



JLPT N3 Vocabulary List

All 1621 words, ordered by how common they are, with readings and meanings.

#	Word	Reading	Meaning
1	と	と	if; when
2	琴	こと	koto (13-stringed Japanese zither)
3	日本	にほん	Japan
4	場	ば	place; spot; space
5	者	もの	person (rarely used w.o. a qualifier)
6	的	てき	-like; typical
7	市	いち	market; fair
8	約	やく	approximately; about
9	首相	しゅしょう	Prime Minister; Chancellor (Germany, Austria, etc.); Pre...
10	大統領	だいてうりょう	president; chief executive
11	政府	せいふ	government; administration
12	県	けん	prefecture (of Japan)
13	野	の	plain; field
14	因る	よる	to be due to; to be caused by
15	元	もと	origin; source
16	党	とう	party (political)
17	代表	だいひょう	representative; representation; delegation
18	調査	ちょうさ	investigation; examination; inquiry
19	企業	きぎょう	enterprise; undertaking; corporation
20	求める	もとめる	to want; to wish for
21	都	みやこ	capital; metropolis
22	事件	じけん	event; affair; incident
23	軍	ぐん	army; force; troops
24	法	ほう	law; act; principle
25	議員	ぎいん	member of the Diet, congress or parliament
26	今回	こんかい	now; this time; lately
27	発表	はっぴょう	announcement; publication
28	示す	しめす	to denote; to show; to point out
29	国民	こくみん	nation; nationality; people
30	更に	さらに	furthermore; again; after all
31	協力	きょうりょく	cooperation; collaboration
32	述べる	のべる	to state; to express; to mention

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33	参加	さんか	participation
34	明らか	あきらか	obvious; evident; clear
35	現在	げんざい	now; current; present
36	全国	ぜんこく	country-wide; nation-wide; whole country
37	一方	いっぽう	one (esp. of two); the other; one way
38	差	さ	difference; variation
39	大会	たいかい	convention; tournament; mass meeting
40	年間	ねんかん	year (period of)
41	活動	かつどう	action; activity
42	結果	けっか	result; consequence; outcome
43	中心	ちゅうしん	center; centre; middle
44	環境	かんきょう	environment; circumstance
45	国会	こっかい	National Diet; parliament; congress
46	市場	いちば	(town) market
47	案	あん	idea; plan; thought
48	記者	きしゃ	reporter
49	今後	こんご	from now on; hereafter
50	平和	へいわ	peace; harmony
51	情報	じょうほう	news; gossip; (military) intelligence
52	地域	ちいき	area; region
53	選手	せんしゅ	player (in game); team member
54	得る	うる	(after the -masu stem of a verb) to be able to ...; can ...
55	監督	かんとく	supervision; control; superintendence
56	語る	かたる	to talk; to tell; to recite
57	実施	じっし	enforcement; implementation; putting into practice (pr...
58	地	ち	earth; ground; land
59	制度	せいど	system; institution; organization
60	根	ね	root (of a plant)
61	位	くらい	throne; crown; (nobleman's) seat
62	決定	けつてい	decision; determination
63	度	たび	time (three times, each time, etc.); times
64	建設	けんせつ	construction; establishment

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65	中央	ちゅうおう	centre; central; center
66	影響	えいきょう	influence; effect
67	率	りつ	rate; ratio; proportion
68	団体	だんたい	organization; organisation; association
69	以来	いらい	since; henceforth
70	屢々	しばしば	often; again and again; frequently
71	旧	きゅう	ex-; former; old
72	検討	けんとう	consideration; examination; investigation
73	面	おもて	face
74	作品	さくひん	work (e.g. book, film, composition, etc.); opus; perform...
75	期待	きたい	expectation; anticipation; hope
76	候補	こうほ	candidate; contender; prospect
77	最高	さいこう	highest; supreme; the most
78	進める	すすめる	to advance; to promote; to hasten
79	優勝	ゆうしょう	overall victory; championship
80	グループ	グループ	group (usu. of people)
81	批判	ひはん	criticism; judgement; judgment
82	当時	とうじ	at that time; in those days
83	対象	たいしょう	target; object (of worship, study, etc.); subject (of taxat...
84	景気	けいき	condition; state; business (condition)
85	教授	きょうじゅ	professor
86	予算	よさん	estimate; budget
87	指導	しどう	leadership; guidance; coaching
88	組織	そしき	organization; organisation
89	議長	ぎちょう	chairman; speaker (e.g. of assembly); president (e.g. of...
90	状況	じょうきょう	state of affairs (around you); situation; circumstances
91	販売	はんばい	sales; selling; marketing
92	価格	かかく	price; value; cost
93	内容	ないよう	subject; contents; matter
94	賞	しょう	prize; award
95	チーム	チーム	team
96	強調	きょうちょう	emphasis; highlight; stress

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97	維持	いじ	maintenance; preservation; improvement
98	主張	しゅちょう	claim; request; insistence
99	判断	はんだん	judgement; judgment; decision
100	考え	かんがえ	thinking; thought; ideas
101	対	たい	opposite; opposition
102	要求	ようきゅう	demand; firm request; requisition
103	責任	せきにん	duty; responsibility (incl. supervision of staff)
104	地方	ちほう	area; locality; district
105	型	かた	model; type (e.g. of machine, goods, etc.)
106	実現	じつげん	implementation (e.g. of a system); materialization; mat...
107	全体	ぜんたい	whole; entirety; whatever (is the matter)
108	評価	ひょうか	valuation; estimation; assessment
109	拡大	かくだい	magnification; enlargement; expansion
110	一般	いっぱん	general; liberal; universal
111	経営	けいえい	management; administration
112	居間	いま	living room (western style)
113	共同	きょうどう	doing together (as equals); sharing; common (land, etc.)
114	向ける	むける	to turn towards; to point
115	センター	センター	centre; center
116	全て	すべて	all; the whole; entirely
117	感	かん	feeling; sensation; emotion
118	報告	ほうこく	report; information
119	連続	れんぞく	serial; consecutive; continuity
120	解決	かいけつ	settlement; solution; resolution
121	議会	ぎかい	Diet; congress; parliament
122	逮捕	たいほ	arrest; apprehension; capture
123	与える	あたえる	to give (esp. to someone of lower status); to bestow; to...
124	確認	かくにん	affirmation; confirmation; validation
125	新た	あらた	new; fresh; novel
126	状態	じょうたい	current status; condition; situation
127	記録	きろく	record; minutes; document
128	程度	ていど	degree; amount; grade

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129	既に	すでに	already; too late
130	憲法	けんぽう	constitution
131	局	きょく	channel (i.e. TV or radio); station; department
132	提案	ていあん	proposal; proposition; suggestion
133	国家	こっか	state; country; nation
134	只	ただ	ordinary; common; usual
135	姿	すがた	figure; form; shape
136	海外	かいがい	foreign; abroad; overseas
137	人間	にんげん	human being; man; person
138	州	しゅう	state; province; county (UK)
139	都市	とし	town; city; municipal
140	個人	こじん	individual; private person; personal
141	提出	ていしゅつ	to present; to submit (e.g. a report or a thesis); to hand in
142	株	かぶ	stock; share
143	感じる	かんじる	to feel; to sense; to experience
144	立場	たちば	standpoint; position; situation
145	管理	かんり	control; management (e.g. of a business)
146	だが	だが	but; however; (and) yet
147	訪問	ほうもん	call; visit
148	援助	えんじょ	assistance; aid; support
149	基本	きほん	foundation; basis; standard
150	加える	くわえる	to append; to sum up; to add (up)
151	就く	つく	to ascend (the throne); to accede
152	各々	それぞれ	each; every; either
153	重要	じゅうよう	important; momentous; essential
154	女子	じょし	woman; girl
155	額	がく	picture (framed)
156	名	な	name; reputation
157	孰	いずれ	where; which; who
158	量	りょう	quantity; amount; volume
159	人気	にんき	popularity; popular feeling; business conditions
160	平均	へいきん	average; mean

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161	過去	かこ	the past; bygone days; the previous
162	自然	しぜん	nature; spontaneity
163	事実	じじつ	fact; truth; reality
164	相手	あいて	companion; partner; company
165	小	しょう	smallness; small item
166	投票	とうひょう	voting; poll
167	金融	きんゆう	financing; credit transacting; loaning of money
168	努力	どりょく	great effort; exertion; endeavour
169	越える	こえる	to cross over; to cross; to pass through
170	外交	がいこう	diplomacy
171	回復	かいふく	restoration; rehabilitation; recovery
172	トップ	トップ	top
173	患者	かんじゃ	(a) patient
174	訴える	うったえる	to raise; to bring to (someone's attention)
175	通信	つうしん	correspondence; communication; transmission
176	時期	じき	time; season; period
177	担当	たんとう	(in) charge (of an area of responsibility, but not necessa...
178	作業	さぎょう	work; operation; manufacturing
179	知事	ちじ	prefectural governor
180	最終	さいしゅう	last; final; closing
181	出身	しゅっしん	person's origin (town, city, country, etc.)
182	違反	いはん	violation (of law); transgression; infringement
183	注目	ちゅうもく	notice; attention; observation
184	合わせる	あわせる	to match (rhythm, speed, etc.)
185	住宅	じゅうたく	residence; housing; residential building
186	行動	こうどう	action; conduct; behaviour
187	プロ	プロ	professional
188	組	くみ	set (of items)
189	医療	いりょう	medical care; medical treatment
190	攻撃	こうげき	attack; strike; offensive
191	記事	きじ	article; news story; report
192	理解	りかい	understanding; comprehension; appreciation

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193	住民	じゅうみん	citizens; inhabitants; residents
194	開始	かいし	start; commencement; beginning
195	同時	どうじ	simultaneous(ly); concurrent; same time
196	条件	じょうけん	condition; conditions; term
197	目的	もくてき	purpose; goal; aim
198	地球	ちきゅう	the earth; the globe
199	死亡	しばう	death; mortality
200	使用	しょう	use; application; employment
201	存在	そんざい	existence; being
202	分野	ぶんや	field; sphere; realm
203	商品	しょうひん	commodity; article of commerce; goods
204	処理	しゅり	processing; dealing with; treatment
205	変化	へんか	change; variation; alteration
206	安定	あんてい	stability; equilibrium
207	筋	すじ	muscle; tendon; sinew
208	部分	ぶぶん	portion; section; part
209	可能	かのう	possible; practicable; feasible
210	含む	ふくむ	to contain; to comprise; to have
211	意識	いしき	consciousness
212	期間	きかん	period; term; interval
213	方法	ほうほう	method; process; manner
214	品	しな	article; item; thing
215	土地	とち	plot of land; lot; soil
216	描く	えがく	to draw; to paint; to sketch
217	守る	まもる	to protect; to guard; to defend
218	略	ほぼ	almost; roughly; approximately
219	独立	どくりつ	independence (e.g. Independence Day); self-support
220	応じる	おうじる	to respond; to satisfy; to accept
221	記念	きねん	commemoration; memory
222	農業	のうぎょう	agriculture
223	占める	しめる	to comprise (some part of the whole); to account for; to...
224	希望	きぼう	hope; wish; aspiration

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225	残す	のこす	to leave (behind, over); to bequeath; to save
226	成長	せいちょう	growth; grow to adulthood
227	表現	ひょうげん	expression; presentation
228	不足	ふそく	insufficiency; shortage; deficiency
229	年代	ねんだい	age; era; period
230	効果	こうか	effect; effectiveness; efficacy
231	契約	けいやく	contract; compact; agreement
232	舞台	ぶたい	stage (theatre, theater)
233	直接	ちよくせつ	direct; immediate; personal
234	ケース	ケース	case (e.g. receptacle, condition, event, legal action, lett...
235	不	ふ	un-; non-; negative prefix
236	サービス	サービス	service; support system
237	地区	ちく	district; section; sector
238	現場	げんば	actual spot; scene; scene of the crime
239	禁止	きんし	prohibition; inhibition; ban
240	現実	げんじつ	reality
241	事態	じたい	situation; (present) state of affairs; circumstances
242	不安	ふあん	anxiety; uneasiness; insecurity
243	改善	かいぜん	betterment; improvement
244	委員	いいん	committee member
245	貢献	こうけん	contribution (furthering a goal or cause); services (to a...
246	機能	きのう	function; facility; faculty
247	税	ぜい	tax
248	世紀	せいき	century; era
249	議論	ぎろん	argument; discussion; dispute
250	方向	ほうこう	direction; orientation; bearing
251	銀	ぎん	silver; silver coin; silver paint
252	発展	はってん	development; growth; advancement
253	基づく	もとづく	to be grounded on; to be based on; to be due to
254	事情	じじょう	circumstances; consideration; conditions
255	労働	ろうどう	manual labor; manual labour; toil
256	広がる	ひろがる	to spread (out); to extend; to stretch

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257	会員	かいいん	member; the membership
258	メンバー	メンバー	member; participant; attendee
259	吨	トン	ton (now usu. a metric ton, i.e. 1,000kg)
260	発行	はっこう	issue (publications); publishing
261	様々	さまざま	varied; various
262	男子	だんし	youth; young man
263	積極的	せっきよくてき	assertive; positive; active
264	役割	やくわり	part; assigning (allotment of) parts; role
265	実際	じっさい	practicality; practical
266	課	か	lesson
267	成功	せいこう	success; hit
268	裁判	さいばん	trial; judgement; judgment
269	逆	ぎゃく	reverse; opposite
270	避ける	さける	to avoid (physical contact with)
271	事務	じむ	business; office work
272	除く	のぞく	to remove; to exclude; to except
273	自身	じしん	by oneself; personally
274	関心	かんしん	concern; interest
275	完全	かんぜん	perfection; completeness
276	便	びん	flight (e.g. airline flight); trip (e.g. train trip); service
277	一致	いっち	coincidence; agreement; union
278	失う	うしなう	to lose; to part with
279	営業	えいぎょう	business; trade; sales
280	生まれ	うまれ	birth; birthplace
281	増加	ぞうか	increase; increment; addition
282	構成	こうせい	organization; organisation; configuration
283	演説	えんぜつ	speech; address
284	分析	ぶんせき	analysis
285	否定	ひてい	negation; denial; repudiation
286	境	さかい	border; boundary
287	例	れい	custom; practice; habit
288	石油	せきゆ	oil; petroleum; kerosene

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289	健康	けんこう	health; sound; wholesome
290	被害	ひがい	(suffering) damage; injury; harm
291	現代	げんだい	nowadays; modern era; modern times
292	我々	われわれ	we
293	承認	しょうにん	recognition; acknowledgement; acknowledgment
294	奥	おく	interior; inner part; inside
295	現状	げんじょう	present condition; existing state; status quo
296	医師	いし	doctor; physician
297	修正	しゅうせい	amendment; correction; revision
298	秒	びょう	second (60th min)
299	主義	しゅぎ	doctrine; rule; principle
300	明確	めいかく	clear; precise; definite
301	激しい	はげしい	violent; vehement; intense
302	製品	せいひん	manufactured goods; finished goods; product
303	発見	はっけん	discovery; detection; finding
304	減る	へる	to decrease (in size or number); to diminish; to abate
305	賛成	さんせい	approval; agreement; support
306	作家	さっか	author; writer; novelist
307	違い	ちがい	difference; discrepancy
308	交換	こうかん	exchange; interchange; switching
309	長期	ちょうき	long time period; long term
310	誕生	たんじょう	birth; creation; formation
311	実験	じっけん	experiment
312	消費	しょうひ	consumption; expenditure
313	これ等	これら	these
314	学	がく	learning; scholarship; erudition
315	慎重	しんちょう	careful; cautious; prudent
316	再び	ふたたび	again; once more; a second time
317	製造	せいぞう	manufacture; production
318	利益	りえき	profit; gains
319	首都	しゅと	capital city; metropolis
320	幅	はば	width; breadth

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321	重視	じゅうし	importance; stress; serious consideration
322	会合	かいごう	meeting; assembly
323	検査	けんさ	inspection (e.g. customs, factory); examination; scan (e...
324	全く	まったく	really; truly; entirely
325	僅か	わずか	only; merely; (a) little
326	集中	しゅうちゅう	concentration; convergence; centralization
327	推薦	すいせん	recommendation; referral; endorsement
328	変更	へんこう	change; modification; alteration
329	傾向	けいこう	tendency; trend; inclination
330	正式	せいしき	due form; official; formality
331	出版	しゅっぱん	publication
332	相当	そうとう	befitting; becoming; worthy of
333	級	きゅう	class, grade, rank; school class, grade
334	流れ	ながれ	stream; current; flow
335	国境	こっきょう	national border; provincial border
336	不満	ふまん	dissatisfaction; displeasure; discontent
337	航空	こうくう	aviation; flying
338	全員	ぜんいん	all members (unanimity); all hands; the whole crew
339	然も	しかも	moreover; furthermore; nevertheless
340	講演	こうえん	lecture; address; speech
341	可也	かなり	considerably; fairly; quite
342	結ぶ	むすぶ	to tie; to bind; to link
343	大使	たいし	ambassador
344	組合	くみあい	association; union
345	球	きゅう	sphere
346	結局	けっきょく	after all; eventually; in the end
347	罪	つみ	crime; fault; indiscretion
348	土	つち	earth; soil; dirt
349	非常	ひじょう	emergency
350	観光	かんこう	sightseeing
351	抱える	かかえる	to hold or carry under or in the arms
352	本人	ほんにん	the person himself

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353	招く	まねく	to invite; to ask
354	集団	しゅうだん	group; mass
355	加わる	くわわる	to be added to; to be appended
356	表情	ひょうじょう	facial expression
357	主要	しゅよう	chief; main; principal
358	無し	なし	without
359	エネルギー	エネルギー	energy
360	年齢	ねんれい	age; years
361	混乱	こんらん	disorder; chaos; confusion
362	限る	かぎる	to restrict; to limit; to confine
363	少年	しょうねん	boy; juvenile; young boy
364	主婦	しゅふ	housewife; mistress (of the house); homemaker
365	奪う	うばう	to snatch away; to dispossess; to steal
366	能力	のうりょく	ability; faculty
367	劇場	げきじょう	theatre; theater; playhouse
368	同様	どうよう	identical; equal to; same (kind)
369	確実	かくじつ	certainty; reliability; soundness
370	追う	おう	to chase; to run after; to pursue
371	無	む	nothing; naught; nought
372	許す	ゆるす	to permit; to allow; to approve
373	困難	こんなん	difficulty; distress
374	競技	きょうぎ	game; match; contest
375	何か	なにか	something
376	終える	おえる	to finish
377	母親	ははおや	mother
378	ドラマ	ドラマ	drama
379	宇宙	うちゅう	universe; cosmos; space
380	園	その	garden (esp. man-made); orchard; park
381	尚	なお	furthermore; still; yet
382	丸	まる	circle
383	身	み	body
384	中止	ちゅうし	suspension; stoppage; discontinuance

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385	完成	かんせい	complete; completion
386	水準	すいじゅん	level; standard
387	ゲーム	ゲーム	game
388	種類	しゅるい	variety; kind; type
389	流れる	ながれる	to stream; to flow (liquid, time, etc.); to run (ink)
390	以前	いぜん	ago; since; before
391	支える	ささえる	to support; to prop; to sustain
392	料金	りょうきん	fee; charge; fare
393	道路	どうろ	road; highway
394	所が	ところが	even so; however; still
395	選択	せんたく	selection; choice; option
396	見解	けんかい	opinion; point of view
397	武器	ぶき	weapon; arms; ordnance
398	精神	せいしん	mind; soul; heart
399	離れる	はなれる	to be separated from; to leave; to go away
400	歓迎	かんげい	welcome; reception
401	支配	しはい	rule; control; direction
402	疑問	ぎもん	question; problem; doubt
403	話題	わだい	topic; subject
404	設備	せつび	equipment; device; facilities
405	特徴	とくちょう	feature; trait; characteristic
406	共通	きょうつう	commonness; community
407	需要	じゅよう	demand; request
408	深刻	しんこく	serious
409	供給	きょうきゅう	supply; provision
410	徹底	てってい	thoroughness; completeness; consistency
411	触れる	ふれる	to touch; to feel
412	日中	にっちゅう	daytime; during the day
413	望む	のぞむ	to desire
414	有効	ゆうこう	validity; legality; availability
415	話し合う	はなしあう	to discuss; to talk together
416	学ぶ	まなぶ	to study (in depth); to learn; to take lessons in

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417	実行	じっこう	practice; practise; performance
418	結論	けつろん	conclusion
419	制限	せいげん	restriction; restraint; limitation
420	就職	しゅうしょく	finding employment; inauguration
421	信頼	しんらい	reliance; trust; faith
422	衛星	えいせい	satellite
423	芸術	げいじゅつ	(fine) art; the arts
424	意思	いし	intention; purpose
425	友人	ゆうじん	friend
426	ビデオ	ビデオ	video
427	豊か	ゆたか	abundant; wealthy; plentiful
428	最低	さいてい	least; lowest; worst
429	人生	じんせい	(human) life (i.e. conception to death)
430	費用	ひよう	cost; expense
431	教師	きょうし	teacher (classroom)
432	態度	たいど	attitude; manner; behaviour
433	権利	けんり	right; privilege
434	分ける	わける	to divide (into); to split (into); to part
435	起こる	おこる	to occur; to happen
436	夫人	ふじん	wife; Mrs; madam
437	収入	しゅうにゅう	income; receipts; revenue
438	胸	むね	breast; chest
439	広告	こうこく	advertisement
440	無料	むりょう	free; no charge
441	繰り返す	くりかえす	to repeat; to do something over again
442	宗教	しゅうきょう	religion
443	感じ	かんじ	feeling; sense; impression
444	順	じゅん	order; turn
445	緊張	きんちょう	tension; mental strain; nervousness
446	当たる	あたる	to be hit; to strike
447	老人	ろうじん	the aged; old person
448	演奏	えんそう	musical performance

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449	数字	すうじ	numeral; figure; digit
450	伝統	でんとう	tradition; convention
451	障害	しょうがい	obstacle; impediment; hindrance
452	夫婦	ふうふ	married couple; spouses; husband and wife
453	突然	とつぜん	abrupt; sudden; unexpected
454	受け取る	うけとる	to receive; to get; to accept
455	装置	そうち	equipment; installation; apparatus
456	適用	てきよう	applying (e.g. a technology); adoption
457	手術	しゅじゅつ	(surgical) operation; procedure
458	愛	あい	love; affection
459	セット	セット	set
460	抵抗	ていこう	resistance; opposition
461	印	しるし	mark; sign
462	馬	うま	horse
463	流す	ながす	to drain; to pour; to spill
464	様子	ようす	state; state of affairs; situation
465	値	あたい	price; cost
466	握る	にぎる	to clasp; to grasp; to grip
467	請求	せいきゅう	claim; demand; charge
468	衝突	しょうとつ	collision; conflict
469	人物	じんぶつ	character; personality; person
470	父親	ちちおや	father
471	支店	してん	branch office; branch store
472	カード	カード	card
473	空	から	emptiness; vacuum; blank
474	異なる	ことなる	to differ; to vary; to disagree
475	保証	ほしょう	guarantee; security; assurance
476	予測	よそく	prediction; estimation
477	一層	いっそう	much more; still more; all the more
478	破る	やぶる	to tear; to violate; to defeat
479	材料	ざいりょう	ingredients; material
480	共に	ともに	together; jointly

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481	魅力	みりょく	charm; fascination; glamour
482	模様	もよう	pattern; figure; design
483	取り上げる	とりあげる	to pick up; to take up
484	章	しょう	chapter; section
485	資源	しげん	resources
486	其れでも	それでも	but (still); and yet; nevertheless
487	差別	さべつ	discrimination; distinction; differentiation
488	其の儘	そのまま	without change; as it is (i.e. now)
489	職	しょく	employment
490	現金	げんきん	cash; ready money; mercenary
491	贈る	おくる	to send; to give to; to award to
492	正午	しょうご	noon; mid-day
493	大半	たいはん	majority; mostly; generally
494	波	なみ	wave
495	中学	ちゅうがく	middle school; junior high school
496	稍	やや	a little; partially; somewhat
497	不正	ふせい	injustice; unfairness; iniquity
498	願う	ねがう	to desire; to wish; to hope
499	汚染	おせん	pollution; contamination
500	銃	じゅう	gun; rifle; small arms
501	建築	けんちく	construction; architecture (of buildings)
502	ゴール	ゴール	goal
503	谷	たに	valley
504	印象	いんしょう	impression
505	犯罪	はんざい	crime
506	週	しゅう	week
507	寧ろ	むしろ	rather; better; instead
508	爆発	ばくはつ	explosion; detonation; eruption
509	酒	さけ	alcohol; sake
510	到着	とうちゃく	arrival
511	訓練	くんれん	practice; practise; training
512	寄付	きふ	contribution; donation

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513	詰まり	つまり	that is to say; that is; in other words
514	異常	いじょう	strangeness; abnormality; disorder
515	活用	かつよう	practical use; application
516	具体	ぐたい	concrete; tangible; material
517	届く	とどく	to reach; to arrive; to get through
518	勝ち	かち	win; victory
519	生じる	しょうじる	to produce; to yield; to cause
520	許可	きょか	permission; approval; authorization
521	組む	くむ	to cross (legs or arms); to link (arms)
522	信用	しんよう	confidence; dependence; credit
523	ボール	ボール	ball
524	依頼	いらい	request; commission; dispatch
525	職業	しょくぎょう	occupation; business
526	信じる	しんじる	to believe; to believe in; to place trust in
527	ミス	ミス	mistake; error; failure
528	質	しつ	quality
529	単位	たんい	unit; denomination
530	或いは	あるいは	or; possibly
531	農家	のうか	farmer; farm family
532	トラック	トラック	truck
533	現れる	あらわれる	to appear; to come in sight; to become visible
534	定期	ていき	fixed term
535	感覚	かんかく	sense; sensation; feeling
536	青年	せいねん	youth; young man
537	至る	いたる	to arrive at (e.g. a decision); to reach (a stage); to attain
538	苦しい	くるしい	painful; difficult; agonizing
539	計算	けいさん	calculation; reckoning; count
540	通じる	つうじる	to run to; to lead to; to communicate
541	一体	いったい	...the heck (e.g. "what the heck?"); ...in the world (e.g. "...
542	手段	しゅだん	means; way; measure
543	物質	ぶっしつ	material; substance
544	チャンス	チャンス	chance; opportunity

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545	切れる	きれる	to break; to snap; to be cut
546	付ける	つける	to attach; to join; to add
547	代理	だいい	representation; agency; proxy
548	物語	ものがたり	tale; story; legend
549	場面	ばめん	scene; setting (e.g. of novel)
550	売れる	うれる	to sell (well)
551	現象	げんしょう	phenomenon
552	係	かかり	charge; duty; person in charge
553	義務	ぎむ	duty; obligation; responsibility
554	食品	しょくひん	commodity; foodstuff
555	殺す	ころす	to kill
556	伸びる	のびる	to stretch; to extend; to lengthen
557	移動	いどう	removal; migration; movement
558	備える	そなえる	to furnish; to provide for; to equip
559	体育	たいいく	physical education; gymnastics; athletics
560	絶対	ぜったい	absolutely; unconditionally
561	設計	せつけい	plan; design; layout
562	文字	もじ	letter (of alphabet); character
563	支払う	しはらう	to pay
564	神	かみ	god; deity; divinity
565	其処で	そこで	so; accordingly; now
566	機械	きかい	machine; mechanism
567	署名	しょめい	signature
568	生命	せいめい	life; existence
569	満足	まんぞく	satisfaction
570	支払い	しはらい	payment
571	雰囲気	ふんいき	atmosphere (e.g. musical); mood; ambience
572	参考	さんこう	reference; consultation
573	鉄道	てつどう	railroad
574	価値	かち	value; worth; merit
575	実は	じつは	as a matter of fact; by the way; to tell you the truth
576	大臣	だいじん	cabinet minister

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577	損害	そんがい	damage; injury; loss
578	範囲	はんい	extent; scope; sphere
579	警告	けいこく	warning; advice
580	唯一	ゆいいつ	only; sole; unique
581	劇	げき	drama; play
582	専攻	せんこう	major subject; special study
583	欧羅巴	ヨーロッパ	Europe
584	滞在	たいざい	stay; sojourn
585	扱う	あつかう	to handle; to deal with; to treat
586	戦う	たたかう	to fight; to battle; to combat
587	比較	ひかく	comparison
588	学習	がくしゅう	study; learning; tutorial
589	失業	しつぎょう	unemployment
590	抱く	いだく	to embrace; to hold in the arms (e.g. a baby); to hug
591	キャンプ	キャンプ	camp
592	日常	にちじょう	ordinary; regular; everyday
593	プラス	プラス	plus
594	注文	ちゅうもん	order; request
595	何も	なにも	nothing (with neg. verbs); not any
596	無視	むし	disregard; ignore
597	重大	じゅうだい	serious; important; significant
598	沖	おき	open sea
599	王	おう	king; ruler; sovereign
600	学者	がくしゃ	scholar
601	戦い	たたかい	battle; fight; struggle
602	地下	ちか	basement; cellar; underground place
603	納得	なっとく	consent; assent; understanding
604	袋	ふくろ	bag; sack; pouch
605	性格	せいかく	character; personality; disposition
606	成績	せいせき	results; record; grades
607	旅	たび	travel; trip; journey
608	肩	かた	shoulder

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609	絵画	かいが	picture; painting
610	地位	ちい	(social) position; status
611	隠す	かくす	to hide; to conceal
612	金額	きんがく	amount of money
613	資本	しほん	funds; capital
614	合計	ごうけい	sum total; total amount
615	増す	ます	to increase; to grow
616	俳優	はいゆう	actor; actress; player
617	嫁	よめ	wife; bride
618	防ぐ	ふせぐ	to defend (against); to protect; to prevent
619	麦酒	ばくしゅ	beer
620	尊重	そんちょう	respect; esteem; regard
621	説	せつ	theory
622	繋ぐ	つなぐ	to tie; to fasten; to connect
623	支出	ししゅつ	expenditure; expenses
624	飛行	ひこう	aviation
625	勢い	いきおい	force; vigor; vigour
626	管	かん	pipe; tube
627	湾	わん	bay; gulf; inlet
628	命令	めいれい	order; command; decree
629	周囲	しゅうい	surroundings; environs
630	過ごす	すごす	to pass (time); to spend
631	左右	さゆう	left and right
632	秘密	ひみつ	secret; secrecy
633	祭	まつり	festival; feast
634	撃つ	うつ	to shoot (at)
635	位置	いち	place; situation; position
636	微妙	びみょう	delicate; subtle; sensitive
637	引退	いんたい	retire
638	記憶	きおく	memory; recollection; remembrance
639	保存	ほぞん	preservation; conservation; storage
640	近代	きんだい	present day; modern times

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641	取れる	とれる	to come off; to be removed
642	詳しい	くわしい	detailed; full; accurate
643	跡	あと	trace; tracks; mark
644	著者	ちょしゃ	author (usu. of a particular book, etc.); writer
645	支給	しきゅう	provision; supply; payment
646	思想	しそう	thought; idea; ideology
647	延期	えんき	postponement; adjournment
648	刺激	しげき	stimulus; impetus; incentive
649	悩む	なやむ	to be worried; to be troubled
650	物価	ぶっか	prices of commodities; prices (in general); cost-of-living
651	考慮	こうりょ	consideration; taking into account
652	余裕	よゆう	surplus; composure; margin
653	操作	そうさ	operation; management; processing
654	残り	のこり	remnant; residue; remaining
655	急速	きゅうそく	rapid (e.g. progress)
656	歌手	かしゅ	singer
657	留学	りゅうがく	studying abroad (usu. at university level)
658	整理	せいり	sorting; arrangement; organization
659	育つ	そだつ	to be raised (e.g. child); to be brought up; to grow (up)
660	宅	たく	house; home; husband
661	電子	でんし	electron
662	暮らす	くらす	to live; to get along
663	コーチ	コーチ	coach
664	エンジン	エンジン	engine
665	合格	ごうかく	success; passing (e.g. exam); eligibility
666	巨大	きょだい	huge; gigantic; enormous
667	玉	たま	ball; sphere; globe
668	命	いのち	life; life force
669	通過	つうか	passage through; transit; passing
670	次々	つぎつぎ	in succession; one by one
671	化学	かがく	chemistry
672	常に	つねに	always; constantly

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673	解釈	かいしゃく	explanation; interpretation
674	入場	にゅうじょう	entrance; admission; entering
675	苦労	くろう	troubles; hardships
676	暮らし	くらし	living; livelihood; subsistence
677	移す	うつす	to change; to swap; to substitute
678	予防	よぼう	prevention; precaution; protection against
679	刑事	けいじ	(police) detective
680	少女	しょうじょ	young lady; little girl; virgin
681	生物	せいぶつ	living things; creature
682	掴む	つかむ	to seize; to catch; to grasp
683	抜く	ぬく	to extract; to omit; to surpass
684	来	らい	next (year, etc.)
685	乗客	じょうきやく	passenger
686	きちんと	きちんと	precisely; accurately; neatly
687	未来	みらい	the future (usually distant)
688	苦しむ	くるしむ	to suffer; to groan; to be worried
689	乗せる	のせる	to place on (something)
690	女優	じょゆう	actress
691	桜	さくら	cherry tree; cherry blossom
692	列車	れっしゃ	train (ordinary)
693	作曲	さっきょく	composition; setting (of music)
694	前進	ぜんしん	advance; drive; progress
695	友	とも	friend; companion; comrade
696	田	た	rice field
697	付く	つく	to be attached; to be connected with; to adhere
698	有利	ゆうり	advantageous; better; profitable
699	スター	スター	star
700	笑顔	えがお	smiling face; smile
701	博士	はかせ	doctorate; PhD; Dr (as a title)
702	所謂	いわゆる	what is called; as it is called; the so-called
703	幕	まく	curtain; bunting
704	達する	たっする	to reach; to get to

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705	辞める	やめる	to resign; to retire; to quit
706	郵便	ゆうびん	mail; postal service
707	断る	ことわる	to refuse; to reject; to dismiss
708	証明	しょうめい	proof; verification
709	観客	かんきゃく	audience; spectator; spectators
710	減らす	へらす	to abate; to decrease; to diminish
711	要素	ようそ	component; factor; item (e.g. in list)
712	底	そこ	bottom; sole
713	伸ばす	のばす	to grow long (beard, hair, etc.)
714	適切	てきせつ	pertinent; appropriate; adequate
715	油	あぶら	oil
716	帯	おび	obi; kimono sash
717	食料	しょくりょう	food
718	心臓	しんぞう	heart
719	影	かげ	shadow; silhouette
720	農民	のうみん	farmers; peasants
721	技	わざ	technique; art
722	自動	じどう	automatic; self-motion
723	婦人	ふじん	woman; lady; adult female
724	感情	かんじょう	emotion; feeling; feelings
725	詰める	つめる	to stuff into; to jam; to cram
726	有らゆる	あらゆる	all; every
727	得意	とくい	triumph; prosperity
728	ホーム	ホーム	platform
729	城	しろ	castle
730	瞬間	しゅんかん	moment; second; instant
731	向く	むく	to face
732	互い	たがい	mutual; reciprocal
733	スタイル	スタイル	style
734	太陽	たいよう	sun; solar
735	正に	まさに	exactly; surely; certainly
736	命じる	めいじる	to order; to command; to appoint

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737	楽	らく	comfort; ease
738	曜日	ようび	day of the week
739	不思議	ふしぎ	wonder; miracle; strange
740	単純	たんじゅん	simplicity; simple; uncomplicated
741	板	いた	board; plank
742	丘	おか	hill; height; knoll
743	喜び	よろこび	joy; delight; rapture
744	症状	しょうじょう	symptoms; condition
745	知識	ちしき	knowledge; information
746	名人	めいじん	master; expert
747	涙	なみだ	tear; tears; lachrymal secretion
748	次第	しだい	dependent upon
749	表面	ひょうめん	surface; outside; face
750	真剣	しんけん	seriousness; earnestness
751	順調	じゅんちょう	favourable; favorable; doing well
752	自殺	じさつ	suicide
753	貴重	きちょう	precious; valuable
754	穴	あな	hole
755	損	そん	loss; disadvantage
756	畑	はたけ	field (for fruits, vegetables, etc.); cultivated land; veget...
757	腰	こし	back; lower back; waist
758	鉄	てつ	iron
759	高速	こうそく	high speed; high gear
760	スキー	スキー	skiing
761	頼る	たよる	to rely on; to have recourse to; to depend on
762	大戦	たいせん	great war; great battle
763	岸	きし	bank; coast; shore
764	益々	ますます	increasingly; more and more; decreasingly
765	別に	べつに	(not) particularly; nothing
766	券	けん	ticket; coupon; bond
767	心理	しんり	state of mind; mentality; psychology
768	財産	ざいさん	property; fortune; assets

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769	正確	せいかく	accurate; punctual; exact
770	松	まつ	pine tree
771	去る	さる	to leave; to go away
772	半ば	なかば	middle; half; semi
773	図	ず	drawing; picture; diagram
774	叫ぶ	さけぶ	to shout; to cry
775	笑い	わらい	laugh; laughter
776	限界	げんかい	limit; bound
777	助ける	たすける	to help; to save; to rescue
778	戻す	もどす	to restore; to put back; to return
779	行き	ゆき	bound for ...
780	一家	いっか	a house; a home; a family
781	印刷	いんさつ	printing
782	強力	きょうりょく	powerful; strong
783	植物	しょくぶつ	plant; vegetation
784	叩く	たたく	to strike; to clap; to knock
785	土曜	どよう	Saturday
786	気味	きみ	sensation; feeling
787	パス	パス	path
788	貯金	ちょきん	(bank) savings
789	割る	わる	to divide; to cut; to break
790	論文	ろんぶん	thesis; essay; treatise
791	輝く	かがやく	to shine; to glitter; to sparkle
792	抜ける	ぬける	to come out; to fall out; to be omitted
793	感謝	かんしゃ	thanks; gratitude
794	流行	はやり	fashion; fad; vogue
795	周	しゅう	Zhou (dynasty of China); Chou
796	食糧	しょくりょう	provisions; rations; food supply
797	教科書	きょうかしょ	textbook; text book
798	感動	かんどう	being deeply moved emotionally; excitement; passion
799	年寄り	としより	old people; the aged
800	旗	はた	flag

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801	羽	はね	feather; plume; wing
802	呼吸	こきゅう	breath; respiration
803	現す	あらわす	to reveal; to show; to display
804	兎に角	とにかく	anyhow; at any rate; anyway
805	金属	きんぞく	metal
806	博物館	はくぶつかん	museum
807	論争	ろんそう	controversy; dispute
808	演技	えんぎ	acting; performance
809	同一	どういつ	identity; sameness; similarity
810	意外	いがい	unexpected; surprising
811	人類	じんるい	mankind; humanity
812	風景	ふうけい	scenery
813	振る	ふる	to wave; to shake; to swing
814	恐れる	おそれる	to fear; to be afraid of
815	越す	こす	to cross over (e.g. mountain); to go across
816	脇	わき	armpit; under one's arm; side
817	急激	きゅうげき	sudden; precipitous; radical
818	常識	じょうしき	common sense; good sense; common knowledge
819	腹	はら	abdomen; belly; stomach
820	調子	ちょうし	tune; tone; key
821	大陸	たいりく	continent
822	免許	めんきょ	license; permit; licence
823	気温	きおん	atmospheric temperature
824	飛び出す	とびだす	to jump out; to rush out; to fly out
825	通す	とおす	to let pass; to overlook; to continue
826	当てる	あてる	to hit
827	税金	ぜいきん	tax; duty
828	犯人	はんにな	offender; criminal
829	借金	しゃっきん	debt; loan; liabilities
830	息	いき	breath; breathing
831	大気	たいき	atmosphere
832	回す	まわす	to turn; to rotate; to gyrate

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833	離婚	りこん	divorce
834	孫	まご	grandchild
835	宿泊	しゅくはく	lodging
836	審判	しんぱん	refereeing; trial; judgement
837	誘う	さそう	to invite; to ask; to call (for)
838	言わば	いわば	so to speak; so to call it; as it were
839	化粧	けしょう	make-up; makeup; cosmetics
840	覚悟	かくご	resolution; resignation; readiness
841	想像	そうそう	imagination; guess
842	宝	たから	treasure
843	神経	しんけい	nerve; sensitivity
844	丸で	まるで	quite; entirely; completely
845	遂に	ついに	finally; at last
846	人工	じんこう	artificial; man-made; human work
847	他人	たにん	another person; unrelated person; outsider
848	吸収	きゅうしゅう	absorption; suction; attraction
849	書類	しょるい	documents; official papers
850	濃い	こい	deep (colour); dark
851	芝居	しばい	play; drama
852	休暇	きゅうか	holiday; day off; furlough
853	汗	あせ	sweat; perspiration
854	人種	じんしゅ	race (of people)
855	欠ける	かける	to be chipped; to be damaged; to be broken
856	豊富	ほうふ	abundance; wealth; plenty
857	如何しても	どうしても	by all means; at any cost; no matter what
858	辛い	つらい	painful; bitter; heart-breaking
859	必ずしも	かならずしも	(not) always; (not) necessarily; (not) all
860	同僚	どうりょう	coworker; co-worker; colleague
861	引っ張る	ひっぱる	to pull; to draw; to pull tight
862	痛み	いたみ	pain; ache; sore
863	飛ばす	とばす	to fly; to fire; to hurl
864	強盗	ごうとう	robber; mugger

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865	オフィス	オフィス	office
866	外す	はずす	to unfasten; to undo
867	誠に	まことに	indeed; really; absolutely
868	直ちに	ただちに	at once; immediately; directly
869	囲む	かこむ	to surround; to encircle
870	パイプ	パイプ	pipe; tube
871	蕎麦	そば	buckwheat (<i>Fagopyrum esculentum</i>)
872	代金	だいきん	price; payment; cost
873	哲学	てつがく	philosophy
874	理想	りそう	ideal; dream
875	臆て	やがて	before long; soon
876	任せる	まかせる	to entrust (e.g. a task) to another; to leave to
877	進学	しんがく	entering a higher-level school, esp. going on to university
878	会計	かいけい	account; finance; accountant
879	迷惑	めいわく	trouble; bother; annoyance
880	火災	かさい	conflagration; fire
881	読書	どくしょ	reading
882	収める	おさめる	to dedicate; to make an offering; to pay (fees)
883	一種	いっしゅ	species; kind; variety
884	切れ	きれ	piece; slice; strip
885	能	のう	talent; gift; function
886	冷静	れいせい	calm; composure; coolness
887	何とか	なんとか	something; something or other; so-and-so
888	見事	みごと	splendid; magnificent; beautiful
889	軒	のき	eaves
890	及ぼす	およぼす	to exert; to cause; to exercise
891	優れる	すぐれる	to surpass; to outstrip; to excel
892	勧める	すすめる	to recommend; to advise; to encourage
893	騒ぎ	さわぎ	uproar; disturbance
894	救う	すくう	to rescue from; to help out of; to save
895	札	さつ	note; paper money
896	観察	かんさつ	observation; survey

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897	善	ぜん	good; goodness; right
898	必死	ひっし	frantic; desperate
899	無事	ぶじ	safety; peace; quietness
900	幸せ	しあわせ	happiness; good fortune; luck
901	日曜	にちよう	Sunday
902	メモ	メモ	memorandum
903	傷	きず	wound; injury; cut
904	拍手	はくしゅ	clapping hands; applause
905	画家	がが	painter; artist
906	文明	ぶんめい	civilization; civilisation; culture
907	登山	とざん	mountain climbing
908	礼	れい	thanking; expression of gratitude
909	諦める	あきらめる	to give up; to abandon (hope, plans); to resign oneself (…
910	棒	ぼう	pole; rod; stick
911	独特	どくとく	peculiarity; uniqueness; characteristic
912	克服	こくふく	conquest (problem, disease, handicap, etc. e.g. poverty…
913	平等	びようどう	equality; impartiality; evenness
914	昼食	ちゅうしょく	lunch; midday meal
915	願い	ねがい	desire; wish; request
916	優秀	ゆうしゅう	superiority; excellence
917	トンネル	トンネル	tunnel
918	その内	そのうち	eventually; sooner or later; of the previously mentioned
919	誤解	ごかい	misunderstanding
920	負け	まけ	defeat; loss; losing (a game)
921	気付く	きづく	to notice; to recognize; to recognise
922	評判	ひょうばん	fame; reputation; popularity
923	泉	いずみ	spring; fountain
924	容易	ようい	easy; simple; plain
925	香り	かおり	aroma; fragrance; scent
926	譲る	ゆずる	to turn over; to assign; to hand over
927	噂	うわさ	rumour; rumor; report
928	栄養	えいよう	nutrition; nourishment

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929	単なる	たんなる	mere; simple; sheer
930	思い出	おもいで	memories; recollections; reminiscence
931	熱帯	ねったい	tropics
932	主に	おもに	mainly; primarily
933	貧しい	まずしい	poor; needy
934	鋭い	するどい	sharp (blade); pointed
935	アルバム	アルバム	album
936	故郷	ふるさと	home town; birthplace; old village
937	都会	とかい	city
938	用いる	もちいる	to use; to make use of; to utilize
939	温暖	おんだん	warmth
940	帰宅	きたく	returning home
941	普段	ふだん	usual; habitual; ordinary
942	こんなに	こんなに	so; like this; in this way
943	堀	ほり	moat; fosse
944	プラン	プラン	plan
945	先日	せんじつ	the other day; a few days ago
946	覆う	おおう	to cover; to hide; to conceal
947	従う	したがう	to abide (by the rules); to obey; to follow
948	スタンド	スタンド	stands; bleachers
949	消防	しょうぼう	fire fighting; fire department
950	本物	ほんもの	genuine article
951	墓	はか	gravesite; tomb
952	経由	けいゆ	through; by way of; via
953	進歩	しんぽ	progress; advance; improvement
954	働き	はたらき	work; labor; labour
955	飽きる	あきる	to get tired of; to lose interest in; to have enough
956	スケート	スケート	skate; skates; skating
957	軍隊	ぐんたい	army; troops
958	暮れ	くれ	sunset; sundown; nightfall
959	恋	こい	love; tender passion
960	欠席	けっせき	absence; non-attendance

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961	一言	ひとこと	single word; a few words; brief comment
962	収穫	しゅうかく	harvest; crop; ingathering
963	缶	かん	can; tin
964	修理	しゅうり	repairing; mending; servicing
965	欠陥	けっかん	defect; fault; deficiency
966	燃える	もえる	to burn; to get fired up
967	注ぐ	そそぐ	to pour (into); to fill
968	肌	はだ	skin
969	布	ぬの	cloth
970	言語	げんご	language
971	騒音	そうおん	noise
972	飯	めし	cooked rice
973	世間	せけん	world; society
974	追いつく	おいつく	to overtake; to catch up (with)
975	助手	じょしゅ	helper; helpmeet; assistant
976	俎	さて	well; now; then
977	屋根	やね	roof
978	信号	しんごう	traffic lights; signal; semaphore
979	恐怖	きょうふ	fear; dread; dismay
980	指す	さす	to point
981	ブレーキ	ブレーキ	brake
982	世の中	よのなか	society; the world; the times
983	暖かい	あたたかい	warm; mild; genial
984	続き	つづき	sequel; continuation; (also suffix) continuation (in time...
985	悲劇	ひげき	tragedy; disaster
986	ロケット	ロケット	locket
987	温度	おんど	temperature
988	ワイン	ワイン	wine
989	牛	うし	cattle; cow; ox
990	列	れつ	queue; line; row
991	一生	いっしょう	whole life; a lifetime; all through life
992	一瞬	いっしゅん	moment; instant

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993	たっぷり	たっぷり	full; in plenty; ample
994	商売	しょうばい	trade; business; commerce
995	知恵	ちえ	wisdom; wit; sagacity
996	虎	とら	tiger (Panthera tigris)
997	詩人	しじん	poet
998	梅	うめ	Japanese apricot (Prunus mume); Chinese plum
999	アウト	アウト	out
1000	女王	じょおう	queen
1001	茶	ちゃ	tea
1002	出会う	であう	to meet (by chance); to come across; to run across
1003	出来事	できごと	incident; affair; happening
1004	光景	こうけい	scene; spectacle; sight
1005	数える	かぞえる	to count; to enumerate
1006	皿	さら	plate; dish; platter
1007	単に	たんに	simply; merely; only
1008	身長	しんちょう	height (of body); stature
1009	砂漠	さばく	desert
1010	一人一人	ひとりひとり	one by one; each; one at a time
1011	公平	こうへい	fairness; impartial; justice
1012	完了	かんりょう	completion; conclusion
1013	給料	きゅうりょう	salary; wages
1014	多少	たしょう	more or less; somewhat; a little
1015	サイン	サイン	autograph; signature
1016	まあ	まあ	just (e.g. "just wait here"); come now; now, now
1017	付き合い	つきあい	association; socializing; socialising
1018	冠	かんむり	cap (esp. a traditional cap worn with sokutai or ikan clo...
1019	金銭	きんせん	money; cash
1020	家事	かじ	housework; domestic chores
1021	大いに	おおいに	very; much; greatly
1022	満ちる	みちる	to be full
1023	絶滅	ぜつめつ	destruction; extinction
1024	仲	なか	relation; relationship

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1025	正直	しょうじき	honesty; integrity; frankness
1026	申し込む	もうしこむ	to apply for; to make an application; to propose (marri...
1027	煙	けむり	smoke; fumes
1028	容器	ようき	container; vessel
1029	クラシック	クラシック	classical music
1030	何でも	なんでも	any; whatever one likes; by all means
1031	家賃	やちん	rent
1032	ベンチ	ベンチ	bench
1033	稼ぐ	かせぐ	to earn income; to labor; to labour
1034	親しい	したしい	intimate; close (e.g. friend)
1035	ヨット	ヨット	yacht (usually only used for a sailing boat with one mast)
1036	預ける	あずける	to give into custody; to leave (a child) in the care of; to...
1037	嫌う	きらう	to hate; to dislike; to loathe
1038	疲れ	つかれ	tiredness; fatigue
1039	救助	きゅうじょ	relief; aid; rescue
1040	区別	くべつ	distinction; differentiation; classification
1041	面倒	めんどろ	trouble; difficulty; care
1042	成人	せいじん	adult
1043	発達	はったつ	development; growth
1044	食う	くう	to eat
1045	塔	とう	tower; steeple; spire
1046	動かす	うごかす	to move; to shift; to operate
1047	バイオリン	バイオリン	violin
1048	ダンス	ダンス	dance
1049	記入	きにゅう	entry; filling in of forms
1050	新鮮	しんせん	fresh
1051	膝	ひざ	knee; lap
1052	弁当	べんとう	bento; Japanese box lunch
1053	問い	とい	question; query
1054	勇気	ゆうき	courage; bravery; valour
1055	間違い	まちがい	mistake; error; blunder
1056	たった	たった	only; merely; but

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1057	好む	このむ	to like; to prefer
1058	方々	かたがた	they (of people); gentlemen (of the ...)
1059	不自由	ふじゆう	discomfort; inconvenience
1060	パイロット	パイロット	pilot
1061	彼方此方	あちらこちら	here and there
1062	クリスマス	クリスマス	Christmas
1063	予報	よほう	forecast; prediction
1064	速度	そくど	speed; velocity; rate
1065	例え	たとえ	example
1066	妙	みょう	strange; unusual
1067	恋人	こいびと	lover; sweetheart
1068	柄	え	handle; grip
1069	句	く	section (i.e. of text); sentence; passage
1070	祝う	いわう	to congratulate; to celebrate; to observe (a festival)
1071	巢	す	nest; rookery; breeding place
1072	我慢	がまん	patience; endurance; perseverance
1073	誇り	ほこり	pride; boast
1074	立ち上がる	たちあがる	to stand up; to get up
1075	通行	つうこう	passage; passing
1076	可	か	passable; acceptable; tolerable
1077	誤り	あやまり	error; mistake; slip
1078	睡眠	すいみん	sleep
1079	幼い	おさない	very young
1080	何時か	いつか	sometime; someday; one day
1081	天然	てんねん	nature; spontaneity
1082	確かめる	たしかめる	to ascertain; to check; to make sure
1083	閉じる	とじる	to close (e.g. book, eyes, meeting, etc.); to shut
1084	解く	とく	to solve; to answer
1085	始まり	はじまり	origin; beginning
1086	休憩	きゅうけい	rest; break; recess
1087	現れ	あらわれ	embodiment; manifestation; materialization
1088	鬼	おに	ogre; demon

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1089	冒険	ぼうけん	risk; venture; adventure
1090	バッグ	バッグ	bag
1091	外出	がいしゅつ	outing; trip; going out
1092	年中	ねんじゅう	whole year; all year round; throughout the year
1093	そっくり	そっくり	all; altogether; entirely
1094	疑う	うたがう	to doubt; to distrust; to be suspicious of
1095	好み	このみ	liking; taste; choice
1096	氷	こおり	ice
1097	豪華	ごうか	wonderful; gorgeous; splendor
1098	出会い	であい	meeting; rendezvous; encounter
1099	偶々	たまたま	casually; unexpectedly; accidentally
1100	最中	さいちゅう	in the middle of; height of; in course of
1101	隠れる	かくれる	to hide; to be hidden; to conceal oneself
1102	連れ	つれ	companion; company
1103	日付	ひづけ	date; dating
1104	筋肉	きんにく	muscle; sinew
1105	姉妹	しまい	sisters
1106	自慢	じまん	pride; boast
1107	渋滞	じゅうたい	congestion (e.g. traffic); delay; stagnation
1108	眺める	ながめる	to view; to gaze at
1109	不幸	ふこう	unhappiness; sorrow; misfortune
1110	幸い	さいわい	happiness; blessedness; luck
1111	独身	どくしん	bachelorhood; single; unmarried
1112	金曜	きんよう	Friday
1113	岩	いわ	rock; crag
1114	家具	かぐ	furniture
1115	針	はり	needle; pin
1116	禁煙	きんえん	abstaining from smoking; quitting smoking
1117	マーケット	マーケット	market
1118	倒す	たおす	to throw down; to bring down; to blow down
1119	読み	よみ	reading
1120	文句	もんく	phrase

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1121	テント	テント	tent
1122	国語	こくご	national language
1123	飼う	かう	to keep (a pet or other animal); to raise; to have
1124	皮	かわ	skin; hide; pelt
1125	炎	ほのお	flame; blaze
1126	横断	おうだん	crossing
1127	稲	いね	rice-plant
1128	味方	みかた	friend; ally; supporter
1129	凝乎と	じっと	motionlessly
1130	握手	あくしゅ	handshake
1131	試す	ためす	to attempt; to test; to try out
1132	引用	いんよう	quotation; citation; reference
1133	科目	かもく	(school) subject; curriculum; course
1134	別れ	わかれ	parting; separation; farewell
1135	有り難う	ありがとう	Thank you
1136	気候	きこう	climate
1137	行けない	いけない	wrong; not good; of no use
1138	骨折	こっせつ	bone fracture
1139	酸素	さんそ	oxygen
1140	座席	ざせき	seat
1141	其れ共	それとも	or; or else
1142	カー	カー	car
1143	冗談	じょうだん	jest; joke; funny story
1144	下り	くだり	down-train (going away from Tokyo)
1145	換える	かえる	to replace
1146	菓子	かし	pastry; confectionery
1147	従って	したがって	therefore; consequently; accordingly
1148	黙る	だまる	to be silent
1149	天候	てんこう	weather
1150	才能	さいのう	talent; ability
1151	祝い	いわい	congratulation; congratulations; celebration
1152	相続	そうぞく	succession; inheritance

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1153	論じる	ろんじる	to argue; to discuss; to debate
1154	失望	しつぼう	disappointment; despair
1155	破産	はさん	bankruptcy; insolvency
1156	マイク	マイク	mike; mic; microphone
1157	喋る	しゃべる	to talk; to chat; to chatter
1158	大部分	だいぶぶん	most part; greater part; majority
1159	無駄	むだ	futility; uselessness; pointlessness
1160	芽	め	sprout
1161	苦手	にがて	poor (at); weak (in); not very good (at)
1162	どんなに	どんなに	how; how much
1163	信仰	しんこう	(religious) faith; belief; creed
1164	王子	おうじ	prince
1165	沈む	しずむ	to sink; to feel depressed
1166	通学	つうがく	commuting to school; school commute
1167	見送り	みおくり	seeing one off; farewell; escort
1168	石炭	せきたん	coal
1169	不利	ふり	disadvantage; handicap; unfavorable
1170	図書	としょ	books
1171	きつい	きつい	intense; severe; hard
1172	釣り	つり	fishing; angling
1173	典型	てんけい	type; pattern; model
1174	裏切る	うらぎる	to betray; to turn traitor to; to double-cross
1175	思わず	おもわず	unintentionally; reflexively; spontaneously
1176	ライター	ライター	lighter
1177	幸福	こうふく	happiness; blessedness; joy
1178	批評	ひひょう	criticism; review; commentary
1179	偉大	いだい	greatness
1180	ちゃんと	ちゃんと	perfectly; properly; exactly
1181	効く	きく	to be effective; to show effect
1182	なんか	なんか	things like ...; or something like that ... (often derogatory)
1183	尊敬	そんけい	respect; esteem; reverence
1184	真逆	まさか	by no means; never!; well, I never!

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1185	恐らく	おそらく	perhaps; likely; probably
1186	ママ	ママ	Mama
1187	節約	せつやく	economising; saving
1188	裸	はだか	naked; nude; bare
1189	愛情	あいじょう	love; affection
1190	混雑	こんざつ	confusion; congestion
1191	少々	しょうしょう	just a minute; small quantity
1192	恐ろしい	おそろしい	terrible; dreadful; terrifying
1193	偶然	ぐうぜん	(by) chance; unexpectedly; suddenly
1194	配達	はいたつ	delivery; distribution
1195	小屋	こや	hut; cabin; shed
1196	筆	ふで	writing brush
1197	物理	ぶつり	physics; law of nature
1198	済ませる	すませる	to finish; to make an end of; to get through with
1199	革	かわ	leather
1200	計る	はかる	to measure; to weigh; to survey
1201	交際	こうさい	company; friendship; association
1202	快適	かいてき	pleasant; agreeable; comfortable
1203	盛り	さかり	peak (e.g. of cherry blossom season); height (e.g. of su...
1204	運	うん	fortune; luck
1205	時刻	じこく	instant; time; moment
1206	ボート	ボート	boat; rowing boat
1207	悪戯	いたずら	tease; prank; trick
1208	気に入る	きにいる	to be pleased with; to suit
1209	奇妙	きみょう	strange; queer; curious
1210	服装	ふくそう	garments; attire
1211	集まり	あつまり	gathering; meeting; assembly
1212	金庫	きんこ	safe; strongbox; cashbox
1213	贅沢	ぜいたく	luxury; extravagance
1214	ユーモア	ユーモア	humor; humour
1215	下ろす	おろす	to take down (e.g. flag); to launch (e.g. boat); to drop
1216	苦痛	くつう	pain; agony; bitterness

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1217	ドライブ	ドライブ	drive; trip by car; driving
1218	手間	てま	time; labour; labor
1219	日光	にっこう	sunlight
1220	ぴったり	ぴったり	tightly; closely
1221	学問	がくもん	scholarship; study; learning
1222	粉	こな	flour; meal; powder
1223	とんでも無い	とんでもない	unthinkable; unexpected; outrageous
1224	スピーチ	スピーチ	speech
1225	技師	ぎし	engineer; technician
1226	ダイヤ	ダイヤ	diamond
1227	永遠	えいえん	eternity; perpetuity; immortality
1228	月曜	げつよう	Monday
1229	紐	ひも	string; cord
1230	感心	かんしん	admiration; Well done!
1231	翼	つばさ	wing
1232	タオル	タオル	(hand) towel
1233	友情	ゆうじょう	friendship; fellowship; camaraderie
1234	劣る	おとる	to be inferior to; to be less good at; to fall behind
1235	嵐	あらし	storm; tempest
1236	泥	どろ	mud
1237	望み	のぞみ	wish; desire; hope
1238	穏やか	おだやか	calm; gentle; quiet
1239	ベルト	ベルト	Belt for western clothes
1240	学期	がっき	school term; semester
1241	語学	ごがく	language study
1242	悪魔	あくま	devil; demon; fiend
1243	雇う	やとう	to employ
1244	診察	しんさつ	medical examination
1245	婚約	こんやく	engagement; betrothal
1246	食卓	しょくたく	dining table
1247	即ち	すなわち	that is; namely; i.e.
1248	後者	こうしゃ	the latter

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1249	袖	そで	sleeve
1250	不図	ふと	suddenly; casually; accidentally
1251	愛する	あいする	to love
1252	放す	はなす	to release; to let go; to free
1253	毒	どく	poison; toxicant
1254	謎	なぞ	riddle; puzzle; enigma
1255	鍋	なべ	saucepan; pot
1256	マスター	マスター	to master; to learn
1257	勘定	かんじょう	calculation; counting; consideration
1258	食物	しょくもつ	food; foodstuff
1259	舌	した	tongue
1260	掲示	けいじ	notice; bulletin; post
1261	幸運	こううん	good luck; fortune
1262	駐車	ちゅうしゃ	parking (e.g. car)
1263	鼠	ねずみ	mouse; rat
1264	等しい	ひとしい	equal; similar; like
1265	コード	コード	code
1266	穀物	こくもつ	grain; cereal; corn
1267	徹夜	てつや	all night; all-night vigil; sleepless night
1268	度々	たびたび	often; repeatedly; frequently
1269	似合う	にあう	to suit; to match; to become
1270	連想	れんそう	association (of ideas); being reminded (of something); s...
1271	宝石	ほうせき	gem; jewel; precious stone
1272	途端	とたん	just (now, at the moment, etc.)
1273	頭痛	ずつう	headache
1274	永久	えいきゅう	eternity; perpetuity; immortality
1275	馬鹿	ばか	fool; idiot
1276	ジュース	ジュース	juice
1277	真似	まね	mimicry; imitation; behavior
1278	捕まる	つかまる	to be caught; to be arrested
1279	中古	ちゅうこ	used; second-hand; old
1280	見舞い	みまい	visiting ill or distressed people; writing get-well letters

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1281	注	ちゅう	annotation; explanatory note; comment
1282	夢中	むちゅう	daze; (in a) trance; ecstasy
1283	霧	きり	fog; mist
1284	木曜	もくよう	Thursday
1285	害	がい	injury; harm; evil influence
1286	酔う	よう	to get drunk; to become intoxicated
1287	頬	ほお	cheek (of face)
1288	雷	かみなり	thunder
1289	ウィスキー	ウィスキー	whisky; whiskey
1290	決心	けっしん	determination; resolution
1291	ドレス	ドレス	dress
1292	美人	びじん	beautiful person (woman)
1293	凡そ	およそ	about; roughly; as a rule
1294	高価	こうか	high price
1295	土産	みやげ	present; souvenir
1296	さっぱり	さっぱり	feeling refreshed; feeling relieved
1297	尻	しり	buttocks; behind; rump
1298	精々	せいぜい	at the most; at best; to the utmost
1299	堪らない	たまらない	intolerable; unbearable; unendurable
1300	順番	じゅんばん	turn (in line); order of things; sequential order
1301	スイッチ	スイッチ	switch
1302	グラス	グラス	glass
1303	チーズ	チーズ	cheese
1304	手伝い	てつだい	helper; assistant
1305	歩道	ほどう	footpath; walkway; sidewalk
1306	奨学金	しょうがくきん	scholarship; stipend; bursary
1307	要するに	ようするに	in a word; after all; the point is ...
1308	欠点	けってん	faults; defect; weakness
1309	小麦	こむぎ	wheat
1310	グランド	グランド	gland
1311	猿	さる	monkey (esp. the Japanese macaque, <i>Macaca fuscata</i>)
1312	豆	まめ	legume (esp. edible legumes or their seeds, such as bea...

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1313	敬意	けいい	respect; honour; honor
1314	活気	かっき	energy; liveliness
1315	笛	ふえ	flute; pipe; whistle
1316	勘	かん	perception; intuition; the sixth sense
1317	のんびり	のんびり	carefree; at leisure
1318	兎	うさぎ	rabbit; hare; coney
1319	発明	はつめい	invention
1320	スープ	スープ	(Western) soup
1321	清潔	せいけつ	clean; hygienic; sanitary
1322	生地	きじ	cloth; material; texture
1323	お前	おまえ	you (formerly honorific, now sometimes derog. term re...
1324	離す	はなす	to separate; to part; to divide
1325	万一	まんいち	emergency; unlikely event
1326	胼胝	たこ	callus; callosity; corn
1327	刀	かたな	(single-edged) sword; katana
1328	陽気	ようき	cheerful; merry
1329	狂う	くるう	to go mad
1330	金	かね	money
1331	商人	しょうにん	trader; shopkeeper; merchant
1332	梅雨	つゆ	rainy season
1333	ざっと	ざっと	roughly; in round numbers
1334	臭い	くさい	stinking; smelly
1335	陸	りく	land; shore
1336	老い	おい	old age; old person; the old
1337	迎え	むかえ	meeting; greeting; welcome
1338	持ち上げる	もちあげる	to elevate; to raise; to lift up
1339	デート	デート	date; go on a date
1340	束	たば	bundle; bunch; sheaf
1341	衣服	いふく	clothes
1342	熱中	ねっちゅう	nuts!; enthusiasm; zeal
1343	物事	ものごと	things; everything
1344	生き物	いきもの	living thing; animal

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1345	食欲	しょくよく	appetite (for food)
1346	真っ赤	まっか	bright red; deep red; flushed (of face)
1347	双子	ふたご	twins; a twin
1348	ノー	ノー	no
1349	ミルク	ミルク	milk
1350	塀	へい	wall
1351	便り	たより	news; tidings; information
1352	前者	ぜんしゃ	the former
1353	綿	めん	cotton
1354	毛布	もうふ	blanket
1355	頂上	ちょうじょう	top; summit; peak
1356	お喋り	おしゃべり	chattering; talk; idle talk
1357	泡	あわ	bubble; foam; froth
1358	空き	あき	space; room; emptiness
1359	夜中	よなか	midnight; dead of night
1360	餌	えさ	feed; bait
1361	震える	ふるえる	to shiver; to shake; to quake
1362	灰	はい	ash; ashes
1363	だけど	だけど	however
1364	親戚	しんせき	relative; relation; kin
1365	題	だい	title; subject; theme
1366	近頃	ちかごろ	lately; recently; nowadays
1367	お目出度う	おめでとう	congratulations!; an auspicious occasion!
1368	芝生	しばふ	lawn
1369	知らせ	しらせ	notice; notification
1370	そっと	そっと	softly; gently; quietly
1371	悪口	あっこう	abuse; insult; slander
1372	体温	たいおん	temperature; body temperature (human, animal)
1373	夜明け	よあけ	dawn; daybreak
1374	書物	しょもつ	books
1375	ジーンズ	ジーンズ	jeans
1376	勤め	つとめ	service; duty; business

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1377	親友	しんゆう	close friend; bosom (old, intimate) friend; buddy
1378	意志	いし	will; volition; intention
1379	道德	どうとく	morals
1380	単語	たんご	word; vocabulary; (usually) single-character word
1381	王様	おうさま	king
1382	責める	せめる	to condemn; to blame; to criticize
1383	気の毒	きのどく	pitiful; unfortunate; (a) pity
1384	合図	あいず	sign; signal
1385	刈る	かる	to cut (hair); to mow (grass); to harvest
1386	クリーム	クリーム	cream
1387	素敵	すてき	lovely; dreamy; beautiful
1388	何で	なんで	why?; what for?
1389	対する	たいする	to face (each other); to be facing
1390	後	のち	later; afterwards; since
1391	明かり	あかり	light; illumination; glow
1392	発車	はっしゃ	departure of a vehicle
1393	頻りに	しきりに	frequently; repeatedly; often
1394	覚める	さめる	to wake; to wake up
1395	アイスクリーム	アイスクリーム	ice cream; icecream
1396	微笑む	ほほえむ	to smile
1397	あんなに	あんなに	to that extent; to that degree
1398	ピン	ピン	pin; dowel
1399	腐る	くさる	to rot; to go bad; to decay
1400	機嫌	きげん	humour; humor; temper
1401	余分	よぶん	extra; excess; surplus
1402	凍る	こおる	to freeze; to be frozen over; to congeal
1403	転ぶ	ころぶ	to fall down; to fall over
1404	がっかり	がっかり	feel disappointed; dejected; lose heart
1405	唸る	うなる	to groan; to moan; to roar
1406	礼儀	れいぎ	manners; courtesy; etiquette
1407	両替	りょうがえ	change; money exchange
1408	虫歯	むしば	cavity; tooth decay; decayed tooth

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1409	逆らう	さからう	to go against; to oppose; to disobey
1410	横切る	よこぎる	to cross (e.g. road); to traverse
1411	賢い	かしこい	wise; clever; smart
1412	だって	だって	after all; because
1413	答案	とうあん	examination paper; examination script
1414	癖	くせ	habit (often a bad habit, i.e. vice)
1415	年月	としつき	months and years
1416	我が儘	わがまま	selfishness; egoism; self-indulgence
1417	ソファ	ソファ	sofa; couch
1418	溺れる	おぼれる	to drown; to nearly drown; to sink below the surface (of...
1419	ボーイ	ボーイ	boy
1420	象	そう	elephant
1421	態と	わざと	on purpose
1422	硬貨	こうか	coin
1423	厄介	やっかい	trouble; burden; nuisance
1424	キャプテン	キャプテン	captain
1425	大屋	おおや	landlord; landlady
1426	予期	よき	expectation; assume will happen; forecast
1427	ハイキング	ハイキング	hiking
1428	恩	おん	favour; favor; obligation
1429	アイロン	アイロン	(electric) iron
1430	不可	ふか	wrong; bad; improper
1431	諺	ことわざ	proverb; maxim
1432	火曜	かよう	Tuesday
1433	作法	さほう	manners; etiquette; propriety
1434	有能	ゆうのう	able; capable; efficient
1435	知能	ちのう	intelligence; brains
1436	粗末	そまつ	crude; rough; plain
1437	加減	かげん	addition and subtraction
1438	積もる	つもる	to pile up; to accumulate
1439	通り過ぎる	とおりすぎる	to pass; to pass through
1440	悲しむ	かなしむ	to be sad; to mourn for; to regret

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1441	若しも	もしも	if
1442	省く	はぶく	to omit; to eliminate; to curtail
1443	向かい	むかい	facing; opposite; across the street
1444	髪の毛	かみのけ	hair (head)
1445	愉快	ゆかい	pleasant; happy
1446	インク	インク	ink
1447	適度	てきど	moderate
1448	辺り	あたり	on the bank of; by the side of (e.g. a river, pond)
1449	見当	けんとう	aim; mark; estimate
1450	退屈	たいくつ	tedium; boredom
1451	咳	せき	cough; coughing; tussis
1452	遅刻	ちこく	lateness; late coming
1453	泳ぎ	およぎ	swimming
1454	鎖	くさり	chain; chains
1455	罰する	ばっする	to punish; to penalize; to penalise
1456	ノック	ノック	knock
1457	黒板	こくばん	blackboard
1458	反抗	はんこう	opposition; resistance; insubordination
1459	覚ます	さます	to awaken
1460	ペンキ	ペンキ	paint
1461	上達	じょうたつ	improvement; advance; progress
1462	ジェット機	ジェットき	jet aeroplane; jet airplane
1463	居眠り	いねむり	dozing; nodding off
1464	書斎	しょさい	study; library; den
1465	大した	たいした	considerable; great; important
1466	粗い	あらい	coarse; rough
1467	器用	きよう	skillful; skilful; handy
1468	ぼんやり	ぼんやり	dimly; faintly; indistinctly
1469	申し訳	もうしわけ	apology; excuse
1470	縄	なわ	rope; cord
1471	分	ぶん	part; segment; share
1472	瓶	びん	bottle

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1473	トランプ	トランプ	playing cards (from trump)
1474	今に	いまに	before long; even now
1475	小包	こづつみ	parcel; package
1476	哀れ	あわれ	pity; sorrow; grief
1477	所で	ところで	by the way; incidentally
1478	用心	ようじん	care; precaution; guarding
1479	直に	じかに	directly; in person; headlong
1480	籠	かご	basket (shopping, etc.); hamper; cage
1481	生憎	あいにく	unfortunately; Sorry, but ...
1482	暗記	あんき	memorization; memorisation; learning by heart
1483	莫大	ばくだい	enormous; vast
1484	キッチン	キッチン	kitchen
1485	ラケット	ラケット	racket; paddle (in table-tennis)
1486	試し	ためし	trial; test
1487	地平線	ちへいせん	horizon (related to land)
1488	吠える	ほえる	to bark; to bay; to howl
1489	包み	つつみ	bundle; package; parcel
1490	刷る	する	to print
1491	霜	しも	frost
1492	可哀相	かわいそう	poor; pitiable; pathetic
1493	要点	ようてん	gist; main point
1494	行儀	ぎょうぎ	manners; behavior; behaviour
1495	ハンサム	ハンサム	handsome
1496	不平	ふへい	complaint; discontent; dissatisfaction
1497	にっこり	にっこり	smile sweetly; smile; grin
1498	お昼	おひる	lunch; noon
1499	眺め	ながめ	scene; view; prospect
1500	決まり	きまり	rule; regulation
1501	手品	てじな	sleight of hand; conjuring trick; magic
1502	ピクニック	ピクニック	picnic
1503	苛々	いらいら	getting nervous; irritation
1504	ぐっすり	ぐっすり	sound asleep; fast asleep

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1505	上等	じょうとう	superiority; first-class; very good
1506	迷子	まいご	lost child; stray child; missing child
1507	輪	わ	ring; circle; loop
1508	頂戴	ちょうだい	receiving; reception; getting
1509	パーセント	パーセント	percent; percentage
1510	人ごみ	ひとごみ	crowd of people
1511	何処か	どこか	somewhere; anywhere; in some respects
1512	可愛らしい	かわいらしい	lovely; sweet
1513	タイプライター	タイプライター	typewriter
1514	動詞	どうし	verb
1515	物音	ものおと	sounds
1516	徐々	じょじょ	gradually; steadily; quietly
1517	畑地	はたち	farmland
1518	剃る	そる	to shave
1519	いらっしゃい	いらっしゃい	(used as a polite imperative) come; go; stay
1520	経つ	たつ	to pass; to lapse
1521	角	つの	horn
1522	関する	かんする	to concern; to be related
1523	ばったり	ばったり	with a clash; with a thud; with a bang
1524	打つ	ぶつ	to hit (a person); to strike; to beat
1525	停留所	ていりゅうじょ	bus stop; tram stop; stop
1526	はあ	はあ	yes; indeed; well
1527	適する	てきする	to fit; to suit
1528	縁	ふち	(surrounding) edge
1529	床	ゆか	floor
1530	利口	りこう	clever; shrewd; bright
1531	生	なま	raw; uncooked; fresh
1532	けち	けち	stinginess; miserliness; penny-pinching
1533	怠ける	なまける	to be idle; to slacken
1534	シャベル	シャベル	shovel
1535	とん	とん	tap; knock; bonk
1536	埃	ほこり	dust

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1537	従兄弟	いとこ	male cousin
1538	バン	バン	bun
1539	銅貨	どうか	copper coin
1540	艘	そう	counter for (small) boats
1541	認める	みとめる	to recognize; to recognise; to appreciate
1542	お互い	おたがい	mutual; reciprocal; each other
1543	仲間	なかま	company; fellow; colleague
1544	節	ふし	joint; knuckle
1545	鋏	はさみ	scissors; tongs
1546	平ら	たいら	flatness; level; smooth
1547	陰	かげ	shade; shadow
1548	急に	きゅうに	swiftly; rapidly
1549	額	ひたい	forehead; brow
1550	仏	ほとけ	Buddha; merciful person; Buddhist image
1551	含嗽	うがい	gargling; rinsing one's mouth
1552	出端	では	chance of going out; opportunity (to succeed)
1553	仮令	たとえ	even if; if; though
1554	かも知れない	かもしれない	may; might; perhaps
1555	しまった	しまった	damn it!; damn!; oops!
1556	ですから	ですから	so; therefore
1557	何故なら	なぜなら	because
1558	パスポート	パスポート	passport
1559	何時までも	いつまでも	forever; for good; eternally
1560	間	ま	space; room; time
1561	関連	かんれん	relation; connection; relevance
1562	機関	きかん	engine
1563	金	きん	gold; golden (color); metaphor for (most) valuable
1564	原	はら	field; plain; prairie
1565	骨	ほね	bone
1566	今にも	いまにも	at any time; soon
1567	際	さい	on the occasion of; circumstances
1568	作物	さくもつ	produce (e.g. agricultural); crops

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1569	止す	よす	to cease; to abolish; to resign
1570	宿	やど	lodging; inn; hotel
1571	少しも	すこしも	anything of; not one bit (with negative sentence)
1572	上	かみ	upper reaches (of a river); upper stream
1573	上	じょう	from the standpoint of; as a matter of (e.g. fact); in the f...
1574	性	せい	nature (of a person)
1575	対	つい	pair; couple; set
1576	男の人	おとこのひと	man
1577	表	ひょう	table (e.g. Tab 1); chart; list
1578	分	ぶ	one-tenth; one percent (one-tenth of a wari); 3 mm (on...
1579	文	ぶん	sentence; text
1580	柄	がら	pattern; design
1581	末	すえ	tip; top
1582	綿	わた	cotton plant (Gossypium spp.)
1583	目標	もくひょう	mark; objective; target
1584	尤も	もつとも	quite right; plausible; natural
1585	役	やく	use; service; role
1586	一時	いちじ	one o'clock
1587	何時でも	いつでも	(at) any time; always; at all times
1588	数	かず	number; amount
1589	数	すう	several; a number of
1590	端	はし	end (e.g. of street); tip; point
1591	直	じき	soon; in a moment; before long
1592	敵	てき	opponent; rival; adversary
1593	方々	ほうぼう	here and there; this way and that way
1594	面	めん	face
1595	得る	える	to get; to acquire; to obtain
1596	一度に	いちどに	all at once
1597	違いない	ちがいない	(phrase) sure; no mistaking it; for certain
1598	滅多に	めったに	rarely; seldom
1599	轢く	ひく	to run somebody over (with vehicle); to knock someon...
1600	段	だん	step; stair; (flight of) steps

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1601	館	かん	house; hall; building
1602	詩	し	poem; verse of poetry
1603	他	た	other (esp. people and abstract matters)
1604	巻	かん	volume (of book); reel (of film)
1605	訓	くん	native Japanese reading (rendering) of a Chinese chara...
1606	アッ	アッ	oh; ah
1607	も	も	also; too; words of similar weight
1608	ト	ト	7th in a sequence denoted by the iroha system; 7th not...
1609	訳	やく	translation; version (e.g. "English version")
1610	間	かん	interval; period of time
1611	位	い	rank; place (e.g. first place)
1612	下	げ	lowness (of degree, value, etc.); inferiority
1613	下	しも	lower reaches (of a river)
1614	湖	こ	lake (in place names)
1615	生	せい	life; living
1616	氏	し	Mr
1617	注ぐ	つぐ	(usu. written as kana when referring to a solid) to pour...
1618	後	ご	after
1619	小	こ	small; little; slight
1620	無	ぶ	un-; non-
1621	品	ひん	elegance; grace; refinement