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abate Make (something) less intense.

This action would not have been sufficient to **abate** the odour nuisance.

abbreviate Reduce in scope while retaining essential elements.

I decided to **abbreviate** my stay in Cambridge.

abbreviated Shortened; cut short.

An **abbreviated** version of the earlier work.

abridge Lessen, diminish, or curtail.

The introduction is **abridge**d from the author s afterword to the novel.

A cut of beef from the shoulder blade.

The director a young **blade** in an oversized suit.

Reduce in extent or quantity; impose a restriction on.

Curtail drinking in school.

decrement A process of becoming smaller or shorter.

The dose was reduced by 10 mg weekly **decrement**s.

deep A deep part of the sea.

Deep cuts in the budget.

dent Mark with a dent.

It made a **dent** in my bank account.

descending Moving or sloping downwards.

A rocky **descending** path.

dilute (of colour or light) weak or low in concentration.

The reforms have been **dilute**d.

diminish Decrease in size, extent, or range.

The new law is expected to **diminish** the government s chances.

downgrade Reduce to a lower grade, rank, or level of importance.

Downgrades by debt rating agencies outnumber upgrades by five to one.



dropAn act of dropping supplies or troops by parachute.

He studied the shapes of low viscosity **drop**s.

Enclose (a message or signal) in a set of codes that allow transfer across

networks.

encapsulate

Pancreatic tumours are encapsulated in a densely packed thicket of proteins

and cells.

Impress or affect deeply.

The event **engrave**d itself into her memory.

etch Make an etching of.

The gallery has 12 000 prints engraved and **etch**ed by celebrated masters.

haircut An act of cutting a person's hair.

He s always very particular about his **haircut**.

incise Mark or decorate (an object or surface) with a cut or cuts.

A button **incise**d with a skull.

Incision The action or process of cutting into something.

An abdominal **incision**.

cut or move cleanly through something with a knife like action.

The victim was **knife**d to death.

Assemble something from parts or pieces.

He wrote an interesting **piece** on Iran.

retrench Make a reduction, as in one's workforce.

If people are forced to **retrench** their expenditure trade will suffer.

A reduction in the productivity or activities of a company or institution.

rundown A **rundown** in the business would be a devastating blow to the local

economy.

Make shorter than originally intended; reduce or retrench in length or

shorten duration.

Ladbrokes **shorten**ed Nashwan s odds from 2 1 to 7 4.

shrink Move back or away, especially because of fear or disgust.

The metal is unsuitable for **shrink**ing on to wooden staves.

shrinkage The amount by which something shrinks.

The material lost 2 inches per yard in **shrinkage**.

truncate Make shorter as if by cutting off.

A **truncate**d pyramid.

undercut A stroke that puts reverse spin on the ball.

She styled her short bob into an edgy **undercut**.



wane

Grow smaller.
Interest in the project waned.

