

TEN PREFIXES AND TEN SUFFIXES



Prefixes:

| Prefix | Meaning | Example |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| a, ab, abs | away, from | absent, absolute |
| ad | to, toward | advance, adapt |
| com, con | together, with | combine, connect |
| di, dif, dis | apart, not | differ, disappear |
| ex, e | out, from, forth | export, exit |
| in | in, into, not | interject, incredible |
| pro | forward | promote, proceed |
| re | again, back | report, reduce |
| trans | across, beyond | transcontinental, transgression |

Suffixes:

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|-------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| able, ible | able to (adj.) | unable, plausible |
| ant | one who (noun) | servant, assistant |
| ence, ance | state or quality of (noun) | resistance, absence |
| er, or | a person who does (noun) | porter, reader |
| ious | state or quality of (adj.) | gracious, religious |
| ist | a person occupied with (noun) | communist, geologist |
| ive | inclined to (adj.) | active, passive |
| ment | quality, action, product (noun) | fragment, ornament |
| tion, ation, sion | state or quality of (noun) | starvation, tension |
| ward | direction (adverb) | forward, upward |