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AFFIXAL	AAFFILX	pertaining to prefix or suffix [adj]
AFFIXER	AEFFIRX	one that affixes (to attach (to connect as associated part)) [n -S]
AFFIXES	AEFFISX	AFFIX, to attach (to connect as associated part) [v]
ALCHYMY	ACHLMYY	alchemy (medieval form of chemistry) [n -MIES]
APPRIZE	AEIPPRZ	to appraise (to set value on) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
AZYGIOUS	AGOSUYZ	not being one of pair [adj]
BAPTIZE	ABEIPTZ	to administer baptism to [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BAWCOCK	ABCKKOW	fine fellow [n -S]
BAZOOMS	ABMOOSZ	BAZOOM, offensive word [n]
BEGAZED	ABDEEGZ	BEGAZE, to gaze at [v]
BENZOIC	BCEINOZ	BENZOIN, gum resin [adj]
BOOMBOX	BBMOOOX	portable radio and tape or compact disc player [n -ES]
BOXLIKE	BEIKLOX	resembling box [adj]
BOXWOOD	BDOOOWX	evergreen shrub [n -S]
BROMIZE	BEIMORZ	to treat with bromine or bromide [v -D, -ZING, -S]
BUYBACK	ABBCKUY	repurchase by corporation of its own stock [n -S]
CABEZON	ABCENoz	large, edible fish [n -S]
CACIQUE	ACCEIQU	tropical oriole [n -S]
CAPIZES	ACEIPSZ	CAPIZ, bivalve mollusk [n]
CAPSIZE	ACEIPSZ	to overturn (to turn over) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
CHAMPAK	AACHKMP	East Indian tree [n -S]
CHECKUP	CCEHKPU	examination [n -S]
CHINCHY	CCHHINY	stingy (unwilling to spend or give) [adj -HIER, -HIEST]
CHURCHY	CCHHRUY	churchly (pertaining to church) [adj -HIER, -HIEST]
COMMIXT	CIMMOTX	COMMIX, to mix together [v]
COMPLEX	CELMOPX	complicated [adj -ER, -EST] / to make complex [v -ED, -ING, -S]
COXALGY	ACGLOXY	coxalgia (pain in hip) [n -GIES]
CROJIKS	CIJKORS	CROJIK, triangular sail [n]
CUMQUAT	ACMQTUU	kumquat (citrus fruit) [n -S]
CZARISM	ACIMRSZ	autocratic government [n -S]
DEFUZES	DEEFSUZ	DEFUZE, to defuse (to remove fuse from) [v]
DIALYZE	ADEILYZ	to subject to dialysis (separation of substances in solution by diffusion through membrane) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
DOZENTH	DEHNOTZ	twelfth (number twelve in series) [n -S]
ECZEMAS	ACEEMSZ	ECZEMA, skin disease [n]
EMBLAZE	ABEELMZ	to set on fire [v -D, -ZING, -S]
EMPRIZE	EEIMPRZ	emprise (adventurous undertaking) [n -S]
EPIZOIC	CEIIOZP	living on body of animal [adj]
EPOXYED	DEEOPXY	EPOXY, to glue with epoxy (type of resin) [v]
ETHOXYL	EHLOTXY	univalent chemical radical [n -S]
EXHUMED	DEEHMUX	EXHUME, to dig out of earth [v]
EXOAMY	AEGMOXY	marriage outside of particular group [n -MIES]
FAZENDA	AADEFNZ	Brazilian plantation [n -S]
FEAZING	AIEFGINZ	FEAZE, to faze (to disturb composure of) [v]
FEEDBOX	BDEEFOX	box for animal feed [n -ES]
FEEZING	EIEFGINZ	FEEZE, to faze (to disturb composure of) [v]
FIXATIF	AFFIITX	fixative (substance for preserving paintings or drawings) [n -S]



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FOLKWAY	AFKLOWY	traditional custom of people [n -S]
FOOZLED	DEFLOOZ	FOOZLE, to bungle (to work, make, or do clumsily) [v]
FOXFIRE	EFFIORX	glow produced by certain fungi on decaying wood [n -S]
FOXHOLE	EFHLOOX	small pit used for cover in battle area [n -S]
FOXHUNT	FHNOTUX	to hunt with hounds for fox [v -ED, -ING, -S]
FRIZING	FGIINRZ	FRIZ, to frizz (to form into small, tight curls) [v]
FUTZING	FGINTUZ	FUTZ, to spend time aimlessly [v]
GAUZILY	AGILUYZ	GAUZY, resembling gauze (transparent fabric) [adv]
GHAZALS	AAGHLSZ	GHAZAL, amatory lyric poem [n]
GHAZIES	AEGHISZ	GHAZI, Muslim war hero [n]
GLAZILY	AGILLYZ	GLAZY, covered with smooth, glossy coating [adv]
HAMMOCK	ACHKMMO	hanging cot [n -S]
HAWKEYS	AEHKSXY	HAWKEY, hawkie (white-faced cow) [n]
HAWKISH	AHHIKSW	warlike (disposed to engage in war) [adj]
HAYFORK	AFHKORY	tool for pitching hay [n -S]
HAZARDS	AADHRSZ	HAZARD, to venture (to risk (to expose to risk (chance of injury or loss))) [v]
HAZINGS	AGHINSZ	HAZING, attempt to embarrass or ridicule [n]
HEEZING	EEGHINZ	HEEZE, to hoist (to haul up by some mechanical means) [v]
HEXADIC	ACDEHIX	HEXAD, group of six [adj]
HEXAPOD	ADEHOPX	six-legged insect [n -S]
HIGHWAY	AGHHIWY	main road [n -S]
HIJRAHS	AHHIJRS	HIJRAH, hegira (exodus (movement away)) [n]
HOMMOCK	CHKMMOO	ridge in ice field [n -S]
HUMIDEX	DEHIMUX	index of discomfort [n -ES]
HUMMOCK	CHKMMOU	to form into hummocks (small rounded hills) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
HYPONYM	HMNOPYY	word that denotes subcategory [n -S]
HYRAXES	AEHRXSY	HYRAX, small, harelike mammal [n]
IMBLAZE	ABEILMZ	to emblaze (to set on fire) [v -D, -ZING, -S]
JACKALS	AACJKLS	JACKAL, doglike mammal [n]
JACKASS	AACJKSS	male donkey [n -ES]
JACKERS	ACEJKRS	JACKER, one that jacks (to raise with type of lever) [n]
JACKETS	ACEJKST	JACKET, to provide with jacket (short coat) [v]
JACKIES	ACEIJKS	JACKY, sailor (member of ship's crew) [n]
JAMLIKE	AEIJKLM	resembling jam [adj]
JARVEYS	AEJRSVY	JARVEY, driver of carriage for hire [n]
JAYBIRD	ABDIJRY	jay (corvine bird) [n -S]
JAYVEES	AEEJSVY	JAYVEE, junior varsity player [n]
JELLIFY	EFIJLLY	to jelly (to make into jelly (soft, semisolid substance)) [v -FIED, -ING, -FIES]
JETWAYS	AEJSTWY	JETWAY, trademark [n]
JEWELRY	EEJLRWY	article or articles for personal adornment [n -RIES]
JIBBOOM	BBIJMoo	ship's spar [n -S]
JIFFIES	EFFIIS	JIFFY, short time [n]
JOCKIER	CEIJKOR	JOCKY, resembling athlete (one skilled in feats of physical strength and agility) [adj]
JODHPUR	DHJOPRU	type of boot [n -S]
JOLLIFY	FIJLLOY	to make jolly [v -FIED, -ING, -FIES]



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JOYPADS	ADJOPSY	JOYPAD, device with buttons to control computer images [n]
JUNKMAN	AJKMNNU	one who buys and sells junk [n -MEN]
JUNKMEN	EJKMNNU	JUNKMAN, one who buys and sells junk [n]
JUSTIFY	FIJSTUY	to show to be just, right, or valid [v -FIED, -ING, -FIES]
KAIZENS	AEIKNSZ	KAIZEN, Japanese business practice of continuous improvement [n]
KAJEPUT	AEJKPTU	cajuput (cajuput (Australian tree)) [n -S]
KEYWAYS	AEKSWYY	KEYWAY, slot for key [n]
KLUTZES	EKLSTUZ	KLUTZ, clumsy person [n]
KREUZER	EEKRRUZ	kreutzer (former monetary unit of Austria) [n -S]
KUNZITE	EIKNTUZ	mineral (naturally occurring inorganic substance having characteristic set of physical properties) [n -S]
LAZING	AGILNYZ	LAZY, to move or lie lazily [v]
LIQUIDY	DIILQUY	LIQUID, substance that flows freely [adj -DIER, -DIEST]
MACAQUE	AACEMQU	short-tailed monkey [n -S]
MAHJONG	AGHJMNO	game of Chinese origin [n -S]
MAMZERS	AEMMRSZ	MAMZER, bastard (illegitimate child) [n]
MAZUMAS	AAMMSUZ	MAZUMA, money (official medium of exchange and measure of value) [n]
MEZCAL	ACELMSZ	MEZCAL, mescal (cactus used as source of liquor) [n]
MIXDOWN	DIMNOWX	process of combining soundtracks to make recording [n -S]
MIXEDLY	DEILMXY	MIX, to put together into one mass [adv]
MOMZERS	EMMORSZ	MOMZER, momser (bastard (illegitimate child)) [n]
MOUJIKS	IJKMOSU	MOUJIK, muzhik (Russian peasant) [n]
MUNTJAK	AJKMNTU	muntjac (small Asian deer) [n -S]
NUDZHES	DEHNSUZ	NUDZH, to noodge (to nag (to find fault incessantly)) [v]
OVERJOY	EJOORVY	to fill with great joy [v -ED, -ING, -S]
OXYACID	ACDIOXY	acid that contains oxygen [n -S]
PAYBACK	AABCKPY	return on investment equal to original capital outlay [n -S]
PECTIZE	CEEIPTZ	to change into jelly [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PEPTIZE	EEIPPTZ	to increase colloidal dispersion of [v -D, -ZING, -S]
PICQUET	CEIPQTU	piquet (card game) [n -S]
PIROJKI	IJKOPR	PIROZHOK, small Russian pastry [n]
PYXIDES	DEIPSYX	PYXIS, pyxidium (type of seed vessel) [n]
PYXIDIA	ADIIPXY	PYXIDIUM, type of seed vessel [n]
QUAHAUG	AAGHQUU	quahog (edible clam) [n -S]
QUAHOGS	AGHOQSU	QUAHOG, edible clam [n]
QUAIGHS	AGHIQSU	QUAIGH, quaich (small drinking vessel) [n]
QUAKERS	AEKQRSU	QUAKER, one that quakes (to shake or vibrate) [n]
QUAKIER	AEIKQRU	QUAKY, tending to quake [adj]
QUASHED	ADEHQSU	QUASH, to suppress completely [v]
QUAYAGE	AAEGQUY	charge for use of quay [n -S]
QUIBBLE	BBEILQU	to argue over trivialities [v -D, -LING, -S]
QUIPPER	EIPPQRU	one that quiips (to make witty remarks) [n -S]
QUIPPUS	IPPQSUU	QUIPPU, quipu (ancient calculating device) [n]
QUOHOGS	GHOOQSU	QUOHOG, quahog (edible clam) [n]
REAFFIX	AEFFIRX	to affix again [v -ED, -ING, -ES]
RHIZOID	DHIIORZ	rootlike structure [n -S]
SCHMUCK	CCHKMSU	to hit or flatten [v -ED, -ING, -S]



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SIXTHLY	HILSTXY	in sixth place [adv]
SKYWAYS	AKSSWYY	SKYWAY, elevated highway [n]
SQUARKS	AKQRSSU	SQUARK, hypothetical boson analogue of quark [n]
SQUEAKS	AEKQSSU	SQUEAK, to make sharp, high-pitched sound [v]
TAXIWAY	AAITWXY	paved strip at airport [n -S]
TWEEZED	DEEETWZ	TWEEZE, to pluck with tweezer [v]
TZIMMES	EIMMSTZ	vegetable stew [n TZIMMES]
UNFAZED	ADEFNUZ	not fazed (to disturb composure of) [adj]
UPCHUCK	CCHKPUU	to vomit (to eject contents of stomach through mouth) [v -ED, -ING, -S]
UPGAZED	ADEGPUZ	UPGAZE, to gaze up [v]
VEEJAYS	AEEJSVY	VEEJAY, announcer on program of music videos [n]
VIXENLY	EILNVXY	VIXEN, shrewish woman [adj]
VIZARDS	ADIRSVZ	VIZARD, mask [n]
VIZORED	DEIORVZ	VIZOR, to visor (to provide with visor (projecting brim)) [v]
WALKWAY	AAKLWWY	passage for walking [n -S]
WALTZED	ADELTWZ	WALTZ, to perform ballroom dance [v]
WEAZAND	AADENWZ	weasand (throat) [n -S]
WHACKED	ACDEHKW	intoxicated [adj] / WHACK, to strike sharply [v]
WHIFFED	DEFFHIW	WHIFF, to blow or convey with slight gusts of air [v]
WHISKEY	EHIKSWY	liquor [n -s]
WHOOMPH	HHMOOPW	whoomp (sudden loud sound) [n -s]
WHYDAHS	ADHHSWY	WHYDAH, African bird [n]
WIZARDS	ADIRSWZ	WIZARD, sorcerer (one who practices sorcery (alleged use of supernatural powers)) [n]
WIZENED	DEEINWZ	WIZEN, to shrivel (to contract into wrinkles) [v]
WOODBOX	BDOOOWX	woodbin (bin for holding firewood) [n-ES]
WYSIWYG	GISWWYY	denoting text on display screen that exactly corresponds to its appearance on printout [adj]
XIPHOID	DHIIOPX	part of sternum [n -S]
YUPPIFY	FIPPUIY	to make appealing to yuppies [v -FIED, -ING, -FIES]
ZAIDEHS	ADEHISZ	ZAIDEH, zeda (grandfather) [n]
ZAIKAIS	AAIIKSZ	ZAIKAI, business community of Japan [n]
ZAPPERS	AEPPRSZ	ZAPPER, device that zaps [n]
ZAPPIER	AEIPPRZ	ZAPPY, zippy (full of energy) [adj]
ZEBRAIC	ABCEIRZ	ZEBRA, African mammal that is related to horse [adj]
ZEDOARY	ADEORYZ	medicinal root of tropical plant [n -RIES]
ZEPPOLE	EELOPPZ	deep-fried pastry [n -S, -LI]
ZEPPOLI	EILOPPZ	ZEPPOLE, deep-fried pastry [n]
ZIKURAT	AIKRTUZ	ziggurat (ancient Babylonian temple tower) [n -S]
ZIPPERS	EIPPRSZ	ZIPPER, to fasten with zipper (fastener consisting of two rows of interlocking teeth) [v]
ZIPPIER	EIIPPRZ	ZIPPY, full of energy [adj]
ZOECIUM	CEIMOUZ	zoecium (sac secreted and lived in by aquatic organism) [n -IA]
ZOMBIES	BEIMOSZ	ZOMBIE, will-less human capable only of automatic movement [n]
ZOGENY	EGNOOYZ	development or evolution of animals [n -NIES]
ZOOLOGY	GLOOOYZ	science that deals with animals [n -GIES]
ZYGOSES	EGOSSYZ	ZYGOSIS, union of two gametes [n]
ZYGOSIS	GIOSSYZ	union of two gametes [n -SES]



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ZYGOTES    EGOSTYZ    ZYGOTE, cell formed by union of two gametes [n]