINITIS</b>	HIIINRST	inflammation of mucus membranes of nose [n -IDES, -ES]
<b>RHIZOBIA</b>	ABHIIORZ	rod-shaped bacteria [n]
<b>RHIZOPOD</b>	DHIOOPRZ	any of class of protozoans [n -S]
<b>RHIZOPUS</b>	HIOPRSUZ	any of genus of mold fungi [n -ES or -PI]
<b>RHODAMIN</b>	ADHIMNOR	red dye [n -S]
<b>RHOMBOID</b>	BDHIMOOR	type of geometric figure [n -S]
<b>RHONCHUS</b>	CHHNORSU	rattling respiratory sound [n -CHI]
<b>RHUMBAED</b>	ABDEHMUR	RHUMBA, to rumba (to perform ballroom dance) [v]
<b>RHYOLITE</b>	EHILOPTY	volcanic rock [n -S]
<b>RHYTHMIC</b>	CHHIMRTY	science of rhythm [n -S]
<b>RIGHTEST</b>	EGHIRSTT	RIGHT, being in accordance with what is good, proper, or just [adj]
<b>RIGHTFUL</b>	FGHILRTU	just or proper [adj]
<b>RIGHTIER</b>	EGHIIRRT	RIGHTY, politically conservative [adj]
<b>RIGHTIES</b>	EGHIIRST	RIGHTY, right-handed person [n]
<b>RIGHTING</b>	GGHIINRT	RIGHT, to put in proper order or condition [v]
<b>RIGHTISM</b>	GHIIMRST	conservative political philosophy [n -S]
<b>RIGHTIST</b>	GHIIRSTT	advocate of rightism (conservative political philosophy) [n -S]
<b>RONDEAUX</b>	ADENORUX	RONDEAU, short poem of fixed form [n]
<b>RONDELET</b>	DEELNORT	rondeau of 5 or 7 lines [n -S]
<b>ROQUETED</b>	DEEOQRTU	ROQUET, to cause one's own ball to hit another in croquet [v]



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RUSTLING	GILNRSTU	RUSTLE, to make succession of slight soft sounds [v]
<b>S 8s</b>		
SAVANNAH	AAAHNNSV	savanna (flat, treeless grassland) [n -S]
SCIAENID	ACDEIINS	carnivorous fish [n -S]
SCIATICA	AACCIIST	painful disorder of hip and adjoining areas [n -S]
SCILICET	CCEIILST	namely [adv]
SCIMETAR	ACEIMRST	scimitar (curved sword used by Arabs and Turks) [n -S]
SCIMITAR	ACIIMRST	curved sword used by Arabs and Turks [n -S]
SCIMITER	CEIIMRST	scimitar (curved sword use by Arabs and Turks) [n -S]
SCINCOID	CCDIINOS	one of family of smooth short-limbed lizards [n -S]
SCIOLISM	CIILMOSS	superficial knowledge [n -S]
SCIOLIST	CILOSST	one whose knowledge is superficial [n -S]
SCIROCCO	CCCIOORS	sirocco (hot, dry wind) [n -S]
SCIRRHUS	CHIRRSSU	hard tumor [n -ES or -HI]
SCISSILE	CEIILSSS	capable of being cut or split easily [adj]
SCISSION	CIINOSSS	act of cutting or splitting [n -S]
SCISSURE	CEIRSSSU	lengthwise cut [n -S]
SCIURINE	CEIINRSU	rodent of squirrel family [n -S]
SCIUROID	CDIORSU	resembling squirrel [adj]
SCYPHATE	ACEHPSTY	shaped like cup [adj]
SCYTHING	CGHINSTY	SCYTHE, to cut with scythe (single-bladed cutting implement) [v]
SEIGNEUR	EEGINRSU	seignior (feudal lord) [n -S]
SEIGNIOR	EGIINORS	feudal lord [n -S]
SEIGNORY	EGINORSY	power of seignior (feudal lord) [n -RIES]
SELVEDGE	DEEEGLSV	selvage (edge of woven fabric finished to prevent raveling) [n -S]
SENHORES	EEHNORSS	SENHOR, Portuguese or Brazilian gentleman [n]
SERAGLIO	AEGILORS	harem [n -S]
SHADKHAN	AADHHKNS	shadchan (Jewish marriage broker) [n -S or -IM]
SHEPHERD	DEEHHPRS	to watch over carefully [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SIGHLESS	EGHILSSS	uttering no sigh [adj]
SIGHLIKE	EGHIKLS	resembling sigh [adj]
SIGHTING	GGHIINST	SIGHT, to observe or notice [v]
SIGHTSEE	EEGHISST	to visit and view places of interest [v -SAW, -N, -ING, -S]
SIGNIORY	GIINORSY	seignory (power of seignior) [n -RIES]
SIGNPOST	GINOPSST	to provide with signposts (posts bearing signs) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
SLEIGHED	DEEGHILS	SLEIGH, to ride in sled [v]
SLEIGHER	EEGHILRS	one that sleighs [n -S]
SLIGHTED	DEGHILST	SLIGHT, to treat with disregard [v]
SLIGHTER	EGHILRST	one that slights [n -S]
SLIGHTLY	GHILLSTY	SLIGHT, small in size or amount [adv]
SLOUGHED	DEGHLOSU	SLOUGH, to cast off [v]
SOFTENER	EEFONRST	one that softens [n -S]
STRAIGHT	AGHIRSTT	extending uniformly in one direction without bends or irregularities [adj -ER, -EST]
STRAIGHT	AGHIRSTT	to make straight (extending uniformly in one direction without bends or irregularities) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
STRENGTH	EGHNRSTT	capacity for exertion or endurance [n -S]
SUBAHDAR	AABDHRSU	governor of subah (province of India) [n -S]
SUBTILIN	BIILNSTU	antibiotic [n -S]



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<b>SUBTILTY</b>	BILSTTUY	subtlety (state of being subtle (so slight as to be difficult to detect)) [n -TIES]
<b>SUBTLEST</b>	BELSSTTU	SUBTLE, so slight as to be difficult to detect [adj]
<b>SUBTLETY</b>	BELSTTUY	state of being subtle (so slight as to be difficult to detect) [n -TIES]
<b>SUNLIGHT</b>	GHILNSTU	light of sun [n -S]

## T 8s

<b>TABLEAUX</b>	AABELTUX	TABLEAU, picture [n]
<b>TABOULEH</b>	ABEHLOTU	tabouli (Lebanese salad containing bulgur wheat, tomatoes, parsley, onions, and mint) [n -S]
<b>THOROUGH</b>	GHHOORTU	complete in all respects [adj -ER, -EST]
<b>THROSTLE</b>	EHLORSTT	songbird [n -S]
<b>THUMBING</b>	BGHIMNTU	THUMB, to leaf through with thumb (short, thick digit of human hand) [v]
<b>THUMBKIN</b>	BHIKMNTU	screw that is turned by thumb and fingers [n -S]
<b>THUMBNUIT</b>	BHMNTTUU	nut that is turned by thumb and fingers [n -S]
<b>TIGHTEST</b>	EGHISTTT	TIGHT, firmly or closely fixed in place [adj]
<b>TIGHTWAD</b>	ADGHITTW	miser [n -S]
<b>TOMBLESS</b>	BELMOSST	having no tomb (burial vault or chamber) [adj]
<b>TOMBLIKE</b>	BEIKLMOT	resembling tomb (burial vault or chamber) [adj]
<b>TORTILLA</b>	AILLORTT	round, flat cake of unleavened cornmeal [n -S]
<b>TOUGHEST</b>	EGHOSTTU	TOUGH, string and resilient [adj]
<b>TOUGHING</b>	GGHINOTU	TOUGH, to endure hardship [v]
<b>TOUGHISH</b>	GHHIOSTU	somewhat tough [adj]
<b>TRUMEAUX</b>	AEMRTUUX	TRUMEAU, column supporting part of doorway [n]

## U 8s

<b>UNBENIGN</b>	BEGINNNU	BENIGN, kind (having gentle, giving nature) [adj]
<b>UNBOUGHT</b>	BGHNOTUU	BOUGHT, BUY, to purchase (to acquire by payment of money) [adj]
<b>UNBRIGHT</b>	BGHINRTU	BRIGHT, emitting much light [adj]
<b>UNCAUGHT</b>	ACGHNTUU	CAUGHT, CATCH, to capture after pursuit [adj]
<b>UNCOMBED</b>	BCDEMNOU	COMB, to arrange or clean with comb (toothed instrument) [adj]
<b>UNFOUGHT</b>	FGHNOTUU	FOUGHT, FIGHT, to attempt to defeat adversary
<b>UNRHYMED</b>	DEHMNRUY	RHYME, to compose verse with corresponding terminal sounds [adj]
<b>UNSOUGHT</b>	GHNOSTUU	SOUGHT, SEEK, to go in search of [adj]
<b>UNSUBTLE</b>	BELNSTUU	SUBTLE, so slight as to be difficult to detect [adj]
<b>UNSUBTLY</b>	BLNSTUUY	SUBTLE, to slight as to be difficult to detect [adv]

## V 8s

<b>VERANDAH</b>	AADEHNRV	veranda (type of porch) [n -S]
<b>VIGNERON</b>	EIGNNORV	winegrower [n -S]
<b>VISCERAL</b>	ACEILRSV	pertaining to internal organs [adj]

## W 8s

<b>WAHCONDA</b>	AACDHNOW	wakanda (supernatural force in Sioux beliefs) [n -S]
<b>WARSTLER</b>	AELRRSTW	wrestler (one that wrestles (to engage in type of hand-to hand contest)) [n -S]
<b>WAUGHTED</b>	ADEGHTUW	WAUGHT, to drink deeply [v]
<b>WEIGHING</b>	EGGHIINW	WEIGH, to determine weight of [v]
<b>WEIGHMAN</b>	AEGHIMNW	one whose occupation is weighing goods [n -MEN]
<b>WEIGHTED</b>	DEEGHITW	WEIGHT, to add weight (heaviness) to [v]
<b>WEIGHTER</b>	EEGHIRTW	one that weights [n -S]
<b>WHACKIER</b>	ACEHIKRW	WHACKY, wacky (very irrational) [adj]
<b>WHACKING</b>	ACGHIKNW	WHACK, to strike sharply [v]
<b>WHACKOES</b>	ACEHKOSW	WHACKO, wacko (wacky person) [n]



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WHAMMIES	AEHIMMSW	WHAMMY, supernatural spell bringing bad luck [n]
WHAMMING	AGHIMMNW	WHAM, to hit with loud impact [v]
WHANGING	AGGHINNW	WHANG, to beat with whip [v]
WHAPPING	AGHINPPW	WHAP, to whop (to strike forcefully) [v]
WHARFAGE	AAEFGHRW	use of wharf [n -S]
WHARFING	AFGHINRW	WHARF, to moor to wharf (docking place for vessels) [v]
WHATEVER	AEEHRTVW	being what or who it may be [adj]
WHATNESS	AEHNSSTW	true nature of something [n -ES]
WHEATEAR	AAEEHRTW	small bird of northern regions [n -S]
WHEEDLER	DEEEHLRW	one that wheedles [n -S]
WHEELING	EEGHILNW	WHEEL, to convey on wheels (circular frames designed to turn on axis) [v]
WHEELMAN	AEEHLMNW	helmsman [n -MEN]
WHEEPING	EEGHINPW	WHEEP, to wheeple (to give forth prolonged whistle) [v]
WHEEZIER	EEHIRWZ	WHEEZY, characterized by wheezing [adj]
WHEEZILY	EEHILWYZ	WHEEZY, characterized by wheezing [adv]
WHEEZING	EEGHINWZ	WHEEZE, to breathe with whistling sound [v]
WHELKIER	EEHIKLRW	WHELKY, marked with whelks (pustules) [adj]
WHELMING	EGHILMNW	WHELM, to cover with water [v -ED, -ING, -S]
WHELPING	EGHILNPW	WHELP, to give birth to [v -ED, -ING, -S]
WHENEVER	EEEHNRVW	at whatever time [conj]
WHEREVER	EEEHRRVW	in or to whatever place [conj]
WHERRIED	DEEHIRRW	WHERRY, to transport in light ferryboat [v]
WHERRIES	EEHIRRSW	WHERRY, to transport in light ferryboat [v]
WHETTING	EGHINTTW	WHET, to sharpen by friction [v]
WHEYFACE	ACEEFHWY	pale, sallow face [n -S]
WHEYLIE	EEHIKLWY	WHEY, watery part of milk [adj]
WHIFFIER	EFFHIIRW	WHIFFY, having unpleasant smell [adj]
WHIFFING	FFGHIINW	WHIFF, to blow or convey with slight gusts of air [v]
WHIFFLER	EFFHILRW	one that whiffles [n -S]
WHIMBREL	BEHILMRW	shore bird [n -S]
WHIMSIED	DEHIIMSW	WHIMSY, whim (impulsive idea) [adj]
WHIMSIES	EHIIMSSW	WHIMSY, whim (impulsive idea) [n]
WHINCHAT	ACHWINTW	songbird [n -S]
WHINGIER	EGHIINRW	WHINGY, tending to whinge [adj]
WHINGING	GGHIINNW	WHINGE, to whine (to utter plaintive, high-pitched sound) [v]
WHINIEST	EHIINSTW	WHINY, tending to whine [adj]
WHINNIED	DEHIINNW	WHINNY, to neigh in low or gentle manner [v]
WHINNIER	EHIINNRW	abounding in whin (furze (spiny shrub)) [adj]
WHINNIES	EHIINNSW	WHINNY, to neigh in low or gentle manner [v]
WHIPCORD	CDHIOPRW	strong, twisted cord [n -S]
WHIPLASH	AHHILPSW	lash of whip [n -ES]
WHIPLESS	EHILPSSW	lacking whip [adj]
WHIPLIKE	EHIKLPW	resembling whip [adj]
WHIPPIER	EHIIPPRW	WHIPPY, pertaining to or resembling whip [adj]
WHIPPING	GHIINPPW	WHIP, to strike with whip (instrument for administering corporal punishment) [v]
WHIPTAIL	AHIILPTW	lizard having long, slender tail [n -S]



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<b>WHIPWORM</b>	HIMOPRWW	parasitic worm [n -S]
<b>WHIRLIER</b>	EHIILRRW	WHIRLY, marked by whirling motion [adj]
<b>WHIRLIES</b>	EHIILRSW	WHIRLY, small tornado [n]
<b>WHIRLING</b>	GHIILNRW	WHIRL, to revolve rapidly [v]
<b>WHIRRIED</b>	DEHIIRRW	WHIRRY, to hurry [v]
<b>WHIRRIES</b>	EHIIRRSW	WHIRRY, to hurry [v]
<b>WHIRRING</b>	GHIINRRW	WHIR, to move with buzzing sound [v]
<b>WHISHING</b>	GHHIINSW	WHISH, to move with hissing sound [v]
<b>WHISHTED</b>	DEHHISTW	WHISHT, to hush [v]
<b>WHISKERY</b>	EHIKRSWY	WHISKER, hair on man's face [adj]
<b>WHISKIES</b>	EHIKSSW	WHISKY, whiskey (liquor) [n]
<b>WHISKING</b>	GHIKNSW	WHISK, to move briskly [v]
<b>WHISPERY</b>	EHI PRSWY	resembling whisper [adj]
<b>WHISTING</b>	GHIINSTW	WHIST, to hush [v]
<b>WHISTLER</b>	EHI LRSTW	one that whistles [n -S]
<b>WHITECAP</b>	ACEHIPTW	wave with crest of foam [n -S]
<b>WHITEFLY</b>	EFHILTWY	small, whitish insect [n -LIES]
<b>WHITENED</b>	DEEHINTW	WHITEN, to make white [v]
<b>WHITENER</b>	EEHINRTW	one that whitens [n -S]
<b>WHITEOUT</b>	EHIOTTUW	arctic weather condition [n -S]
<b>WHITIEST</b>	EHIISTTW	WHITY, whitish (somewhat white) [adj]
<b>WHITRACK</b>	ACHIKRTW	weasel [n -S]
<b>WHITTLER</b>	EHI LRTTW	one that whittles [n -S]
<b>WHITTRET</b>	EHI RTTTW	weasel [n -S]
<b>WHIZBANG</b>	ABGHINWZ	type of explosive shell [n -S]
<b>WHIZZIER</b>	EHIIRWZZ	WHIZZY, marvelous in construction or operation [adj]
<b>WHIZZING</b>	GHIINWZZ	WHIZZ, to whiz (to move with buzzing or hissing sound) [v]
<b>WHODUNIT</b>	DHINOTUW	mystery story [n -S]
<b>WHOMEVER</b>	EEHMORVW	objective case of whoever [pron]
<b>WHOMPING</b>	GHIMNOPW	WHOMP, to defeat decisively [v]
<b>WHOOFING</b>	FGHINOOW	WHOOOF, to make deep snorting sound [v]
<b>WHOOPING</b>	GHINOOPW	WHOOOP, to utter loud cries [v]
<b>WHOOSHED</b>	DEH HOOSW	WHOOSH, to move with hissing sound [v]
<b>WHOOSHES</b>	EH HOOSSW	WHOOSH, to move with hissing sound [v]
<b>WHOPPING</b>	GHINOPP W	WHOP, to strike forcibly [v]
<b>WHOREDOM</b>	DEHMOORW	prostitution [n -S]
<b>WHORES ON</b>	EHNOORSW	bastard [n -S]
<b>WHORLING</b>	GHILNORW	WHORL, to move in twisted or convoluted fashion [v]
<b>WHOSEVER</b>	EEHORSVW	possessive case of of whoever [pron]
<b>WHOSISES</b>	EHI OSSSW	WHOSIS, whoosis (object or person whose name is not known) [n]
<b>WHUMPING</b>	GHIMNPUW	WHUMP, to thump [v -ED, -ING, -S]
<b>WHUPPING</b>	GHINPPUW	WHUP, to defeat decisively [v]
<b>WRACKFUL</b>	ACFKLRUW	destructive [adj]
<b>WRACKING</b>	ACGIKNRW	WRACK, to wreck [v]
<b>WRANGLER</b>	AEGLNRRW	one that wrangles [n -S]
<b>WRAPPING</b>	AGINPPRW	to enclose in something wound or folded about [v]
<b>WRATHIER</b>	AEHIRRTW	WRATHY, wrathful (extremely angry) [adj]



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<b>WREAKING</b>	AEGIKNRW	WREAK, to inflict [v]
<b>WREATHER</b>	AEEHRRTW	one that wreathes [n -S]
<b>WRECKAGE</b>	ACEEGKRW	act of wrecking (occupation of salvaging wrecked objects) [n -S]
<b>WRECKFUL</b>	CEFKLRUW	destructive [adj]
<b>WRECKING</b>	CEGIKNRW	WRECK, to cause to ruin [v]
<b>WRENCHED</b>	CDEEHNRW	WRENCH, to twist suddenly and forcibly [v]
<b>WRENCHER</b>	CEEHNRRTW	one that wrenches [n -S]
<b>WRESTING</b>	EGINRSTW	WREST, to take away by force [v]
<b>WRESTLER</b>	EELRRSTW	one that wrestles [n -S]
<b>WRETCHED</b>	CDEEHRTW	extremely unhappy [adj -ER, -EST]
<b>WRETCHES</b>	CEEHRSTW	WRETCH, wretched person [n]
<b>WRICKING</b>	CGIKNRW	WRICK, to wrench [v]
<b>WRIGGLER</b>	EGGILRRW	one that wriggles [n -S]
<b>WRINGING</b>	GGIINNRW	WRING, to twist as to compress [v]
<b>WRISTIER</b>	EIIRRTW	WRISTRY, using much wrist action [adj]
<b>WRISTING</b>	GIINRSTW	WRIST, to sweep puck along ice before shooting it [v]
<b>WRISTLET</b>	EILRSTTW	band worn around wrist [n -S]
<b>WRITABLE</b>	ABEILRTW	WRITE, to form characters or symbols on surface with instrument [adj]
<b>WRITEOFF</b>	EFFIORTW	uncollected debt that is cancelled [n -S]
<b>WRITERLY</b>	EILRRTWY	characteristic of writer [adj]
<b>WRITHING</b>	GHIINRTW	WRITHE, to squirm or twist in pain [v]
<b>WRONGEST</b>	EGNORSTW	WRONG, not according to what is right, proper, or correct [adj]
<b>WRONGFUL</b>	FGLNORUW	wrong [adj]
<b>WRONGING</b>	GGINNORW	WRONG, to treat injuriously or unjustly [v]
<b>WROTHFUL</b>	FHLORTUW	wroth [adj]

## X 8s

## Y 8s

<b>YACHTING</b>	ACGHINTY	YACHT, to sail in yacht (vessel used for pleasure cruising or racing) [v]
<b>YACHTMAN</b>	AACHMNTY	yachter (one who sails yacht) [n -MEN]
<b>YATAGHAN</b>	AAAGHNTY	Turkish sword [n -S]
<b>YESHIVAH</b>	AEHHISVY	yeshiva (orthodox Jewish school) [n -S]

## Z 8s

<b>ZABAJONE</b>	AABEJNOZ	zabaione (dessert resembling custard) [n -S]
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