

ANALYTICAL SYNTAX FOR TEACHING ENGLISH (9)

—non-native approach—

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9.7 Sample lexicon for verbs

The complexity of the nature of the actual English verbs defies any simple rendition of the class into such a two-dimensional lexicon-format as the ones into which we put adjectives and adverbs (9.5 and 9.6 respectively.) The modern linguistics, especially with its semantic obsessions, has provided us with infinitely sub-divided lexicons whose verb classifications, among others, do outnumber the membership of the verbs themselves. For the purpose of describing and discovering linguistic facts, all this is indeed quite relevant, but if it is for the purpose of teaching a foreign language called English to linguistic adults, it will not serve the purpose.

Instead of giving the schematic total view of the lexicon for English verbs as such, we shall here first present a sizable corpus of English verbs spread over, more or less, an empirically designated two-dimensional field (Table 1.) The general observation of the verbal lexicon as a whole, including the auxiliary verbs, may be later presented as a kind of *after-thought* to this section.

The lexicon contains some 2,500 verbs, selected more on a pedagogical than on a scientific basis (such as frequency count, etc.) These words are again the ones found in Prof. Gunji's *Pocket Inverted English Dictionary*¹⁾ which enlists some 12,000 items of English vocabulary considered sufficient for toughest of English examinations for university entrance in this country. Those words that are in bold face, amounting to some 500, are the ones quoted by Prof. Torii et al²⁾ as those found in ten authorized

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1) *ibid.*

2) Jiko Torii et al, *Hisshu-Bunkei no Kenkyu*, Kairyu-do, 1969

series of English text books for junior high schools some years ago.

The inventory of verbs here are horizontally arranged from left to right in five columns, the left-most are those that are supposed to be used only as intransitive, while the two right-most columns are for those that are used exclusively as transitive. The second from the left contains those verbs that are used more as intransitive than as transitive, while the third contains those used less as intransitive than as transitive, the distinction being made according to the indications of *Webster's Student Dictionary*³⁾.

The words beginning with a capital letter are those that can be used as nouns as they are, while those suffixed by a wedge (>) are those used as adjectives elsewhere without form-changes. The minus marks (-) at the head indicates that the verb can be used as incomplete intransitive while the same at the end indicates that it can be used as incomplete transitive. Plus marks (+) at the end indicate that the verb can take double objects. These indications are halfway pedagogical. Those italicized are irregular verbs whose past and past participles are relegated from the surface of the lexicon.

Vertically the words are arranged experimentally in the manner we adopted for adjectives, i. e. according to the way the words phonetically (rather than orthographically) end, the policy being, though not fully consistent, "priority on the *consonants*", as the majority of English words, especially verbs, end in consonants. We consider that this arrangement gives grammatical insight to the verbs beyond their phonetics.

Stress is generally on the last (or the only) syllable of the words unless indicated otherwise by ('). We could, however, re-arrange the whole collection if we could find any better sequence for retrieval than by ending sounds, or even by any other grammatical terms that will reveal a more practical and grammatical fascet of English verbs as a whole.

The proposed table is a sample, or a basis, from which many words can be suppressed or to which more may be added at the proper addresses to suit the purpose of teaching and to satisfy the level of the mastery desired.

3) *Webster's Student Dictionary*, G. & C. Merriam Co., 1945

Table 1 Lexicon for Verbs

ending	Intransitive	Intransitive & transitive	Transitive & intransitive	Transitive
-rst			<i>burst</i>	
-st			-Taste	Paste
	Last	Blast Contrast Feast	Waste <i>cast</i> <i>broadcast</i> <i>Forecast</i> roast conjest digest	overcast Toast manifest
	Jest		Nest Protest Contest attest invest Hárvest	arrest Test Request
		Rest	enlist twist resist	Interest wrest detest
		list(2)		List(1) hóist
	consist insist pursist exist coexist desist	assist subsist		
		<i>Cost</i> +		accost Post Frost
		Rust Trust transact	bust Dust Act	Disgust <i>Thrust</i> enact distract protract Extract
-ct	react interact		subtract	exact> Effect perfect> reject+
			object Project elect — collect recollect select reflect connect Próspect direct>	Subject> Neglect Respect expect + erect> resurrect detect
				inspect correct > protect

		contradict		afflict	inflict+
	Conflict	predict		depict	
				restrict	
		Conduct		Convict	deduct
				abduct	instruct
				Abstract>	reconstruct
-ft	Drift	Shift		construct	rift
		Lift		sift	
-mpt		Draft		exempt	prompt>
		Attempt		tempt	
-pt		except		intercept	accept
				adopt	adapt
	erupt	corrupt>		bankrupt	interrupt
-nt	Chant			enchant	
	slant>	Want		implant	Plant
	Pant			Grant+	
				Warrant	
	relent	scent			
		dent			
		indent			
	Lament	Cement			
Expériment	Comment			Torment	
	ferment	Ségment			
		augment			
	consent			absent>	
	assent			Present>+	represent
	dissent			Content	
	prevent	repent	Rent	inyent	
			fréquent>		
	faint>		Taint	Paint-	aquaint
	feint	Squint			
		Hint		Mint	Dint
			Point	appoint-	disappoint
			Print	imprint	Tint
	flaunt	haunt		daunt	taunt
				Count	Account
	mount			Discount	recount
Amount	dismount			surmount	
	Grunt	Hunt		confront	stunt
-lt	halt				exalt
	melt	tilt		assault	Salt
	jolt				
	Revolt			Insult	
Result	consult			impart	thwart
-rt	depart	dart			
	Start	Part			
		Cart		Concert	disconcert

	revert		insert	assert
			invert	divert
			Pervert	Convert
				exert
	Spurt	flirt		
		hurt		
		exhort	Escort	
		Import	Export	Support
		Report	purport	transport
		comport		
	Resort	Sort		
		assort		
		Retort	distort	
			Cómfort	Discómfort
-t	wait	Date		
	await	abate		
	Skate	recreate	create	
	Debate	Hate	elate	
		Relate	inflate	
		Donate		
		Grate		
		Rate	overrate	equate
-ate	rotate	Prédicate	réprobate	syllabicate
		implicate	eradicat	indicat
		communícate	médicate	cómplicate
		lócate	Duplicat	étriccate
		súffocate	álocate	domésticate
			éducat	confiscate
			inválidate	ellúcidate
		própergate	accómodate	
		ségregate	Délegate	ággregate
		cóngregate	irrigate	
	návigate	mítigate		
		intérogate		
		invéstigate		
		cónjugate		
		Assóciate		
		appréciate		
	retáliate	depréciate	conciliate	humiliate
	médiat	méditate		
	rádiat		sátiate	
	déviat	repátriate	appróprate	initiate
	negótiat	assímilate	abbréviat	annihilate
	législat	contémpilate	véntilat	mútilate
		tránslate	violat	isolat
			cóllate	
	spéculat	cálcultat	émulat	fórmulat
	círcultat	ejáculat	régluat	
		móduulat		
		gránulat		

		stímulate		
	stípulate	accúmulate	pópulate	
		incubate	innóculate	congráturate
		Éstimate	ánnimate >	appróximate
		underéestimate		
		overéestimate	íntimate >	
		amálgamate		
stágnate		fáscinate	álienate	désignate
cúlminate		coórdinate	Subórdinate	
		abóminate		
		discríminate		
predóminate	gérminate	dóminate	nóminate —	denóminate
	rúminate	términate	extérminate	illúminate
		donate	assássinate	
partícipate		áternate >	impérsonate	
		dissipate	antícipate	
		celebrate		
		séparate >		
		vibrate		
		deliberate >		
		féderate		
		conféderate	consácrate	líberate
degénerate >		accélerate		
coóperate	óperate	exággerate	tólerate	générate
				vénerate
emígrate			enúmerate	
immígrate		intégrate >	exásperate	reíterate
mígrate			obliterate	
colláborate	Pírate	detériorate	commémorate	
	eváporate	decorate	Pósturate	
		elaborate >	incóporate	
			penétrate	demonstrate
		concéntrate	próstrate	
		remónstrate	illústrate	frústrate
			perpéturate	sáturate
			ináugurate	
púlsate		compensate		
végitate		Dictate	facilitate	
hésitate		ágitate	ímitate	írritate
		precípitate	necéssitate	devástate
			reínstate	
		evácuate	exténuate	eváluate
flúctuate		Graduate	hábituate	accénuate
ínnovate		púnctuate	perpétuate	
			éxcavate	ággravate
			cúltivate	élevate
			cáptivate	mótvate
	sit	quit		
		fit >	benefit	Sit

		hit		
		Split>		
		<i>Spit</i>		
		remit	emit	omit
		Permit	commit +	transmit
		submit +	admit	
		knit		
vómit		Exhíbit	Límit	
		solicit	inhábit	inhíbit
		inhérit +	Mérit +	
		Vísit	Depósit	dispírit
		revisit	aquit	
			Explóit	
		<i>Bet</i>	Net	
		— get + —	<i>beget</i>	
		forget		
Jet		let		
		Fret	Regret +	
		Set —	<i>beset</i>	
		<i>upset</i> >	revet	
		<i>offset</i>		
		cóvet		
Sweat		wet>		
Márket		Trúmpet	Brácket	Pócket
		eat	Defeat	
		overeat		
		Heat		
		cheat		
		beat		
Retreat	Treat	entreat	ill-treat	
		repeat	greet	compete
		meet	Seat	
Sleet	bleat		complete	
Hoot	Root	Shoot	uproot	
	Dispute	Salute	Repute	refute
		compute	impute	Próstitute
		Súbstitute	cónstitute	Ínstitute
		contríbut	distríbute	Attríbute
		prósecute	pérsecute	execute
Chat	Cómbat	Bat		
		Pat		
		<i>squat</i>		
	<i>rot</i>	Blot	allot +	
	Trot	Plot		
		Jot	Spot	
Strut	jut	Cut	<i>undercut</i>	glut
		put		
		shut >		
Ríot		Pívat	Pílot	Párrot
			Bóycott	

	dote	Float		Note	denote
		Vote		devote	quote
		shout	Spout		
		Sprout		Rout	
		Doubt	Bite	cite	excite
			recite		
			Sight		
			<i>smile</i>		
			unite		
			ignite		
			right>		
			write +		
			rewrite		
		Fight	<i>typewrite</i>	invite	
			Delight	Slight>	Plight
			Light(2) >		
-nd	light(1)		End		
			<i>Bend</i>		
		offend	defend		
			send +		
	condescend	ascend	transcend	apprehend	comprehend
		descend		reprehend	befriend
			lend +		
			<i>Blend</i>		
			mend		
			amend	commend	recommend+
			rend --		
	depend		spend +	expend	
	impend		suspend		
		contend	attend		
		tend	extend	intend	
			pretend		
	despond		Sécond>		
	respond				
	correspond				
	abound	resound	Sound	confound	Compound
			round >	expound	surround
			Wound	astound	
			Band	hand +	
			Command	Repremand	
			Demand	Brand	
			expand	Land	
				Strand	
		-Stand	understand		
			<i>misunderstand</i>		
			<i>withstand</i>		
			<i>bind</i>	Blind>	find +
			<i>Wind</i>		
			<i>grind</i>		
			Mind		
			remind		

-ld		Shield	wield	
		yield		
		build+	<i>gild</i>	
		Fold	blind-fold	
		unfold		
		Hold	<i>behold</i>	
	scold	<i>withhold</i>	<i>uphold</i>	Mold
			scald	
-rd		discard	bombard	
		Regard-	disregard	
		Guard	retard	
		Accord+	afford	
		Record	Ward	Reward
			Award	
		Board	<i>gird</i>	Word
-d	bide	Hide+		
	coincide	decide		
	collide			
	Glide		Guide	
	Side		deride	Pride
	subside	provide		
	preside	Divide		
		subdivide		
		forebode		
		explode		
		corrode	erode	
		Aid	raid	Braid
	fade	Shade	upbraid	Blockade
	wade		<i>lade</i>	
	evade		invade	pervade
Masquerade		Grade	degrade	
		Parade		
		Trade	persuade	desuade
allude		conclude	exclude	include
	extrude	intrude	elude	delude
		protrude	seclude	
		wed		
		shed	Shred	
		Thread		
		Spread		
		Head		
		Dread		
		<i>Tread</i>	avoid	
		Bid+	<i>forbid</i>	<i>rid</i>
		read+		
		Breed		
	<i>bleed</i>	Heed		
	plead	Lead	<i>mislead</i>	
		Feed		
acceed	succeed	Seed		cede
	<i>Speed</i>	Weed	impede	

	intercede		precede		
	recede(1)				
	recede(2)				
	Nod	plod	Need		
			add		
			Prómenade		
			unload	Load	óverload
		applaud		laud	
		Crowd		Shroud	
		overcrowd			
			brood		
			Flood	stud	
-ks	Wax		relax	coax	vex
				Perplex	
			Mix	Affix	Prefix
			fix	Suffix	
-ps	lapse			elips	
	elapse				
	collapse				
-ns		Dance	enhance	Lance	
	Glance	Chance		Expérience	Silence
		commence		Influence	
	wince		mince	convince	rinse
			Bounce	announce	denounce
			pronounce	renounce	
			condense	Lícense	despence
				recompense	Sense
-ls					repulse
-rs	Discourse		pierce	Force	enforce
				reinforce	Divorce
			rehearse	endorce	
			disperse	immerse	
			Curse	Purse	
			reverse >		
			traverse		
-s			confess +	profess +	bless
			Mess		
	Prógress		Dress	Adress	
			undress		
			transgress		
			Press	depress	express
				compress	impress
				Destress	opress
				suppress	Stress
			Guess	obsess	assess
			Witness	Prócess	
		Pass	Class	amass	Cómpass
	tréspass			surpass	
				embárrass	harass
	Grímace		Ménace	Sólace	Púrchace +
			Face	efface	

		Pace	Race	Place	Space
			Brace	displace	replace
			Embrace	Disgrace	erase
			Trace	debase	
			Chace	encase	
	Conduce		induce	deduce	
			reduce		
			produce	introduce	
			reproduce		
			Toss	gloss >	
			Cross	engross	
		cease			
		Decrease		release	
		Increase			
		Hiss	Kiss		
			Miss		
			Prómiss+		
		suffice	Slice	entice	Price
			Sácrifice		
			Práctice	Nóttice	
			rejoice	Voice	
			loose		
		Fuss	Fócus	discuss	
				cleanse	
-nz					
-rz					
-z	Rise		ádvrtise	comprise	Parse
	<i>arise</i>		Advise	Disguise	Surprise
			Devise	súpervise	dispise
				Surmise	revise
			cápsize	Prize	size
	-ize	apólogize	críticise	stándardize	scándalíze
			reórganize	órganize	individúalize
			týranize	revolúttionize	idolize
			hármonize	líonize	jéopadize
				térrorize	émphasize
				pátronize	satríze
				áuthorize	stígmattize
			théorize	váporize	víctimize
				équalize	áctualize
			vísualize	stábilize	stérilize
			móbilize	fértillize	úttillize
			crýstallize	cívillize	individúalize
			Américanize	míltarize	húmanize
				sólemnize	módernize
				famíllarize	pópularize
				régularize	lócalle
				idéallize	légalize
			réalize	sócíallize	nórmallize
			spécíallize	nátíonallize	ínternátíonallize
			matérialize	céntrallize	méntallize
			rátíonallize	capítallize	vítallize
			généralize		

		moralize		
		naturalize	totalize	immortalize
		Compromise	recognize	antagonize
		Exercise	mechanize	memorize
		summarize	synthesize	dramatize
		tantalize	systematize	democratize
			baptize	analyze
			paralyze	
Sneeze	freeze	Squeeze		
		Seize		
		Ease		
	please	displease		
		tease	appease	
Gaze		Craze	amaze	Daze
		graze		
		Phrase		
		Paraphrase	raise	
		Praise	appraise	
		choose		
		lose		
		Use	Disuse	Abuse
			Misuse	
		fuse	accuse	Excuse
		defuse >	amuse	
		refuse +	confuse	
	Cruise	Bruise		peruse
		close	enclose	disclose
doze		Pose	impose	
		Repose		
		compose	oppose	expose
		propose +		
		suppose		
		interpose		
		dispose		
		decompose		
	Pause		Cause +	
		rouse	arouse	
		browse		
	Buzz	Poise		
-sh	Clash	Dash	abash	
	Flash	Lash	Cash	
		Splash		
		Slash		
	gnash	Smash		
		squash		
		wash		
		thresh	afresh	refresh
		Fish	Wish +	
	gush	hush		
Blush	flush			
	Rush		Brush	

				Crush	
			Ambush	Push	
-ish	skirmish			gárnish	Várnish
	vanish			fúrnish	
				bánish	púnish
				públish	Rélish
				embéllish	abólish
				pólish	accómplish
				Finish	dimínish
				replénish	
				admónish	astónish
	pérish	flóurish		chérish	impóverish
	lánguish			nóurish	distínguish
				extínguish	vánquish
				Lávish	rávish
-nch		Branch	blanch	drench	wrench
	finch			quench	Pinch
			munch	Punch	
				launch	
-rch		March	parch	perch	Search
			Arch	scorch	
-ch				Catch	Hatch
				thatch	Match
				snatch	Patch
		Watch	Scratch	Dispatch+	
				detatch	attach
		preach	teach	bleach	impeach
		Screech		reach	beseech
	Itch		Stitch	enrich	Pitch
			hitch	bewitch	Switch
				twitch	
			Stretch	fetch+	Sketch
				coach	encroach
				Reproach	Approach
				Clutch	touch
				avouch	debauch
-ndj			Change	Interchange	Exchange
			Range	arrange	estrangle
				Revenge	avenge
				Chállenge	
			Hinge	tinge	
			plunge	Sponge	
-rdj	merge				
	submerge				
	emerge				
	Verge				
	díverge				
			Charge+	overcharge	Discharge
	Surge		Urge	enlarge	
				Purge	

-dj	Age		forge Cage disengage Outrage Wage Edge Wedge Pillage ravage	engage enrage Stage Gauge Pledge+ allege Dámage Sálvage discourage acknówledge Bridge	mánage encóurage envisage abridge
	trudge	dodge	Lodge Judge	grudge oblige beseige Link	
-nk		<i>think</i> <i>shrink</i> <i>sink</i> <i>stink</i> Wink	blink Drink		
			Rank	Spank Thank	
-lk			Milk		
-sk			Mask Risk	Task whisk	ask+
-rk	bark hark Spark lurk Quake	Fork Work <i>Shake</i>	embark Park Jerk	Mark Earmark Cork	Remark
-k		Wake <i>awake</i>	Break take+	bake Rake <i>partake</i> <i>overtake</i> Mistake	Cake make+ -- <i>forsake</i> <i>undertake</i>
	ache	slack Crack	Back	Lack Smack(2) unpack Stack Kick pick Trick	Stake Rack Pack Attack lick prick
	frólic Flock		Stick Shock Rock	Mímic Lock mock	Stock
		Knock Leak sneak <i>speak</i> creak	squeak	<i>seek</i>	

		shriek		eke	
		Joke	choke	evoke	devoke
	stalk		poke	provoke	soak
	Walk	Talk	Balk		
		Look	Cook+	Book	Hook
		overlook	Buck	tuck	
			pluck		
			Suck	like	dislike
				Strike	
				rebuke	
-g	Lag	brag	drag	Tag	
	sag		nag		
		Peg	wag		
		Zigzag			
			dig	rig	
				Intrigue	Fatigue
			Plug	Flog	
			shrug	hug	
			Tug		
-mf	Triumph		Dwarf	engulf	
-lf		Laugh			
-rf		Cough	snuff		
-f		Puff	Bluff		
		Sniff			
		Scoff			
-lv			resolve	solve	involve
		shelve	delve		
-rv			carve		
			observe		
			deserve	Reserve	
		serve	preserve	conserve	
		swerve	Curve		
-v	cleave(1)		celave(2)		
		believe-	leave+	relieve	
			heave	breave	
			weave	sheave	
			interweave		
			achieve		
			grieve	retrieve	
			deceive		
			receive		
			conceive		
			misconceive		
			perceive		
	dive				
	connive		Drive		

	<i>thrive</i>	derive	<i>rive</i>	deprive	contrive
	arrive				
	strive	revive survive			
	rave		crave	brave>	
	Slave	Wave	save+ <i>shave</i>	enslave pave engrave	weive <i>stave</i> <i>grave</i>
			behave behoove		
			Move remove approve		
		<i>live</i>	improve <i>give+</i> misgive <i>forgive+</i>	reprove outlive	disprove
		rove	shove Love	have+ - Mouth bequeeth+	halve smooth>
-th					
-the			bathe wreathe <i>seethe</i>	loathe <i>clothe</i> tithe Clasp	soothe
		breathe	writhe		
-sp		Gasp Grasp			
-mp	Camp	Tramp	Swamp Stamp bump Lump thump	encamp Pump	damp>
	Jump				
	Slump	clump			
	limp romp				
-lp		yelp		Help -	
			Gulp		
-rp		Chirp		usurp	
			warp		
-p		Skip	Dip Chip clip(1) Tip sip rip	Ship+ Clip(2) nip	Whip slip(2) equip
		Slip(1)			
		frip	drip Grip strip		
	Gossip				
	Nap	clap snap	Flap rap wrap	overlap Trap Scrap	slap Strap

			swap		
			tap	Sap	
		Gárrop	Crop	Prop	
			Drop		
		pop	Stop		
		Hop	Chop		
			Mop		
		Flop	dévelop	Énvelop	
		Leap		Heap	
	oversleep	Sleep	Sweep	peep	keep + -
	Creep		reap		
	weep				
	gape	Escape	scrape	Ape	Shape
				Tape	
				Pipe	wipe
				Type	
		Hope		cope	
		Slope			
		grope			
		droop	Group		
		stoop		Scoop	
			Sup		
	Hiccough				
-rb				absorb	Curb
				purturb	disturb
-b				Bribe	ascribe
				subscribe	describe
				prescribe	inscribe
	throb		bob	Mob	rob
	Sob			snub	stub
		grub	scrub	rub	
			Jab	grab	stab
	Ebb				
-rm			Farm	Harm	
			Arm	Charm	Alarm
				unarm	disarm
		Swarm	warm >		
		Storm	Form	Reform	
			conform	deform	inform
			transform		
			perform		
				affirm	confirm
-m	seam(2)	gleam	Beam	Seam(1)	
		Scream			
		Dream			
		Stream			
-seem		beseem	deem -	redeem +	
teem		Steam	Scheme		esteem
		Aim		Claim -	acclaim
		declaim		reclaim	proclaim
		exclaim		disclaim	

	Loom	Boom		Blame	
	bloom			tame>	Shame
	succumb	Hum		Doom	resume
	<i>come</i>	Drum		presume	assume
	<i>become</i>			consume	Plumb
	Blóssom			Sum	
				numb>	
				Welcome	<i>overcome</i>
				Ránsome	accústom
			slam	Fáthom	
			cram	Jam	damn
	<i>swim</i>		skim	trim	
	hem(1)		Stem	hem(2)	
		roam		condemn	
		climb		Comb	Bomb
		Rhyme			
-rn				earn	learn
			Burn	yearn	unlearn
			Turn	Concern	discern
			Return		
			spurn	mourn	
			overturn		warn
				scorn	adorn
	Sójourn		góvern	Pátttern	
			Pain	ordain	Disdain
				Gain	regain
	remain			Chain	explain
	refrain	Rain	Drain		
			Train	restrain	constrain
			Strain	overstrain	
	obtain(2)		obtain(1)	detain	
			retain	maintain	
	partain		attain	contain	
	abstain		Stain	sustain	
	Reign	deign	faign	Design	assign
			Sign		
			resign		
		Whine	shine		
		Decline			
		incline	recline		
		dine		fine	define
				refine	Confine
				Underline	Óutline
				Mine	undermine
	pine			destine	

	Twine		entwine	
Fúncion		Fáshion	Cúshion	
		Petítion	Séction	Sánction
	Mótion		Partítion	Méntion
	Quéstion		Cáution	
	lean	clean >	mean	wean
	convene	glean	intervene	Screen
	Réason		Séason	
		Póison	imprison	
			békon +	rékon
			súmmon	Íron
			Párdon	Bútton
	win +	<i>Spin</i>	Skin	Pin
	din			
Grin	— begin			
	Run	<i>overrun</i>	shun	stun
			Fan	Ban
			Can	
			scan	Span
			Plan	Tan
	atone		Stone	(téle) phone +
	drone		postpone	
Dawn		moan	Loan	
yawn				
swoon		Tune	maroon	Lampon
			Harpoon	
			exámine	cross-exámine
			détérmine	Déscipline
		imáginé—		
		join		
		adjoin	Coin	
		Ruin		
			Bárgain	ascértain
	Frown		Crown	
	drown		own +	disown
			<i>Pen</i>	
háppen		ópen >	Burden	over-bürden
<i>-en</i>	líghten(1)		re-ópen	enlíghten
glísten		líven	enlíven	éven >
lísten			léven	
		déafen		
héarken		blácken	lénghthen	strénghthen
			thréaten	
			dishéarten	héarten
		whíten	fríghthen	brighthen
		rédden		
		déaden		
	bróaden	gládden		
		mádden		

			sádden		
			wíden		
			hádden		
			stíffen		
			wáken		
			awáken		
			slácken		
			thícken		
			sícken		
			quícken		
			líken		
			rípen		
			chéapen		
			shárpén		
			lóosen		
			léssen		
			swéeten		
			sóften		
			stráighten	stráiten	
			héighten	lighten(2)	
			tíghten		
			shórtén	smárten	
			fásten	chásten	hásten
			moísten	chrísten	
			fláttén		
-ng	<i>cling</i>		<i>sting</i>	<i>Sling</i>	
	<i>Spring</i>		Ring(2)	<i>Wring</i>	bring
		<i>String</i>	<i>Sting</i>		
		Ring(1)	<i>Swing</i>		
		<i>sing</i>			
	belong			prolong	Wrong
	overhang		hang	Bang	
	clang				
-tl		nestle			
		Bustle			
		Rustle	Hustle		
		Whistle			
		wrestle			
		startle			
		Rattle			
		Battle	settle	Bottle	belittle
		dwindle		Hurdle	
		swindle	Handle	dandle	fondle
			kindle		
-ndl	Paddle	straddle		Saddle	
-dl	meddle				
	toddle	huddle		muddle	
		idle		riddle	
		dawdle			
-zl		Drizzle			
		dazzle		Puzzle	Muzzle
-nkl		twinkle	sprinkle		

		tinkle			
		sparkle			
-kl		crackle	tackle		
	trickle	tickle			
			Buckle		
			suckle		
-ngl		wrangle	dangle	spangle	
			tangle	entangle	
	tingle	zingle	mingle	mangle	
			single>		
-rgl		gargle			
-gl		Struggle	juggle		
		snuggle	smuggle		
		giggle			
		wriggle			
		straggle			
-fl			baffle		
	snuffe		Shuffle	muffle	ruffle
			stifle		
-mpl		ripple	crumple	cripple	
-pl		scruple	crapple		
		topple			
-mbI		Gamble			
	ramble	Scramble	assemble	resemble	
		fumble	jumble		
		mumble			
	rumble	grumble	crumble		
	stumble	tumble			
-rbl			warble		
-bl		bable			
		gabble			
				disable	enable
			scribble		
	Bubble	Double>	Trouble		
		hobble			
-rl			Curl		
			furl		
			hurl		
		twirl			
				snarl	
-l		Shell	knell	fell	
			Smell	Spell	
			sell+	undersell	
			tell+		
	<i>dwell</i>	swell	<i>foretell+</i>		
		yell			
			repel	accpel	expel
			impel	dispel	
			excel		Libel
			Yodel		

		Módel		Párrallel
Qúarrel		Cóunsel+		
		Chísel		
Márvel	Trável	Lével	Revel	Shóvel
	Smile			
	Fail	ail	baíl	Jaíl
	Saíl	Hail	Maíl	Bláckmaíl
	avail	Trail	Nail	derail
prevail		retail	entail	curtail
			assail	
		unveil	Veil	
		wail		
		Regale		
		inhale		
		exhale		
		- Feel		
<i>kneel</i>		Heel		
reel		heal		
		Peel		
		Appeal	conceal+	
		<i>Deal</i>	Seal	
		steal	reveal+	
		Díal		
		Pédal	Équal	
		Sígnal+	Tótal	
			Ríval	
	chill			
		fill	fulfill	kill
		<i>spill</i>		
	shrill	Thrill	Drill	
	distill	still<	till	
cávil			impérial	
Toil	boil	Soil	Oil	foil
recoil			spoil	
		Roll	Poll	
		Toll	extoll	
	Stroll	enroll		
	Patrol	troll	Control	
gambol				
condole		console		
- Fall	<i>befall</i>	gall		
		Call	recall	appall
		stall	install	forestall
brawl		haul		
sprawl				
crawl	trawl			
	growl			
	prowl			
	howl		scowl	
		lull	cull	

		dull>			
		Pull			
	cool>	Pool			
	Fool				
		Rule	overrule	Rídicule	
-r	Care				
	Fare	Share	scare	dare	
	Flare	Glare	declare—		
			ensnare		
		compare	<i>bare</i>		
	stare	<i>forbare</i>	prepare	sware	
	beware	spare +	Repare	Chair	
	Despair	Pair	impair		
		Tear	endear	revere	
	interfere	Fear			
	adhere	hear—	<i>overhear</i>		
	appear	<i>shear</i>	Smear		
	disappear	clear			
		rear			
		sear			
		Wear			
	<i>swear +</i>	steer	Cheer		
	Jeer	volunteer			
	sneer	Fire	hire	admire	
	respire	expire	aspire	inspire	
	conspire		Desire		
	perspire	tire	Attire		
	retire	inquire	acquire	require	
	soar	pour	abhore		
	War	bore +	adore		
	pore	Score	deplore	implore	
	Shore		explore	ignore	
			Store	restore	
		scour	devour		
	Tour	Moor			
		Cure	procure		
		secure>	endure		
		mature>	lure		
		allure>	ensure		
		insure	assure		
			mar	Bar	
-str			stir		
<i>-er</i>	Clúster		múster		
	blúster	administer	fóster		
			Pláster	Máster	
		Régister			
-ntr	énter				
	Encóunter				
-ltr	fálter	áalter			
		Shéalter			
-rtr	bárter				
-tr		Wáter	bétter>		

	chátter		bátter		
	Mátter		scátter		
	pátter(2)	pátter(1)	shátter		
		clátter	flátter		
	glítter	twítter			
	tóttter	flúttter	clúttter	úttter	
		múttter			
		stúttter			
-ndr		wándter	Túttter		
			squándter	bewílder	Slándter
			engéndter	réndter—	
			Surréndter+	téndter	
		Wónder	pónder		
			hínder		
-rdr		blúnder	Plúnder		
			Órder		
-dr	Shúddter		múrdter		
			consider	reconsider	
			Pówdter		
-sr		Ánswer +		cénsor	Spónsore
				Cénsure	
-tur		Lécture	Conjécture	Féature	cápture
			Vénture+	Picture +	Púncure
				Tórture	
-dir		conjúre	—Méasure	ínjur	endángter
				Tréasure	
-kr	occur		incur		
	recur				
	concur		cónquer		
	fícker		Ánckor	súccor	
				Másscree	
-gr	línger	stágger		Trígger	
			Figure	disfigure	
-fr			Tránsfer	decípher	
			infer		
			confer		
	díffer		Óffer +	próffer	
			súffer—		
			defer	prefer	
			refer		
-vr	shíver	quáver	séver	cóver	
	quíver		recóver	discóver	
			uncóver		
	Endéavor	Manéuver		Fávor	Flávor
	hóver				
-thr		wíther			
			gáther	fúrtter>	téthter
			smóttter		
			Wéather		
-spr		próspertter			
-mpr	scámptter	Whíspertter	Témptter	hámpertter	

		táper			
-mbr	slúmber lúmber(1)		remémber Lúmber(2) Númber Hárbor	outnúmber	
-br		Lábor			
-mr	glímmber demur>	Múrmur stámmer	Hámmer clámmer	Rúmor Hónor	dishónor
-lr			Cólor Blur	Slur	
-r	err				
-wr	Tówer	Flówer	Shówer	empówer	
-ai			Tie untie Dye		
	die próphesy	Sigh		deny+ defy	
-ify			sólidify qúalify magnify signify	édify módfy ámplify dígnify símplify	códify déify núllify exémplify
			únify clárfy púrify fálsify vérsify	persónify vérify hólify divérsify	térrify glórfy eléctrfy clássify
		téstify	mórtify béautify	rátify sánctify nótify fórtify místify dissátify crúsify stúpify	grátify idéntify cértify jústify sátisfy pácify
	vie		buy+ Spy apply Supply+	óccupy	preóccupy
	comply lie (1)(2) rely	reply	mútiplý ally try dry Fry	underlie decry	
		Cry		Eye Stay (1) unsay	
-ei		-stay(2)	say Pay repay obey	convey	Survey
		Decay Bay			

		Play	disobey lay Delay	dismay display <i>Relay</i>	<i>inlay</i> <i>slay</i> underlay betray
	stray Prey		pray spray	<i>waylay</i> array portray	
-oi	Toy	sway	weigh		Convey employ
			empty> Pity tidy> steady> Study		ready> Rémedy
-i	Courtsy			Fancy Envy +	
	Mútiny Journey sally Párrley tárry		Cópy Ráally búally cárry + márry várry wéarry> Férry Húrry	accompany	
				wórry	Quárry
-ir	be disagréé Ski <i>flee</i>		agree see —	Decree <i>foresee</i>	free< <i>oversee</i>
-ur	ensue	Íssue	Stew do + sue persue <i>Shoe</i> chew <i>hew</i>	Tatoo outdo subdue	undo
	mew(1)	árgue		Réscue Shampoo mew(2)	
		contínue	discontínue renew Review	View Váalue Glue	Ínterview underváalue
			brew woo	strew	Rue
-oi			thaw	saw gnaw Claw	

-au		bow(1)	Vow allow	<i>draw</i> <i>withdraw</i> avow	
-ou			Plough	tow Véto Sháadow	oversháadow
	go		<i>sow</i> sew Show + Écho forego Bow (2) <i>mow</i>	forgo	
		Snow	know		
	Flow Glow	blow (1)	wínnow blow(2) overflow slow >		
		Béllow	swállow méllow >		
	Crow	- grow	fóllow row bórrrow hárrrow > owe +	hállow outgrow Throw +	
		265	360	842	1,116
		2,583			

note: accent shift due to nominalization not indicated, e. g. Record.