

## の

indicates possessive, nominalizes verbs and adjectives, substitutes for "ga" in subordinate phrases, (at sentence-end, falling tone) indicates a confident conclusion, (at sentence-end) indicates emotional emphasis, (at sentence-end, rising tone) indicates question, plain, field, hidden (structural) member, wild, lacking a political post, 's, of, belonging to, shaft (of an arrow), arrow bamboo (Pseudosasa japonica), unit of measurement for cloth breadth (30-38 cm)

## に

load, baggage, cargo, freight, goods, burden, responsibility, looking like (someone), taking after (either of one's parents), red earth (i.e. containing cinnabar or minium), vermilion, two, 2, at (place, time), in, on, during, to (direction, state), toward, into, for (purpose), because of (reason), for, with, by, from, as (i.e. in the role of), per, in, for, a (e.g. "once a month"), and, in addition to, if, although, bhikkhuni (fully ordained nun), Indonesia, soil (esp. reddish soil), simmered with, cooked with, boiling, boiled dish

## は

feather, plume, down, wing, blade (of a fan, propeller, etc.), shuttlecock (in badminton), shuttlecock (in hanetsuki), arrow feathers, tooth, edge (of a knife or sword), prong (of an electrical plug), clique, group, coterie, (political) faction, wing, party, camp, school, sect, denomination, leaf, blade (of grass), (pine) needle, indicates sentence topic, indicates contrast with another option (stated or unstated), adds emphasis, yes, indeed, well, ha!, what?, huh?, sigh, large fan-shaped object held by an attendant and used to conceal the face of a noble, etc., middle section of a song (in gagaku or noh), supremacy (over a nation), hegemony, domination, leadership, championship, victory, counter for waves (of a repeated occurrence)

## て

hand, arm, forepaw, foreleg, handle, hand, worker, help, trouble, care, effort, means, way, trick, move, technique, workmanship, hand, handwriting, kind, type, sort, one's hands, one's possession, ability to cope, hand (of cards), direction, move (in go, shogi, etc.), you said, he said, she said, they said, even if, do you seriously think that, I already told you, you should know by now that, of course, the said ..., said ..., says that ..., I hear that ..., as for the term ..., as for ..., indicates continuing action

## を

indicates direct object of action, indicates subject of causative expression, indicates an area traversed, indicates time (period) over which action takes place, indicates point of departure or separation of action, indicates object of desire, like, hate, etc.

## が

moth, picture, drawing, painting, sketch, image (TV, film, etc.), picture, footage, indicates sentence subject (occasionally object), indicates possessive (esp. in literary expressions), but, however, still, and, regardless of, whether (or not), obstinacy, atman, the self, the ego, elegance, grace, festal song (genre of the Shi Jing), congratulation, celebration, vehicle, horse-drawn carriage

## で

coming out, going out, outflow, efflux, rising (of the Sun or the Moon), attending (work), appearing (on stage), one's turn to go on, start, beginning, origins, background, person (or item) originating from ..., graduate of ..., native of ..., member of ... (lineage), architectural member that projects outward, highest point of the stern of a ship, amount (comprising something), amount of time or effort required to do something, at, in, at, when, by, with, and then, so, and, then, let me tell you, don't you know, without doing ...

## た

multi-, who, rice field, other (esp. people and abstract matters), distance between outstretched thumb and middle finger (approx. 18 cm), did, (have) done, (please) do

## と

if, when, and, with, used for quoting (thoughts, speech, etc.), promoted pawn, indicates a question, outside, exterior, the open (air), other place, somewhere else, outside one's group (family, company, etc.), door (esp. Japanese-style), shutter, window shutter, entrance (to a home), narrows, person, party, set, gang, company, person, to, square bearing block (at the top of a pillar), Chinese "Dipper" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), ten, 10, ten years of age, book containing a collection of poems, Metropolis (of Tokyo), (Tokyo) Metropolitan District, metropolitan prefecture, counter for cities and towns, capital, way, route, whetstone, grindstone, Turkey, fence, wall, hedge

## し

Japanese cherry birch (*Betula grossa*), yellow catalpa (*Catalpa ovata*), Japanese mallotus (*Mallotus japonicus*), printing block, catalpa bow, catalpa medium, official, civil service, calling card, city, death, decease, (an) out, death penalty (by strangulation or decapitation; most severe of the five ritsuryō punishments), magazine, the Snake (sixth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Serpent, hour of the Snake (around 10am, 9-11am, or 10am-12 noon), south-southeast, fourth month of the lunar calendar, four, 4, corpse, kanji "corpse" radical, poem, poetry, verse, Chinese poem, teacher, master, mentor, religious leader, specialist, five-battalion brigade comprising 2500 men (Zhou dynasty Chinese army), food, foodstuff, eating, appetite, meal, portion, counter for long, thin things (i.e. swords), history, and, besides, moreover, what's more, not only ... but also, because, since, the thing is, for one thing, Mr, Mrs, Ms, Miss, clan, he, him, counter for people, thread, 0.0001, one ten-thousandth, that, you, oneself, themself, Japanese dock (*Rumex japonicus*), child (esp. a boy), viscount, founder of a school of thought (esp. Confucius), master, masters and philosophers (categorization of Chinese classical literature), you, -er (i.e. man who spends all his time doing...), Chinese "Turtle Beak" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), office (government department beneath a bureau under the ritsuryō system), honorific suffix used after the name of a woman of equal or higher status, zhi (large bowl-shaped ancient Chinese cup with two handles), viewing as ..., seeing as ..., treating as ..., regarding as ..., to ..., words, writing, lyrics, ci (form of Chinese poetry), independent word, 10<sup>24</sup>, septillion, messenger, police and judicial chief (Heian and Kamakura periods), klesha (polluting thoughts such as greed, hatred and delusion, which result in suffering), private affairs, personal matter, newspaper, man (esp. one who is well-respected), samurai, person (in a certain profession, esp. licensed), member, China, testing, experiment, test, examination, exam, trial, funds, capital, material, basis, character, qualities, disposition, tooth, age, years, succession, successor, four-horse carriage, team of four horses, posthumous name, posthumous title, did, (have) done

## も

mourning, calamity, misfortune, algae, waterweed, seaweed, duckweed, face, surface, mask (esp. a noh or kyogen mask), ancient skirt, too, also, in addition, as well, (not) either (in a negative sentence), both A and B, A as well as B, neither A nor B (in a negative sentence), even, as much as, as many as, as far as, as long as, no less than, no fewer than, even if, even though, although, in spite of, further, more, again, another, the other

## な

greens, vegetables, rape (*Brassica napus*), rapeseed, seven, name, given name, title, fame, renown, reputation, pretext, pretense, justification, appearance, (ceremony of) driving out evil spirits, don't, do, hey, listen, look, say, now, ..., well, ..., I tell you!, you know, wow, ooh, right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?, I, you

## ない

earthquake, dead, nonexistent, not being (there), unowned, not had, unpossessed, unique, not, impossible, won't happen, not, to not be, to have not, within ..., inside ..., not, emphatic suffix

## ます

measuring container, measure, box (seating at a theatre, etc.), square on a grid, cell of a grid, square bearing block (at the top of a pillar), to increase, to grow, trout, sea trout, used to indicate respect for the listener (or reader), used to indicate respect for those affected by the action, to be, to go, to come

## こと

koto (13-stringed Japanese zither), stringed instrument, zheng (Chinese zither), guzheng, ancient city, former capital, thing, matter, incident, occurrence, event, something serious, trouble, crisis, circumstances, situation, state of affairs, work, business, affair, after an inflectable word, creates a noun phrase indicating something the speaker does not feel close to, nominalizing suffix, pretending to ..., playing make-believe ..., alias, also known as, otherwise known as, or, necessity, need, you should ..., I advise that you ..., it's important to ..., patching up (e.g. a failure), covering up (e.g. a mistake), glossing over, word, remark, statement, difference (from one another), different thing, other, unusual, extraordinary, particle indicating a command, particle indicating mild enthusiasm, particle indicating a gentle interrogative, particle used to soften a judgment or conclusion, like, similar to, same as

## か

beautiful, good, excellent, addition, increase, Canada, acceptable, satisfactory, allowed, permitted, approval, being in favour, (a) vote in favour, aye, Pass (grade), Fair, C, D, department, section, faculty, school, arm, course (of study), branch of study, specialization, (taxonomical) family, lesson, section (in an organization), division, department, counter for lessons and chapters (of a book), mosquito, deer (esp. the sika deer, *Cervus nippon*), cervid, ge (ancient Chinese dagger-axe), rack, mount, stand, indicates a question, or, whether or not, some- (e.g. something, someone), hmm, huh, very, -al, -ial, -ic, -ical, -ish, -y, in that way, change to ..., becoming ..., making into ..., -ization, -ification, day of month, counter for days, condyle, counter for grains and small spheres, surplus-, excess-, over-, per- (chemical with more of a certain element than found in other compounds of the same constituents), under (influence, control, conditions, etc. of), during (war, occupation, etc.), phala (attained state, result), enlightenment (as the fruits of one's Buddhist practice), fruit, counter for pieces of fruit, -ist, -er, counter for the ichi-ni-san counting system (usu. directly preceding the item being counted), a noun read using its on-yomi, Tuesday, fire (second of the five elements), Xia dynasty (of China; c. 2070-1600 BCE; possibly mythological), Hsia dynasty, counter for loads (that can be carried on one's shoulders), fruit, counter for fruit, smell (esp. a good smell), fragrance, scent, aroma, perfume, minority, small numbers, unmarried person, widow, widower, valence, valency, flashiness, showiness, brilliance, splendor, bloom, flowers, disaster, calamity, misfortune

## です

be, is, spit (of land)

## いる

to shoot (arrow, bolt, dart), to roast, to parch, to toast, to boil down, to enter, to go in, to get in, to come in, to set (of the sun or moon), to sink, to go down, to attain (nirvana, enlightenment, etc.), to achieve, to reach (e.g. a climax), to do fully, to do intently, to do sincerely, to do deeply, to feel keenly, to (reach a state) completely, to need, to want, to be (of animate objects), to exist, to stay, to be ...-ing, to have been ...-ing, to cast, to mint, to coin, to set (of the sun), to calm down, to pour, to dash (water) over, to douse with, to lead, to spearhead, to command, to carry, to take

## する

to do, to carry out, to perform, to cause to become, to make (into), to turn (into), to serve as, to act as, to work as, to wear (clothes, a facial expression, etc.), to judge as being, to view as being, to think of as, to treat as, to use as, to decide on, to choose, to be sensed (of a smell, noise, etc.), to be (in a state, condition, etc.), to be worth, to cost, to pass (of time), to elapse, to place, or raise, person A to a post or status B, to transform A to B, to make A into B, to exchange A for B, to make use of A for B, to view A as B, to handle A as if it were B, to feel A about B, verbalizing suffix (applies to nouns noted in this dictionary with the part of speech "vs"), creates a humble verb (after a noun prefixed with "o" or "go"), to be just about to, to be just starting to, to try to, to attempt to, to print, to color or pattern fabric using a wooden mold, to pickpocket, to steal, to shave, to rub, to chafe, to strike (match), to file, to frost (glass), to lose (e.g. a match), to forfeit, to squander one's money (e.g. through gambling, Pachinko, etc.)

## から

from (e.g. time, place, numerical quantity), since, from (originator), by, because, since, out of (constituent, part), through (e.g. window, vestibule), after, since, expresses sympathy or warning, shell, husk, hull, pod, chaff, emptiness, being empty, not carrying anything, unburdened, empty-handed, dishonoured (bill, promise, etc.), false, no-show (reservation), put-on (cheeriness, courage, etc.), empty (compliments), insincere, Zen monk's waistcoat (short, informal kasaya), ring (usu. made of ivory) attached to this waistcoat, netsuke, item attached to a netsuke, trunk, stem, stalk, shaft (of an arrow), handle, China (sometimes also used in ref. to Korea or other foreign countries), Karak (ancient Korean confederacy), Kaya

## だ

dui (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: swamp, west), be, is, did, (have) done, please, do, poor, low-grade, trivial, insignificant, worthless, load, pack, horse load, packhorse, hitting a ball (with a bat, golf club, etc.), batting, stroke, branch (of flowers), cluster, mass (of clouds)

## ある

to be, to exist, to live, to have, to be located, to be equipped with, to happen, to come about, a certain ..., some ...

## い

greatness, stomach, Chinese "stomach" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), medicine, the healing art, healing, curing, doctor, five, 5, weft, woof (crosswise threads on a loom), the Boar (twelfth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Pig, hour of the Boar (around 10pm, 9-11pm, or 10pm to 12 midnight), north-northwest, tenth month of the lunar calendar, sleep, fifty, 50, well, dam, weir, barrier, sluice, soft rush (Juncus effusus var. decipiens), common rush, difference (of opinion), strange, odd, unusual, different, rank, place (e.g. first place), decimal place, counter for ghosts, feelings, thoughts, meaning, you, hog (esp. a wild boar, but also including the domesticated pig), Italy, being (somewhere), sitting, clothing, garment, dress, strengthens a question, assertion, etc., power, authority, might, influence, dignity, majesty, easiness, barbarian, kind, sort, type

## れ

## さ

difference, variation, difference, arrow, wedge, chock, -ness, come, come now, so, like that, in that way, one hundred-millionth, left (esp. in vertical Japanese writing), the following, narrow, thin

## ん

yes, yeah, uh huh, huh?, what?, not, 's, of, belonging to, at (place, time), in, on, during, some (at the start of a number in place of a digit), probably, will, intend to, would like to have done (for me)

## よう

form, shape, figure, visage, to get drunk, to become intoxicated, to feel sick (e.g. in a vehicle), to become nauseated, to be elated, to be exalted, to be spellbound, to be in raptures, business, task, errand, engagement, use, purpose, for the use of ..., used for ..., made for ..., call of nature, excretion, benefit, use, good, advantage, gain, profit, gains, appearing ..., looking ..., way to ..., method of ...ing, form, style, design, like, similar to, thing (thought or spoken), (the) positive, yang (in Chinese divination), the open, visible place, public place, well, properly, skillfully, often, how (could you), why (would you), cornerstone, main point, keystone, requirement, need, necessary, required, counter for leaves, pieces of paper, etc., counter for boats, dark, not understood, unknown, carbuncle, tax paid to avoid forced labor (ritsuryō period), tax in kind, mediocrity, (I) will, (I) shall, let's, (I) wonder (if), might it be (that), maybe, perhaps, perchance, Occident and Orient (esp. the Occident), ocean, sea, foreign, Western, European, infancy, childhood, infant, child, counter for swords, hakama, obi, etc. worn around the waist, counter for quivers of arrows, terra-cotta figure (in Qin dynasty tombs in China), hey, yo, hi, come on, hey

## まし

hemp yarn, linen thread, better, preferable, less objectionable, least-worst, more, increase, extra, increase, growth, you, please, used to increase the politeness of a greeting, monkey (esp. the Japanese macaque, *Macaca fuscata*), ape, non-human primate, hemp paper

## う

cormorant (*Phalacrocoracidae* spp.), rabbit, hare, coney, cony, lagomorph (esp. leporids), the Rabbit (fourth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Hare, hour of the Rabbit (around 6am, 5-7am, or 6-8am), east, second month in the lunar calendar, Ukraine, counter for buildings, roofs, tents, etc., fifth degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), bhava (becoming, existence), to get, to acquire, to obtain, to procure, to earn, to win, to gain, to secure, to attain, to be possible, yes, all right, OK, okay, indicates speculation, indicates will, indicates invitation, eel (esp. the Japanese eel, *Anguilla japonica*), yu

## 人

じん, -ian (e.g. Italian), -ite (e.g. Tokyoite), -er (e.g. performer, etc.), person working with ..., man, person, people, と, person, ひと, ヒト, person, someone, somebody, human beings, mankind, man, people, humans, human (*Homo sapiens*), (other) people, others, character, personality, nature, capable person, competent person, suitable person, right person, adult, grown-up, I, me, one, にん, counter for people

## この

nine, 9, this, last (couple of years, etc.), these, past, this, you (as in "you liar")

## という

called, named, that says, that, as many as, as much as, all ..., every single ...

## その

that, the, part (as in "part two"), um ..., er ..., uh ..., garden, orchard, park, place, world, environment

## 的

てき, -ical, -ive, -al, -ic, -y, -like, -ish, -sort of, -kind of, (something) like, along the lines of, -wise, in terms of, for, from the viewpoint of, from a ... standpoint, as far as ... is concerned, Mr., Ms., Mrs., まと, mark, target, object, subject, focus, point (e.g. of argument)

## 年

とし, year, age, years, past one's prime, old age, ねん, year, counter for years (e.g. of an era), grades (e.g. school), period of an apprentice's contract (usu. ten years), とせ, counter for years (following a number in the hito-futa-mi counting system)

## いう

to do up (hair), to dress, to arrange, to tie, to bind, to fasten, to make (a fence), to say, to utter, to declare, to name, to call, to go (e.g. "the alarm went ping"), to make a noise

## 日

ひ, day, days, sun, sunshine, sunlight, (the) day, daytime, daylight, date, deadline, (past) days, time (e.g. of one's childhood), case (esp. unfortunate), event, にち, Sunday, nth day (of the month), counter for days, Japan, か, day of month, counter for days, んち, ち, nth day (of the month), counter for days

## 私

わたし, I, me, あたし, あたくし, あたい, あて, I, me, わらわ, I, me, わし, I, me, あっし, わっし, I, me, わい, わて, I, me, you, わたい, I, me, し, private affairs, personal matter, わたくし, I, me, personal (affairs, etc.), private, selfishness, partiality, secrecy, confidentiality, わっち, I, me

## あり

ant, existing (at the present moment), alright, acceptable, passable, to be (usu. of inanimate objects), to have

## もの

person, thing, object, article, stuff, substance, one's things, possessions, property, belongings, things, something, anything, everything, nothing, quality, reason, the way of things, used to emphasize emotion, judgment, etc., used to indicate a common occurrence in the past (after a verb in past tense), used to indicate a general tendency, used to indicate something that should happen, item classified as ..., item related to ..., work in the genre of ..., cause of ..., cause for ..., somehow, somewhat, for some reason, really, truly, indicates reason or excuse, indicates dissatisfaction, indicates desire to be pampered or indulged

## ば

place, spot, space, field, discipline, sphere, realm, occasion, situation, scene (of a play, movie, etc.), session (of the stock market), field, table, area in which cards are laid out (in a card game), round (east, south, etc.), field, field, counter for birds, rabbits, etc., counter for bundles, if ... then, when, and, why don't you...?, the more (one does something), because, since

## や

melting, plain, field, hidden (structural) member, wild, lacking a political post, arrow, wedge, chock, eight, 8, disagreeable, detestable, unpleasant, reluctant, such things as ..., and ... and, the minute (that) ..., no sooner than ..., as soon as, be, is, o, oh, huh, what, hi, yes, what?, yes?, no?, is it?, isn't it?, shop, store, restaurant, someone who sells (something) or works as (something), someone with a (certain) personality trait, house, roof, spoke, counter for nights

## なっ

## それ

that, it, then, that point (in time), that time, there, you, there!, look!, go on!, right!, here goes!

## 者

もの, もん, person, しゃ, person, -er, expert, geisha, prostitute

## これ

this, this one, this person, now, this point (in time), here, used to stress the subject of a sentence, I, me, hey, oi, come on, look, listen

## なる

to become, to get, to grow, to turn, to reach, to attain, to result in, to turn out, to end up, to prove (to be), to consist of, to be composed of, to be made up of, to be completed, to be realized, to succeed, to be attained, to be accomplished, to change (into), to turn (into), to transform, to come (to do), to begin (to do), to grow (to do), to come to, to amount to, to add up to, to make, to play (the part of), to act as, to be used for, to be useful for, to serve as, to be promoted, to do ..., to sound, to ring, to resound, to echo, to roar, to rumble, to bear fruit, that is in, who is called, that is called, that is, I see

## 月

つき, Moon, month, moonlight, (a) moon, natural satellite, げつ, Monday

## として

as (i.e. in the role of), for (i.e. from the viewpoint of), apart from... (used to change the topic), even (e.g. "not even a single person"), thinking that..., trying to...

## さん

Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., -san, acid, sourness, sour taste, three, 3, a style of Chinese poetry, legend or inscription on a picture, praise, tribute, inscription (on a painting), Mt., Mount, (giving) birth, childbirth, delivery, confinement, native of, product of, assets, property, fortune, frame (i.e. of a sliding door), crosspiece, bar, sliding wooden bolt (for holding a door or window shut), rung (of a ladder), divining sticks, counting, calculation, brilliant, resplendent, dining, appalling

## ね

root (of a plant), root (of a tooth, hair, etc.), center (of a pimple, etc.), root (of all evil, etc.), source, origin, cause, basis, one's true nature, (fishing) reef, the Rat (first sign of the Chinese zodiac), hour of the Rat (around midnight, 11pm to 1am, or 12 midnight to 2am), north, eleventh month of the lunar calendar, sound, noise, report, note, fame, Chinese-derived character reading, sleep, right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?, hey, say, listen, look, come on, you know, you see, I must say, I should think, will you?, please, so, ..., well, ..., you see, ..., you understand?, I'm not sure if ..., I have my doubts about whether ..., price, cost, value, worth, merit, nonexistent, not being (there), not having, not

## まで

until (a time), till, to, up to, to (a place or person), as far as, to (an extent), up to, so far as, even, only, merely

## など

et cetera, etc., and the like, and so forth, or something, the likes of, for example, for instance, for one

## ませ

please, used to increase the politeness of a greeting, short roughly woven fence, divider between boxes (i.e. for box seats) in a theatre, etc.

## 中

なか, inside, interior, among, within, middle, center, centre, during, while, middle, midst, amid, interval, gap, mean, average, second (of three, e.g. sons, volumes), middle, medium grade, medium quality, red-light district, うち, inside, within, while (e.g. one is young), during, within (e.g. a day), in the course of, among, amongst, (out) of, between, in (secret, chaos, poverty, etc.), amidst, with (e.g. success), within oneself, one's feelings, inner thoughts, we, our company, our organization, one's home, one's family, my spouse, my husband, my wife, signed on behalf of (husband's name) by his wife, I, me, imperial palace grounds, emperor, ちゅう, medium, average, middle, moderation, middle school, China, volume two (of three), during (a certain time when one did or is doing something), under (construction, etc.), while, in, out of, of the, じゅう, ぢゅう, through, throughout, in the course of, all over or throughout (e.g. a place), チュン, red dragon tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of red dragon tiles

## お

cord, strap, thong, string (of a musical instrument, bow, etc.), tail (of an animal), tail (of a kite, etc.), tail end, tail (of a comet), slope at the foot of a mountain, cannabis (Cannabis sativa), hemp (plant), hemp (fiber), linen, flax, jute, oh! (expression of slight surprise), small, narrow, familiar prefix, slightly, a bit, yes, all right, OK, okay, male, manly, brave, heroic, larger (of the two), greater, man, husband, honorific/polite/humble prefix

## なく

to cry, to weep, to sob, to howl, to make sound (of an animal), to call, to cry, to whine, to sing, to chirp, to make a meld call (e.g. pung, kong)

## れる

indicates passive voice (incl. the "suffering passive"), indicates the potential form, indicates spontaneous occurrence, used as an honorific for others' actions

## へ

to, towards, for, earthenware vessel for alcoholic beverages, etc., surrounding area, shore (of the sea), suffix used as a rough indicator of location, direction, time, etc., fart, gas, wind, something worthless, something not worth considering, crap

## ため

good, advantage, benefit, welfare, sake, purpose, objective, aim, consequence, result, effect, affecting, regarding, concerning, cesspool, sink, manure sink, the same (age, social status), peer

## そう

appearing that, seeming that, looking like, having the appearance of, to run along, to run beside, to stick to (a line), to follow (a policy, plan, etc.), to act in accordance with, to align with, to meet (wishes, expectations, etc.), to satisfy, to comply with, to live up to, koto (13-stringed Japanese zither), stringed instrument, zheng (Chinese zither), guzheng, to be, to do, left and right, right and left, (asserting) control, influence, domination, one's attendants, people accompanying one, (serving at someone's) side, equivocation, surname, family name, hereditary title (used in ancient Japan to denote rank and political standing), monk, priest, sangha (the Buddhist community), pair, mourning, calamity, misfortune, layer, stratum, seam, bed, class, stratum, bracket, group, sheaf, counter for stories (of a building), conception, idea, thought, samjna (perception), fidelity, honour, honor, constancy, chastity (of a woman), faithfulness (e.g. to one's husband), aspect, appearance, look, physiognomy (as an indication of one's fortune), aspect, phase (e.g. solid, liquid and gaseous), whole, total, gross, entire, overall, general (election, manager, etc.), to meet (wishes, expectations, etc.), to satisfy, to comply with, to live up to, to accompany, to go with, to stay by one's side, to associate with (someone), to mix with, to marry, to wed, to be added, great (i.e. great-grandson, great-grandmother), body (of a biwa), traditional Japanese wind instrument resembling panpipes, free-reed instrument used in Japanese court music, counter for (small) boats, in that way, thus, such, so, so?, manor, villa, Song dynasty (of China; 960-1279), Sung dynasty, Liu Song dynasty (of China; 420-479), Liu Sung dynasty, Song (ancient Chinese state; 11th century-286 BCE), Sung, vibrancy, strength, bravery, manliness, (esp. of men) one's prime (approx. age 30), counter for times of moxibustion, draft, rough copy, highly cursive style (of writing Chinese characters), grass style, clothing, dressing, binding (of a book), run, race, steaming basket (traditionally clay or wood), steaming vat (for steaming rice in sake production), plexus, rete, rural local self-government (Muromachi period), drizzle, scattered rain, report to the emperor, old man, venerable gentleman, palace room for government officials, fellow, set (of people), clan, family, funeral, mania, origin, source, virtuous ancestor

## たい

other intention, hidden purpose, ulterior motive, ill will, malice, body, physique, posture, shape, form, style, substance, identity, reality, field, counter for humanoid forms (e.g. dolls, statues, corpses, etc.), typeface, type, opposite, opposition, versus, vs., v., to (e.g. "winning a game five to three"), equal footing, equal terms, against ..., anti-, toward ..., to ..., band (e.g. conduction, valence), belt (e.g. Van-Allen, asteroid, etc.), sea bream (Sparidae), porgy, tai (species of reddish-brown Pacific sea bream, Pagrus major), party, group, crew, team, body, company (of troops), corps, unit, squad, want to ... do something, would like to ..., indicates emphasis, very ..., womb, condition, figure, appearance, voice, counter for things inside a bag, Taiwan, bank (river, lake), pile, heap, nth year in the Taishō era (1912.7.30-1926.12.25), -proof, -resistant, satya, truth

## 日本

にほん, にっぽん, Japan

## だけ

only, just, merely, simply, no more than, nothing but, alone, as much as, to the extent of, enough to, peak, mountain

## あっ

ah, oh, hey!

## ので

that being the case, because of ...,  
the reason is ..., given that ...

## よ

evening, night, dinner, other,  
another, remaining, leftover, over,  
more than, I, me, four, 4, world,  
society, public, life, lifetime, age,  
era, period, epoch, generation,  
reign, rule, the times, world (of  
existence), hey, you, hey, hey, hold  
on, yo, hey, space between two  
nodes (on bamboo, etc.), more and  
more, increasingly, extremely, very,  
I, me

## き

yellow, tusk, fang, period, time,  
opportunity, chance, occasion, age,  
term (e.g. in office), session (e.g. of  
parliament), stage (e.g. of a  
disease), season (e.g. of a TV  
series), spirit, mind, heart, nature,  
disposition, intention, mind, will,  
motivation, mood, feelings,  
consciousness, care, attention,  
consideration, worry, interest, (the)  
air, atmosphere, ambience,  
atmosphere (of), air (of), mood,  
fragrance, aroma, flavour, taste, qi  
(in traditional Chinese philosophy  
and medicine), chi, ki, account,  
history, chronicle, annals, record,  
Kojiki, Records of Ancient Matters,  
ogre, demon, oni, spirit of a  
deceased person, ogre-like person  
(i.e. fierce, relentless, merciless,  
etc.), it (in a game of tag, hide-and-  
seek, etc.), Chinese "ghost"  
constellation (one of the 28  
mansions), very, extremely, super-,  
alcohol, sake, pure, undiluted, raw,  
crude, Welsh onion (Allium  
fistulosum), green onion, spring  
onion, tree, shrub, bush, wood,  
timber, wooden clappers (signalling  
the beginning or end of a  
performance), armrest, desk, table,  
6th in rank, sixth sign of the  
Chinese calendar, counter for small  
animals, counter for rolls of cloth  
(two han in size), counter for  
horses, roll of cloth, 10th in rank,  
tenth sign of the Chinese calendar,  
season (in nature, sports, etc.),  
seasonal word or phrase (in haiku),  
year, way, method, chance,  
opportunity, machine, aircraft,  
counter for aircraft, counter for  
(remaining) lives, strange,  
unconventional, eccentric, novel,  
odd, odd number, device,  
instrument, vessel, container,  
ability, capacity, calibre, caliber,  
danger, Chinese "rooftop"  
constellation (one of the 28  
mansions), Chinese "winnowing  
basket" constellation (one of the 28  
mansions), group, (free) radical,  
counter for installed or mounted  
objects (e.g. stone lanterns,  
gravestones, satellites), period,  
Nihon-shoki, fortress (surrounded by  
a wall, moat, etc.), thin twilled silk  
fabric, your, indicates high rank or  
status, indicates love and respect  
(usu. for an older person),  
mourning, mourning period,  
anniversary of one's death, counter  
for horsemen, dilute, rare, rut,  
wheel track, distance between two  
wheels, gauge

## 何

なに, ナニ, what, you-know-what,  
that thing, what'sit, whachamacallit,  
what's-his-name, what's-her-name,  
penis, (one's) thing, dick, (not) at  
all, (not) in the slightest, what?,  
huh?, hey!, come on!, oh, no (it's  
fine), why (it's nothing), oh  
(certainly not), なん, what, how  
many, many, a lot of, several, a few,  
some

## 思い

おもい, thought, imagination, mind,  
heart, desire, wish, hope,  
expectation, love, affection,  
feelings, emotion, sentiment,  
experience

## なら

if, in case, if it is the case that, if  
it is true that, as for, on the topic of, if  
that's the case, if so, that being the  
case, if possible, if circumstances  
allow, oak (esp. Quercus serrata),  
Nara (city, prefecture)

## だっ

## 自分

じぶん, myself, yourself, oneself, himself, herself, I, me, you

## について

concerning, regarding, per (e.g. 100 yen per person), for every

## 方

かた, direction, way, person, lady, gentleman, method of, manner of, way of, care of ..., person in charge of ..., side (e.g. "on my mother's side"), ほう, direction, way, side, area (in a particular direction), side (of an argument, etc.), one's part, type, category, field (of study, etc.), indicates one side of a comparison, way, method, manner, means, length (of each side of a square), さま, Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., makes a word more polite (usu. in fixed expressions), state, situation, appearance, manner, がた, Sirs, Mesdames, around (the time that, etc.), about, へ, へ, え, surrounding area, shore (of the sea), suffix used as a rough indicator of location, direction, time, etc.

## 時

とき, time, hour, moment, occasion, case, chance, opportunity, season, the times, the age, the day, tense, じ, hour, o'clock, (specified) time, when ..., during ..., とき, time for ..., time to ..., good time to ..., opportunity to ..., season

## なり

to be, to be (location), sum of money, ringing, sound, bearing (fruit), or something, for instance ... (though there are other suitable options), ... or ..., as soon as, right after, while still, with previous state still in effect, style, way, shape, form, appearance, state, promoted (of a piece)

## 問題

もんだい, question (e.g. on a test), problem, problem (e.g. societal, political), question, issue, subject (e.g. of research), case, matter, question (i.e. doubt), public discussion, controversy, trouble, problem, inconvenience, difficulty

## でき

workmanship, craftsmanship, execution, finish, grades, results, score, record, quality (e.g. of a crop), dealings, transactions

## いい

having fun, rejoicing, what was said, what it means, origin of a story (or tradition, etc.), cooked rice, easy, simple, plain, obedient, submissive, tame, slavish, good, excellent, fine, nice, pleasant, agreeable, sufficient, enough, ready, prepared, profitable (deal, business offer, etc.), beneficial, OK, all right, fine, no problem, winding, meandering, affectionately attached, reluctant to part

## たら

palmyra, lusterleaf holly, patra (silver incense dish placed in front of a Buddhist statue), gadid (any fish of the family Gadidae, incl. cod, haddock, whiting and pollack), Pacific cod (Gadus macrocephalus), if, when, after, when it comes to ..., as for ..., that ..., why don't you ..., why not ..., how about ..., what about ..., I tell you!, I said ..., I really mean ..., vocative particle

## また

groin, thigh, crotch, crutch, fork (in a tree, road, river, etc.), tines (of a fork), again, once more, once again, another time, some other time, also, too, as well, likewise, on the other hand, while, and, in addition, besides, moreover, furthermore, or, otherwise, really, how, (what, why) on earth, indirect, vowel (in the Siddham script)

## られ

## より

than, from, out of, since, at, on, except, but, other than, more, twist, ply, pushing back one's opponent while locked in close quarters, having a tendency towards, being close to, selecting, choosing

## 見

み, looking, viewing, (please) try (to), けん, view (of life, etc.), outlook

## 今

いま, now, the present time, just now, soon, immediately, another, more, こん, the current ..., this, today's ...

## でも

but, however, though, nevertheless, still, yet, even so, also, as well, even, however, no matter how, even if, even though, ... or something, either ... or ..., neither ... nor ..., pseudo-, quack, in-name-only, for lack of anything better to do

## だろ

seems, I think, I guess, I wonder, I hope, right?, don't you agree?, I thought you'd say that!

## 考え

かんがえ, thinking, thought, view, opinion, concept, idea, notion, imagination, intention, plan, design, consideration, judgement, deliberation, reflection, wish, hope, expectation

## わけ

division, splitting, classification, sharing, distribution, draw, tie, conclusion from reasoning, judgement or calculation based on something read or heard, reason, cause, meaning, circumstances, situation, reason, pretext, motive, me, you, lord (hereditary title for imperial descendants in outlying regions)

## おり

opportunity, chance, occasion, time, folding, fold, pleat, crease, small food box (wooden or cardboard), folding in ... (two, three, etc.), counter for folded items, counter for items (esp. food) packed in an oribako, cage, pen, (jail) cell, I, me, weave, weaving, woven item, dregs, lees, grounds, sediment, corrupt official, giving up on winning a hand and discarding only safe tiles

## でしょ

it seems, I think, I guess, I wonder, right?, don't you agree?

## ござい

five punishments (of the ritsuryō system: light caning, severe caning, imprisonment, exile, death), five punishments (of ancient China: tattooing, cutting off the nose, cutting off a leg, castration or confinement, death)

## たち

mansion, palace, manor house, castle, nobleman, noblewoman, dignitary, cabin (on a boat, carriage, etc.), cutting, cut, nature (of a person), disposition, temperament, nature (of something), character, kind, sort, long sword (esp. the tachi, worn on the hip edge down by samurai), large sword, straight single-edged Japanese sword (from the mid-Heian period or earlier), guandao, Chinese glaive, pluralizing suffix (esp. for people and animals; formerly honorific), departure, setting off, start, being used up, being consumed, being burnt out, passage of time, lapse, rehearsal, leading male role in kabuki, rising from a crouch to charge, initial charge, faceoff, another place, great wisdom

## ところ

place, spot, scene, site, address, district, area, locality, one's house, point, aspect, side, facet, passage (in text), part, space, room, thing, matter, whereupon, as a result, about to, on the verge of, was just doing, was in the process of doing, have just done, just finished doing, Dioscorea tokoro (species of wild yam), old man living in the countryside

## できる

to be out of, to have no more at hand, to be able (in a position) to do, to be up to the task, to be ready, to be completed, to be made, to be built, to be good at, to be permitted (to do), to become intimate, to take up (with someone), to grow, to be raised, to become pregnant

## なかつ

## 思う

おもう, to think, to consider, to believe, to reckon, to think (of doing), to plan (to do), to judge, to assess, to regard, to imagine, to suppose, to dream, to expect, to look forward to, to feel, to be (in a state of mind), to desire, to want, to recall, to remember

## って

you said, he said, she said, they said, even if, do you seriously think that, I already told you, you should know by now that, of course, the said ..., said ..., says that ..., I hear that ..., as for the term ..., as for ...

## 前

さき, point, tip, end, nozzle, head (of a line), front, first, before, ahead (of), (the way) ahead, beyond, future, previous, prior, former, recent, last, destination, address, place where you do something, rest (e.g. of a story), continuation, remaining part, the other party, ぜん, last (i.e. immediately preceding), previous, ex-, former, pre- (e.g. premodern), before, before, earlier, まえ, in front (of), before (e.g. a building), before, earlier, previously, prior, ago, (minutes) to (the hour), (the) front, frontal part, fore, head (e.g. of a line), forward, ahead, (in the) presence (of), in front (of someone), previous (e.g. page), prior (e.g. engagement), first (e.g. half), former (e.g. example), portion, helping, front (of one's body or clothing), breast (of a coat, kimono, etc.), privates, private parts, criminal record, previous conviction, (a) prior

## せ

shallows, shoal, rapids, current, torrent, position, place, chance, opportunity, se (Japanese unit of area equal to 30 tsubo, approx. 99.174 m.sq.), back, reverse, rear side, back (e.g. of a chair), spine (of a book), height, stature, ridge (of a mountain), yes, all right, OK, okay, narrowness, being cramped, being almost full, so, really, seeming

## 第

だい, prefix for forming ordinal numbers

## たり

-ing and -ing (e.g. "coming and going"), doing such things as..., expresses a command, to be, indicates completion or continuation of an action

## ず

drawing, picture, diagram, figure, illustration, chart, graph, map, sight, scene, imprisonment (for 1-3 years; third most severe of the five ritsuryō punishments), s (pluralizing suffix), es, 's (possessive suffix), s', es', not doing, head

## 性

さが, one's nature, one's destiny, custom, tradition, habit, convention, せい, nature (of a person), sex, gender, sex (i.e. sexual attraction, activity, etc.), gender, -ty, -ity, -ness, -cy, しょう, nature, disposition, temperament, character, quality, that which does not change according to external influences, なりくせ, disposition, nature, character

## 思っ

## そして

and, and then, thus, and now, and finally

## けど

but, however, although

## どう

how, in what way, how about, motion, the same, the said, likewise, temple, shrine, chapel, hall, company, front room, trunk, torso, body, abdomen, waist, plastron (in kendo), touching the plastron (kimari-te in kendo), frame (of a drum, etc.), sound box (of a shamisen, etc.), hull (of a ship), dealer, copper (Cu), bronze (medal), road, path, street, route, way, set of practices, rules for conducting oneself, moral education, Buddhist teachings, Taoism, administrative region of Japan (Hokkaido), administrative region of Japan (Tokaido, Tosando, etc.), province (administrative region of Korea), circuit (administrative region of China), province (Tang-era administrative region of China), precisely, exactly, plumb, totally, very much, damn, stupid, cursed, whoa (command used to stop a horse, etc.), long-handled Chinese spear bearing a small flag, banner, hanging, sinus, cavity, antrum, neighborhood (administrative division in North Korea)

## 二

に, ふた, ふ, ふう, two, 2, アル, アール, two

## 情報

じょうほう, information, news, report, intelligence, information (data contained in characters, signals, code, etc.)

## 時間

じかん, time, hour, period, class, lesson

## 場合

ばあい, case, situation

## しかし

however, but, prostitute, harlot

## 会

え, gathering (esp. Buddhist, festive, etc.), かい, meeting, assembly, party, gathering, conference, athletic meet, society, association, club

## 必要

ひつよう, necessary, needed, essential, indispensable, necessity, need, requirement

## み

sea, ocean, waters, fruit, nut, seed, (in broth) pieces of meat, vegetable, etc., content, substance, one's body, one's person, oneself, one's appearance, one's place (in society, etc.), one's position, main part, meat (as opposed to bone, skin, etc.), wood (as opposed to bark), blade (as opposed to its handle), container (as opposed to its lid), water (esp. cool, fresh water, e.g. drinking water), fluid (esp. in an animal tissue), liquid, flood, floodwaters, water offered to wrestlers just prior to a bout, break granted to wrestlers engaged in a prolonged bout, the Snake (sixth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Serpent, hour of the Snake (around 10am, 9-11am, or 10am-12 noon), south-southeast, fourth month of the lunar calendar, three, 3, not yet, un-, looking, viewing, (please) try (to), -ness (as in sweetness), -th (as in warmth), -ness (as in deepness, weakness), -th (as in depth), alternating between ... and ..., (sense of) taste, counter for food, drink, medicine, etc., august, beautiful, soul, spirit, divine spirit, winnow, winnowing basket, winnowing fan

## 円

えん, yen (Japanese monetary unit), circle, まる, マル, circle, entirety, whole, full, complete, money, dough, moola, enclosure inside a castle's walls, soft-shelled turtle, suffix for ship names, suffix for names of people (esp. infants), suffix for names of swords, armour, musical instruments, etc., suffix for names of dogs, horses, etc.

## でし

pupil, disciple, adherent, follower, apprentice, young person, teacher's student-helper

## とき

regular (stops at every station) Jouetsu-line Shinkansen, meals exchanged by parishioners and priests, time, hour, moment, occasion, case, chance, opportunity, season, the times, the age, the day, tense, Japanese crested ibis (Nipponia nippon), crested ibis, battle cry, war cry

## コメント

comment

## 化

か, change to ..., becoming ..., making into ..., -ization, -ification

## 上

うえ, above, over, up, top, summit, upper part, head (e.g. of a staircase), surface, on (top of), the above (in a piece of writing), earlier part, superior, better, higher (position, rank, etc.), upper (class), elder, older, senior, with respect to ..., in terms of, as far as ... is concerned, when (e.g. drunk), besides ..., in addition to ..., on top of ..., as well as ..., after ..., upon ..., on ..., with (e.g. full awareness), as a result of ..., since ..., now that ..., because ..., honorable, venerable, dear, emperor, sovereign, shogun, daimyo, うわ, upper, upward, outer, surface, top, かみ, upper reaches (of a river), upper stream, top, upper part, upper half (of the body), long ago, beginning, first, person of high rank (e.g. the emperor), government, imperial court, imperial capital (i.e. Kyoto), capital region (i.e. Kansai), region (or direction of) the imperial palace, head (of a table), wife, mistress (of a restaurant), じょう, from the standpoint of, from the viewpoint of, with respect to, in terms of, as a matter of, in view of, so far as ... is concerned, on, above, on top of, aboard (a ship or vehicle), the best, top, first class, first grade, first volume (of a two or three-volume set), first book, with my compliments

## 事

こと, こん, thing, matter, incident, occurrence, event, something serious, trouble, crisis, circumstances, situation, state of affairs, work, business, affair, after an inflectable word, creates a noun phrase indicating something the speaker does not feel close to, nominalizing suffix, pretending to ..., playing make-believe ..., alias, also known as, otherwise known as, or, necessity, need, you should ..., I advise that you ..., it's important to ..., じ, individual concrete phenomenon (as opposed to a general principle), ごと, nominalizing suffix, pretending to ..., playing make-believe ...

## W

## 出

で, coming out, going out, outflow, efflux, rising (of the Sun or the Moon), attending (work), appearing (on stage), one's turn to go on, start, beginning, origins, background, person (or item) originating from ..., graduate of ..., native of ..., member of ... (lineage), architectural member that projects outward, highest point of the stern of a ship, amount (comprising something), amount of time or effort required to do something, しゅつ, coming out, emerging, being born into (a certain family), being a native of (a particular place)

## ご

five, 5, honorific/polite/humble prefix, honorific suffix, go (board game), word, language, speech, after, mistake, error, go, Wu (region in China, south of the lower Yangtze), Wu (kingdom in China during the Five Dynasties and Ten Kingdoms era; 902-937 CE), Southern Wu, Wu (kingdom in China during the Three Kingdoms era; 222-280 CE), Eastern Wu, Sun Wu, Wu (kingdom in China during the Spring and Autumn era; 11th century-473 BCE), company, group, class, troop, rank, file, time, moment, limit, time of death, last moment, midnight in red-light districts during the Edo period

## 話

はなし, talk, speech, chat, conversation, topic, subject, discussions, negotiation, argument, rumor, talk, hearsay, tale, story, fable, circumstances, particulars, わ, counter for stories, episodes of TV series, etc.

## ながら

while, during, as, while, although, though, despite, in spite of, notwithstanding, all, both, as (e.g. "as always", "as long ago"), in (e.g. "in tears"), while doing something else (at the same time)

## 本

もと, origin, source, base, basis, foundation, root, cause, ingredient, material, base, mix, stock, (someone's) side, (someone's) location, original cost (or capital, principal, etc.), (plant) root, (tree) trunk, first section of a waka, counter for blades of grass, tree trunks, etc., and for falcons (in falconry), handle (chopsticks, brush, etc.), grip, ほん, book, volume, script, this, present, current, ... in question, ... at issue, main, head, principal, real, genuine, regular, proper, counter for long, cylindrical things, counter for films, TV shows, etc., counter for goals, home runs, etc., counter for telephone calls

## す

to be, to do, sandbank, sandbar, vinegar, nest, rookery, breeding place, hive, den, haunt, (spider's) web, bamboo screen, rattan blind, bamboo mat (for rolling sushi), one's nature, one's feelings, oneself, plain, unadorned, undecorated, unadulterated, au naturel, mere, poor, exceedingly, to do, be, is, cavity (in old root vegetables, tofu, metal casting, etc.), pore, hollow, bubble, blowhole, porous, pithy, spongy, honorific (or familiar) suffix used after a name, mat (made of pieces of split bamboo or reeds tied together)

## じゃ

then, well, so, well then, snake, serpent, large snake, wickedness, evil, wicked person, be, is

## ここ

here, this place, this point, here, now, these past ... (e.g. three years), these last ..., the next ... (e.g. few days), these next ..., nine, 9, individual, one by one, separate, each, each house, every house, cry of a baby at birth

## 分

ぶん, minute (unit of time), fun (one tenth of a monme, 5.787 grains), ぶ, one-tenth, one percent (one-tenth of a wari), 3 mm (one-tenth of a sun), 2.4 mm (one-tenth of a mon, a traditional unit used to measure shoe sizes), 0.1 degree (one-tenth of a do, used to measure body temperature on any temperature scale), one-quarter of a ryō (obsolete unit of currency), thickness, advantageous circumstances, one-tenth of a monme of silver, ぶん, part, portion, share, amount, worth (as in "two days' worth"), enough (for), one's means, one's place, one's lot, one's social position, one's duty, one's part, condition, state (of affairs), extent, rate (as in "at this rate"), in proportion to, just as much as, to the same degree, content (e.g. alcohol), percentage, equivalent to (e.g. an old brother)

## 十

じゅう, とお, と, ten, 10, ten years of age, book containing a collection of poems, シー, ten

## 目

め, eye, eyeball, eyesight, sight, vision, look, stare, gaze, glance, notice, attention, observation, eyes (of the world, public, etc.), an experience, viewpoint, discrimination, discernment, judgement, eye (e.g. for quality), (an) appearance, chance (of success), possibility (of a good result), spacing (between crossed strands of a net, mesh, etc.), opening, stitch, texture, weave, grain (of wood), eye (of a storm, needle, etc.), intersection (on a go board), square (on a chessboard), dot (on a dice), pip, rolled number, graduation, division (of a scale), tooth (of a saw, comb, etc.), ordinal number suffix, somewhat, -ish, point (e.g. of change), もく, order, item (of a budget revision, etc.), counter for go pieces, counter for surrounded positions

## 感じ

かんじ, feeling, sense, impression

## いく

reverence, awe, fear, some, several, a few, many, how many, how much, very, so (much), to go, to move (towards), to head (towards), to leave (for), to move through, to travel across, to walk along (e.g. a road), to go (well, badly, etc.), to proceed, to turn out, to get along, to do (in a particular way), to go (with; a choice), to try, to pass (of time, seasons, etc.), to go by, to stream, to flow, to die, to pass away, to reach (a stage, extent, age, etc.), to get to, to go (so far as ...), to reach (of information, instructions, wind, etc.), to arrive, to continue ..., to go on ..., to (progress) steadily, to gradually ..., to progressively ..., to have an orgasm, to come, to cum, to trip, to get high, to have a drug-induced hallucination, vital, virile, lively, to live, to exist, to bring to life, to die, to pass away

## てる

to shine, to look slightly upward (of a noh mask; indicating joy, etc.), to be ...-ing, to have been ...-ing

## 言っ

## 今日

きょう, こんにち, こんち, こんじつ, today, this day, these days, recently, nowadays

## いっ

## 関係

かんけい, relation, relationship, connection, participation, involvement, concern, influence, effect, sexual relations, sexual relationship, related to, connected to

## 委員

いいん, committee member

## 後

あと, behind, rear, after, later, remainder, the rest, more (e.g. five more minutes), left, also, in addition, descendant, successor, heir, after one's death, past, previous, のち, later, afterwards, future, after one's death, descendant, うしろ, back, behind, rear, しり, buttocks, behind, rump, bottom, hips, undersurface, bottom, last place, end, consequence, ち, after

## かも

duck, easy mark, sucker, sitting duck, may, might, perhaps, may be, possibly, carpet, rug (esp. felt)

## 家

いえ, house, residence, dwelling, family, household, lineage, family name, うち, house, one's house, one's home, one's family, one's household, け, house, family, うち, inside, within, while (e.g. one is young), during, within (e.g. a day), in the course of, among, amongst, (out) of, between, in (secret, chaos, poverty, etc.), amidst, with (e.g. success), within oneself, one's feelings, inner thoughts, we, our company, our organization, one's home, one's family, my spouse, my husband, my wife, signed on behalf of (husband's name) by his wife, I, me, imperial palace grounds, emperor, や, shop, store, restaurant, someone who sells (something) or works as (something), someone with a (certain) personality trait, house, roof, か, -ist, -er, んち, 's house, 's home

## そういう

such, like that, that sort of

## 世界

せかい, the world, society, the universe, sphere, circle, world, world-renowned, world-famous, realm governed by one Buddha, space

## 気

き, spirit, mind, heart, nature, disposition, intention, mind, will, motivation, mood, feelings, consciousness, care, attention, consideration, worry, interest, (the) air, atmosphere, ambience, atmosphere (of), air (of), mood, fragrance, aroma, flavour, taste, qi (in traditional Chinese philosophy and medicine), chi, ki, げ, seeming, giving the appearance of, giving one the feeling of, ぎ, -like nature, -like disposition, -ish temperament, け, sign, indication, trace, touch, feeling, somehow, for some reason, seeming to be

## 点

ちよぼ, チヨボ, dot, point, mark, gidayū musicians (in kabuki), てん, dot, spot, point, speck, mark, mark (in an exam, etc.), grade, score, points, point (in a game), score, goal, run, point, point, aspect, matter, detail, part, respect, way, viewpoint, (punctuation) mark (e.g. comma, period, decimal point), dot, "dot" stroke (in a Chinese character), counter for points, marks, goals, etc., counter for goods, items, articles of clothing, works of art, etc., ぼち, ぼつ, dot, point, mark, tip, gratuity, a little, paltry, piddling, mere

## 万

ばん, completely, absolutely, totally, まん, よろず, 10,000, ten thousand, myriad, everything, all, various

## もう

already, yet, by now, now, (not) any more, (not) any longer, soon, shortly, before long, presently, further, more, again, another, the other, jeez, geez, gee, boy, come on, damn, seriously, ignorance, covering, concealing, Mongolia, greatly energetic, ferocious, extreme, severe, one-thousandth, 0.03 mm (one-thousandth of a sun), 0.01 percent (one-thousandth of a wari), 3.75 milligrams (one-thousandth of a monme), old monetary unit (0.0001 yen), network, blindness

## やっ

back, rear, background, backdrop, backing (up), going backwards, reversing, backing, support, backer, supporter, refunding, backstroke (swimming), backhand, doggy style (sexual position), bag

## バック

## 社会

しゃかい, society, public, community, the world, social studies

## 言う

いう, ゆう, to say, to utter, to declare, to name, to call, to go (e.g. "the alarm went ping"), to make a noise

## なけれ

## トラック

truck, lorry, (running) track, track (on a CD, record, etc.), track event

## によって

according to, by (means of), due to, because of

## 仕事

しごと, work, job, labor, labour, business, task, assignment, occupation, employment, work

## 同じ

おなじ, おんなじ, same, identical, equal, uniform, equivalent, similar, common (origin), changeless, alike, anyway, anyhow, in either case

## 数

しばしば, often, again and again, frequently, repeatedly, かず, number, amount, すう, several, a number of, quantity, amount, counting, figures, numbers, number, numeral, figure, number, destiny, fate, course of events, trend

## 記事

きじ, article, news story, report, account

## 行っ

## 彼

あれ, あ, アレ, that, that thing, that person, then, that time, that place (over there), down there (i.e. one's genitals), period, menses, かれ, he, him, boyfriend, かの, that well-known ...

## 大

おお, large, big, great, major, important, serious, heavy, loud, older, senior, final, ultimate, rough, broad, general, だい, large, big, great, huge, vast, major, important, serious, severe, great, prominent, eminent, distinguished, -sized, as big as, the size of, university, large (e.g. serving size), large option, long month (i.e. having 31 days), おおき, great, grand, large, greater (of equal court ranks), upper, senior, a great deal, very much, おおい, big, large, great, greater (of equal court ranks), upper, senior, たい, nth year in the Taishō era (1912.7.30-1926.12.25)

## 国

くに, country, state, region, national government, central government, home (i.e. hometown, home country), province (of Japan), land, earth

## べき

should, must, ought to, exponent, power

## られる

indicates passive voice (incl. the "suffering passive"), indicates the potential form, indicates spontaneous occurrence, used as an honorific for others' actions

## 等

など, et cetera, etc., and the like, and so forth, or something, the likes of, for example, for instance, for one, とう, class, order, rank, et cetera, etc., and the like, equal, iso-, ら, pluralizing suffix, or so, nominalizing suffix

## とか

and the like, such as, among other things, and so on, or something, something like, a (certain), I hear that ..., people say that..., rumour has it that ..., or something, something like, or whatever, crossing a river, in the capital, in Tokyo, Western Tokyo, areas of Tokyo outside the 23 wards, esp. the Tama area, going to Canada

## 回

かい, counter for occurrences, a time, an instance, inning (baseball), round, game, episode, chapter, instalment, Hui (people), Islam

## 三

さん, み, three, 3, サン, three

## 君

きみ, you, buddy, pal, monarch, ruler, sovereign, (one's) master, he, she, くん, Mr (junior), master, boy, ぎみ, suffix appended to someone else's family members, きんじ, you

## 法

のり, rule, law, regulation, model, pattern, teachings of Buddha, Buddhist doctrine, transverse measurement, measurement across, side-slope, slope, ほう, law, act, principle, method, mood, dharma, law

## 意味

いみ, meaning, significance, sense

## よく

greed, craving, desire, appetite, hunger, avarice, wants, wing, Chinese "Wings" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), counter for birds or bird wings, nicely, properly, well, skillfully, skilfully, frequently, often, I'm glad that you ..., thank you for ..., (you have) quite the nerve to, I don't know how you can ..., the following, next

## 力

ちから, force, strength, might, vigour, vigor, energy, capability, ability, proficiency, capacity, faculty, efficacy, effect, effort, endeavours, endeavors, exertions, power, authority, influence, good offices, agency, support, help, aid, assistance, stress, emphasis, means, resources, りき, strength, power, proficiency, ability, the strength of ... people, the strength of ... men, りよく, strength, power, proficiency, ability

## 以上

いじょう, not less than ..., ... and over, ... and above, ... and upwards, ... or more, beyond (e.g. one's expectations), above, more than, further than, the above, the above-mentioned, the aforementioned, the foregoing, since ..., seeing that ..., now that ..., once ..., that's all, that is the end, the end

## しまう

to finish, to stop, to end, to put an end to, to bring to a close, to close (a business, etc.), to close down, to shut down, to shut up, to put away, to put back, to keep, to store, to do completely, to finish, to do accidentally, to do without meaning to, to happen to do

## 会社

かいしゃ, company, corporation, workplace

## しまっ

## くる

to reel, to wind, to spin (thread), to turn (pages), to flip through (a book), to leaf through (a book), to consult (a dictionary), to refer to (an encyclopedia), to count (e.g. the days), to open one-by-one, to close one-by-one (e.g. shutters), to come (spatially or temporally), to approach, to arrive, to come back, to do ... and come back, to come to be, to become, to get, to grow, to continue, to come from, to be caused by, to derive from, to come to (e.g. "when it comes to spinach ..."), rickets, someone suffering from rickets, to gouge, to hollow out, to bore, to excavate, to scoop out, to greatly perturb, to cause emotional pain, to get to the bottom of things, to relentlessly bring the truth to light, pivot hinge (using extensions on the top and bottom of a door that fit into cavities in the frame), sliding wooden bolt (for holding a door or window shut), to give, to let one have, to do for one

## 持つ

## くれ

sunset, sundown, nightfall, dusk, end, close, year-end, end of the year

## ほど

extent, degree, measure, limit, bounds, (span of) time, (a) distance, the state of, the status of, the condition of, about, around, approximately, or so, as much as ..., to the extent of ..., like ..., the more ... the more ..., one's walking pace

## そんな

such, that sort of, that kind of, like that, no way!, never!

## 人間

にんげん, human being, human, person, man, mankind, humankind, character (of a person), じんかん, the world

## 多く

おおく, many, much, plenty, a lot, majority (of), greater part (of), mostly, mainly, chiefly, usually, often

## 来

らい, next (year, spring, etc.), coming, since (e.g. last month), for (e.g. 20 years)

## 現在

げんざい, the present, present time, now, as of, present tense, this world, this life, to actually exist, to exist right now, to exist right in front of one

## なん

difficulty, trouble, hardship, accident, disaster, danger, fault, defect, flaw, criticism, charge, blame, soft, son, what, how many, many, a lot of, several, a few, some

## 企業

きぎょう, enterprise, business, company, corporation

## 氏

うじ, family name, lineage, birth, clan, し, Mr, Mrs, Ms, Miss, clan, he, him, counter for people

## ください

please (give me), please (do for me)

## ちょっと

a little, a bit, slightly, just a minute, for a moment, briefly, somewhat, rather, fairly, pretty, quite, (not) easily, (not) readily, hey!, come on, excuse me, thanks, but no, not feasible, not possible

## 間

あいだ, あわい, space (between), gap, interval, distance, stretch, period of time (during, while), duration, interval, between (two parties or things), among (a group), relations (between), relationship, midpoint, average, halfway, middle ground, due to, because of, ま, time, pause, space, room, はざま, はさま, interval, space, interstice, threshold, valley, gorge, ravine, loophole (in a wall), crenel, eyelet, かん, interval, period of time, among, between, inter-, good opportunity, chance, estrangement, discord, alienation, spy, secret agent, けん, ken (6 shaku, approx. 1.818 m), counter used to number the gaps between pillars

## 可能

かのう, possible, potential, practicable, feasible

## 研究

けんきゅう, study, research, investigation

## 投稿

ところ, contribution (to a newspaper, magazine, etc.), submission, post (on a blog, social media, etc.)

## 他

ほか, other (place, thing, person), the rest, et al., outside, beyond, nothing except, nothing but, nothing apart from, nothing aside from, no choice (but to), besides..., in addition to..., た, other (esp. people and abstract matters)

## アメリカ

(United States of) America, United States, US, USA, America (land mass), the Americas

## しれ

## けれども

but, however, although

## リンク

link, linking, linkage, link (on a website), hyperlink, (golf) links, (ice) rink

## 今回

こんかい, this time, now

## 次

つぎ, next, following, subsequent, stage, station, じ, next, hypo- (i.e. containing an element with low valence), order, sequence, time, times

## ら

lightweight fabric or clothing, silk gauze, thin silk, pluralizing suffix, or so, nominalizing suffix, small spiral-shelled snail, spiral shellfish, Latin (language)

## いたし

## 言葉

ことば, けとば, language, dialect, word, phrase, expression, term, speech, (manner of) speaking, (use of) language, words, remark, statement, comment, learning to speak, language acquisition

## こういう

such, this sort of, like this

## 書い

## 僕

しもべ, servant, manservant, menial, ぼく, I, me, you, manservant, やつがね, I, me, やつこ, つぶね, やつこらま, slave, retainer, servant, captive, varlet, I, me

## しか

nothing but, except, no more than, historian, market price, current price, the teacher's home, furlough, leave of absence, dentistry, deer (esp. the sika deer, Cervus nippon), cervid, Japanese and Chinese poetry, poetry, poems, paper flower, decorative paper flower for a funeral, piece of paper given as a tip in a red-light district (that can later be exchanged for money), price of paper, private house, one's own house, price of silk thread, blemish, flaw, defect, like that, as such, yeah, uh-huh, head monk in charge of the administrative section of a zendo (Zen), poetization, poet

## 多い

おおい, many, numerous, a lot, large amount of, large quantity of, a lot, much, frequent, common

## 経済

けいざい, economy, economics, finance, (one's) finances, financial circumstances, being economical, economy, thrift

## あなた

you, dear, honey, beyond, across, the other side, the distance

## 手

て, hand, arm, forepaw, foreleg, handle, hand, worker, help, trouble, care, effort, means, way, trick, move, technique, workmanship, hand, handwriting, kind, type, sort, one's hands, one's possession, ability to cope, hand (of cards), direction, move (in go, shogi, etc.)

## そこ

there (place relatively near listener), there (place just mentioned), that place, then (of some incident just spoken of), that (of point just raised), you, bottom, sole

## あれ

that, that thing, that person, then, that time, that place (over there), down there (i.e. one's genitals), period, menses, I, me, oneself, you, prefix indicating familiarity or contempt, stormy weather, tempest, chaps (of skin), huh?, eh?, what?, oh, hey!, look!, listen!, help!

## による

by means of, due to, because of, according to, to resemble

## 最近

さいきん, recently, lately, these days, nowadays, right now, nearest, closest

## 結果

けっか, result, consequence, outcome, effect, as a result of ..., as a consequence of ..., after ..., following ..., bearing fruit, fruiting

## 度

たび, たんび, time (three times, each time, etc.), times, ど, degree (angle, temperature, scale, etc.), counter for occurrences, strength (of glasses), glasses prescription, alcohol content (percentage), alcohol by volume, extent, degree, limit, presence of mind, composure, ど, ド, どう, precisely, exactly, plumb, totally, very much, damn, stupid, cursed

## くらい

dark, gloomy, murky, depressed, dispirited, down in the dumps, dark (mood), dark (in colour), dull, ill-boding, dark (e.g. past), suspicious, unlikely (to succeed), hopeless, unpromising, unfamiliar (with), ignorant (of), approximately, about, around, or so, to (about) the extent that, (almost) enough that, so ... that ..., at least, as ... as ..., like, throne, crown, (nobleman's) seat, government position, court rank, social standing, rank, class, echelon, rung, grade (of quality, etc.), level, tier, rank, position of a figure (e.g. tens, thousands), digit, (decimal) place, degree, extent, amount

## 映画

えいが, movie, film, motion picture

## 先生

せんせい, teacher, instructor, master, sensei, one's elder, シーサン, man, boy, せんじょう, せんしょう, ぜんじょう, teacher, instructor, master, previous existence

## 生活

せいかつ, life, living, livelihood, (one's) living

## 金

かね, かな, money, metal, きん, gold (metal), gold (color), gold (medal), first place (prize), something of great value, something golden (e.g. silence), money, gold coin, sum (of money), Friday, karat (measure of purity of gold), carat, metal (fourth phase of Wu Xing), Jin dynasty (of China; 1115-1234), Chin dynasty, Jurchen dynasty, gold general, testicles, こがね, きがね, くがね, gold, gold coin, gold colour (color)

## 言わ

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## 時代

じだい, period, epoch, era, age, the times, those days, oldness, ancientness, antiquity, antique, period piece

## 政府

せいふ, government, administration, ministry

## 非常

ひじょう, emergency, extreme, great, extraordinary, remarkable, unusual, terrible, severe

## 御

ご, honorific/polite/humble prefix, honorific suffix, ぎょ, honorific affix, honorific prefix, み, august, beautiful, おおみ, おおん, おおむ, august (in ref. to the emperor or the gods), imperial, divine, お, おん, honorific/polite/humble prefix

## 店

みせ, store, shop, establishment, restaurant, てん, store, shop, restaurant, たな, merchant's home, rented home, store, shop

## 良い

よい, えい, good, excellent, fine, nice, pleasant, agreeable, sufficient, enough, ready, prepared, profitable (deal, business offer, etc.), beneficial, OK, all right, fine, no problem, easy to ...

## まだ

still, as yet, only, (not) yet, more, (more) still, at least, comparatively, relatively, unfinished, incomplete, not yet done

## において

in, on, at (place), as for, regarding

## 内容

ないよう, contents, content, substance, matter, detail, import

## 一つ

ひとつ, one, for one thing, only, (not) even, just (e.g. "just try it"), some kind of, one type of

## 心

こころ, mind, heart, spirit, the meaning of a phrase (riddle, etc.), しん, heart, mind, spirit, vitality, inner strength, bottom of one's heart, core (of one's character), nature, centre, center, core, heart, heart (organ), Chinese "Heart" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), friend

## 見る

みる, to see, to look, to watch, to view, to observe, to examine, to look over, to assess, to check, to judge, to look after, to attend to, to take care of, to keep an eye on, to experience, to meet with (misfortune, success, etc.), to try ..., to have a go at ..., to give ... a try, to see (that) ..., to find (that) ...

## 説明

せつめい, explanation, exposition, description, account, caption, legend

## せる

to compete, to bid, to sell at auction, to approach, to draw near, to be imminent, to press (someone for something), to urge, to compel,

## 写真

しゃしん, photograph, photo, picture, snapshot, snap, moving picture, movie

## ただ

ordinary, common, usual, free of charge, unaffected, as is, safe, only, merely, just, simply, but, however, nevertheless, straight, direct

## サイト

site (usu. website), sight, payable on sight

## 教育

きょういく, education, schooling, training, instruction, teaching, upbringing, culture, cultivation, education

## 女性

じょせい, によしょう, woman, female, feminine gender

## 子供

こども, child

## 方法

ほうほう, method, process, manner, way, means, technique

## に対して

にたいして, towards, against, regarding, in contrast with

## あるいは

or, either ... or, maybe, perhaps, possibly, some ... and others ..., sometimes ... and at other times ...

## 名

な, name, given name, title, fame, renown, reputation, pretext, pretense, justification, appearance, めい, counter for people (usu. seating, reservations and such), first name, famous, great, name, noun

## 利用

りよう, use, utilization, utilisation, application

## さらに

furthermore, again, after all, more and more, moreover, even more

## ブログ

blog, weblog

## 少し

すこし, a little, a bit, a small amount, a few, some, slightly, somewhat, a little while, a short time, a moment, a minute, a little way, a short distance

## 紹介

しょうかい, introduction, presentation, referral

## 技術

ぎじゆつ, technology, engineering, technique, skill, art, craft

## いろいろ

various, all sorts of, variety of, various colors (colours)

## なんて

how ...!, what ...!, what?, what's that?, things like, something like, someone like, such a thing as, (the fact) that, to think that

## 名前

なまえ, name, given name, first name

## 参加

さんか, participation, joining, entry

## 入っ

## 大きな

おおきな, big, large, great

## うち

house, one's house, one's home, one's family, one's household, inside, within, while (e.g. one is young), during, within (e.g. a day), in the course of, among, amongst, (out) of, between, in (secret, chaos, poverty, etc.), amidst, with (e.g. success), within oneself, one's feelings, inner thoughts, we, our company, our organization, one's home, one's family, my spouse, my husband, my wife, signed on behalf of (husband's name) by his wife, I, me, imperial palace grounds, emperor

## やはり

as expected, sure enough, just as one thought, after all (is said and done), in the end, as one would expect, in any case, too, also, as well, likewise, (not) either, still, as before, all the same, even so, still, nonetheless

## こ

sea cucumber (Holothuroidea spp.), counter for articles, counter for military units, individual, the late, the deceased, child, kid, teenager, youngster, young (non-adult) person, (one's) child, offspring, young woman, young (animal), offshoot, interest, new share, player who is not a dealer, young geisha, young prostitute, bird egg, -er (often of young women), flour, meal, powder, dust, counter for houses, households, apartments, etc., arc, dark (color), concentrated, thick, lake (in place names), small, little, slight, slightly less than, just about, somewhat, somehow, minor, petty, hu (ancient Chinese vessel shaped like a vase, usually used to store alcohol), barbarian tribes surrounding ancient China, doing, in such a state, doing together, doing to each other, contest, match, familiarizing suffix (sometimes meaning "small"), young (animal), being alone, solitude, loneliness, orphan, Shanghai (China)

## 受け

うけ, ウケ, popularity, favour, favor, reception, defense, defence, reputation, agreement, receiver of technique (e.g. in martial arts), bottom (submissive partner of a homosexual relationship)

## どの

Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., which, what (way)

## 好き

すき, liking, being fond of, to one's liking, to one's taste, preferred, favourite, liking (romantically), being in love with, beloved, faddism, eccentricity, as one likes, as it suits one, lecherous, lustful, salacious, ずき, love of, affection for, enthusiast for, lover of, fan, -phile, being attractive to, being liked by

## にとって

to, for, from the standpoint of, as far as ... is concerned

## 活動

かつどう, activity (of a person, organization, animal, volcano, etc.), action, movie (esp. during the silent movie period)

## 東京

とうきょう, とうけい, Tokyo

## どこ

where, what place, how much (long, far), what extent

## かなり

considerably, fairly, quite, rather, pretty

## こんな

this sort of, this kind of, like this, such

## 状況

じょうきょう, state of affairs, situation, conditions, circumstances

## 五

ご, いつ, い, five, 5, ウー, five

## に対する

にたいする, regarding, in, to, towards, with regards to

## 管理

かんり, control, management (e.g. of a business)

## 特に

とくに, particularly, especially, in particular, expressly

## 環境

かんきょう, environment, circumstance

## ページ

page, nth page, page ...

## のに

although, despite, even though, and yet, whereas, while, if only, I wish, in order to

## 地域

ちいき, area, region

## 本当に

ほんとうに, ほんとに, ホントに, ホントーに, ホントウに, really, truly

## いただき

crown (of head), summit (of mountain), spire, easy win for one, something received

## 使っ

## 実際

じっさい, reality, actuality, truth, fact, actual conditions, practice (as opposed to theory), truly, really, indeed, actually, bhutakoti (limit of reality)

## 中国

ちゅうごく, ちゅうこく, China, Chūgoku region (western part of Honshu comprising the prefectures of Okayama, Hiroshima, Yamaguchi, Tottori and Shimane), central part of a country, main region, province of the second lowest rank (ritsuryō system)

## 市

いち, market, fair, し, city

## 先

さっき, a short while ago, a moment ago, just now, some time ago, さき, point, tip, end, nozzle, head (of a line), front, first, before, ahead (of), (the way) ahead, beyond, future, previous, prior, former, recent, last, destination, address, place where you do something, rest (e.g. of a story), continuation, remaining part, the other party, せん, former, previous, old, first move (in go, shogi, etc.), opening move

## 聞い

## 誰

だれ, だあれ, たれ, た, who

## 個人

こじん, individual, private person, personal, private, natural person

## 意見

いけん, opinion, view, comment, scolding, reprimand, rebuke, admonition, cautioning, warning

## 状態

じょうたい, state, condition, situation, appearance, circumstances

## 歳

さい, ... years old, age (of) ..., とし, year, age, years, past one's prime, old age, とせ, counter for years (following a number in the hito-futami counting system)

## 大学

だいがく, university, college, former imperial university of Japan (established under the ritsuryō system for the training of government administrators), the Great Learning (one of the Four Books)

## 物

もの, もん, モノ, thing, object, article, stuff, substance, one's things, possessions, property, belongings, things, something, anything, everything, nothing, quality, reason, the way of things, used to emphasize emotion, judgment, etc., used to indicate a common occurrence in the past (after a verb in past tense), used to indicate a general tendency, used to indicate something that should happen, item classified as ..., item related to ..., work in the genre of ..., cause of ..., cause for ..., somehow, somewhat, for some reason, really, truly, ぶつ, ブツ, stock, products, stolen goods, loot, spoils

## 存在

そんざい, existence, being, presence

## 最後

さいご, end, conclusion, last, final, latest, most recent, no sooner than, once, right after (often having negative consequences), one's final moments

## しまい

sisters, end, close, finish, termination, noh dance in plain clothes

## 笑

わらい, laugh, laughter, smile, sneer, sex aids (e.g. dildos, pornographic books, erotic woodblock prints, etc.), わら, わらい, LOL, haha

## システム

system

## すべて

everything, all, the whole, entirely, completely, wholly, all

## 彼女

かのじょ, she, her, girlfriend

## 理解

りかい, understanding, comprehension, appreciation, sympathy

## 学校

がっこう, school

## 部分

ぶぶん, portion, section, part

## すれ

chafing, sore, scrape, scratch, mark, rub, rubbing together, blister

## とても

very, awfully, exceedingly, (not) at all, by no means, simply (cannot)

## 得

とく, profit, advantage, benefit, gain, rebirth in paradise, entering nirvana, う, to get, to acquire, to obtain, to procure, to earn, to win, to gain, to secure, to attain, to be possible

## 電話

でんわ, telephone call, phone call, telephone (device), phone

## 考える

かんがえる, to think (about, of), to think over, to ponder, to contemplate, to reflect (on), to meditate (on), to consider, to bear in mind, to allow for, to take into consideration, to think (that), to believe, to hold (a view), to judge, to conclude, to suspect, to intend (to do), to think of (doing), to plan, to predict, to anticipate, to expect, to imagine, to come up with, to think up, to contrive, to devise, to consider (as), to regard (as), to look on (as), to take, to view

## 用

よう, business, task, errand, engagement, use, purpose, for the use of ..., used for ..., made for ..., call of nature, excretion

## 行く

いく, ゆく, to go, to move (towards), to head (towards), to leave (for), to move through, to travel across, to walk along (e.g. a road), to go (well, badly, etc.), to proceed, to turn out, to get along, to do (in a particular way), to go (with; a choice), to try, to pass (of time, seasons, etc.), to go by, to stream, to flow, to die, to pass away, to reach (a stage, extent, age, etc.), to get to, to go (so far as ...), to reach (of information, instructions, wind, etc.), to arrive, to continue ..., to go on ..., to (progress) steadily, to gradually ..., to progressively ..., to have an orgasm, to come, to cum, to trip, to get high, to have a drug-induced hallucination

## 部

ぶ, department (in an organization, company, etc.), division, bureau, faculty, club (at a school, university, etc.), team, part, portion, region, area, category, class, division, section, heading, counter for copies of a newspaper, magazine, book, etc., べ, hereditary occupational group (Yamato period)

## 県

けん, prefecture (Japan), county (China, Taiwan, Norway, etc.), department (France), province (Italy, Spain, etc.), あがた, territory (pre-Taika: under the Yamato court; Heian: under a provincial governor, etc.), countryside

## 日記

にっき, diary, journal

## しよ

giving a gift (to a subordinate), charity, almsgiving, dispensation, ci (form of Chinese poetry)

## メール

email, mail (usu. in compound words), post, message (sent over a chat application), instant message, IM, (SMS) text, male

## 制度

せいど, system, institution, organization, organisation

## 使用

しょう, use, application, employment, utilization, utilisation

## 事業

じぎょう, ことわざ, project, enterprise, business, industry, operations, venture, service, act, deed, conduct

## ス

し, よん, よ, four, 4, スー, four

## 四

## いけ

pond, prefix used to strengthen a derogatory adjective

## 固定

こてい, fixing (in place), being fixed (in place), securing, anchoring, fastening down, fixing (e.g. salary, capital), keeping the same, fixation (histology), user name (on an online forum like 2ch where the majority of users post anonymously), user of an online handle (instead of posting anonymously)

## 調査

ちようさ, investigation, examination, inquiry, enquiry, survey

## 基本

きほん, basics, fundamentals, basis, foundation

## もちろん

of course, certainly, naturally

## 関連

かんれん, relation, connection, relevance

## 一般

いっばん, general, universal, ordinary, average, common, non-celebrity, the same, no different, (just) as if

## あと

behind, rear, after, later, remainder, the rest, more (e.g. five more minutes), left, also, in addition, descendant, successor, heir, after one's death, past, previous, trace, tracks, mark, sign, site, remains, ruins, scar

## 新しい

あたらしい, new, novel, fresh, recent, latest, up-to-date, modern

## 開発

かいはつ, かいほつ, development, exploitation (of resources)

## あの

that, those, the, say, well, um, er

## 音楽

おんがく, music

## 一番

いちばん, number one, first, first place, best, most, game, round, bout, as a test, as an experiment, by way of experiment, by way of trial, tentatively, song (e.g. in noh), piece, ひとつがい, pair, couple, brace

## 内

うち, inside, within, while (e.g. one is young), during, within (e.g. a day), in the course of, among, amongst, (out) of, between, in (secret, chaos, poverty, etc.), amidst, with (e.g. success), within oneself, one's feelings, inner thoughts, we, our company, our organization, one's home, one's family, my spouse, my husband, my wife, signed on behalf of (husband's name) by his wife, I, me, imperial palace grounds, emperor, ない, within ..., inside ...

## 作品

さくひん, work (e.g. book, film, composition, etc.), opus, performance, production

## 側

そば, そく, はた, near, close, beside, vicinity, proximity, besides, while, third person, がわ, かわ, side (of something, or taking someone's side), part, (watch) case, かたわら, side, edge, beside, besides, nearby, while (doing), in addition to, at the same time, そく, first principle of the Eight Principles of Yong, tiny dash or speck

## 重要

じゅうよう, important, momentous, essential, principal, major

## 出来

しゅったい, しゅつらい, occurrence, happening, taking place, completion, でき, workmanship, craftsmanship, execution, finish, grades, results, score, record, quality (e.g. of a crop), dealings, transactions

## 高い

たかい, high, tall, expensive, high-priced, high (level), above average (in degree, quality, etc.), loud, high-pitched, shrill

## 最初

さいしよ, beginning, outset, first, onset

## 様

ざま, mess, sorry state, plight, sad sight, -ways, -wards, in the act of ..., just as one is ..., manner of ..., way of ..., さま, Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., makes a word more polite (usu. in fixed expressions), state, situation, appearance, manner, よう, appearing ..., looking ..., way to ..., method of ...ing, form, style, design, like, similar to, thing (thought or spoken), ちゃま, Mr., Mrs., Ms., ためし, precedent, example

## 達

たち, pluralizing suffix (esp. for people and animals; formerly honorific), だち, ダチ, friend

## 国民

こくみん, people (of a country), nation, citizen, national, Democratic Party for the People, くにたみ, people of a country

## サービス

service, help, assistance, care, concern, discount, discounted item, free service, freebie, gift, service, utility, amenity, resource, (after-sales) service, servicing, (product) maintenance, service (e.g. in tennis), serve

## もっと

(some) more, even more, longer, further

## に関する

## 出し

だし, ダシ, dashi (Japanese soup stock made from fish and kelp), pretext, excuse, pretense (pretence), dupe, front man

## 長

たけ, たき, height, stature, length (esp. of clothing), all (one has), everything, magnificence (of a waka poem, etc.), ちょう, head, chief, leader, elder, merit, strong point, superiority, major, つかさ, office, official, chief, head, person (usually a woman) who officiates at religious ceremonies (on the Yaeyama Islands in Okinawa), おさ, head, chief, leader, the greatest (of all the ...), なが, long

## こちら

this way, this direction, here, this (one), I, me, we, us, this person

## 水

みず, み, water (esp. cool, fresh water, e.g. drinking water), fluid (esp. in an animal tissue), liquid, flood, floodwaters, water offered to wrestlers just prior to a bout, break granted to wrestlers engaged in a prolonged bout, すい, Wednesday, shaved ice (served with flavored syrup), water (fifth of the five elements)

## 事件

じけん, event, affair, incident, case, plot, trouble, scandal

## 形

かたち, よう, form, shape, figure, visage, かた, がた, shape, form, style, security, collateral, obverse of an old zeni coin, なり, style, way, shape, form, appearance, state, けい, form, tense, adjective, i-adjective (in Japanese)

## はず

should (be), bound (to be), expected (to be), must (be),nock (of a bow),nock (of an arrow),nock-shaped grip (between thumb and forefinger), wooden frame on the tip of the mast of a Japanese ship that prevents the hawser from falling out, purging croton (Croton tiglium)

## 下

した, below, down, under, younger (e.g. daughter), bottom, beneath, underneath, just after, right after, inferiority, one's inferior (i.e. one's junior), trade-in, preliminary, preparatory, もと, under (guidance, supervision, rules, the law, etc.), under (a flag, the sun, etc.), beneath, with (e.g. one blow), on (the promise, condition, assumption, etc. that ...), in (e.g. the name of), (someone's) side, (someone's) location, げ, lowness (of degree, value, etc.), inferiority, second volume (of two), third volume (of three), しも, lower reaches (of a river), bottom, lower part, lower half (of the body, esp. the privates), feces (faeces), urine, menses, end, far from the imperial palace (i.e. far from Kyoto, esp. of western Japan), dirty (e.g. dirty jokes, etc.), か, under (influence, control, conditions, etc. of), during (war, occupation, etc.)

## おる

to weave, to break, to fracture, to break off, to snap off, to pick (e.g. flowers), to fold, to bend, to make (origami), to interrupt, to end, to be (animate), to be, to exist, to be ..ing, to (have the audacity to) do

## 英語

えいご, English (language)

## ほとんど

almost, nearly, mostly, practically, virtually, basically, just about, all but, hardly, barely, scarcely, little, large majority, large proportion, greater part, most (of), almost all (of)

## ふう

two, 2, seal, method, manner, way, style, appearance, air, tendency, folk song (genre of the Shi Jing), wind (one of the five elements), Formosan sweetgum (Liquidambar formosana), phew, whew, huff, whoo, wohoo

## 場

ば, place, spot, space, field, discipline, sphere, realm, occasion, situation, scene (of a play, movie, etc.), session (of the stock market), field, table, area in which cards are laid out (in a card game), round (east, south, etc.), field, field, じょう, place, spot, grounds, arena, stadium, range, course

## らしい

seeming ..., appearing ..., -ish, like a ..., typical of ..., appropriate for ..., becoming of ..., worthy of the name ...

## 所

ところ, ところ, place, spot, scene, site, address, district, area, locality, one's house, point, aspect, side, facet, passage (in text), part, space, room, thing, matter, whereupon, as a result, about to, on the verge of, was just doing, was in the process of doing, have just done, just finished doing, しょ, counter for places

## まず

first (of all), firstly, to begin with, before anything else, probably, most likely, almost certainly, virtually, more or less (satisfactory), on the whole, reasonably, anyway, at any rate, for now (at least), for the time being, to mix, to stir, to blend

## 約

やく, approximately, about, promise, appointment, engagement, shortening, reduction, simplification, contraction (in phonetics)

## 読ん

## 新

しん, new, neo-, newness, novelty, Gregorian calendar, Xin dynasty (of China; 9-23 CE), Hsin dynasty, さら, あら, にい, new, unused, new, obvious, natural

## 質問

しつもん, question, inquiry, enquiry

## 男

おとこ, おっこ, man, male, fellow, guy, chap, bloke, male lover, boyfriend, man, manliness, manly honor, manly honour, manly reputation, おのこ, man, boy, お, male, manly, brave, heroic, larger (of the two), greater, man, husband, なん, son, だん, masculine noun, son, baron, man, male

## 主義

しゅぎ, doctrine, rule, principle, -ism

## ちゃん

suffix for familiar person, father

## 理由

りゆう, わけ, reason, pretext, motive

## 知ら

## 書

ふみ, letter, writings, しょ, book, document, calligraphy (esp. Chinese), penmanship, handwriting, letter, note

## 入れ

いれ, container, receptacle, case, bag, pouch, box, holder, inserting, putting in

## こう

in this way, thus, such, uh..., rice grasshopper (of genus *Oxya*), grasshopper, locust (of family Catantopidae), marquis, daimyo, season, weather, efficacy, benefit, efficiency, effect, result, success, filial piety, good luck, fortune, happiness, harvest, yield, 10<sup>32</sup>, hundred nonillion, manuscript, version, draft, steel, sword steel, sword, clause, paragraph, item, argument, term (of an equation), nape (of the neck), to love, public affair, government matter, the state, the government, the public, duke, prince, Sir, Lord, familiar or derogatory suffix, 7th in rank, seventh sign of the Chinese calendar, carapace, shell, 1st in rank, grade A, instep, back of hand, the A party (e.g. in a contract), the first party, plaintiff (label in legal documents), deep red, crimson, rouge, lipstick, kalpa (eon, aeon), ko, to beg, to ask, to request, to invite, to pray, to wish, Nationalist Government (of China; i.e. under the Kuomintang), provincial office (under the *ritsuryō* system), provincial capital, incense, anti-stork (esp. the Oriental stork, *Ciconia boyciana*), harbour, class, high, high school, large river (esp. the Yangtze), Lake Biwa, yao (line representing yin or yang that comprises one third of a trigram), Chinese "Neck" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), fish, counter for fish, director (highest of the four administrative positions of the *ritsuryō* system), chief, tribute, school, proof (of a book, document, etc.), counter for proofs, one-fifth of the night (approx. 2 hours), going, travelling, traveling, journey, trip, act, action, bank, counter for banks, counter for groups or parties of people, type of classical Chinese verse (usu. an epic from the Tang period onwards), shopping district (of similar merchants; in the Sui and Tang periods), merchants' guild (in the Tang period), mouth, speech, counter for people or implements, merit, success, meritorious deed, achievement, accumulated experience, (factory) worker, good, thought, report on one's investigation into ..., deceased father, pit (esp. of a mine), invasion, invader, hardness, death (of a nobleman, etc.), (Buddhist) lecture meeting, religious association, mutual assistance association (i.e. for financial assistance), cavity, child, interest, association, fellowship, change (of season, year, etc.), Hungary, skilfulness, skilfulness, cleverness, swan, bullseye, death by hanging (punishment in the *ritsuryō* system)

## 始め

はじめ, beginning, start, outset, opening, first (in line, etc.), origin, such as ..., not to mention ...

## 社

やしろ, (Shinto) shrine, しゃ, company, association, society, regional Chinese god of the earth (or a village built in its honour), counter for companies, shrines, etc.

## ン

some (at the start of a number in place of a digit)

## みる

to look after (often medically), to take care of, to see, to look, to watch, to view, to observe, to examine, to look over, to assess, to check, to judge, to look after, to attend to, to take care of, to keep an eye on, to experience, to meet with (misfortune, success, etc.), to try ..., to have a go at ..., to give ... a try, to see (that) ..., to find (that) ..., to examine (medically), stag seaweed (*Codium fragile*), green sea fingers, dead man's fingers, felty fingers, forked felt-alga, sponge seaweed, green sponge, green fleece, oyster thief, to go around

## お願い

おねがい, request, favour (to ask), wish, please

## 食べ

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## 政治

せいじ, politics, government

## 感

かん, feeling, sensation, emotion, admiration, impression, interjection

## 場所

ばしょ, place, location, spot, position, room, space, basho

## 労働

ろうどう, manual labor, manual labour, toil, work, Labour Party

## 相手

あいて, companion, partner, company, other party, addressee, opponent (sports, etc.)

## 声

こえ, voice, singing (of a bird), chirping (of an insect), hoot, voice, opinion (as expressed in words), view, wish, attitude, will, sound, sense (of something's arrival), feeling, voice, voiced sound, しょう, voice, sound, tone (of Chinese character), tone mark, stress (in pronunciation), intonation, accent

## 別

べつ, べち, distinction, difference, discrimination, separate, different, another, extra, exception, exclusion, classified by, ranked by, according to, わけ, lord (hereditary title for imperial descendants in outlying regions)

## 思わ

## 機能

きのう, function, facility, faculty, feature

## いつも

always, all the time, at all times, never, usual, regular, habitual, customary

## 国際

こくさい, international, diplomatic intercourse

## 計画

けいかく, plan, project, schedule, scheme, program, programme

## ばかり

only, merely, nothing but, no more than, approximately, about, just (finished, etc.), as if to, (as though) about to, indicates emphasis, always, constantly

## 億

おく,  $10^8$ , 100,000,000, hundred million

## 米

メートル, metre (unit of length), meter, meter, gauge, こめ, めめ, コメ, (husked grains of) rice, staple (product, etc.), necessity, べい, (United States of) America, USA, よね, 88 years old, rice

## 車

くるま, クルマ, car, automobile, vehicle, wheel, castor, caster, しゃ, car, vehicle

## 自身

じしん, (one's) self, oneself

## ほう

salary, information, news, report, reward, retribution, direction, way, side, area (in a particular direction), side (of an argument, etc.), one's part, type, category, field (of study, etc.), indicates one side of a comparison, way, method, manner, means, length (of each side of a square), law, act, principle, method, mood, dharma, law, gun, cannon, artillery, ordnance, feng (male Chinese firebird), point (of a sword, etc.), pointed verbal attack, round-necked robe worn by members of nobility and the imperial court, bract (leaf), peng (in Chinese mythology, giant bird said to transform from a fish), oh, ho, hoo (owl call), toot (sound of a flute), (I'm) shocked

## 系

けい, system, lineage, group, corollary, system (range of strata that correspond to a particular time period), (taxonomical) series

## 頃

ころ, ごろ, (approximate) time, around, about, toward, suitable time (or condition), time of year, season, けい, qing (Chinese unit of land area equal to 100 mu), ころおい, time, period, days

## 号

ごう, number, edition, make, model, issue, part of that group, sobriquet, pen-name, size (of printing types, canvases, knitting needles, etc.), suffix attached to names of ships, trains, airplanes, etc.

## における

in, at, on, as for, regarding, with regards to

## つまり

that is to say, that is, in other words, I mean, that (this, it) means, in short, in brief, to sum up, ultimately, in the end, in the long run, when all is said and done, what it all comes down to, when you get right down to it, basically, clogging, obstruction, stuffing, (degree of) blockage, shrinkage, end, conclusion, dead end, corner, distress, being at the end of one's rope

## 日本人

にほんじん, にっぽんじん, Japanese person

## 今後

こんご, from now on, hereafter

## 言え

## くれる

to give, to let (one) have, to give, to do for one, to take the trouble to do, to do to someone's disadvantage, to get dark, to grow dark, to end (of a day, year, season, etc.), to come to an end, to close, to be sunk in (e.g. despair), to be lost in (e.g. thought), to be overcome with

## まま

wet nurse, nursing mother, as (it is), remaining (in a state), keeping (the same), leaving (unchanged), with (e.g. one's eyes closed, the light on), while (e.g. standing, alive), as, as (one pleases, one is told, etc.), according to, sic, occasionally, now and then, sometimes, cooked rice

## 文化

ぶんか, culture, civilization, civilisation, Bunka era (1804.2.11-1818.4.22)

## いえ

house, residence, dwelling, family, household, lineage, family name, no, nay, well, er, why, you're welcome, not at all, don't mention it

## 体

からだ, body, torso, trunk, build, physique, frame, figure, health, constitution, corpse, dead body, たい, body, physique, posture, shape, form, style, substance, identity, reality, field, counter for humanoid forms (e.g. dolls, statues, corpses, etc.), typeface, type, てい, appearance, air, condition, state, form

## 違う

ちがう, to differ (from), to be different, to be distinct, to be unlike, to vary, to disagree (with), to be wrong, to be incorrect, to be mistaken, to become abnormal, to go wrong, isn't it?, wasn't it?, たがう, to differ, to be different, to run counter to, to change (into something out of the ordinary)

## 大変

たいへん, very, greatly, terribly, awfully, immense, enormous, great, serious, grave, dreadful, terrible, difficult, hard, challenging, major incident, disaster

## ましょ

I'll, let's, probably, location where a magical being resides, cursed place where disaster after disaster occurs

## 彼ら

かれら, they, them, あれら, those, they, they (of people)

## 評価

ひょうか, valuation, appraisal, evaluation, assessment, estimation, rating, judging, appreciation, recognition, acknowledgement, rating highly, praising

## 百

ひゃく, はく, hundred, 100, もも, hundred, 100, (a great) many

## 対応

たいおう, correspondence (to), equivalence, suitability, coordination, matching, being appropriate (for), dealing with, coping with, handling, response, reception, reaction, compatibility (with technology, software, etc.), capability, support (for)

## あまり

remainder, remnant, rest, balance, surplus, remains (of a meal), leftovers, (not) very, (not) much, too much, excessively, overly, extreme, great, severe, tremendous, terrible, more than, over

## 権

けん, right (to do something), authority, power

## 頭

とう, counter for large animals (e.g. head of cattle), counter for insects in a collection, counter for helmets, masks, etc., あたま, かしら, head, hair (on one's head), mind, brains, intellect, leader, chief, boss, captain, top, tip, beginning, start, head, person, down payment, deposit, top structural component of a kanji, pair, がしら, top of ..., head of ..., the moment that ..., どたま, ドタマ, head, dome, bean, nob, noggin, かぶし, shape of one's head, こうべ, head, ず, head, かぶり, head, つむり, head, つむ, head

## 子

こ, child, kid, teenager, youngster, young (non-adult) person, (one's) child, offspring, young woman, young (animal), offshoot, interest, new share, player who is not a dealer, young geisha, young prostitute, bird egg, -er (often of young women), ね, the Rat (first sign of the Chinese zodiac), hour of the Rat (around midnight, 11pm to 1am, or 12 midnight to 2am), north, eleventh month of the lunar calendar, み, fruit, nut, seed, (in broth) pieces of meat, vegetable, etc., content, substance, し, child (esp. a boy), viscount, founder of a school of thought (esp. Confucius), master, masters and philosophers (categorization of Chinese classical literature), you, -er (i.e. man who spends all his time doing...), す, honorific (or familiar) suffix used after a name, こう, child, interest

## かけ

credit, money owed on an account, bill, hanger, holder, rest, rack, peg, hook, stand, in the process of (doing), midway through, half-(done), on the verge of, just about to, hot noodles in broth, wholesale price as a proportion of the list price (in tenths), chicken (Gallus gallus domesticus), domestic chicken, chicken meat, fragment, splinter, wane (of the Moon), bet, wager, stake, gamble, canter, gallop

## 自由

じゆう, freedom, liberty

## 知っ

## 昨日

きのう, さくじつ, yesterday

## 行わ

## みたい

-like, sort of, similar to, resembling

## すぐ

immediately, at once, right away, directly, soon, before long, shortly, easily, readily, without difficulty, right (near), nearby, just (handy), honest, upright, frank, straightforward, to pass through, to pass by, to go beyond, to pass (of time), to elapse, to have expired, to have ended, to be over, to exceed, to surpass, to be above

## これから

from now on, after this, in the future, in future, from here, from this point

## 歴史

れきし, history

## 全体

ぜんたい, whole, entirety, to begin with, in the first place, ... the heck (e.g. "what the heck?"), ... in the world (e.g. "why in the world?"), ... on earth (e.g. "who on earth?")

## 気持ち

きもち, feeling, sensation, mood, state of mind, preparedness, readiness, attitude, thought, sentiment, consideration, solicitude, gratitude, slightly, a bit, a little

## 報告

ほうこく, report, information

## 程度

ていど, degree, amount, grade, standard, of the order of (following a number), about, approximately

## 元

もと, origin, source, base, basis, foundation, root, cause, ingredient, material, base, mix, stock, (someone's) side, (someone's) location, original cost (or capital, principal, etc.), (plant) root, (tree) trunk, first section of a waka, counter for blades of grass, tree trunks, etc., and for falcons (in falconry), handle (chopsticks, brush, etc.), grip, げん, unknown (e.g. in an equation), element (of a set), yuan (monetary unit of China), New Taiwan dollar, Yuan dynasty (of China; 1271-1368), Yuan dynasty, Mongol dynasty, もと, former, ex-, past, one-time, earlier times, the past, previous state, formerly, previously, originally, before, ユアン, yuan (monetary unit of China)

## 人々

ひとびと, people, men and women, each person, everybody, にんにん, each person, everybody

## 言い

## 予定

よてい, plans, arrangement, schedule, program, programme, expectation, estimate

## 代表

だいひょう, representation, representative, delegate, delegation, exemplification, typification, being representative of, being typical of, representative example, exemplar, model, leader, switchboard number, main number

## あろ

## その後

そのあと, そのご, そののち, after that, afterwards, thereafter

## 経験

けいけん, experience

## 型

かた, がた, type, style, model, pattern, mold, mould, model, pattern, template, impression, kata (set sequence of positions and movements in martial arts), style (in kabuki, noh, etc.), form, convention, tradition, (standard) form, formula, usage, (set) size, inches (in sizes of displays, disks, image sensors, etc.), (taxonomical) form

## 員

いん, member

## ネット

network, Internet, net (hair, netball, etc.), net (price, weight, etc.), nett

## 以外

いがい, with the exception of, excepting, excluding

## なあ

don't, do, hey, listen, look, say, now, ..., well, ..., I tell you!, you know, wow, ooh, right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?

## よい

evening, early night hours, implied meaning, good, excellent, fine, nice, pleasant, agreeable, sufficient, enough, ready, prepared, profitable (deal, business offer, etc.), beneficial, OK, all right, fine, no problem, easy to ..., drunkenness, intoxication, motion sickness, travel sickness

## 今年

ことし, こんねん, this year

## 価格

かかく, price, value, cost

## 投資

とうし, investment

## 経営

けいえい, management, administration, operation, running (a business), conducting

## ニュース

news

## 見え

みえ, show, display, pretensions, appearances, ostentation, vanity, pose, posture

## いき

court rank diploma, spirit, heart, disposition, chic, smart, stylish, tasteful, refined, sophisticated, understanding, considerate, thoughtful, sensible, familiar with worldly pleasures (esp. sexual relations, geisha districts and red-light districts), living, being alive, freshness, liveliness, vitality, situation in which a group of stones cannot be captured because it contains two or more gaps, stet (proofreading), leave as-is, damned, breath, breathing, tone, mood, the way there, outbound leg, outbound trip, departing leg, bound for ..., outbound ticket, abandonment, desertion, region, limits, stage, level, threshold, limen, transfer to the records, transcription to a special document, waiving (a right), waiver, renunciation, abandonment, desertion, Iki (former province located on Iki Island in present-day Nagasaki Prefecture), Iki (island)

## それぞれ

each, respectively

## 自然

しぜん, nature, natural, spontaneous, automatic, naturally, spontaneously, automatically, じねん, occurring naturally (without human influence)

## 商品

しょうひん, commodity, article of commerce, goods, stock, merchandise

## なかなか

very, considerably, easily, readily, fairly, quite, highly, rather, by no means, not readily, middle, half-way point, excellent, wonderful, very good

## 発表

はっぴょう, announcement, publication, presenting, statement, communique, making known, breaking (news story), expressing (one's opinion), releasing, unveiling

## 目的

もくてき, purpose, goal, aim, objective, intention

## 影響

えいきょう, influence, effect, impact

## 地方

ちほう, district, region, area, locality, the country, countryside, the provinces, rural area, civilian society, じかた, person in charge of music (in a Japanese dance performance), person singing ballads (in noh), coast (esp. as seen from the water), shore, the country, countryside, the provinces, rural area

## だから

so, therefore, accordingly, consequently, on those grounds, that is why, for that reason, like I said, I told you already

## テレビ

television, TV, TV program, TV programme, TV broadcast

## 一緒

いっしょ, together, at the same time, same, identical

## 面

おもて, おも, も, もて, face, surface, mask (esp. a noh or kyogen mask), つら, ツラ, face, mug, surface, cheek meat, cheek, cheeks, surrounding area, めん, face, mask, face guard, striking the head (in kendo), surface (esp. a geometrical surface), page, aspect, facet, side, chamfer, counter for broad, flat objects, levels or stages, e.g. in a video game, づら, ツラ, looking like a ..., acting as if a ...

## 顔

かお, がん, face, visage, look, expression, countenance, honor, honour, face, influence, notoriety, かんばせ, countenance, visage, face, honor (honour), dignity

## 選手

せんしゆ, player (of a sport), athlete, team member

## 無い

ない, nonexistent, not being (there), unowned, not had, unpossessed, unique, not, impossible, won't happen, not, to not be, to have not

## 道

みち, road, path, street, lane, passage, route, way, distance, journey, road (e.g. to victory), course, way (of living, proper conduct, etc.), moral principles, teachings (esp. Confucian or Buddhist), dogma, field (e.g. of medicine), subject, speciality, means, way, method, どう, road, path, street, route, way, set of practices, rules for conducting oneself, moral education, Buddhist teachings, Taoism, administrative region of Japan (Hokkaido), administrative region of Japan (Tokaido, Tosando, etc.), province (administrative region of Korea), circuit (administrative region of China), province (Tang-era administrative region of China), ち, ち, way, road, way to ..., road to ...

## けれど

but, however, although

## みんな

everyone, everybody, all, everything, all

## 子ども

こども, child

## 実は

じつは, as a matter of fact, by the way, to tell you the truth, to be honest, frankly

## 確か

たしか, sure, certain, positive, definite, reliable, trustworthy, safe, sound, firm, accurate, correct, exact, If I'm not mistaken, If I remember correctly, If I remember rightly

## 違い

ちがい, difference, distinction, discrepancy, mistake, error

## 千

せん, ち, 1,000, thousand

## 確認

かくにん, confirmation, verification, validation, review, check, affirmation, identification

## ありがとう

thank you, thanks

## 下さい

ください, please (give me), please (do for me)

## 夜

よる, よ, evening, night, dinner, や, counter for nights

## 例えば

たとえば, for example, for instance, e.g.

## 中心

ちゅうしん, center, centre, middle, heart, core, focus, pivot, emphasis, balance, -centered, -centred, -focused, -oriented, centered on, focused on, なかご, core, tang (of a sword, etc.), middle of a nest of boxes

## 提供

ていきょう, offer, tender, providing, supplying, making available, donating (blood, organs, etc.), sponsoring (a TV program)

## 地

ち, earth, ground, land, soil, place, territory, bottom (of a package, book, etc.), earth (one of the five elements), つち, つし, earth, soil, dirt, clay, mud, the earth (historically, esp. as opposed to the heavens), the ground, the land, low-quality torinoko-gami (containing mud), (period of) refraining from construction in the direction of the god of the earth (in Onmyōdō), じ, ground, land, earth, soil, the region in question, the local area, skin, texture, fabric, material, weave, base, background, one's true nature, narrative (i.e. descriptive part of a story), real life, actuality, captured territory, noh chorus, accompaniment music (in Japanese dance), basic phrase (in Japanese music; usu. repetitive), base part (of multiple shamisens)

## 学

がく, learning, scholarship, study, erudition, knowledge, education, study of ..., -ology, -ics

## つけ

bill, bill of sale, payment invoice, tab (for later payment), credit, contact move, direct attack to an enemy stone, sound effect produced by striking with clappers a wooden board in kabuki, letter, reason, motive, pretext, one's fortune, one's luck

## たく

table, desk, counter for tables, desks, etc., offering table before an altar (sometimes used in tea ceremony), tabletop incense burner, house, home, one's house, one's home, one's husband, to cook (grains, e.g. rice), to boil, to simmer, to stew, to seethe, to get angry, to snap, to burn, to kindle, to light (a fire), to make (a fire), to heat (a bath), to light (a stove), to stoke (a boiler), to use (a camera flash), wooden clappers (signalling the beginning or end of a performance), paper mulberry, duo (ancient Chinese bell with a clapper and a long handle), large wind bell, to burn (usu. incense), counter for choices, options, etc., eighth principle of the Eight Principles of Yong, stroke that falls rightwards and fattens at the bottom, seventh principle of the Eight Principles of Yong, stroke that falls leftwards with slight curve, blessing, grace, favour, favor, benefit

## 簡単

かんたん, simple, easy, uncomplicated, brief, quick, light

## 当然

とうぜん, natural, right, proper, just, reasonable, appropriate, deserved, naturally, as a matter of course, rightly, deservedly, justly, of course

## 市場

いちば, (town) market, (street) market, marketplace, しじょう, market (financial, stock, domestic, etc.), marketplace, exchange, (street) market

## なぜ

why, how

## 朝

あさ, あした, morning, breakfast, next morning, ちょう, dynasty, reign, period, epoch, age, court, North Korea

## 以下

いか, いげ, not exceeding ..., not more than ..., ... and under, ... and below, ... or fewer, below (a standard, level, etc.), under, beneath, less than, the following, the below-mentioned, the rest, followed by ..., including ..., ... and other (employees, officials, etc.)

## 音

おと, ね, おん, sound, noise, report, note, fame, Chinese-derived character reading

## 事実

じじつ, fact, truth, reality

## 版

はん, ばん, edition, version, printing, impression, implementation (of software), plate, block, cast, counter for editions of a publication

## 責任

せきにん, duty, responsibility (incl. supervision of staff), liability, onus

## 作っ

ろく, む, むう, six, 6, リュー, リイウ,  
リウ, six

## 通り

とおり, avenue, street, way, road,  
coming and going, street traffic,  
flow (of water, air, etc.),  
transmission (of sound), reach (e.g.  
of voice), fame, reputation,  
popularity, the same status or way,  
as (e.g. as expected, as I said),  
understanding, comprehension,  
counter for sets of things, counter  
for methods, ways, types, とおり, in  
accordance with, following, roughly,  
about, Street, Avenue

## ゲーム

game

## 議論

ぎろん, argument, discussion,  
dispute, controversy

## これら

these

## 続け

いぜん, ago, since, before, previous

## 位

くらい, throne, crown, (nobleman's)  
seat, government position, court  
rank, social standing, rank, class,  
echelon, rung, grade (of quality,  
etc.), level, tier, rank, position of a  
figure (e.g. tens, thousands), digit,  
(decimal) place, degree, extent,  
amount, い, rank, place (e.g. first  
place), decimal place, counter for  
ghosts

## データ

data, datum

## 買っ

## 判断

はんだん, judgment, judgement,  
decision, conclusion, adjudication,  
divination, judgement

## 例

れい, custom, practice, habit, usual,  
said, aforementioned, instance,  
example, case, illustration, usage,  
precedent, ためし, precedent,  
example

## ぬ

plain, field, hidden (structural)  
member, wild, lacking a political  
post, not, indicates completion, to  
lie down, to go to bed, to go to  
sleep

## 専門

せんもん, speciality, specialty,  
subject of study, expert, area of  
expertise

## 家族

かぞく, family

## やる

to do, to undertake, to perform, to  
play (a game), to study, to send, to  
dispatch, to despatch, to put, to  
move, to turn (one's head, glance,  
etc.), to give (esp. to someone of  
equal or lower status), to let have,  
to present, to bestow, to confer, to  
make (a vehicle) go faster, to run (a  
business), to keep, to be engaged  
in, to practice (law, medicine, etc.),  
to practise, to have (food, drink,  
etc.), to eat, to drink, to smoke, to  
hold (a performance), to perform, to  
show, to ease (one's mind), to  
harm, to injure, to kill, to have sex,  
to fuck, to bang, to live, to get by,  
to get along, to do ... completely, to  
do ... broadly, to do ... to a great  
distance, to do ... for (someone of  
equal or lower status), to do ... to,  
to make active efforts to ..., to do  
someone in, to bump someone off,  
to perform, to play, to act, to have  
sex, to fuck, to bang

## 向け

むけ, intended for ..., oriented  
towards ..., aimed at ...

## 悪い

わるい, bad, poor, undesirable, poor  
(quality), inferior, insufficient, evil,  
sinful, ugly, not beautiful, at fault, to  
blame, in the wrong, bad (at doing  
something), unprofitable,  
unbeneficial, sorry, (my) bad,  
unforgivable, にくい, hateful,  
abominable, poor-looking,  
detestable, amazing, fantastic,  
admirable, lovely, wonderful, にくい,  
がたい, difficult to ..., hard to ...

## しかも

moreover, furthermore,  
nevertheless, and yet

## 初めて

はじめて, for the first time, only after  
... is it ..., only when ... do you ...,  
not until ... do you ..., first time,  
(one's) first

## 勉強

べんきょう, study, diligence, working  
hard, experience, lesson (for the  
future), discount, price reduction

## いま

living room (Western style), sitting  
room, now, the present time, just  
now, soon, immediately, another,  
more

## 期待

きたい, expectation, anticipation,  
hope, promising, rising, up-and-  
coming

## そこで

so, accordingly, now, then, thereupon, therefore

## 全く

まったく, really, truly, entirely, completely, wholly, perfectly, indeed, good grief

## 教え

おしえ, teaching, instruction, teachings, precept, lesson, doctrine

## 韓国

かんこく, South Korea, Republic of Korea, Korean Empire (1897-1910), からくに, China, Korea

## 外

そと, と, outside, exterior, the open (air), other place, somewhere else, outside one's group (family, company, etc.), ほか, other (place, thing, person), the rest, et al., outside, beyond, nothing except, nothing but, nothing apart from, nothing aside from, no choice (but to), besides..., in addition to..., よそ, another place, somewhere else, strange parts, outside (one's family or group), someone else, other people, not caring for, being indifferent to, taking little notice of, ignoring, neglecting, がい, outside ..., beyond ..., not included in ...

## たくさん

a lot, lots, plenty, many, a large number, much, a great deal, a good deal, enough, sufficient, enough, too many, too much

## 効果

こうか, effect, effectiveness, efficacy, result, effects (e.g. sound effects, visual effects, special effects)

## 検討

けんとう, consideration, examination, investigation, study, scrutiny, discussion, analysis, review

## つ

saliva, spit, sputum, counter for the hito-futa-mi counting system (forming hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu, and misoji, yasoji, etc.), indicates two contrasting actions, indicates possessive (often found in place names and compound words), Tsu (city in Mie), harbour, harbor, port, ferry

## 各

かく, each, every, all, おのおの, each, you (plural)

## 普通

ふつう, normal, ordinary, regular, usual, common, average, normally, ordinarily, usually, generally, commonly, local train, train that stops at every station

## 組織

そしき, そしょく, organization, organisation, formation, structure, construction, setup, constitution, system (e.g. railroad, transport, party, etc.), tissue, texture (of a rock), weave (of a fabric)

## 政策

せいさく, political measures, policy

## わから

## 町

まち, town, block, neighbourhood, neighborhood, downtown, main street, street, road, ちょう, town, block, neighbourhood, neighborhood, street, chō (unit of length, approx. 109.09 m), chō (unit of land area, approx. 0.99 hectares)

## 行動

こうどう, action, conduct, behaviour, behavior, mobilization, mobilisation

## 年間

ねんかん, (period of) a year, during the era (of)

## こそ

it is ... that ..., precisely, in particular, definitely, for sure, only (when, after, because, etc.), although, while, it is the case that ... but, it is precisely because ... that ..., only because ..., not at all, not in the slightest, absolutely not, never, kouso (African flowering plant, Hagenia abyssinica), kosso, cusso, koso, brayera

## 率

りつ, rate, ratio, proportion, percentage

## 当時

とうじ, at that time, in those days

## 学生

がくせい, student (esp. a university student), がくしょう, がくそう, Heian-period student of government administration, Buddhist scholar, researcher at a Buddhist temple, person studying Buddhism, learning, scholarship

## 海

うみ, み, わた, わだ, sea, ocean, waters

## 持つ

もつ, to hold (in one's hand), to take, to carry, to possess, to have, to own, to maintain, to keep, to last, to be durable, to keep, to survive, to take charge of, to be in charge of, to hold (meeting, etc.), to have (opportunity, etc.), to have "it", to have that special something, to be blessed with good luck

## 販売

はんばい, ハンバイ, sales, selling, marketing

## どんな

what kind of, what sort of, what, no matter what (kind of), whatever, any, all

## つい

just (now), quite (near), unintentionally, subconsciously, by mistake, against one's better judgement (judgment), pair, couple, set, antithesis, counter for items that come in pairs, counter for sets (of clothes, small furniture, utensils, etc.), end, final, end of life, death, never, not at all

## つつ

while, even though, despite, pipe, tube, cylinder, gun barrel, gun, cannon, well lining, well curb, any bird of family Motacillidae (excluding the pipits), wagtail, longclaw

## 購入

こうにゅう, purchase, buy

## 科学

かがく, science

## 及び

および, and, as well as

## 監督

かんとく, supervision, control, superintendence, direction, director, superintendent, supervisor, coach, foreman, manager, overseer, controller, boss

## 意識

いしき, consciousness, becoming aware (of), awareness, sense, mano-vijnana (mental consciousness, cognizer of sensory information)

## 高

たか, だか, quantity, amount, volume, number, amount of money, こう, high, high school

## わ

I, me, oneself, you, prefix indicating familiarity or contempt, ring, circle, loop, hoop, wheel, circle (e.g. of friends), planetary ring, sum, harmony, peace, Japan, Japanese-style, counter for birds, rabbits, etc., counter for bundles, indicates emotion or admiration, indicates emphasis, I, me, wah!, boo!, counter for stories, episodes of TV series, etc.

## 九

きゅう, く, ここの, この, ここ, nine, 9, チュー, nine

## る

exile (second most severe of the five ritsuryō punishments), verb-forming suffix

## とも

companion, follower, attendant, retinue, friend, companion, comrade, pal, accompaniment, companion (e.g. book), complement, accessory, stern, together with, same, both, all, neither, none, including ..., certainly, of course, to be sure, surely, even if, no matter (who, what, when, where, why, how), though, although, without even, without so much as, at the (least, earliest, etc.), also (called), also as, well, archer's left-wrist protector

## のみ

only, nothing but, flea, chisel, drink, drinking, spigot, tap (in a cask, etc.), stock market bucketing, bookmaking

## 生産

せいざん, production, manufacture, せいざん, live birth

## 表現

ひょうげん, expression, representation, description, representation (of a group)

## 戦争

せんそう, war, fighting, fierce competition

## 参考

さんこう, reference, consultation

## ひとつ

one, for one thing, only, (not) even, just (e.g. "just try it"), some kind of, one type of

## その他

そのほか, そのた, the rest, the others, in addition (to that), besides that, other than that, and other ..., and so forth, and the like, and what have you, et cetera

## 決定

けつてい, decision, determination

## まあ

just (e.g. "just wait here"), come now, now, now, tolerably, passably, moderately, reasonably, fairly, rather, somewhat, well..., I think..., it would seem..., you might say..., Hmmm, I guess so..., oh!, oh dear!, oh, my!, wow!, goodness gracious!, good heavens!

## ぐらい

approximately, about, around, or so, to (about) the extent that, (almost) enough that, so ... that ..., at least, as ... as ..., like

## 曲

きょく, composition, piece of music, song, track (on a record), tune, melody, air, enjoyment, fun, interest, pleasure, くま, corner, nook, recess, shade, shadow, dark area, dark circles (under the eyes), dark rings, shading, gradation, kumadori, まが, wickedness, evil, calamity, disaster, くせ, クセ, long segment of a noh play forming its musical highlight, wrong, improper, indecent

## 同

どう, the same, the said, likewise

## ク

## やっぱり

as expected, sure enough, just as one thought, after all (is said and done), in the end, as one would expect, in any case, too, also, as well, likewise, (not) either, still, as before, all the same, even so, still, nonetheless

## 法律

ほうりつ, law

## あ

that, that thing, that person, then, that time, that place (over there), down there (i.e. one's genitals), period, menses, muteness, speech impairment, mute, deaf-mute, I, me, oneself, you, prefix indicating familiarity or contempt, sub-, second-rate, inferior, -ous (indicating a low oxidation state), -ite, Asia, Argentina, Arabia, America, American person, ah, oh, hey!, first Sanskrit alphabet letter, Africa, Awa (old province of Japan), prefixed to names to show intimacy

## 機関

からくり, mechanism, machinery, contrivance, device, trick, dodge, mechanical doll, string puppet, きかん, engine, agency, organisation, organization, institution, organ, body, system, facility, facilities

## 申し上げ

## 大きく

おおきく, in a big way, on a grand scale

## すぎ

past, after, too (much), over- (e.g. eating), Japanese cedar (Cryptomeria japonica), cobia (Rachycentron canadum), sergeant fish

## 行き

いき, ゆき, the way there, outbound leg, outbound trip, departing leg, bound for ..., outbound ticket

## 行う

おこなう, to perform, to do, to conduct oneself, to carry out

## ビジネス

business

## さて

well, now, then

## 対象

たいしょう, target, object (of worship, study, etc.), subject (of taxation, etc.)

## チーム

team

## 現実

げんじつ, reality, actuality, hard fact

## 読む

よむ, to read, to recite (e.g. a sutra), to chant, to predict, to guess, to forecast, to read (someone's thoughts), to see (e.g. into someone's heart), to divine, to decipher, to count, to estimate, to read (a kanji) with its native Japanese reading

## 対策

たいさく, measure, step, countermeasure, counterplan, countermove, strategy, preparation (e.g. for a test)

## 作業

さぎょう, work, operation, task

## 価値

かち, value, worth, merit

## テーマ

theme, topic, subject matter, motif, project, slogan

## 十分

じゅうぶん, じゅっぶん, 10 minutes, じゅうぶん, enough, sufficient, plenty, adequate, satisfactory, sufficiently, fully, thoroughly, well, perfectly, division into ten

## 一部

いちぶ, one part, one portion, one section, some, one copy (e.g. of a document)

## 語

ご, word, language, speech, かり, talk, recital, narration, topic

## 姿

すがた, figure, form, shape, appearance, dress, guise, state, condition, picture, image, form (of a waka), dressed in ..., wearing ...

## 新聞

しんぶん, newspaper

## 一方

いっぽう, one (esp. of two), the other, one way, the other way, one direction, the other direction, one side, the other side, one party, the other party, on the one hand, on the other hand, whereas, although, but at the same time, meanwhile, in turn, just keeps, being inclined to ..., tending to be ..., tending to do ..., continuously ..., just keeps on ...ing, only, ひとかた, one person, ordinary, common

## 風

ふり, swing, shake, wave, swinging, appearance, behaviour, pretence (pretense), show, pretending (to), going to restaurant, hotel etc. without a reservation or introduction, move (dance), postures, lead in (e.g. to a running joke, asking a question), lead up, unsewn part of a hanging sleeve on a traditional Japanese woman's garment, counter for swords, blades, etc., not wearing underwear or pants, かぜ, wind, breeze, draught, draft, manner, behaviour, behavior, cold, influenza, ふう, method, manner, way, style, appearance, air, tendency, folk song (genre of the Shi Jing), wind (one of the five elements)

## 八

はち, や, eight, 8, パー, eight

## 際

きわ, ぎわ, edge, brink, verge, side, time, moment of, さい, occasion, time, circumstances, (in) case (of), when

## ラ

la (6th note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), lah, A (note in the fixed-do system)

## 論

ろん, argument, discussion, dispute, controversy, discourse, debate, theory (e.g. of evolution), doctrine, essay, treatise, comment

## 全て

すべて, everything, all, the whole, entirely, completely, wholly, all

## 大臣

だいじん, cabinet minister, おとど, minister (of government), noble, nobleman's residence

## 神

かみ, god, deity, divinity, spirit, kami, incredible, fantastic, amazing, Emperor (of Japan), thunder, しん, じん, spirit, psyche, god, deity, divinity, kami, み, soul, spirit, divine spirit, かむ, かん, divine, godly

## もし

if, in case, supposing, mock exam, practice exam, practice test, excuse me! (when calling out to someone)

## 国家

こっか, state, country, nation

## 件

くだん, the aforementioned, the said, (man, incident, etc.) in question, the above-mentioned, the aforesaid, the usual, けん, matter, affair, case, item, subject, counter for (received) emails, text messages, voicemail messages, etc., counter for accounts (on a website, email service, etc.), くだり, passage, paragraph

## 毎日

まいにち, every day

## 俺

おれ, おらあ, おり, I, me, おら, うら, I, me

## 試合

しあい, match, game, bout, contest

## なし

without, unacceptable, not alright, unsatisfactory, pear (esp. Japanese pear)

## 七

しち, なな, ひち, な, seven, チー, seven

## ま

just (e.g. "just wait here"), come now, now, now, tolerably, passably, moderately, reasonably, fairly, rather, somewhat, well..., I think..., it would seem..., you might say..., Hmmm, I guess so..., oh!, oh dear!, oh, my!, wow!, goodness gracious!, good heavens!, time, pause, space, room, just, right, due (east), pure, genuine, true, truth, demon, devil, evil spirit, evil influence, -crazed person, -obsessed person, fiend

## 会議

かいぎ, meeting, conference, session, assembly, council, convention, congress

## 使う

つかう, to use (a tool, method, etc.), to make use of, to put to use, to use (a person, animal, puppet, etc.), to employ, to handle, to manage, to manipulate, to use (time, money, etc.), to spend, to consume, to use (language), to speak

## いつ

when, at what time, how soon, normal times, ordinary days, five, 5, being comfortable, relaxing, to freeze, one, same (mind, path, etc.)

## 指摘

してき, pointing out, identification

## 書く

かく, to write, to compose, to pen, to draw, to paint

## 製品

せいひん, manufactured goods, finished goods, product

## 変化

へんか, change, variation, alteration, mutation, transition, transformation, transfiguration, metamorphosis, variety, diversity, inflection, declension, conjugation, sidestepping, へんげ, shapeshifting (of an animal or spirit), goblin, ghost, apparition, bugbear, incarnation, transformation

## 結局

けっきょく, after all, in the end, ultimately, eventually, conclusion, end, end of a game of go, shogi, etc.

## 消費

しょうひ, consumption, expenditure, spending

## 保険

ほけん, insurance, guarantee

## 観

かん, look, appearance, spectacle, sight, observation meditation, outlook on ..., view of ...

## 具体

ぐたい, concreteness, embodiment

## 人生

じんせい, (one's) life

## 量

りょう, quantity, amount, volume, capacity, portion (of food), generosity, magnanimity, tolerance, pramana, はか, progress

## 米国

べいこく, (United States of) America, USA, US

## 表示

ひょうじ, indication, expression, showing, manifestation, demonstration, display, displaying, representation, (copyright) attribution

## いか

not exceeding ..., not more than ..., ... and under, ... and below, ... or fewer, below (a standard, level, etc.), under, beneath, less than, the following, the below-mentioned, the rest, followed by ..., including ..., ... and other (employees, officials, etc.), dissimilation, catabolism, dissimilation (phonology), defamiliarization (artistic technique), ostranenie, alienation, clothes rack, doctor, medical science, medical department, cuttlefish, squid, kite, fiftieth day after the birth of a child, fifty days, simplification, facilitation, becoming easy

## 精神

せいしん, mind, spirit, soul, heart, ethos, attitude, mentality, will, intention, spirit (of a matter), essence, fundamental significance

## 街

がい, street, quarter, district, area, まち, town, block, neighbourhood, neighborhood, downtown, main street, street, road

## 過去

かこ, the past, bygone days, one's past (that one would prefer remained secret), past (tense), preterit, preterite, previous life

## レベル

level, standard, amount, degree, grade, rank, class, level (plane), floor, storey (story), layer, stratum, spirit level, (surveyor's) level, minor release sequence number (software versioning), rebel

## 我々

われわれ, we

## わかり

understanding, comprehension

## 近く

ちかく, near, neighbourhood, neighborhood, vicinity, nearly (e.g. "it took nearly one year"), close to, shortly, soon

## インターネット

Internet

## 能力

のうりょく, ability, faculty, のうりき, low-ranking priest who does manual labour at a temple, male temple employee

## 指導

しどう, guidance, leadership, instruction, direction, coaching, shido (disciplinary action for a minor infringement of the rules of judo)

## わたし

I, me, ferry (crossing), ferry(boat), delivery

## 更新

こうしん, renewal, update, replacement, renovation, breaking (a record)

## 強い

つよい, strong, potent, competent, domineering, tough, strong, brawny, powerful, healthy, rugged, good (at), skilled, knowledgeable, being able to handle, know how to deal (with), durable (against), resistant (to), resilient, firm, rigid, solid, intense, strong, fierce, high, dependable, trustworthy, こわい, tough, stiff, hard, inflexible, obstinate, stubborn, tired, worn out

## ください

## 公開

こうかい, opening to the public, making available to the public, exhibiting, unveiling, release (of a film, information, etc.), disclosure, publication

## 日本語

にほんご, にっぽんご, Japanese (language)

## 皆さん

みなさん, all, everyone, everybody

## 屋

や, shop, store, restaurant, someone who sells (something) or works as (something), someone with a (certain) personality trait, house, roof, おく, house, building, roof

## ほか

other (place, thing, person), the rest, et al., outside, beyond, nothing except, nothing but, nothing apart from, nothing aside from, no choice (but to), besides..., in addition to...

## 女

おんな, おみな, おうな, うみな, おな, female, woman, female sex, female lover, girlfriend, mistress, (someone's) woman, じよ, woman, girl, daughter, Chinese "Girl" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), feminine noun, め, female, smaller (of the two), weaker, woman, wife

## 昔

むかし, olden days, former

## 担当

たんとう, being in charge (of an area of responsibility), being responsible (for a work role, etc.)

## 費

ひ, cost, expense, あたい, あたえ, あたいえ, Atai (post-Taika hereditary title often given to regional administrators)

## もらっ

## 明日

あした, あす, みょうにち, tomorrow, near future

## 旅行

りょこう, travel, trip, journey, excursion, tour

## 夢

ゆめ, dream

## それから

and then, after that

## 明らか

あきらか, clear, obvious, evident, plain, definite, bright, light

## 木

き, tree, shrub, bush, wood, timber, wooden clappers (signalling the beginning or end of a performance), もく, Thursday, wood (first of the five elements)

## 機

はた, loom, き, chance, opportunity, machine, aircraft, counter for aircraft, counter for (remaining) lives

## 大切

たいせつ, たいせち, important, significant, serious, crucial, precious, valuable, dear, cherished, beloved, careful, おおぎり, largely cut (e.g. of cabbage), cut into large pieces

## 局

きょく, bureau, department, office (e.g. post, telephone), broadcasting station (e.g. television, radio), channel, exchange, affair, situation, game (of go, shogi, etc.), つぼね, court lady (Heian period), lady-in-waiting, separate room in a palace (esp. for a lady; Heian period), room for a very low class prostitute, very low class prostitute

## 求め

もとめ, request, appeal, claim, demand, purchase

## 行政

ぎょうせい, administration, governance, the authorities, authority

## 安全

あんぜん, あんせん, safety, security

## 外国

がいこく, そとくに, foreign country

## お金

おかね, money

## 資料

しりょう, materials, data, document

## 部屋

へや, room, chamber, apartment, flat, pad, stable

## 行為

こうい, act, deed, conduct

## 平成

へいせい, Heisei era (1989.1.8-2019.4.30)

## いや

head house (family), birthplace, originator, no, nay, well, er, why, you're welcome, not at all, don't mention it, disagreeable, detestable, unpleasant, reluctant, more and more, increasingly, extremely, very, why, oh, no!, quit it!, stop!

## 色

いろ, colour, color, hue, tint, tinge, shade, complexion, skin colour, skin color, look (on one's face), expression, appearance, air, feeling, personality, character, tone (of one's voice, etc.), tune, sound, ring, love, lust, sensuality, love affair, lover, paramour, beauty, sexiness, physical appeal, kind, type, variety, しょく, counter for colours, しき, rupa (form), visible objects (i.e. color and form)

## 難しい

むずかしい, むつかしい, difficult, hard, troublesome, complicated, serious (disease, problem, etc.), impossible, unfeasible, fussy, particular, fastidious, hard to please, displeased, gloomy, glum, sullen, serious (look), dirty, unclean, filthy, detestable, unpleasant, uncomfortable, creepy, spooky

## 登録

とうろく, registration, accession, register, entry, record

## ドイツ

Germany

## 設定

せってい, establishment, creation, posing (a problem), setting (movie, novel, etc.), scene, options setting, preference settings, configuration, setup

## どういう

what kind of, what sort of, what

## 成功

せいこう, success, achievement, succeeding (in life), (worldly) success, prosperity

## 努力

どりよく, effort, exertion, endeavour, endeavor, hard work, striving

## 戦

いくさ, war, battle, campaign, fight, troops, forces, せん, war, battle, match, game, competition

## 生まれ

うまれ, birth, birthplace, born in (country, month, imperial era, zodiac year, etc.)

## 与え

あたえ, gift, godsend

## 団体

だんたい, group, party, team, organization, organisation, association, group, body, society

## につきまして

## 支援

しえん, support, backing, aid, assistance

## 最も

もっとも, もとも, most, extremely

## 自己

じこ, self, oneself

## 全

ぜん, all, whole, entire, complete, total, pan-, complete (set), in total

## 年度

ねんど, fiscal year (usu. April 1 to March 31 in Japan), financial year, academic year, school year, product year

## 運動

うんどう, exercise, physical training, workout, sports, athletics, appeal, campaign, drive, crusade, movement, lobbying, motion, movement

## 構造

こうそう, structure, construction, makeup, framework, organization, pattern

## 特別

とくべつ, special, particular, extraordinary, exceptional, especial

## ド

doh (1st note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), do, C (note in the fixed-do system), precisely, exactly, plumb, totally, very much, damn, stupid, cursed

## 解決

かいけつ, settlement, solution, resolution

## え

egoma (type of perilla), Perilla frutescens var. frutescens, (animal) feed, fodder, pet food, bait, lure, enticement, fate, destiny (esp. as a mysterious force that binds two people together), relationship (e.g. between two people), bond, link, connection, family ties, affinity, opportunity, chance (to meet someone and start a relationship), pratyaya (indirect conditions, as opposed to direct causes), narrow open-air veranda, gathering (esp. Buddhist, festive, etc.), picture, drawing, painting, sketch, image (TV, film, etc.), picture, footage, inlet, bay, -fold, -ply, handle, grip, stalk (of a mushroom, leaf, etc.), gen (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: mountain, northeast), eh?, what?, oh?, yes, that's correct, hey, surrounding area, shore (of the sea), suffix used as a rough indicator of location, direction, time, etc., wisdom, enlightenment, prajñā (one of the three divisions of the noble eightfold path), wisdom

## 完全

かんぜん, perfect, complete

## 欲しい

ほしい, wanting (to have), desiring, wishing for, I want (you, them, etc.) to (do)

## 限り

かぎり, limit, limits, bounds, degree, extent, scope, the end, the last, as long as ..., as far as ..., as much as ..., to the limits of ..., all of ..., unless ..., (not) included in ..., (not) part of ..., ... only (e.g. "one time only", "today only"), end of one's life, final moments, death, funeral, burial, きり, end, finish, place to stop, bound, limit, end, delivery date (of a futures contract), finale (of a noh song), end of an act (in jōruri or kabuki), final performance of the day (in vaudeville), trump card, king (court card; in mekuri karuta and unsun karuta), counter for slices (esp. thick slices), counter for cuts (of fish, meat, etc.), only, just, (ever) since, after, continuously, remaining (in a particular state)

## 品

しな, article, item, thing, goods, stock, quality, flirtatiousness, coquetry, ほん, court rank, level, grade, chapter, section, volume, ひん, elegance, grace, refinement, class, dignity, article, item, counter for items (of food, etc.), counter for dishes or courses (at a restaurant)

## 訳

わけ, conclusion from reasoning, judgement or calculation based on something read or heard, reason, cause, meaning, circumstances, situation, やく, translation, version (e.g. "English version")

## 生き

いき, イキ, living, being alive, freshness, liveliness, vitality, situation in which a group of stones cannot be captured because it contains two or more gaps, stet (proofreading), leave as-is, damned

## やすい

cheap, inexpensive, calm, peaceful, quiet, easy, likely to ..., have a tendency to ..., easy to ...

## 使わ

## 男性

だんせい, man, male, masculine gender

## 結構

けっこう, splendid, nice, wonderful, delightful, lovely, excellent, fine, sufficient, satisfactory, enough, fine, all right, OK, not needing (any more of something), (already) having enough, fine (as in "I'm fine"), no, thank you, rather, quite, fairly, pretty, surprisingly, quite a bit, fairly well, structure, construction, framework, architecture

## 出る

でる, to leave, to exit, to go out, to come out, to get out, to leave (on a journey), to depart, to start out, to set out, to move forward, to come to, to get to, to lead to, to reach, to appear, to come out, to emerge, to surface, to come forth, to turn up, to be found, to be detected, to be discovered, to be exposed, to show, to be exhibited, to be on display, to appear (in print), to be published, to be announced, to be issued, to be listed, to come out, to attend, to participate, to take part, to enter (an event), to play in, to perform, to be stated, to be expressed, to come up, to be brought up, to be raised, to sell, to exceed, to go over, to stick out, to protrude, to break out, to occur, to start, to originate, to be produced, to come from, to be derived from, to be given, to get, to receive, to be offered, to be provided, to be presented, to be submitted, to be handed in, to be turned in, to be paid, to answer (phone, door, etc.), to get, to assume (an attitude), to act, to behave, to pick up (speed, etc.), to gain, to flow (e.g. tears), to run, to bleed, to graduate, to ejaculate, to cum

## 産業

さんぎょう, industry, livelihood, occupation

## 軍

ぐん, army, armed forces, troops, military authorities, team, group, troupe, いくさ, war, battle, campaign, fight, troops, forces

## 主

おも, chief, main, principal, important, main secondary or supporting role (in kyogen), しゆ, しゆう, (one's) master, Lord, the main thing, the majority, the primary concern, むし, head (of a household, etc.), leader, master, owner, proprietor, proprietress, subject (of a rumour, etc.), doer (of a deed), guardian spirit (e.g. long-resident beast, usu. with mystical powers), long-time resident (or employee, etc.), husband, you, にし, のし, you, す, honorific (or familiar) suffix used after a name, あるじ, head (of a household), proprietor (of a store), proprietress, landlord, landlady, master (of a servant), entertaining someone as one's guest

## 流れ

ながれ, flow (of a fluid or gas), stream, current, flow (of people, things), passage (of time), tide, passing, (changing) trends, tendency, course (of events), (step-by-step) procedure, process, group of people who remain together after the end of an event, descent, ancestry, school, forfeiture, foreclosure, cancellation, drifting, wandering, roaming

## 出来る

できる, to be able (in a position) to do, to be up to the task, to be ready, to be completed, to be made, to be built, to be good at, to be permitted (to do), to become intimate, to take up (with someone), to grow, to be raised, to become pregnant

## に関して

にかんして, related to, in relation to, as far as ... is concerned

## 人気

にんき, popularity, public favor, condition (e.g. market), tone, character, nature, ひとげ, ひとげ, sign of life, human presence, humanity, humaneness, じんき, prevailing mood of a locality, emotional climate of a district

## お話

おはなし, story, tale, talk, discussion

## 過ぎ

すぎ, past, after, too (much), over- (e.g. eating)

## 駅

えき, railway station, train station, staging post on a highway (in pre-modern Japan), counter for railway stations and bus stations

## 最終

さいしゅう, last, final, closing, last train (bus, flight, etc.; of the day)

## 答え

こたえ, answer, reply, response, answer, solution, result, いらえ, reply, response

## ドル

dollar, money, cash

## 保護

ほご, protection, safeguard, guardianship, custody, patronage, preservation, conservation

## 再

さい, re-, again, repeated, deuter-, deuto-, deuter-

## グループ

group (usu. of people)

## 生

き, pure, undiluted, raw, crude, なま, raw, uncooked, fresh, natural, as it is, unedited, unprocessed, unprotected (sex), raw, bareback, live (i.e. not recorded), inexperienced, unpolished, green, crude, impudence, sauciness, unpasteurized beer, draft beer, draught beer, blank (e.g. disk), unused, just a little, somehow, vaguely, partially, somewhat, half-, semi-, insufficient, incomplete, half-baked, half-hearted, perfunctory, cash, tipsiness, うぶ, innocent, naive, unsophisticated, inexperienced, green, wet behind the ears, birth-, せい, しょう, life, living, I, me, myself, student, いく, vital, virile, lively, ふ, area of thick growth (of trees, grass, etc.), なまり, boiled and half-dried bonito

## ポイント

point (of a story, argument, etc.), point (e.g. in stock exchange movement), percentage point, switch, points, point, site, spot, (decimal) point, point (in scoring), point (in a loyalty program), point (font size), point (on a compass), course, pointing (to something)

## ども

first-person plural (or singular), second or third person plural (implies speaker is of higher status than those referred to), but, however, even though, even if

## センター

centre, center

## 開催

かいさい, holding (a conference, exhibition, etc.), opening, hosting (e.g. the Olympics)

## 方向

ほうこう, direction, orientation, bearing, way, course (e.g. of action)

## 改革

かいかく, reform, reformation, reorganization

## 検索

けんさく, looking up (e.g. a word in a dictionary), search (e.g. on the Internet), retrieval (of information), reference

## および

and, as well as, finger, toe, digit, call, invitation

## 忘れ

## 健康

けんこう, health, healthy, sound, fit, wholesome

## 障害

しょうがい, obstacle, impediment, hindrance, barrier, difficulty, disorder, defect, disability, handicap, impairment, dysfunction, steeplechase, obstacle race, steeplechase (athletics)

## ヶ月

かげつ, counter for months

## 認め

みとめ, approval, acceptance, recognition, acknowledgement, private seal, signet

## 協力

きょうりょく, cooperation, collaboration, help, support

## 時期

じき, time, season, period, phase, stage

## 料理

りょうり, cooking, cookery, cuisine, meal, food, dish, item on a menu, (easily) dealing with something, handling (well)

## 考え方

かんがえかた, way of thinking

## 楽しみ

たのしみ, enjoyment, pleasure, diversion, amusement, hobby, anticipation, looking forward to

## 医療

いりょう, medical care, medical treatment

## 金融

きんゆう, finance, financing, credit transacting, loaning of money, circulation of money, monetary, financial, credit

## 試験

しけん, examination, exam, test, trial, experiment, test

## により

similarity, according to, by (means of), due to, because of

## フランス

France

## 立場

たちば, position, situation, viewpoint, standpoint, point of view, たてば, stopping place for horse-drawn carriages and rickshaws (Edo period), high way resting place, wholesale rag dealer

## 契約

けいやく, contract, compact, agreement

## すでに

already, too late

## 良く

よく, nicely, properly, well, skillfully, skilfully, frequently, often, I'm glad that you ..., thank you for ..., (you have) quite the nerve to, I don't know how you can ...

## 条件

じょうけん, condition, term, requirement, qualification, prerequisite

## 放送

ほうそう, broadcasting, broadcast, program, announcement

## 全国

ぜんこく, the whole country

## 室

しつ, room, wife (of someone of high rank), scabbard, Chinese "Encampment" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), むろ, greenhouse, icehouse, cellar

## なあ

don't, do, hey, listen, look, say, now, ..., well, ..., I tell you!, you know, wow, ooh, right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?

## 枚

まい, counter for thin, flat objects (e.g. sheets of paper, plates, coins), counter for portions of gyōza or soba, counter for ranks, counter for wrestlers of a particular rank, counter for fields or rice paddies, counter for palanquin bearers, ひら, counter for thin, flat things (petals, leaves, etc.), ひら, ビラ, bill, handbill, flier, flyer, leaflet, poster, placard

## ずっと

continuously, the whole time, all the way, throughout, much (more), (by) far, far and away, a lot, a great deal, far (away), long (ago, before, after), straight, directly

## 作成

さくせい, making (a report, plan, contract, etc.), drawing up, writing out, preparing, creating (a file, website, account, etc.)

## 足

あし, foot, paw, arm (of an octopus, squid, etc.), leg, gait, pace, bottom structural component (i.e. radical) of a kanji, means of transportation, (one's) ride, money, coin, そく, counter for pairs of socks, shoes, etc.

## 成長

せいちょう, growth, development, growing up, becoming an adult, growth (of a company, the economy, etc.)

## 施設

しせつ, institution, establishment, facility, home (for elderly, orphans, etc.)

## リ

## 来る

くる, to come (spatially or temporally), to approach, to arrive, to come back, to do ... and come back, to come to be, to become, to get, to grow, to continue, to come from, to be caused by, to derive from, to come to (e.g. "when it comes to spinach ..."), きたる, next (e.g. "next April"), forthcoming, coming, to come, to arrive, to be due to

## 登場

とうじょう, entry (on stage), appearance (on screen), entrance, introduction (into a market)

## 知識

ちしき, knowledge, information

## 携帯

けいたい, ケータイ, ケイタイ, carrying (on one's person or in the hand), mobile phone, cell phone

## よる

to be due to, to be caused by, to depend on, to turn on, to be based on, to come from, to be based at (a location, an organization), to be headquartered at, to approach, to draw near, to come near, to be close to, to gather (in one place), to come together, to meet, to stop by (while on one's way to another place), to drop by, to make a short visit, to grow old, to grow high (number, etc.), to grow (wrinkly), to lean against, to recline on, to push one's opponent while holding their belt, to decide on a price and come to a deal, to be swayed by (a person), to yield to, evening, night, dinner, to lean on, to rest against, to choose, to select, to twist (yarn), to lay (rope), to have the nerve to, to be bastard enough to, sotāpanna, śrotāpanna, stream-winner, stream-entrant

## 実現

じつげん, implementation (e.g. of a system), materialization, materialisation, realization, realisation, actualization, actualisation

## 友人

ゆうじん, friend

## 早く

はやく, early, soon, quickly, swiftly, rapidly, fast

## おき

open sea, Okinawa, breath, breathing, tone, mood, embers, live charcoal, Ōki (former province located on Ōki Island in present-day Shimane Prefecture), Ōki (island), every ..., every other ..., at intervals of ..., with ... in between, ... apart

## 海外

かいがい, foreign, abroad, overseas

## 原因

げんいん, げいん, cause, origin, source

## 実施

じっし, enforcement, implementation, putting into practice, carrying out, operation, working (e.g. working parameters), enactment

## 昨年

さくねん, last year

## 病院

びょういん, hospital, clinic, doctor's office, doctor's surgery, infirmary

## 代

しろ, substitution, material, price, margin (e.g. for stapling, etc.), area required for something, shiro (unit of land area equal to one-fiftieth of a tan; approx. 19.83 m.sq.), よ, world, society, public, life, lifetime, age, era, period, epoch, generation, reign, rule, the times, world (of existence), だい, charge, cost, price, generation, age, (school) year, cohort, reign, era, a representative of, on behalf of, for (someone), switchboard number, counter for decades of ages, eras, etc., counter for generations (of inheritors to a throne, etc.), proxy application company, pronoun

## 認識

にんしき, recognition, awareness, perception, understanding, knowledge, cognition, cognizance, cognisance

## 夏

なつ, summer, か, Xia dynasty (of China; c. 2070-1600 BCE; possibly mythological), Hsia dynasty, げ, summer (on the lunisolar calendar: 16th day of the 4th month to the 15th day of the 7th month)

## イメージ

image (in one's mind), impression, imagining, mental image, (forming a) mental picture, (computer) image, depiction (e.g. of a product), rendition, impression

## 段階

だんかい, stage, step, phase, level, rank, grade, gradation, order, stairs, きざはし, きだはし, はし, stairs, stairs at the front of a noh stage

## 発生

はっせい, occurrence, incidence, outbreak, birth (e.g. of civilization), generation (of power, heat, etc.), production, ontogeny, development, growth, breeding

## 反対

はんたい, opposition, resistance, antagonism, hostility, objection, dissent, reverse, opposite, inverse, contrary

## 期間

きかん, period, term, interval

## 区

く, ward, borough, city (in Tokyo), district (e.g. electoral), section, zone (e.g. postal)

## トップ

top, top position, senior management, senior bureaucrat, home page (of a website)

## 条

すじ, スジ, muscle, tendon, sinew, vein, artery, fiber, fibre, string, line, stripe, streak, reason, logic, plot, storyline, lineage, descent, school (e.g. of scholarship or arts), aptitude, talent, source (of information, etc.), circle, channel, well-informed person (in a transaction), logical move (in go, shogi, etc.), ninth vertical line, seam on a helmet, gristly fish paste (made of muscle, tendons, skin, etc.), social position, status, on (a river, road, etc.), along, counter for long thin things, counter for roads or blocks when giving directions, street (in Osaka), (Edo period) counter for hundreds of mon (obsolete unit of currency), じょう, article (in a document), clause, section, provision, counter for lines, stripes, streaks, rays, etc., although, though, since, as, because, inasmuch as, jō, くだり, passage, paragraph

## 午後

ごご, afternoon, p.m.

## 税

ぜい, tax

## 主張

しゅちょう, claim, insistence, assertion, advocacy, emphasis, contention, opinion, tenet

## 変更

へんこう, change, modification, alteration, revision, amendment

## サッカー

soccer, (association) football, seersucker

## パソコン

personal computer, PC

## 書か

## 番組

ばんぐみ, program (e.g. TV), programme

## はじめ

beginning, start, outset, opening, first (in line, etc.), origin, such as ..., not to mention ...

## 今度

こんど, this time, now, next time, another time, shortly, soon, recently, lately, the other day

## ホームページ

home page (of a website or browser), homepage, web page, website

## さえ

even, (if) only, just, as long as, besides, on top of that, what's more, clearness, clarity, skillfulness (skillfulness), dice, die, baton (of command)

## 入り

いり, entering, setting (of the Sun), containing, content, audience, income, beginning

## 続き

つづき, continuation, rest (of the story, work, etc.), next installment, sequel, flow (e.g. of a piece of writing), pacing (of a story), succession (of), sequence, series, spell, stretch, streak, run

## 準備

じゅんび, preparation, arrangements, getting ready, provision, setup, reserving

## 述べ

## 処理

しより, processing, dealing with, treatment, disposition, disposal

## 口

くち, mouth, opening, hole, gap, orifice, mouth (of a bottle), spout, nozzle, mouthpiece, gate, door, entrance, exit, speaking, speech, talk (i.e. gossip), taste, palate, mouth (to feed), opening (i.e. vacancy), available position, invitation, summons, kind, sort, type, opening (i.e. beginning), counter for mouthfuls, shares (of money), stove burners, and swords, く, こう, mouth, speech, counter for people or implements

## 式

しき, equation, formula, expression, ceremony, style, enforcement regulations (of the ritsuryō)

## または

or, either ... or ...

## 動き

うごき, movement, move, motion, trend, development, change, fluctuation

## だって

after all, because, but, even, too, as well, also, they say, I hear, you mean

## 絶対

ぜったい, absolutely, definitely, unconditionally, absolute, unconditional, unmistakable, absoluteness

## 書き

## 結婚

けっこん, marriage

## 社長

しゃちょう, company president, manager, director

## もん

person, thing, object, article, stuff, substance, one's things, possessions, property, belongings, things, something, anything, everything, nothing, quality, reason, the way of things, used to emphasize emotion, judgment, etc., used to indicate a common occurrence in the past (after a verb in past tense), used to indicate a general tendency, used to indicate something that should happen, item classified as ..., item related to ..., work in the genre of ..., cause of ..., cause for ..., somehow, somewhat, for some reason, really, truly, gate, branch of learning based on the teachings of a single master, division, phylum, counter for cannons, counter for questions, (family) crest, coat of arms, pattern, figure, playing card suit (in karuta), mon, mon, letter, character, sentence, scripture, incantation, indicates reason or excuse, indicates dissatisfaction, indicates desire to be pampered or indulged, agony, anguish

## 体験

たいけん, (practical) experience, personal experience, hands-on experience, first-hand experience

## 決め

きめ, agreement, rule, きめ, contracted regular payment, e.g. monthly, weekly, etc., by the (month, week, etc.)

## 基準

きじゆん, standard, basis, criterion, norm, reference, datum

## 発言

はつげん, statement, remark, observation, utterance, speech, proposal

## おら

I, me

## 都市

とし, town, city, municipal, urban

## ぞ

## 親

おや, parent, parents, mother and father, dealer, banker, founder, inventor, (pet) owner, key, parent (organization), main, ancestor, forefather, しん, intimacy, closeness, friendliness, close relative, pro- (e.g. pro-American)

## 機会

きかい, chance, opportunity

## 展開

てんかい, development, evolution, progression, unfolding, (plot) twist, expansion, spreading out, extending, deployment, building up, expansion (of an algebraic expression), development (of a three-dimensional shape), extraction (of compressed data), decompression, unpacking

## 授業

じゅぎょう, lesson, class work, teaching, instruction

## デザイン

design

## 火

ひ, fire, flame, blaze, か, Tuesday, fire (second of the five elements)

## 自体

じたい, itself, one's own body, oneself, originally, naturally, by nature, from the start

## 興味

きょうみ, interest (in something), curiosity (about something), zest (for)

## 掲載

けいさい, publication (e.g. of an article in a newspaper), carrying (e.g. a story), running (e.g. a serial), insertion (e.g. of an advertisement), printing, posting (e.g. on the web)

## あたり

hit, success, guess, prediction, affability, friendliness, sensation, touch, bruise (on fruit), situation in which a stone or chain of stones may be captured on the next move, bite (of a fish on a hook), strike, per, each, (in the) neighbourhood, neighborhood, vicinity, nearby, surroundings, around, about, or thereabouts, for instance, say, such as

## 編集

へんしゅう, editing, compilation

## 選択

せんたく, せんだく, choice, selection, option

## いわゆる

what is called, as it is called, the so-called, so to speak

## 含め

## 話し

はなし, talk, speech, chat, conversation, topic, subject, discussions, negotiation, argument, rumor, talk, hearsay, tale, story, fable, circumstances, particulars

## 週間

しゅうかん, week

## 負担

ふたん, burden, load, responsibility, bearing (a cost, responsibility, etc.), shouldering

## 文字

もじ, もんじ, letter (of alphabet), character, writing

## やり

spear, lance, javelin, lance, jeering, yay, hooray, awesome

## 最大

さいだい, biggest, greatest, largest, maximum

## 無料

むりょう, free (of charge), gratuitous

## 相談

そうだん, consultation, discussion, discussing, asking (someone) for advice

## 注意

ちゅうい, attention, notice, heed, care, caution, precaution, looking out (for), watching out (for), advice, warning, caution, reminder, admonishment, reprimand, telling-off

## ホテル

hotel

## まったく

really, truly, entirely, completely, wholly, perfectly, indeed, good grief

## 終わっ

## 株

かぶ, stock, share, stump, (clump of) roots, plant with attached roots or stem, strain (of bacteria, etc.), stock company, corporation, kabushiki kaisha, KK, goodwill (of a business), privilege (that comes with a role), reputation, standing, popularity, one's forte, くい, stake, post, pile, picket, stump, しゅ, stump, counter for trees, くいぜ, くいせ, stump, かぶた, stump, useless item

## なれ

practice, experience, habituation, being used to, being comfortable with, being experienced in, you, label (e.g. in programming languages)

## 全部

ぜんぶ, all, entire, whole, altogether

## しっかり

tightly (holding on), firmly, securely, strongly (built), solidly, sturdily, steadily, properly, well, sufficiently, hard (working, etc.), fully, completely, reliably, dependably, levelheadedly, shrewdly, wisely, cleverly

## 開始

かいし, start, commencement, beginning, initiation

## やら

what with A and B, such things as A and B, A and B and so on, A and B and the like, denotes uncertainty

## 身

み, one's body, one's person, oneself, one's appearance, one's place (in society, etc.), one's position, main part, meat (as opposed to bone, skin, etc.), wood (as opposed to bark), blade (as opposed to its handle), container (as opposed to its lid), むくろ, (dead) body, corpse

## 面白い

おもしろい, interesting, fascinating, intriguing, enthralling, amusing, funny, comical, enjoyable, fun, entertaining, pleasant, agreeable, good, satisfactory, favourable, desirable, encouraging

## イベント

event

## 分析

ぶんせき, analysis

## アクセス

access (to a place, esp. using public transport), access (to a website, data, etc.)

## 入る

いる, to enter, to go in, to get in, to come in, to set (of the sun or moon), to sink, to go down, to attain (nirvana, enlightenment, etc.), to achieve, to reach (e.g. a climax), to do fully, to do intently, to do sincerely, to do deeply, to feel keenly, (reach a state) completely, はいる, to enter, to come in, to go in, to get in, to arrive, to join (a club, company, etc.), to enter (a university, the army, etc.), to enroll (in), to go into (e.g. politics), to get into, to be contained (in), to be included (in), to be inside (e.g. a box), to come under (a heading), to belong (in a category), to (be able to) fit (in a container, building, etc.), to be (able to be) held, to be (able to be) accommodated, to be introduced, to be brought in, to be installed, to be received, to be obtained, to be scored (of points), to be won (of votes), to turn on, to start functioning, to start working, to enter (a month, season, etc.), to reach (e.g. a climax), to get to (e.g. the main topic), to enter into (e.g. negotiations), to start (doing), to begin, to form (of a crack, fissure, etc.), to develop, to be put in (of effort, spirit, feeling, etc.), to be applied (e.g. of strength), to be ready (of tea, coffee, etc.), to be made, to enter the body (of alcohol), to become drunk

## 同時に

どうじに, coincident with, while, simultaneously

## 詳細

しょうさい, details, particulars, specifics, detailed, specific, minute, close-up view (of a digitally displayed map), zoomed-in view

## 先ほど

さきほど, a short while ago, a moment ago, just now, some time ago

## 派

は, clique, group, coterie, (political) faction, wing, party, camp, school, sect, denomination

## アップ

rise, increase, raising, lifting, going up, upload, posting online, close-up, finishing shooting (a film), upswept hairstyle, being up (in points, games, etc.), being ahead, leading, warm-up, finishing, completion, being over, upstairs

## 読み

よみ, reading, reading (of a kanji, esp. kun reading), reading (e.g. of a situation), insight, judgment, interpretation, prediction, calculation

## 将来

しょうらい, future, (future) prospects, bringing (from abroad, another region, etc.), bringing about, giving rise to, causing, incurring

## 予算

よさん, estimate (of costs), budget

## 愛

あい, love, affection, care, attachment, craving, desire, agape, Ireland, まな, beloved, dear

## 目標

めじるし, mark (for quick identification or recognition), sign, landmark, guide, trademark, もくひょう, goal, target, aim, objective, mark, sign, landmark

## 台

だい, stand, rack, table, bench, podium, pedestal, platform, stage, support, holder, rack, counter for machines, incl. vehicles, setting (e.g. in jewellery), level (e.g. price level), range (e.g. after physical units), period (of time, e.g. a decade of one's life), elevated area, viewing platform, dish tray, meal, tall building, tower, うてな, tower, stand, pedestal, calyx, たい, Taiwan

## 通信

つうしん, correspondence, communication, transmission, news, signal, telecommunications

## プログラム

program (of events, music, etc.), programme, program (booklet), brochure, pamphlet, (computer) program, programming

## 長い

ながい, long (distance, length), long (time), protracted, prolonged

## 分野

ぶんや, field, sphere, realm, division, branch

## ちなみに

by the way, in this connection, incidentally, in passing

## 花

はな, flower, blossom, bloom, petal, cherry blossom, beauty, blooming (esp. of cherry blossoms), ikebana, hanafuda, (the) best, glorious, lovely

## 国内

こくない, くにだい, くぬち, internal, domestic

## 帰っ

## 作る

つくる, to make, to produce, to manufacture, to build, to construct, to prepare (food), to brew (alcohol), to raise, to grow, to cultivate, to train, to till, to draw up (a document), to make out, to prepare, to write, to create (an artistic work, etc.), to compose, to coin (a phrase), to organize, to organise, to establish, to found, to have (a child), to make up (one's face, etc.), to fabricate (an excuse, etc.), to give a (false) appearance, to feign (a smile, etc.), to put on a show of emotion, to form (a line, etc.), to set (a record), to commit (a sin, etc.)

## 土

つち, つし, earth, soil, dirt, clay, mud, the earth (historically, esp. as opposed to the heavens), the ground, the land, low-quality torinoko-gami (containing mud), (period of) refraining from construction in the direction of the god of the earth (in Onmyōdō), ど, Saturday, earth, dirt, soil, land, lands, ground, earth (third of the five elements), に, soil (esp. reddish soil), と, Turkey

## 時刻

じこく, time, (the) hour, favourable time, opportunity, chance

## そのまま

without change, as is, just like, extremely similar, immediately, just after, without a pause

## 逆

ぎゃく, reverse, opposite, converse (of a hypothesis, etc.), inverse (function), さか, inverse, reverse

## 発見

はっけん, discovery, detection, finding

## とにかく

anyway, anyhow, at any rate, in any case, at least, just, setting aside ..., regardless of ..., really, truly, certainly, definitely, undeniably

## 最高

さいこう, best, supreme, wonderful, finest, highest, maximum, most, uppermost, supreme

## 為

ため, good, advantage, benefit, welfare, sake, purpose, objective, aim, consequence, result, effect, affecting, regarding, concerning, す, to do

## 聞き

きき, hearing, audible sound, rumour, rumor, hearsay, reputation, tasting (alcohol, tea, etc.)

## 利益

りえき, りやく, profit, gains, benefit, advantage, good, interests (e.g. of society), grace (of God, Buddha, etc.), esp. as attained through rightful actions, prayer, adherence to one's faith, etc.), blessing, miracle

## どちら

which way, which direction, where, which one (esp. of two alternatives), who

## 小

しょう, smallness, small item, short month (i.e. having fewer than 31 days), elementary school, smaller (of two things, places, etc. with the same name), inferior, younger (of two people with the same name), junior, unit of field area (approx. 400 sq m), こ, small, little, slight, slightly less than, just about, somewhat, somehow, minor, petty, お, small, narrow, familiar prefix, slightly, a bit, ささ, さざ, small, little, ぐわー, small, little, dear, さ, narrow, thin

## 銀行

ぎんこう, bank, banking institution

## 終了

しゅうりょう, end, close, termination

## 事務

じむ, office work, clerical work, administration, business, affairs

## 出版

しゅつぱん, publication

## 連絡

れんらく, contacting, (making) contact, getting in touch, communication, correspondence, call, message, connection (with a train, bus, etc.), joining (a railway line, etc.), meeting, connection (between matters, incidents, etc.), relation, link

## プロ

professional

## 大会

たいかい, mass meeting, convention, rally, conference, assembly, gathering, tournament, competition, contest, meet, grand event

## 練習

れんしゅう, practice, training, drill, (an) exercise, workout

## 様々

さまざま, various, varied, diverse, all sorts of,さまざま, our gracious (e.g. Queen), honorific that attaches to name of a person or thing that has bestowed grace or favour upon you

## 娘

じょう, unmarried woman, Miss, -ess, -ette, むすめ, daughter, girl (i.e. a young, unmarried woman)

## 州

しゅう, state (of the US, Australia, India, Germany, etc.), province (e.g. of Canada), county (e.g. of the UK), region (e.g. of Italy), canton, oblast, continent, province (of Japan), province (of ancient China), prefecture, department, dear, す, sandbank, sandbar

## もらい

tip, gratuity, alms

## 少ない

すくない, few, a little, scarce, insufficient, seldom

## こうした

such

## ろ

Russia, donkey, Japanese scull (oar attached to the rear of the boat by a traditional peg-in-hole oarlock), hearth, fireplace, furnace, kiln, silk gauze (esp. used in light clothing for high summer), six, right?, isn't it?, small house, thatched hut, stern (of a ship), bow (of a ship), prow, Lu (Chinese vassal state existing during the Spring and Autumn period)

## ファン

fan, enthusiast, lover (of), (electric) fan, han, fan, fun

## 同様

どうよう, same, similar, (just) like, equal

## 小さな

ちいさな, small, little, tiny

## つもり

intention, plan, purpose, expectation, belief, assumption, thought, conviction, estimate, estimation, calculation, intention, plan, purpose, expectation, belief, assumption, thought, conviction

## 大阪

おおさか, Osaka (city, prefecture)

## 共通

きょうつう, common, shared, mutual, to be common (to), to be shared (by), -wide

## 増え

## 現代

げんだい, present age, present day, today, modern era, modern times

## 被害

ひがい, (suffering) damage, injury, harm

## 住宅

じゅうたく, residence, housing, residential building

## 選挙

せんきょ, election

## とともに

together with, as X, then Y (e.g. as we age we gain wisdom, as wine matures it becomes more valuable, etc.)

## 新た

あらた, new, fresh, novel

## 変わっ

## 大事

だいじ, important, serious, crucial, valuable, precious, serious matter, major incident, matter of grave concern, crisis, great undertaking, great enterprise, great thing, safe, OK, おおごと, serious matter, major incident, matter of grave concern, crisis

## 山

やま, mountain, hill, mine (e.g. coal mine), heap, pile, crown (of a hat), thread (of a screw), tread (of a tire), protruding part of an object, high part, climax, peak, critical point, guess, speculation, gamble, criminal case, crime, mountain climbing, mountaineering, festival float (esp. one mounted with a decorative halberd), deck (of playing cards on table, face down, from which cards are drawn), stack, wall, wall tile, temple, temple grounds, wild, さん, ざん, Mt., Mount, むれ, mountain, hill

## わかっ

## 批判

ひはん, criticism, judgement, judgment, comment

## 報道

ほうどう, report (of news), reporting, news, information, (media) coverage

## なか

inside, interior, among, within, middle, center, centre, during, while, middle, midst, amid, interval, gap, mean, average, second (of three, e.g. sons, volumes), middle, medium grade, medium quality, red-light district, relation, relationship

## 心配

しんぱい, worry, concern, anxiety, uneasiness, fear, care, help, aid, assistance

## 本日

ほんじつ, today, this day

## 残念

ざんねん, regrettable, unfortunate, disappointing, vexing

## なお

still, yet, more, still more, greater, further, as ..., like ..., furthermore, in addition, moreover, note that ..., straight, ordinary, common, doing nothing

## クリック

click

## 見える

みえる, to be seen, to be visible, to be in sight, to look, to seem, to appear, to come, まみえる, to have an audience, to meet, to see, to face (an enemy), to confront, to serve (esp. as one's wife)

## 業界

ぎょうかい, business world, business circles, (the) industry

## 相当

そうどう, corresponding to (in meaning, function, etc.), being equivalent to, appropriate, suitable, befitting, proportionate, to be proportionate to, to be in keeping with, to be deserving of, to be worthy of, considerable, substantial, considerably, rather, quite, fairly, pretty

## どれ

which (of three or more), well, now, c'mon

## 議員

ぎいん, member of an assembly, member of the Diet, member of parliament, member of Congress

## 業務

ぎょうむ, business, affairs, duties, work, procedure, task, action, function, (business) operations, operational

## 章

しょう, chapter, section, medal, badge, insignia

## もっ

## 攻撃

こうげき, attack, assault, raid, onslaught, offensive, criticism, censure, denunciation, condemnation

## スポーツ

sport, sports

## とっ

very, much

## 近い

ちかい, near, close, short (distance), close (in time), soon, close (relationship), friendly, intimate, closely related, similar, almost the same, close to, nearly

## メンバー

member, participant, attendee, lineup (sport)

## 世紀

せいき, century, era, of the century (e.g. fight of the century)

## 演奏

えんそう, musical performance

## 家庭

かてい, home, household, family, hearth

## わかる

to understand, to comprehend, to grasp, to see, to get, to follow, to become clear, to be known, to be discovered, to be realized, to be realised, to be found out, I know!, I think so too!

## 直接

ちよくせつ, direct, immediate, personal, firsthand

## ところが

even so, however, still, whereupon, even though, nevertheless, on the contrary, as a matter of fact, despite

## ほしい

wanting (to have), desiring, wishing for, I want (you, them, etc.) to (do), dried boiled rice used mainly as provisions of samurai troops and travelers (travellers)

## うまく

skilfully, skillfully, well, aptly, cleverly, successfully, smoothly, deliciously

## 構成

こうせい, composition, construction, formation, makeup, structure, organization, organisation

## もと

origin, source, base, basis, foundation, root, cause, ingredient, material, base, mix, stock, (someone's) side, (someone's) location, original cost (or capital, principal, etc.), (plant) root, (tree) trunk, first section of a waka, counter for blades of grass, tree trunks, etc., and for falcons (in falconry), handle (chopsticks, brush, etc.), grip, under (guidance, supervision, rules, the law, etc.), under (a flag, the sun, etc.), beneath, with (e.g. one blow), on (the promise, condition, assumption, etc. that ...), in (e.g. the name of), (someone's) side, (someone's) location, former, ex-, past, one-time, earlier times, the past, previous state, formerly, previously, originally, before, yeast starter, yeast mash

## 文章

ぶんしょう, もんじょう, もんそう, writing, composition, essay, article, passage, prose, (writing) style, sentence

## 案

あん, idea, plan, proposal, suggestion, (government) bill, draft, rough copy, expectation, desk, stand, つくえ, つき, desk

## 起き

きぼう, hope, wish, aspiration, (bright) prospects, expectation

## 強く

## 記憶

きおく, memory, recollection, remembrance, memory, storage

## 方々

かたがた, people, (all) persons, everyone, ladies and gentlemen, you (usu. plural), ほうぼう, here and there, this way and that way, everywhere, all over

## おい

hey!, say!, I say!, come on!, look!, oi!, I, me, nephew, old age, old person, the old, the aged, wooden box carried on one's back to store items for a pilgrimage

## とおり

avenue, street, way, road, coming and going, street traffic, flow (of water, air, etc.), transmission (of sound), reach (e.g. of voice), fame, reputation, popularity, the same status or way, as (e.g. as expected, as I said), understanding, comprehension, counter for sets of things, counter for methods, ways, types, penetration (as of light)

## 呼ば

## 取引

とりひき, transactions, dealings, business

## 作り

つくり, making, producing, manufacturing, building, construction, make, structure, appearance (attire, make-up, etc.), build, physique, sashimi, forced (smile, etc.), つくり, making, forming, cultivating, growing, form, appearance

## 付け

つけ, ツケ, bill, bill of sale, payment invoice, tab (for later payment), credit, contact move, direct attack to an enemy stone, sound effect produced by striking with clappers a wooden board in kabuki, letter, reason, motive, pretext, one's fortune, one's luck, づけ, dated, date, fixed, external

## 思え

## 感じる

かんじる, to feel, to sense, to experience

## 市民

しみん, citizen, citizenry, public, city inhabitant, townspeople, bourgeoisie, middle class

## 超

ちょう, チョー, super-, ultra-, hyper-, extreme, extremely, really, totally, absolutely, over, more than

## 上げ

あげ, tuck (e.g. in a dress), rise (e.g. in price)

## 資金

しきん, funds, capital

## メディア

media

## 友達

ともだち, friend, companion

## 危険

きけん, danger, peril, hazard, risk

## 運営

うんえい, management, administration, operation

## 導入

どうにゅう, introduction, bringing in, installation, setting up, importation, introduction (to a story, lecture, etc.), introductory part

## 予想

よそう, expectation, anticipation, prediction, forecast, conjecture

## ファイル

file (for holding papers), file (collection of documents), filing, keeping on file, file

## おく

inner part, inside, interior, depths (e.g. of a forest), back (of a house, drawer, etc.), bottom (e.g. of one's heart), recesses, heart,  $10^8$ , 100,000,000, hundred million, to put, to place, to leave (behind), to establish (an organization, a facility, a position, etc.), to set up, to appoint (someone to a certain position), to hire, to employ, to place (one's trust, one's faith, etc.), to bear (in mind, etc.), to put down a tool (e.g. a pen) hence stopping what one is doing with that tool, to take in (boarders, etc.), to provide lodging in one's house, to separate spatially or temporally, to do something in advance, to leave something in a certain state, to keep something in a certain state, to stop (doing something), to cease, to put aside, to leave as is, to leave alone, to exclude, to except, house, building, roof

## いずれ

where, which, who, anyway, anyhow, at any rate, sooner or later, eventually, one of these days, at some future date or time, both, either, any, all, whichever

## モデル

model, dummy, mock-up, model (profession), fashion model, model (of a vehicle, machine, etc.), version, model (e.g. mathematical), model (for a fictional character, place, etc.), inspiration, model (in model theory)

## 必ず

かならず, always, without exception, necessarily, certainly, without fail, positively, invariably

## たとえば

for example, for instance, e.g.

## レ

re (2nd note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), ray, D (note in the fixed-do system), real (Brazilian currency), check mark, tick mark

## 発売

はつばい, sale, offering for sale, release (for sale), launch (product)

## はっきり

clearly, plainly, distinctly, to be clear, to be definite, to be certain, to be exact, to become clear, to clear up

## あげ

tuck (e.g. in a dress), rise (e.g. in price), frying, fried food, aburaage, thin deep-fried slices of tofu, cylindrical bamboo fishing basket

## 得る

うる, to be able to ..., can ..., to get, to acquire, to obtain, to procure, to earn, to win, to gain, to secure, to attain, える, to get, to earn, to acquire, to procure, to gain, to secure, to attain, to obtain, to win, to understand, to comprehend, to receive something undesirable (e.g. a punishment), to get (ill), to be able to ..., can ...

## 話題

わだひ, topic, subject, much talked about, topical, in the news, hot

## 建築

けんちく, construction, architecture (of buildings)

## 印象

いんしょう, impression

## 出す

だす, to take out, to get out, to put out, to reveal, to show, to submit (e.g. thesis), to turn in, to publish, to make public, to send (e.g. letter), to produce (a sound), to start (fire), to serve (food), ... out (e.g. to jump out, to carry out), to begin ..., to start to ..., to burst into ...

## 課題

かだい, subject, theme, issue, matter, homework, assignment, task, challenge, problem, question

## 事故

じこ, ことゆえ, accident, incident, trouble, circumstances, reasons

## ライブ

live (broadcasting, music, etc.), live performance, live concert, resonant (room, etc.), reverberating, echoey

## 大きい

おおきい, big, large, great, loud, extensive, spacious, important, decisive, valuable, older, grown up

## ソフト

soft, software, soft hat, felt hat, soft serve ice cream, softball

## 額

がく, (picture) frame, framed picture, amount (esp. of money), sum, ひたい, forehead, brow

## 聞く

きく, to hear, to listen (e.g. to music), to ask, to enquire, to query, to hear about, to hear of, to learn of, to follow (advice, order, etc.), to obey, to listen to, to comply with, to hear (e.g. a plea), to grant (a request), to accept (e.g. an argument), to give consideration to, to smell (esp. incense), to sample (a fragrance), to taste (alcohol), to try

## バス

bus, bath, bass, double bass, bass (fish, e.g. Japanese seabass)

## 母

はは, はわ, かか, おも, いろは, あも, mother

## チェック

check, plaid, checkered, checking, monitoring, looking over, scrutinizing, inspecting, check (banking), cheque, bill (restaurant), check (chess)

## ちゃんと

diligently, seriously, earnestly, reliably, steadily, legitimately, perfectly, properly, exactly, orderly, punctually, regularly, safely, in good condition, sufficiently, satisfactorily, quickly

## われわれ

we

## 使い

つかい, errand, mission, going as envoy, messenger, bearer, errand boy, errand girl, familiar spirit, use, usage, user, trainer, tamer, charmer

## 学習

がくしゅう, study, learning, tutorial

## 靴

くつ, shoe, shoes, boots, footwear, footgear

## むしろ

rather, better, instead, if anything, woven mat (esp. one made of straw), seat

## 割

わり, rate, ratio, proportion, one tenth, ten percent, (comparative) profit, gain, assignment, allotment, allocation, match, schedule of matches, diluted with (of drinks), mixed with, discount, rebate

## まさに

exactly, just, precisely, really, truly, surely, certainly, without doubt, right (when), just (as), just (about to), on the point of, on the verge of, on the brink of, really (ought to), certainly (should), naturally, just (about to), on the point of, on the verge of, on the brink of, really (ought to), certainly (should), naturally

## 権利

けんり, right, privilege

## 発展

はってん, development, growth, expansion, extension, flourishing, development (of a situation, story, etc.), advancement, progression, unfolding, playing around (sexually; esp. of a male homosexual), having an active sex life

## 記録

きろく, record, minutes, document, record (e.g. in sports), results, score, to record, to document, to set a record (e.g. in sports), to show a result, to reach a value

## 光

ひかり, light, illumination, ray, beam, gleam, glow, happiness, hope, influence, power, vision, eyesight

## 個

こ, コ, counter for articles, counter for military units, individual, か, カ, counter for the ichi-ni-san counting system (usu. directly preceding the item being counted), a noun read using its on-yomi, つ, ち, ぢ, じ, counter for the hito-futa-mi counting system (forming hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu, and misoji, yasoji, etc.)

## 計算

けいさん, calculation, reckoning, count, forecast

## 雨

あめ, rain, rainy day, rainy weather, the November suit (in hanafuda)

## 種類

しゅるい, variety, kind, type, category, counter for kinds, species, etc.

## 設計

せつけい, plan, design, layout

## 非

ひ, fault, error, mistake, going poorly, being disadvantageous, being unfavorable, un-, non-, an-

## 現場

げんば, げんじょう, actual spot, scene (of a crime, accident, etc.), (on) site, (on) the ground, (in) the field, job site, filming location, (movie) set

## 途中

とちゅう, on the way, en route, in the middle of, midway, halfway

## 気分

きぶん, feeling, mood

## 昭和

しょうわ, Shōwa era (1926.12.25-1989.1.7), reminiscent of the Shōwa era, Shōwa-nostalgic, old-fashioned, quaint, old-school

## 地球

ちきゅう, Earth, the globe

## 移動

いどう, movement, transfer, migration, removal, travel, mobile, moving, traveling, travelling, roving

## 絵

え, が, picture, drawing, painting, sketch, image (TV, film, etc.), picture, footage

## 調べ

しらべ, investigation, inspection, examination, tune, note, melody

## ごと

each, every, including..., with ..., inclusive of, ...and all, like, similar to, same as, nominalizing suffix, pretending to ..., playing make-believe ..., cheating at pachinko (for monetary gain; through illegal tampering with the machines, etc.), scamming a pachinko parlor

## 料

りょう, fee, charge, rate, material, はやし, ornament, adornment, decoration

## 発行

はっこう, publication (of a newspaper, magazine, book, etc.), issue, issue (of banknotes, bonds, passport, etc.), raising (an event)

## 企画

きかく, planning, plan, project, arrangements

## 宗教

しゅうきょう, religion, religious affiliation, belief, faith, creed, religious activity

## 改正

かいせい, revision, amendment, alteration

## 間違い

まちがい, mistake, error, blunder, accident, mishap, trouble, improper conduct (e.g. between man and woman), indiscretion

## 数字

すうじ, numeral, figure, digit, numeric character

## 若い

わかい, young, youthful, immature, green, low (number), small

## 覚え

おぼえ, memory, sense, experience

## 分から

ばい, double, twice (as much), times (as much), -fold, 1-nth, 1 to n, 1 in n

## 倍

せん, line, stripe, stria, line (e.g. telephone line), wire, ray (e.g. X-ray), beam, line (e.g. of a railroad), track, route, lane, outline, contours, form, level, division, line (of action), position, approach, policy, principle, impression one leaves, air one gives off

## 線

## そのもの

the very thing, itself

## 不安

ふあん, anxiety, uneasiness, worry, apprehension, fear, insecurity, suspense

## 自ら

おのずから, naturally, in due course, by itself, of its own accord, みずから, oneself, oneself, for oneself, personally, in person

## 知れ

## 広告

こうこく, advertisement, advertising, announcement, notice

## 土地

とち, どおじ, どじ, どち, plot of land, lot, soil, locality, region, place

## それら

those (near the second person)

## 有名

ゆうめい, famous, fame

## 言語

げんご, ごんご, げんきよ, language

## 共同

きょうどう, cooperation, collaboration, association, partnership, (acting in) unison, community, communal use, common possession, sharing

## 年代

ねんだい, age, era, period, date

## タイプ

type, kind, sort, style, type (of person), (ideal) type, one's type, typewriter, typing

## プロジェクト

project

## 要求

ようきゅう, demand, firm request, requisition, requirement, desire

## 差

さ, difference, variation, difference, さし, サン, between (e.g. two people), face to face, hindrance, impediment, arrhythmic section of recitative in noh music, playing with only 2 players, prefix used for stress or emphasis, counter for traditional dance songs

## 教授

きょうじゆ, professor, teaching, instruction

## 進め

## 戦略

せんりやく, strategy, tactics

## 営業

えいぎょう, business, trade, operations, sales

## 制

せい, system, organization, organisation, imperial command, laws, regulation, control, government, suppression, restraint, holding back, establishment

## 無理

むり, ムリ, unreasonable, unnatural, unjustifiable, impossible, forcible, forced, compulsory, excessive (work, etc.), immoderate, to work too hard, to try too hard, no way, not a chance, never, dream on, irrational

## 役割

やくわり, part, assigning (allotment of) parts, role, duties

## 改善

かいぜん, betterment, improvement, kaizen (Japanese business philosophy of continuous improvement)

## 北朝鮮

きたちようせん, North Korea

## きっと

surely, undoubtedly, almost certainly, most likely (e.g. 90 percent), sternly, severely, having no slack, rigid, stiff, tight, suddenly, abruptly, instantly

## 期

き, period, time, opportunity, chance, occasion, age, term (e.g. in office), session (e.g. of parliament), stage (e.g. of a disease), season (e.g. of a TV series), ころ, time, moment, limit, time of death, last moment, midnight in red-light districts during the Edo period

## イギリス

United Kingdom, Britain, Great Britain, England

## ユーザー

user

## 撮影

さつえい, photography (still or motion), photographing, filming, shooting, (video) recording

## 変え

かえ, changing, change

## エネルギー

energy, energy, strength, power, stamina, get-up-and-go, energy source, energy resource, food energy, calories

## 楽しい

たのしい, enjoyable, fun, pleasant, happy, delightful

## 拡大

かくだい, expansion, extension, magnification, enlargement, escalation, spread

## 色々

いろいろ, various, all sorts of, variety of, various colors (colours)

## 示し

しめし, lesson, discipline, example (e.g. set a bad example), revelation

## 終わり

おわり, end, ending, close, conclusion, end of (one's) life, death

## 道路

どうろ, road, highway

## 種

しゆ, kind, variety, (biological) species, (logical) species, たね, seed (e.g. of a plant), pip, kernel, stone (e.g. of a peach), progeny, offspring, issue, breed, paternal blood, lineage, sperm, semen, seed, cause, source, seed, origin, material (e.g. for an article), matter (e.g. of a story), subject (of discussion), theme, (news) copy, source (of a story), ingredient, main ingredient (of a piece of sushi), leaven, mechanism (of a magic trick, etc.), secret, trickery, 10-point card, tane, animal card, くさ, cause, seed, origin, variety, kind, counter for varieties

## ちゃっ

## 憲法

けんぽう, けんぽう, constitution, rules, regulation

## 見せ

## 感謝

かんしゃ, thanks, gratitude, appreciation, thankfulness

## 感覚

かんかく, sense, sensation, feeling, intuition

## 旅

たび, travel, trip, journey, りよ, 500-man battalion (Zhou dynasty Chinese army)

## 紙

かみ, paper, し, newspaper

## 高校

こうこう, senior high school, high school

## 買い

かい, buying, shopping, buyer, purchase

## 仕方

しかた, way, method, means, resource, course

## 信じ

## 実行

じっこう, execution (e.g. of a plan), carrying out, practice, action, implementation, fulfillment, realization

## もらう

to receive, to take, to accept, to get someone to do something, to have in one's pocket (a fight, match), to contract (a disease), to catch, to be affected

## とりあえず

first of all, at once, right away, for now, for the time being

## 記者

きしゃ, reporter, journalist

## 通常

つうじょう, usual, ordinary, normal, regular, general, common

## 既に

すでに, すんでに, already, too late

## 現状

げんじょう, present condition, existing state, status quo, current state

## 建設

けんせつ, construction, establishment

## 味

あじ, flavor, flavour, taste, charm, appeal, uniqueness, attractiveness, experience, taste (e.g. of victory), smart, clever, witty, strange, み, (sense of) taste, counter for food, drink, medicine, etc.

## だが

but, however, (and) yet, nevertheless, still, for all that

## スタッフ

staff, stuff, stuffing, filling

## 先日

せんじつ, the other day, a few days ago

## 最新

さいしん, latest, newest, late-breaking (news)

## 中央

ちゅうおう, centre, center, middle, heart, capital, seat of government

## 幸せ

しあわせ, しやわせ, happiness, good fortune, luck, blessing

## 犬

いぬ, イヌ, dog (Canis (lupus) familiaris), squealer, rat, snitch, informer, informant, spy, loser, asshole, counterfeit, inferior, useless, wasteful

## 平均

へいきん, へいぎん, average, mean, balance, equilibrium

## カード

card (information, filing, etc.), card (greetings, congratulations, etc.), (Western) playing cards, credit card, debit card, match, game, dough scraper, spatula, curd

## 物語

ものがたり, story, tale, narrative, account, fable, legend

## かかる

to span, to bridge, to cross, to straddle, to take (a resource, e.g. time or money), to hang, to come into view, to arrive, to come under (a contract, a tax), to start (engines, motors), to attend, to deal with, to handle, to have started to, to be on the verge of, to overlap (e.g. information in a manual), to cover, to (come) at, to be fastened, to be covered (e.g. with dust, a tablecloth, etc.), to be caught in, to get a call, to depend on, to be the work of, to be the result of, to be done by, to concern, to affect, to involve, to relate to, to contract (a disease), to suffer from, such, like this, to chap, to crack

## 似

に, looking like (someone), taking after (either of one's parents)

## 持ち

もち, having, holding, possessing, owning, using, holder, owner, user, wear, durability, life, charge, expense, draw (in go, poetry contest, etc.), tie

## 末

うら, top end, tip, うれ, new shoots, new growth (of a tree), すえ, end, tip, top, end (of the year, month, etc.), close, youngest child, descendants, offspring, posterity, future, (finally) after, (at last) after, at the end of, trifles, trivialities, degenerate age, まつ, the end (of), powder

## 財政

ざいせい, public finance, financial affairs, financial situation

## いわ

physical disorder, rock, boulder, crag, cliff, anchor, weight (of a fishing net), Italian-Japanese (e.g. dictionary)

## 追加

ついか, addition, supplement, appending, appendix

## 不思議

ふしぎ, wonderful, marvelous, strange, incredible, amazing, curious, miraculous, mysterious, strangely enough, oddly enough, for some reason, curiously

## よかつ

## ネットワーク

network

## 警察

けいさつ, police, police officer, police station

## 初

はつ, うい, first, new, うぶ, innocent, naive, unsophisticated, inexperienced, green, wet behind the ears, birth-, ぞめ, first doing of ... (ever, in one's life, in the new year, etc.)

## 雑誌

ざっし, journal, magazine, periodical

## 提案

ていあん, proposal, proposition, suggestion

## 編

へん, compilation (of a text), editing, volume (of a text), completed literary work

## 残っ

## 大人

おとな, だいにん, adult, grown-up, たいじん, person of virtue, great person, magnanimous person, giant, adult, exalted person

## 日々

ひび, にちにち, daily, everyday, days (e.g. of one's youth), every day, day after day, day by day, from day to day

## 様子

ようす, state (of affairs), situation, circumstances, appearance, look(s), air, manner, behaviour, demeanor, sign, indication

## せい

system, organization, organisation, imperial command, laws, regulation, control, government, suppression, restraint, holding back, establishment, energy, military strength, surname, family name, hereditary title (used in ancient Japan to denote rank and political standing), nature (of a person), sex, gender, sex (i.e. sexual attraction, activity, etc.), gender, -ty, -ity, -ness, -cy, rule, government, (logical) true, regular, 10<sup>4</sup>0, ten thousand undecillion, original, positive, greater than zero, thesis (in dialectics), spirit, sprite, nymph, energy, vigor (vigour), strength, fine details, semen, -made, make, height, stature, consequence, outcome, result, blame, fault, Saint, St., S., sacred, holy, pure, life, living, I, me, myself, student, Chinese "star" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), Singapore, counter for generations, epoch, well curb, Chinese "Well" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), Spain, Spanish (language), flag (esp. originally a flagpole-topping streamer made of feathers), Qi (kingdom in China during the Spring and Autumn Period and the Period of the Warring States), Ch'i, stillness, quiet, peacefulness

## いろいろな

various

## 生徒

せいと, pupil, student, schoolchild

## マン

man, counter for character tiles

## 戻る

もどる, to turn back (e.g. half-way), to return, to go back, to recover (e.g. something lost), to be returned, to rebound, to spring back, もとる, to go against, to act contrary to, to run counter to, to deviate from

## 総合

そうごう, synthesis, combination, integration, putting together, synthesis, colligation

## 値

あたひ, price, cost, value, worth, merit, value, ち, level, value, ね, price, cost, value, worth, merit

## 活用

かつよう, practical use, application, conjugation, inflection

## 決して

けっして, 決して, (not) ever, (not) by any means, (not) in the least, (not) in any way, (not) at all

## 交換

こうかん, exchange, interchange, switching, reciprocity, barter, substitution, replacement, clearing (of checks, cheques)

## 身体

からだ, body, torso, trunk, build, physique, frame, figure, health, constitution, corpse, dead body, しんたい, しんだい, しんてい, body, physical system, (the) person

## 整備

せいび, maintenance, servicing, putting in place, development, improvement, preparation, provision, equipping, outfitting

## リスク

risk, reduced instruction set computer, RISC

## 規定

きてい, stipulation, prescription, provision, regulation, rule, normal (unit of normality), compulsory exercise (in gymnastics), compulsory routine, compulsory dance (figure skating), (a) compulsory

## 想像

そうそう, imagination, supposition, guess

## ああ

ah!, oh!, alas!, yes, indeed, that is correct, aah, gah, argh, hey!, yo!, uh huh, yeah yeah, right, gotcha, like that, so, caw (of a crow, etc.)

## ケース

case (e.g. receptacle, condition, event, legal action, letter style, etc.), Computer-Aided Software Engineering, CASE

## アジア

Asia

## ねえ

right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?, hey, say, listen, look, come on, you know, you see, I must say, I should think, will you?, please, so, ..., well, ..., you see, ..., you understand?, I'm not sure if ..., I have my doubts about whether ..., nonexistent, not being (there), not having, not

## 加え

## 左

ひだり, left, left hand side, さ, left (esp. in vertical Japanese writing), the following

## 満足

まんぞく, satisfaction, contentment, gratification, sufficient, satisfactory, enough, adequate, proper, decent, satisfying (an equation)

## 規模

きぼ, scale, scope, plan, structure

## 集

しゅう, collection, compilation

## 本当

ほんとう, ほんと, ホント, ホントー, ホントウ, truth, reality, actuality, fact, proper, right, correct, official, genuine, authentic, real, natural, veritable

## 以降

いこう, on and after, from ... onward, since

## 比較

ひかく, comparison

## 法人

ほうじん, corporation, corporate body, company, legal entity, legal person, juridical person

## クラス

class

## 犯罪

はんざい, crime, offence, offense

## 午前

ごぜん, morning, a.m.

## 会長

かいちょう, president (of a society), chairman

## なんと

what, how, what (a) ...!, how ...!, surprisingly, to my amazement, believe it or not, why, ...!, oh my, wow, well, ..., so, ..., Nara, Kōfuku-ji (Buddhist temple in Nara), Chinese "Dipper" constellation (one of the 28 mansions)

## まとめ

settlement, conclusion, summary

## 平和

へいわ, peace, harmony, ビンフ, ビンホー, concealed winning hand consisting of chows, a pair that isn't a value pair, and an open wait

## 基礎

きそ, foundation, basis

## 特定

とくてい, specific, particular, designated, special, specifying, designating, identifying, pinpointing

## ヨーロッパ

Europe

## ネタ

material (for a story, article, etc.), information, news item, joke, jest, (comedy) routine, made-up story, material, proof, evidence, (magician's) trick, secret, ingredients, (Internet) meme

## どうも

thank you, thanks, much (thanks), very (sorry), quite (regret), quite, really, mostly, somehow, in spite of oneself, try as one might, no matter how hard one may try (to, not to), greetings, hello, goodbye

## ドア

door (Western-style, car, etc.)

## 画像

がぞう, image, picture, portrait

## 村

むら, そん, village

## 少年

しょうねん, boy, juvenile, young boy, youth, lad

## 安定

あんてい, stability, steadiness, consistency, equilibrium, balance, composure, stable

## 実験

じっけん, experiment, experimentation

## ちゃ

tea, tea plant (Camellia sinensis), tea preparation, making tea, brown, mockery, if (an action, etc.), since ..., if you are going to ..., one after another

## メーカー

manufacturer (esp. a major company), producer, maker, maker, device for making things, person who creates things

## 本人

ほんにん, the person in question, the person themselves, said person

## 雰囲気

ふんいき, ふいんき, atmosphere, mood, ambience, aura, feel, a certain air, presence, special aura, something (about someone), (Earth's) atmosphere

## 国会

こっかい, National Diet, Imperial Diet, legislative assembly, parliament, congress

## まあ

just (e.g. "just wait here!"), come now, now, now, tolerably, passably, moderately, reasonably, fairly, rather, somewhat, well..., I think..., it would seem..., you might say..., Hmm, I guess so..., oh!, oh dear!, oh, my!, wow!, goodness gracious!, good heavens!

## 患者

かんじゃ, patient

## 歌

うた, song, singing, classical Japanese poem (esp. tanka), modern poetry

## 高く

かいじょう, assembly hall, meeting place, venue, site, grounds

## 治療

ちりょう, じりょう, (medical) treatment, care, therapy, cure, remedy

## 探し

## ぜひ

certainly, without fail, right and wrong, pros and cons

## すごい

terrible, dreadful, amazing (e.g. of strength), great (e.g. of skills), wonderful, terrific, to a great extent, vast (in numbers), awfully, very, immensely

## それでも

but (still), and yet, nevertheless, even so, notwithstanding

## 電子

でんし, electron, electronic

## 小説

しょうせつ, novel, story, (work of) fiction

## 箸

はし, chopsticks

## 受ける

うける, ウケる, to receive, to get, to catch (e.g. a ball), to be struck by (wind, waves, sunlight, etc.), to sustain (damage), to incur (a loss), to suffer (an injury), to feel (influence), to undergo (e.g. surgery), to take (a test), to accept (a challenge), to be given (e.g. life, talent), to find funny, to find humorous, to be amused (by), to follow, to succeed, to be descended from, to face (south, etc.), to be modified by, to obtain (a pawned item, etc.) by paying a fee, to be well-received, to become popular, to go down well

## 死

し, 死, death, decease, (an) out, death penalty (by strangulation or decapitation; most severe of the five ritsuryō punishments)

## 注目

ちゅうもく, notice, attention, observation

## 食事

しょくじ, meal, dinner, diet

## 知り

## 違っ

## 乗っ

## 維持

いじ, maintenance, preservation, improvement

## ほぼ

almost, roughly, approximately, childcare worker, kindergarten teacher

## 続い

## 文

ふみ, letter, writings, ぶん, sentence, composition, text, writings, the literary arts (as opposed to the military arts), academia, literature, statement, もん, (family) crest, coat of arms, pattern, figure, playing card suit (in karuta), あや, figure, design, twill weave, pattern of diagonal stripes, style (of writing), figure (of speech), design, plot, plan, minor market fluctuation, technical correction, cat's cradle, lease rod (in a loom), もん, mon, mon, letter, character, sentence, scripture, incantation

## 範囲

はんい, extent, scope, sphere, range, span

## コラム

column (e.g. in newspaper), stand-alone feature article framed by a box

## 常に

つねに, always, constantly

## 著作

ちよさく, writing, book

## ざる

draining basket (traditionally made of bamboo), colander, strainer, sieve, something full of holes, zaru soba, strong drinker, someone who can drink like a fish, not, un-

## 表

おもて, surface, face (i.e. the visible side of an object), front (of a building, etc.), obverse side (i.e. "head") of a coin, outside, exterior, appearance, public, first half (of an inning), top (of an inning), cover (for tatami mats, etc.), foreground, Omotesenke school of tea ceremony, ひょう, table, chart, list, memorial to an emperor

## 合わせ

あわせ, joint together, opposite, facing

## ものの

although, though, despite the fact that ..., only ..., no more than ..., a matter of

## いっぱい

one defeat, one cup (of), one glass (of), one bowl (of), cupful, glassful, bowlful, spoonful, one drink (of alcohol), full, filled (with), brimming (with), crowded, packed, fully, to capacity, to the maximum, as much as possible, a lot, much, many, all of ..., the entire ..., one (squid, octopus, crab, etc.), one (boat)

## 夫

おっと, husband, お, male, manly, brave, heroic, larger (of the two), greater, man, husband, そ, that, he, she, that person, つま, my dear, dear, honey

## 理論

りろん, theory

## 秒

びょう, second (unit of time), arc second

## 日常

にちじょう, everyday, daily, ordinary, usual, routine, regular

## イラク

Iraq

## 業者

ぎょうしゃ, trader, dealer, businessperson, company, vendor, supplier, manufacturer, maker, contractor, fellow trader, people in the same trade

## 回答

かいとう, reply, answer

## 体制

たいせい, order, system, structure, set-up, organization, organisation

## ど

degree (angle, temperature, scale, etc.), counter for occurrences, strength (of glasses), glasses prescription, alcohol content (percentage), alcohol by volume, extent, degree, limit, presence of mind, composure, way, route, Saturday, earth, dirt, soil, land, lands, ground, earth (third of the five elements), precisely, exactly, plumb, totally, very much, damn, stupid, cursed, third principle of the Eight Principles of Yong, downward stroke, crossbow, cylindrical bamboo fishing basket, but, however, even though, even if

## 調整

ちようせい, adjustment, regulation, coordination, reconciliation, tuning, fixing, tailoring

## 訴訟

そしょう, litigation, lawsuit

## 階

かい, storey, story, floor, stairs, stage (in chronostratigraphy), counter for storeys and floors of a building, しな, article, item, thing, goods, stock, quality, flirtatiousness, coquetry, きざはし, きだはし, はし, stairs, stairs at the front of a noh stage

## 酒

さけ, ささ, き, くし, しゅ, alcohol, sake

## 住民

じゅうみん, inhabitant, resident, citizen, population

## いれ

container, receptacle, case, bag, pouch, box, holder, inserting, putting in

## 疑問

ぎもん, doubt, question, suspicion, dubiousness

## 失敗

しっぱい, failure, mistake, blunder

## 島

しま, island, one's territory (e.g. of a sex worker, organized crime gang), one's turf, とう, Island, insula, island, islet

## 知る

しる, to know, to be aware (of), to be conscious (of), to learn (of), to find out, to discover, to sense, to feel, to notice, to realize, to understand, to comprehend, to grasp, to appreciate, to remember, to be familiar with, to be acquainted with, to experience, to go through, to know (e.g. hardship), to get acquainted with (a person), to get to know, to have to do with, to be concerned with, to be one's concern, to be one's responsibility

## 息子

むすこ, そく, son, penis

## 資本

しほん, funds, capital

## 事情

じじょう, circumstances, conditions, situation, reasons, state of affairs

## コース

course, route, trail, course (of study), program, lane (in running, swimming, etc.), course (of action), policy, track, path, course (of a multi-course meal), full-course meal, multi-course meal, plan (type of offered service), course, option, pitch

## 応援

おうえん, aid, assistance, help, support, reinforcement, cheering, rooting (for), support

## 置い

## 感想

かんそう, impressions, thoughts, feelings, reactions

## 解説

かいせつ, explanation, commentary, exposition, elucidation

## 妻

つま, wife, garnish (esp. one served with sashimi), trimmings, accompaniment, side (remark), め, female, smaller (of the two), weaker, woman, wife, さい, one's wife, つま, edge, tip, end, gable wall, gable, そばめ, mistress, kept woman, concubine, close female servant, つま, my dear, dear, honey

## シリーズ

series

## ただし

but, however, provided that

## 客

きゃく, かく, guest, visitor, customer, client, shopper, spectator, audience, tourist, sightseer, passenger, counter for containers used to entertain guests, まろうと, まろうと, visitor from afar, guest, まれびと, マレビト, visitor from afar, joy-bringing spirit from the divine realms

## 公共

こうきょう, public (facilities, service, etc.), communal

## 民間

みんかん, private, non-governmental, non-official, civilian, civil, folk, popular

## イタリア

Italy

## 分かり

わかり, understanding, comprehension

## 弁護士

べんごし, lawyer, attorney

## 裁判

さいばん, trial, judgement, judgment

## かかっ

## 建物

たてもの, building

## 対

たい, opposite, opposition, versus, vs., v., to (e.g. "winning a game five to three"), equal footing, equal terms, against ..., anti-, toward ..., to ..., つい, pair, couple, set, antithesis, counter for items that come in pairs, counter for sets (of clothes, small furniture, utensils, etc.)

## 省

しょう, ministry, department, province (of China), saving, conserving

## 措置

そち, measure, step, action

## 続ける

つづける, to continue, to keep up, to keep on

## 組合

くみあい, association, union, guild

## に対し

にたいし, towards, against, regarding, in contrast with

## 父

ちち, ちゃん, てて, かそ, かそ, しし, あて, father

## 本来

ほんらい, originally, primarily, essentially, intrinsically, naturally, by nature, in (and of) itself, proper, rightful, legal, normal

## 元気

げんき, lively, full of spirit, energetic, vigorous, vital, spirited, healthy, well, fit, in good health

## 一体

いったい, (what) the heck, (why) in the world, (who) on earth, one object, one body, unity, one form, one style, one Buddhist image (or carving, etc.), generally, in general

## 宇宙

うちゅう, universe, cosmos, space

## 見つけ

## 図

ず, drawing, picture, diagram, figure, illustration, chart, graph, map, sight, scene

## シ

ti (7th note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), si, B (note in the fixed-do system)

## クラブ

nightclub, sports club, team, (golf) club, clubs (suit), club, fraternity, sorority, clubhouse, crab

## タイトル

title

## 作

さく, work (e.g. of art), production, harvest, cultivation, farming, crop, yield, technique

## 着

ちゃく, arrival, arriving at ..., counter for items or suits of clothing, nth place (in a race), counter for moves, ぎ, clothes, outfit, uniform

## 伝え

つたえ, legend, tradition

## 番

ばん, number (in a series), (one's) turn, watch, guard, lookout, rank, standing, position, bout, match, pieces (in a collection), つがい, pair (esp. of mated animals), brace, couple, (anatomical) joint

## お客様

おきゃくさま, guest, visitor, customer, client, shopper, spectator, audience, tourist, sightseer, passenger

## 採用

さいよう, use, adoption, acceptance, appointment, employment, engagement, recruitment

## しばらく

for a moment, for a minute, for a while, for some time, for the time being, for now, it's been a long time, long time no see

## 待つ

## 二つ

ふたつ, two

## 観光

かんこう, sightseeing, tourism

## 提出

ていしゅつ, presentation (of documents), submission (of an application, report, etc.), production (e.g. of evidence), introduction (e.g. of a bill), filing, turning in

## 以来

いらい, since, henceforth

## 首相

しゅしょう, prime minister, chancellor (Germany, Austria, etc.), premier

## 推進

すいしん, propulsion, drive, promotion (of a policy, project, movement, etc.), furtherance, advancement, pushing forward

## 業

ごう, karma, result of one's karma, fate, destiny, uncontrollable temper, わざ, deed, act, work, performance, ぎょう, work, business, company, agency, study

## 確保

かくほ, securing, obtaining, ensuring, guarantee, maintaining, belay, belaying

## 動物

どうぶつ, animal

## 買う

かう, to buy, to purchase, to value (highly), to think highly of, to have a high opinion of, to appreciate, to recognize, to incur (someone's anger, displeasure, etc.), to elicit (e.g. sneers), to invite (e.g. scorn), to evoke, to arouse, to win (someone's favour), to accept, to take on, to take up, to pay for (a prostitute, geisha, etc.)

## 検査

けんさ, inspection (e.g. customs, factory), examination, test, check, scan (e.g. MRI, PET), audit

## 映像

えいぞう, image (on a screen), picture (e.g. on a TV), video, film, footage, reflection, image (in one's mind), mental picture

## 比べ

くらべ, contest, comparison, competition

## 信頼

しんらい, reliance, trust, faith, confidence

## 要素

ようそ, component, factor, item (e.g. in list), element (e.g. in array), member (e.g. data structure)

## どんどん

drumming (noise), beating, pounding, banging, booming, stamping, rapidly, quickly, steadily, continuously, one after the other, in succession

## 世

よ, world, society, public, life, lifetime, age, era, period, epoch, generation, reign, rule, the times, world (of existence), せい, counter for generations, epoch

## コスト

cost

## よろしく

well, properly, suitably, best regards, please remember me, please treat me favorably (favourably), please take care of, please do, just like ..., as though one were ..., by all means, of course, best regards, please remember me, please treat me favorably (favourably), please take care of, best regards, pleased to meet you, please remember me, please treat me favorably (favourably), please take care of

## 人物

じんぶつ, person, character, figure, personage, man, woman, one's character, one's personality, able person, talented person

## 規制

きせい, regulation, (traffic) policing, control, restriction

## 空間

くうかん, space, room, airspace, あきま, vacancy, room for rent or lease

## 戻っ

## 記念

きねん, commemoration, celebration, remembrance, memory, honoring the memory of, memento, souvenir, keepsake

## 方針

ほうしん, policy, course, plan (of action), principle, magnetic needle

## もつとも

most, extremely, but then, although, though, reasonable, natural, just

## 役

えき, えだち, war, campaign, battle, unpaid work (ritsuruyō system), forced labor, やく, role, assignment, responsibility, duty, function, job, service, position (of responsibility), post, office, part (in a play, film, etc.), role, character, scoring combination, hand, yaku, meld

## 右

みぎ, right, right-hand side, aforementioned (esp. in vertical Japanese writing), foregoing, forgoing, above

## させ

## 審議

しんぎ, deliberation, discussion, consideration

## 競争

きょうそう, competition, contest, rivalry, race, competition (between organisms or species)

## 行い

おこない, deed, act, action, conduct, behavior, behaviour, asceticism

## 設置

せっち, establishment, institution, installation (of a machine or equipment)

## 続く

つづく, to continue, to last, to go on, to continue (without a break), to be unbroken, to occur again and again, to lead to, to connect to, to adjoin, to come after, to follow, to succeed, to rank next to, to hold out, to keep, to last

## 位置

いち, place, position, location, position, standing, status, situation

## 入れる

いれる, to put in, to let in, to take in, to bring in, to insert, to install (e.g. software), to set (a jewel, etc.), to ink in (e.g. tattoo), to admit, to accept, to employ, to hire, to accept, to comply, to grant, to adopt (a policy, etc.), to take (advice, etc.), to listen to, to pay attention to, to include, to pay (one's rent, etc.), to cast (a vote), to make (tea, coffee, etc.), to turn on (a switch, etc.), to send (a fax), to call

## テスト

examination, quiz, test, test, tryout, trial, rehearsal (in filming)

## 全然

ぜんぜん, (not) at all, (not) in the slightest, wholly, entirely, completely, totally, extremely, very

## 費用

ひよう, cost, expense

## 株式会社

かぶしきがいしゃ, stock company, corporation, kabushiki kaisha, KK

## 席

せき, seat, location (of a gathering, etc.), place, position, post, むしろ, えん, woven mat (esp. one made of straw), seat

## 大統領

だいてうりょう, president (of a nation), big man, boss, buddy, mate

## 口

Russia, 2nd (in a sequence denoted by the iroha system), B (note)

## 良かつ

## 指定

してい, designation, specification, assignment, appointment, pointing at

## 事務所

じむしょ, じむしょ, office

## 感情

かんじょう, emotion, feeling, feelings, sentiment

## 寝

ね, しん, い, sleep, ぬ, to lie down, to go to bed, to go to sleep

## さまざま

various, varied, diverse, all sorts of

## 京都

きょうと, Kyoto (city, prefecture)

## ランキング

ranking, toplist (e.g. of WWW sites)

## といった

such ... as, or some such

## さすが

as one would expect, just as you'd expect (from), just like (someone), still, all the same, after all, even ... (e.g. "even a genius"), dagger

## 空

から, カラ, emptiness, being empty, not carrying anything, unburdened, empty-handed, dishonoured (bill, promise, etc.), false, no-show (reservation), put-on (cheeriness, courage, etc.), empty (compliments), insincere, そら, sky, the air, the heavens, weather, far-off place, distant place, state of mind, feeling, (from) memory, (by) heart, falsehood, lie, somehow, vaguely, fake, うろ, うつお, うつほ, うつせ, hollow, cavity, hole, くら, empty air, sky, shunyata (the lack of an immutable intrinsic nature within any phenomenon), emptiness, air force, fruitlessness, meaninglessness, void (one of the five elements), empty (e.g. set)

## く

section (i.e. of text), sentence, passage, paragraph, phrase, verse (of 5 or 7 mora in Japanese poetry; of 4, 5, or 7 characters in Chinese poetry), haiku, first 17 morae of a renga, etc., maxim, saying, idiom, expression, ward, borough, city (in Tokyo), district (e.g. electoral), section, zone (e.g. postal), nine, 9, pain, anguish, suffering, distress, anxiety, worry, trouble, difficulty, hardship, duhkha (suffering), counter for Buddhist images (statues and paintings), quadrature, klesha (polluting thoughts such as greed, hatred and delusion, which result in suffering), mouth, speech, counter for people or implements

## 仲間

ちゅうげん, samurai's attendant, footman, なかま, companion, fellow, friend, mate, comrade, partner, colleague, coworker, associate, group, company, circle, set, gang, member of the same category (family, class)

## メッセージ

message

## 向かっ

## 取っ

とっ, very, much

## 整理

せいり, sorting, arrangement, organization, putting in order, adjustment, regulation, liquidation, settlement, consolidation, clearance (e.g. debt), paying off, retrenchment, curtailment, cutting down, disposal

## 協会

きょうかい, association, society, organization, organisation

## モノ

mono, thing, object, article, stuff, substance, one's things, possessions, property, belongings, things, something, anything, everything, nothing, quality, reason, the way of things, used to emphasize emotion, judgment, etc., used to indicate a common occurrence in the past (after a verb in past tense), used to indicate a general tendency, used to indicate something that should happen, item classified as ..., item related to ..., work in the genre of ..., cause of ..., cause for ..., somehow, somewhat, for some reason, really, truly

## 離れ

はなれ, detached building, solitary house, room detached from main house, ばなれ, turning away from, shift away from, loss of interest in, alienation from, being far removed from, being very different from, being (completely) unlike, becoming independent of

## 官

かん, government service, the bureaucracy, つかさ, office, official, chief, head, person (usually a woman) who officiates at religious ceremonies (on the Yaeyama Islands in Okinawa)

## ロシア

Russia

## 多数

たすう, large number (of), many, majority

## デジタル

digital

## 耳

みみ, ear, hearing, ear (for music, etc.), edge, crust, heel (of bread or cheese), selvedge (of woven fabric), selvage, ear (of a pot, jug, etc.), handle

## 積極

せっきよく, しゃつきよく, active, positive, progressive

## 評

## 安心

あんしん, relief, peace of mind, あんじん, obtaining peace of mind through faith or ascetic practice

## ぶり

style, manner, way, after (period of time) again (e.g. meeting again after a year), for the first time in (period of time), Japanese amberjack (species of yellowtail, *Seriola quinqueradiata*)

## ダメ

no good, not serving its purpose, useless, broken, hopeless, wasted, in vain, purposeless, cannot, must not, not allowed, neutral point, intersection owned by neither player at the end of a game, no!, stop!

## 独立

どくりつ, independence, self-reliance, supporting oneself, being on one's own, independence (e.g. of a nation), freedom, separation, isolation

## イン

in (of a ball; in tennis, etc.), inside the line, in, inside, internal, interior, enter here, enter, entrance, (parking) entry, back nine, inside lane (track cycling, speed skating, etc.), check-in time, inn, hotel

## 読者

どくしゃ, reader

## ち

blood, blood, ancestry, lineage, stock, (the) blood, feelings, passions, needle, pin, hook, stinger, thorn, hand (e.g. clock, etc.), pointer, staple (for a stapler), needlework, sewing, malice, counter for stitches, 1,000, thousand, earth, ground, land, soil, place, territory, bottom (of a package, book, etc.), earth (one of the five elements), milk, breast, loop, decorative bump (on a hanging bell), wisdom, jnana (higher knowledge), foolishness, fool, moha (ignorance, folly), level, value, counter for the hito-futa-mi counting system (forming hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu, and misoji, yasoji, etc.), cogon grass (*Imperata cylindrica*), caning (10-50 strokes; least severe of the five ristyūō punishments), fourth degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), way, road, way to ..., road to ..., politics, government, administration, rule, peace, medical treatment, cure, nth day (of the month), counter for days

## 雇用

こよう, employment, hire

## なに

what, you-know-what, that thing, whatsit, whachamacallit, what's-his-name, what's-her-name, penis, (one's) thing, dick, (not) at all, (not) in the slightest, what?, huh?, hey!, come on!, oh, no (it's fine), why (it's nothing), oh (certainly not)

## すぎる

to pass through, to pass by, to go beyond, to pass (of time), to elapse, to have expired, to have ended, to be over, to exceed, to surpass, to be above, to be no more than ..., to be excessive, to be too much, to be too ...

## 傾向

けいこう, tendency, trend, inclination

## そもそも

in the first place, to begin with, from the start, originally, ab initio, after all, anyway, actually, well, ..., ... on earth (e.g. "what on earth?"), ... in the world (e.g. "why in the world?"), beginning, start

## 賞

しょう, prize, award

## くん

Mr (junior), master, boy, native Japanese reading of a Chinese character, precept, lesson, one's teachings, merit (esp. order of merit), pleasant smell, aroma, fragrance, scent, pleasant-smelling vegetation, strong-smelling vegetable (esp. garlic, onion, Chinese chives, Chinese scallion, Japanese garlic), pungent vegetable (esp. ginger and water pepper)

## 正しい

ただしい, right, correct, proper, righteous, just, honest, truthful, lawful

## 誕生

たんじょう, birth, creation, formation

## ぼく

I, me, you, manservant, divining, telling a fortune, predicting, choosing, settling, fixing, Mexico, Mohism, ink, tattooing, regional governor in ancient China

## 歩い

あたえる, to give (esp. to someone of lower status), to bestow, to grant, to confer, to present, to award, to provide, to afford, to offer, to supply, to assign, to cause, to pass (a variable to a function)

## バー

bar, tavern, saloon, barroom, crossbar, bar

## 都

みやこ, capital (esp. Kyoto, Japan's former capital), seat of government, capital (of music, fashion, etc.), city (e.g. of light), location of the Imperial Palace, と, Metropolis (of Tokyo), (Tokyo) Metropolitan District, metropolitan prefecture, counter for cities and towns, capital

## 全員

ぜんいん, ぜいいん, all members, all hands, everyone, everybody, whole crew

## たかつ

ちやう  
to do completely, to do accidentally, to do without meaning to, to happen to do, no, that's wrong, it's not like that, isn't it?, wasn't it?

## コンピュータ

computer

## 皆

みんな, みな, everyone, everybody, all, everything, all

## 参照

さんしょう, reference (e.g. to a dictionary, passage, footnotes), consultation, comparison, browsing (to a file or folder)

## 進ん

## 少なくとも

すくなくとも, at least

## 地元

じもと, home area, home town, local

## 壁

かべ, へき, wall, partition, barrier, obstacle, Chinese "Wall" constellation (one of the 28 mansions)

## 是非

ぜひ, certainly, without fail, right and wrong, pros and cons

## かつ

and, moreover, besides, as well as, and on top of that, at the same time, to win, to gain victory, thirst, living, life, judo art of resuscitation, action, activity, exclamation used to scold practitioners (in Zen), scolding or threatening with a shout, dark indigo (almost black), coarse cloth

## 明確

めいかく, clear, precise, definite, distinct

## つて

means of making contact, intermediary, go-between, connections, influence, pull, good offices

## 士

さむらい, さぶらい, warrior (esp. of military retainers of daimyos in the Edo period), samurai, man in attendance (on a person of high standing), retainer, し, man (esp. one who is well-respected), samurai, person (in a certain profession, esp. licensed), member

## 特徴

とくちょう, feature, trait, characteristic, peculiarity, distinction

## セット

set (of things), combo, setting up, preparing, arranging, placing, positioning, configuring, setting (e.g. an alarm), setting (hair), set (in tennis, volleyball, etc.), set (in a play, film, etc.), movie set, (television or radio) receiver

## 疲れ

つかれ, tiredness, fatigue, づかれ, weariness (from), fatigue, tiredness, exhaustion

## カメラ

camera

## 皆様

みなさま, everyone

## どうしても

by all means, at any cost, no matter what, at any rate, surely, whether (one is) willing or not, willingly or unwillingly, willy-nilly, on no account, by no means, in the end, in the long run, after all, eventually

## 別に

べつに, (not) particularly, (not) especially, (not) specially, separately, apart, additionally, extra

## 魅力

みりよく, charm, fascination, glamour, glamor, attraction, appeal

## 人口

じんこう, population, common talk

## 反応

はんのう, はんおう, reaction, response

## きちんと

properly, accurately, exactly, precisely, regularly, neatly, tidily, orderly

## 負け

まけ, defeat, loss, losing (a game), failing to live up to (one's name, looks, etc.), discount, loss (on a sale)

## まだまだ

still, much more, (not) yet, still a long way to go, still a long way off, not there yet

## 聞か

tie, necktie, tie, draw, tied score, tie, sea bream (Sparidae), porgy, tai (species of reddish-brown Pacific sea bream, Pagrus major), Thailand

## そういった

like that, this type

## 手段

しゅだん, means, way, measure

## 有効

ゆうこう, valid, effective, yuko (judo)

## タイ

## 工場

こうじょう, こうば, factory, plant, mill, workshop

## 入力

にゅうりょく, input, (data) entry

## ビデオ

video

## 注文

ちゅうもん, order (for an item), request, demand, condition, ちゅうぶん, annotation, explanatory note

## 集中

しゅうちゅう, concentration (on a task), focusing one's attention, concentration (of population, buildings, power, etc.), centralization, convergence, focus (of a debate, questions, etc.), within a collection of works

## あまりに

too (much), overly, excessively

## さま

Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., makes a word more polite (usu. in fixed expressions), state, situation, appearance, manner

## 一度

いちど, ひとたび, once, one time, on one occasion, temporarily, for a moment, one degree, one tone, one musical interval

## 脳

のう, brain, brains, mind, なずき, brain, skull, head

## 北

きた, north, the North, northern territories, North Korea, north wind, べー, north wind tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of north wind tiles

## いただく

to receive, to get, to accept, to take, to buy, to eat, to drink, to be crowned with, to wear (on one's head), to have (on top), to have (as one's leader), to live under (a ruler), to install (a president), to get someone to do something

## 現象

げんしょう, phenomenon

## ビル

multi-floor building, multi-storey building, bill, check, invoice, bill, promissory note, bill, measure

## 団

だん, body, group, party, company, troupe

## 感動

かんだう, being deeply moved emotionally, excitement, passion, inspiration, deep emotion, strong impression

## 申し

もうし, excuse me! (when calling out to someone)

## ソ

so (5th note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), soh, G (note in the fixed-do system), Soviet Union

## 禁止

きんし, prohibition, inhibition, ban

## サポート

support

## ずつ

apiece, each, at a time, piecemeal

## 実践

じっせん, practice, putting into practice, implementation, praxis

## おそらく

probably, (most) likely, in all likelihood, I suspect, I dare say, I'm afraid

## 小泉

## 職員

しょくいん, staff member, employee, worker, personnel

## 理事

りじ, director, trustee

## 会員

かいいん, member, the membership

## 案内

あんない, あない, guidance, leading (the way), showing around, information, notice, notification, announcement (of one's arrival), invitation, acquaintance, knowledge

## 薬

くすり, クスリ, medicine, pharmaceuticals, (legal) drugs, pill, ointment, salve, efficacious chemical (gunpowder, pesticide, etc.), (pottery) glaze, (illegal) drug, narcotic, small bribe, やく, ヤク, dope, narcotic, drug

## シーン

scene, sight, scenario, setting, silently (as the grave), quietly (as in death)

## 従来

じゅうらい, up to now, so far, traditional, conventional, usual, existing

## 素晴らしい

すばらしい, すんばらしい, wonderful, splendid, magnificent

## 始まっ

## 農業

のうぎょう, agriculture

## 用意

ようい, preparation, arrangements, provision, getting ready, laying out (e.g. a meal)

## 運用

うんよう, making use of, application, practical use, effective management (e.g. of funds), operation (esp. of a boat), steering

## 世代

せだい, generation, the world, the age

## そうした

such

## 強化

きょうか, strengthening, intensifying, reinforcement, enhancement, solidification

## 納得

なっとく, consent, agreement, acceptance, understanding, satisfaction (e.g. with an explanation), being convinced

## 周り

まわり, circumference, girth, surroundings, neighbourhood, neighborhood, vicinity, people surrounding oneself, surrounding circumstances

## 収入

しゅうにゅう, income, receipts, revenue

## 増加

ぞうか, increase, rise, growth, addition, increment

## レポート

report, paper, reportage

## 年齢

ねんれい, age, years

## 裏

うち, inside, within, while (e.g. one is young), during, within (e.g. a day), in the course of, among, amongst, (out) of, between, in (secret, chaos, poverty, etc.), amidst, with (e.g. success), within oneself, one's feelings, inner thoughts, we, our company, our organization, one's home, one's family, my spouse, my husband, my wife, signed on behalf of (husband's name) by his wife, I, me, imperial palace grounds, emperor, うち, opposite side, bottom, other side, side hidden from view, undersurface, reverse side, rear, back, behind, lining, inside, in the shadows, behind the scenes, offstage, behind (someone's) back, more (to something than meets the eye), hidden side (e.g. of one's personality), unknown circumstances, different side, proof, opposite (of a prediction, common sense, etc.), contrary, inverse (of a hypothesis, etc.), bottom (of an inning), last half (of an inning), り, in (e.g. secret), with (e.g. success)

## 未来

みらい, (distant) future, future existence, world beyond the grave, the world to come, future (tense)

## 社員

しゃいん, company employee, member of a corporation, company stockholder (esp. in legal contexts)

## 食

しょく, じき, し, food, foodstuff, eating, appetite, meal, portion, しょく, eclipse (solar, lunar, etc.), occultation

## 食べる

たべる, to eat, to live on (e.g. a salary), to live off, to subsist on

## 無

む, nothing, naught, nought, nil, zero, un-, non-, ぶ, un-, non-, bad ..., poor ...

## 教会

きょうかい, church, congregation

## 舞台

ぶたい, stage (of a theatre, concert hall, etc.), (stage) performance, setting (of a story), scene, sphere (of activity), stage (e.g. political stage), scene, arena, world

## 前回

ぜんかい, previous time, last time, previous installment, previous instalment, previous session

## 年金

ねんきん, annuity, pension

## もう少し

もうすこし, a bit more, a bit longer

## 交通

こうつう, traffic, transportation, communication, exchange (of ideas, etc.), intercourse

## 総

そう, whole, total, gross, entire, overall, general (election, manager, etc.), ふさ, tuft (of hair, threads, etc.), fringe, tassel, bunch (of grapes, bananas, etc.), cluster (of flowers), segment (of a tangerine, etc.), section

## 教師

きょうし, teacher (classroom)

## 料金

りょうきん, fee, charge, fare

## どうして

how, in what way, by what means, why, for what reason, for what purpose, what for, cannot possibly, no way

## 著

ちよ, work, book, (a book) by, obvious, striking

## 森

もり, forest, shrine grove

## 他人

たにん, ひと, あだびと, another person, other people, others, unrelated person (i.e. not related by blood), outsider, stranger

## みよ

three temporal states of existence, past, present and future, three generations, (imperial) reign, period

## 集め

あつめ, collecting, assembling

## 組

くみ, class (of students), group (of people), party, team, crew, lot, bunch, set, crime family, organized-crime syndicate, set (of items), assortment, deck (of cards), pack, typesetting, composition

## 株式

かぶしき, share (in a company), stock

## 求める

もとめる, to want, to wish for, to request, to demand, to require, to ask for, to seek, to search for, to look for, to pursue (pleasure), to hunt (a job), to purchase, to buy

## 上昇

じょうしょう, rising, ascending, climbing

## 否定

ひてい, denial, negation, repudiation, disavowal, negation, NOT operation

## 機械

きかい, machine, mechanism, instrument, appliance, apparatus

## 完成

かんせい, completion, perfection, accomplishment

## 大好き

だいすき, liking very much, loving (something or someone), adoring, being very fond of

## 立つ

## 修正

しゅうせい, amendment, correction, revision, modification, alteration, retouching, update, fix

## 電車

でんしゃ, train, electric train

## 一応

いちおう, more or less, though not quite satisfactorily, after a fashion, pretty much, roughly, so far as it goes, tentatively, for the time being, just in case, once

## 落ち

おち, オチ, slip, omission, upshot, denouement, outcome, final result, punch line (of a joke)

## にくい

hateful, abominable, poor-looking, detestable, amazing, fantastic, admirable, lovely, wonderful, difficult to ..., hard to ...

## 向上

こうじょう, elevation, rise, improvement, advancement, progress

## 週

しゅう, week

## 野球

やきゅう, baseball

## 少なく

## 姿勢

しせい, posture, pose, position, stance, carriage (of the body), attitude, approach, stance

## スペイン

Spain

## 訪問

ほうもん, call, visit

## 引用

いんりょう, quotation, citation, reference

## インド

India

## 視点

してん, opinion, point of view, visual point

## 小学校

しょうがっこう, primary school, elementary school, grade school

## 電気

でんき, electricity, (electric) light

## ノ

## パ

pas (ballet step), Pali language, Pakistan, Pacific League (Japanese baseball league)

## 効率

こうりつ, efficiency

## 芸術

げいじゆつ, art, the arts

## 繰り返し

くりかえし, repetition, repeat, reiteration, iteration, refrain, cycle, repeatedly

## ぐ

tool, means, ingredients (added to soup, rice, etc.), counter for sets of armor, utensils, furniture, etc., foolishness, silliness, stupidity, folly, I, me

## 会話

かいわ, conversation, talk, chat

## ドラマ

(non-documentary) television series, TV drama, teledrama, play, drama, dramatic incident, spectacle, tragedy

## 再び

ふたたび, again, once more, a second time

## 春

はる, spring, springtime, New Year, prime (of life), height (of one's prosperity), heyday, adolescence, puberty, sexuality, sexual desire

## 小さい

ちいさい, small, little, tiny, slight, below average (in degree, amount, etc.), minor, small, low (e.g. sound), soft (e.g. voice), unimportant, petty, insignificant, trifling, trivial, young, juvenile

## 解釈

かいしゃく, interpretation, explanation, reading, construction

## 猫

ねこ, ネコ, cat (esp. the domestic cat, Felis catus), shamisen, geisha, wheelbarrow, clay bed-warmer, bottom (submissive partner of a homosexual relationship), ねこま, cat

## 帰り

かえり, return, coming back

## 4月

しがつ, April, fourth month in the lunar calendar

## 資産

しさん, property, fortune, means, assets

## 行

ぎょう, line (of text), row, verse, carya (austerities), samskara (formations), semi-cursive style (of writing Chinese characters), running style, こう, going, travelling, traveling, journey, trip, act, action, bank, counter for banks, counter for groups or parties of people, type of classical Chinese verse (usu. an epic from the Tang period onwards), shopping district (of similar merchants; in the Sui and Tang periods), merchants' guild (in the Tang period)

## 分かっ

## 結論

けつろん, conclusion (of an argument, discussion, study, etc.), conclusion

## 大丈夫

だいじょうぶ, だいじよぶ, safe, secure, sound, problem-free, without fear, all right, alright, OK, okay, certainly, surely, undoubtedly, no thanks, I'm good, that's alright, great man, fine figure of a man, だいじょうぶ, great man, fine figure of a man

## 低い

ひくい, low (rank, degree, value, content, quality, etc.), low (position), close to the ground, short (height), deep (voice), in a low key, low (volume)

## かつて

once, before, formerly, ever, former, ex-, never yet, never before, first time, still not happened

## 半

はん, half, semi-, half-past, odd number, han (unit of land area, approx. 595.8 m<sup>2</sup>)

## 界

さかい, きょう, border, boundary, turning point, watershed, area, region, spot, space, environment, psychological state, mental state, cognitive object, something perceptible by the sense organs or mind, かい, community, circles, world, kingdom, erathem, field (electrical), border, boundary, division

## 製造

せいぞう, manufacture, production

## つき

desk, Moon, month, moonlight, (a) moon, natural satellite, thrust, stab, lunge, pass (in fencing), tsuki, tsuki, furnished with, including, attached to, impression, appearance, luck, sociality, under, assistant (e.g. to a manager), soup base, Japanese crested ibis (Nipponia nippon), crested ibis, Japanese zelkova (Zelkova serrata), concerning, per, on account of, shallow bowl

## 困難

こんなん, difficulty, hardship, trouble, distress, infeasibility, inability (to carry out)

## 死ん

## 回復

かいふく, restoration, rehabilitation, recovery, return, replevin, improvement, recovery (from an illness), recuperation, convalescence

## 適用

てきよう, applying (e.g. a technology), adoption

## 母親

ははおや, mother

## すごく

awfully, very, immensely

## 取材

しゅざい, gathering material (for an article, novel, etc.), collecting information, covering (an event, incident, etc.), reporting, interview (for a news story)

## やっと

at last, finally, barely, narrowly, just, by the skin of one's teeth

## 保障

ほしょう, guarantee, security, assurance, pledge, warranty

## 集団

しゅうだん, group, mass

## ルール

rule

## 卒業

そつぎょう, graduation, completion (of a course), moving on (from), outgrowing (something), leaving (a group, company, etc.), quitting

## 事態

じたい, situation, (present) state of affairs, circumstances

## 雪

ゆき, snow, snowfall

## 画面

がめん, screen (of a TV, computer, etc.), image (on a screen), picture, scene, surface of a painting (picture, drawing, etc.)

## 悪く

## 資格

しかく, qualifications, requirements, capabilities

## 時点

じてん, point in time, occasion

## 病気

びょうき, illness (usu. excluding minor ailments, e.g. common cold), disease, sickness, bad habit, bad behaviour, weakness, failing, crazy, insane, disturbed, sick in the head, やまいけ, feeling ill, sensation of illness, signs of illness

## スタート

start, beginning, starting (e.g. a race), departing, starting point, starting line

## 更に

さらに, furthermore, again, after all, more and more, moreover, even more

## 活躍

かつやく, activity (esp. energetic or successful), great efforts, active participation, walking about with great vigor

## ですから

so, therefore, accordingly, consequently, on those grounds, that is why, for that reason

## 馬

うま, ウマ, horse, horse racing, promoted bishop, knight (court card in mekuri karuta and unsun karuta)

## 冊

さつ, counter for books, volume, さく, imperial edict to confer nobility titles (in ancient China)

## 言える

いえる, to be possible to say, to be able to say, said, have said

## やめ

## ちょうど

exactly, precisely, just, right, opportunely, fortunately, just (like), as if, as though, household items, furniture, furnishings, fixtures, supplies, bow and arrow, consistency

## 命

いのち, life, life force, lifetime, lifespan, most important thing, foundation, core, paired tattoos of the "life" kanji on the upper arms of a man and woman (indicating unwavering love), fate, destiny, karma, めい, order, command, decree, life, destiny, fate, みこと, Lord, Highness, you, みこと, the spoken words of the emperor or a noble

## 含ま

## ころ

(approximate) time, around, about, toward, suitable time (or condition), time of year, season, calabash (Lagenaria siceraria), roller, runner, dried whale blubber, self-, from ..., this ... (in contrast to some other ...), aforementioned

## サイズ

size

## 限定

げんてい, limit, restriction

## ひとり

one person, being alone, being by oneself, being single, being unmarried, by oneself, alone, just, only, simply, incense burner, utensil for carrying live charcoal

## 医師

いし, doctor, physician, くすし, くすりし, doctor

## 詳しく

くわしく, in detail, fully, minutely, at length

## 工事

こうじ, construction work

## ねえ

right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?, hey, say, listen, look, come on, you know, you see, I must say, I should think, will you?, please, so, ..., well, ..., you see, ..., you understand?, I'm not sure if ..., I have my doubts about whether ..., older sister, nonexistent, not being (there), not having, not

## あ

## 低

てい, low (level, value, price, etc.)

## 6月

ろくがつ, June, sixth month of the lunar calendar

## 住ん

**正直**  
しょうじき, honest, frank, candid,  
straightforward, honestly, frankly

## 原則

げんそく, principle, general rule, as a  
rule, in principle, in general

## 自動車

じどうしゃ, car, automobile,  
motorcar, motor vehicle, auto

## づくり

making, forming, cultivating,  
growing, form, appearance

## では

then, well, so, well then, bye then,  
at, in, by, with, using, if not ...,  
unless ..., chance of going out,  
opportunity (to succeed), musical  
accompaniment for an actor going  
on stage

## 部門

ぶもん, division (of a larger group),  
branch, field, class (subclass),  
group, category, department

## 女の子

おんなのこ, girl, daughter, baby girl,  
young woman, めのこ, woman, girl

## 出演

しゅつえん, appearance (in a film,  
play, TV show, etc.), performance

## 民族

みんぞく, people, race, nation,  
ethnic group, ethnos

## 充実

じゅうじつ, fullness, completeness,  
perfection, substantiality,  
enhancement, improvement,  
enrichment, upgrading,  
replenishment, repletion

## 頑張っ

## 講演

こうえん, lecture, address, speech

## したがって

therefore, consequently, accordingly

## 瞬間

しゅんかん, moment, second, instant

## 交流

こうりゅう, exchange (e.g. cultural),  
interchange, interaction, mingling,  
mixing, coming together,  
alternating current, AC

## 大量

たいりょう, large quantity, massive  
(quantity), mass (e.g. mass  
production, mass transit, mass  
destruction)

## 久しぶり

ひさしぶり, a long time (since the  
last time), first in a long time

## 美しい

うつくしい, beautiful, pretty, lovely,  
sweet, pure (heart, friendship, etc.)

## 行か

## 革命

かくめい, revolution, 58th year of  
the sexagenary cycle (in Onmyōdō)

## 成果

せいか, (good) result, outcome, fruits  
(of one's labors), product,  
accomplishment

## じ

child, boy, I, me, character (esp.  
kanji), letter, written text,  
handwriting, penmanship, the ...  
word (e.g. "the L word" = "love"),  
emperor's seal, next, hypo- (i.e.  
containing an element with low  
valence), order, sequence, time,  
times, hemorrhoids, piles, hour,  
o'clock, (specified) time, when ...,  
during ..., address (e.g. opening or  
closing remarks), speech, words, ci  
(Chinese literary form), ancillary  
word, individual concrete  
phenomenon (as opposed to a  
general principle), counter for the  
hito-futa-mi counting system  
(forming hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu, and  
misoji, yasoji, etc.), route, road,  
distance travelled in a day, one's ...  
(age, e.g. 40s, 60s), self-, from ...,  
this ... (in contrast to some other  
...), aforementioned, counter for  
temples, ground, land, earth, soil,  
the region in question, the local  
area, skin, texture, fabric, material,  
weave, base, background, one's  
true nature, narrative (i.e.  
descriptive part of a story), real life,  
actuality, captured territory, noh  
chorus, accompaniment music (in  
Japanese dance), basic phrase (in  
Japanese music; usu. repetitive),  
base part (of multiple shamisens),  
bridge (of a koto, etc.), cylinder,  
prism, draw (in go, poetry contest,  
etc.), tie, probably isn't (doesn't,  
won't, etc.), will not, must not, don't  
intend to

## 頂き

いただき, crown (of head), summit  
(of mountain), spire, easy win for  
one, something received

**コミュニケーション**  
communication

**任**  
にん, obligation, duty, charge, responsibility

**標準**  
ひょうじゆん, standard, level, norm

**出さ**

**まるで**  
quite, entirely, completely, at all, as if, as though, just like

**輸入**  
ゆにゆう, しゆにゆう, import, importation, introduction, afferent

**やつ**  
fellow, guy, chap, thing, object, he, she, him, her, eight, eight years of age, two o'clock (old time system), fellow, guy, chap, he, she, him, her

**遊び**  
あそび, play, playing, game, pleasure, amusement, pastime, recreation, diversion, play (in a mechanism, e.g. a steering wheel), flexibility (in a performance, art, etc.), freedom, flyleaf, すさび, amusement, diversion (to pass time), pastime, recreation

**背景**  
はいけい, background, scenery, backdrop, setting, background (of an incident, situation, etc.), circumstances, context, backing, support (from behind the scenes)

**政権**  
せいけん, (political) administration, political power

**スタイル**  
(one's) figure, build, physique, shape, style

**星**  
ほし, star (usu. not including the Sun), planet (usu. not including Earth), heavenly body, star (glyph, symbol, shape), star (actor, player, etc.), small dot, spot, fleck, star point (intersection marked with a dot), hoshi, perp, perpetrator, mark, offender, suspect, bullseye, one's star (that determines one's fate), one's fortune, point, score, せい, Chinese "star" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), Singapore

**協議**  
きょうぎ, conference, consultation, discussion, negotiation

**っていう**  
meaning, called, said

**関心**  
かんしん, concern, interest

**勝手**  
かって, one's own convenience, one's way, selfishness, surroundings, environment, way of doing things, convenience, ease of use, financial circumstances, living, livelihood, kitchen, right hand (in archery), hand that pulls the bowstring, unauthorised (e.g. phone app, WWW site), unofficial

**一覧**  
いちらん, look, glance, sight, inspection, summary, list, table, catalog, catalogue

**副**  
ふく, assistant, associate, vice-, sub-, deputy, substitute, auxiliary, supplementary, additional, collateral, duplicate, copy, adverb

**7月**  
しちがつ, なながつ, July, seventh month of the lunar calendar

**伝統**  
でんとう, tradition, convention

**横**  
よこ, ヨコ, horizontal (as opposed to vertical), lying down, side-to-side (as opposed to front-to-back), width, breadth, side (of a box, etc.), beside, aside, next to, unconnected

**民主**  
みんしゆ, democracy, popular sovereignty, Democratic Party (esp. DPJ)

**制限**  
せいげん, restriction, restraint, limitation, limit

**投票**  
とうひょう, voting, ballot, poll, vote

**どうぞ**  
please, kindly, pray, I beg (of you), by all means, certainly, of course, (go) ahead, (feel) free (to), (you are) welcome (to), please (help yourself to), here you are, to give

**値段**  
ねだん, price, cost

**沖縄**  
おきなわ, Okinawa (city, prefecture)

**川**  
かわ, がわ, river, stream, River, the ... river

## 用い

## 若者

わかもの, わかもん, young person, youngster, young people, (the) youth

## 心理

しんり, state of mind, mentality, psychology

## 大体

だいたい, generally, on the whole, mostly, almost, nearly, approximately, roughly, about, general, rough, outline, main points, gist, substance, essence, in the first place, first and foremost, from the start, to begin with

## 里

さと, village, hamlet, countryside, country, home (of one's parents, etc.), hometown, one's origins, one's upbringing, one's past, り, Japanese league, ri, neighbourhood (under the ritsuryō system; orig. of 50 homes), unit of area (approx. 654 m by 654 m)

## 掲示板

けいじばん, bulletin board, display board, notice board, electronic bulletin board, BBS

## とる

to take (a photograph), to record (audio or video), to film, to shoot, to take, to pick up, to grab, to catch, to pass, to hand, to give, to get, to obtain, to acquire, to win, to receive, to earn, to take (e.g. a vacation), to adopt (a method, proposal, etc.), to take (a measure, attitude, etc.), to choose, to remove, to get rid of, to take off, to take away, to steal, to rob, to eat, to have (e.g. lunch), to take (e.g. vitamins), to pick (e.g. flowers), to gather, to extract (e.g. juice), to catch (e.g. fish), to harvest (a crop), to take up (time, space), to occupy, to spare, to set aside, to secure, to reserve, to save, to put aside, to keep, to take (e.g. a joke), to interpret, to understand, to make out, to grasp, to record, to take down, to subscribe to (e.g. a newspaper), to take, to buy, to get, to order, to have delivered, to charge, to fine, to take (tax), to take (e.g. a wife), to take on (e.g. an apprentice), to adopt, to accept, to compete (in sumo, cards, etc.), to play, to catch (a wild animal, fish, insect, baseball, etc.), to capture, to adopt (a method, proposal, etc.), to take (a measure, course of action, etc.), to decide on, to pick (e.g. flowers), to gather (e.g. mushrooms), to catch (e.g. insects), to extract (e.g. juice), to take (e.g. a sample), to assume (an attitude), to take on (workers, students), to employ, to hire, to draw in (e.g. water), to let in (e.g. light from a window), to take (trouble), to attend (to business), to command (army), to steal, to have (e.g. lunch), to take (e.g. vitamins), to harvest (a crop), to be ...-ing, to catch (a wild animal or fish), to capture, to hunt, to win (a title, prize, etc.), to conquer

## 番号

ばんごう, number, series of digits

## トン

ton (esp. a metric ton, i.e. 1000 kg), tonne, dot (in Morse code), east wind tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of east wind tiles

## 前提

ぜんてい, condition, assumption, prerequisite, hypothesis, intention, intent, aim, goal, premise (in logic)

## 館

やかた, たち, たて, mansion, palace, manor house, castle, nobleman, noblewoman, dignitary, cabin (on a boat, carriage, etc.), かん, (large) building, public building, hall, むろつみ, inn

## 古い

ふるい, old, aged, ancient, antiquated, antique, timeworn, long, since long ago, time-honored, of the distant past, long-ago, stale, threadbare, hackneyed, corny, old-fashioned, outmoded, out-of-date

## 取り

とり, taking, taker, collecting, collector, remover, removal, last performer of the day (usu. the star performer), last performance of the day, active partner (e.g. in judo demonstration), emphatic or formal prefix, どり, samurai receiving this much rice as a fee, offering of rice cake containing this much rice, person receiving this amount of money as a salary

## 船

ふね, ship, boat, watercraft, vessel, seaplane, tank, tub, vat, trough, counter for boat-shaped containers (e.g. of sashimi), せん, ship, boat, vessel

## ある程度

あるていど, to some extent, to a certain extent

## 突然

とつぜん, abrupt, sudden, unexpected

## 飲ん

## なんだか

(a) little, somewhat, somehow

## 半分

はんぶん, half, はんぷん, half minute

## 思想

しそう, thought, idea, ideology

## オープン

opening (a new store, golf course, runway, etc.), open, frank, approachable, open-hearted, open (car, collar, tournament, etc.)

## せよ

granted that, even if, even though, charity, almsgiving, dispensation

## 請求

せいきゅう, claim, demand, charge, application, request, billing (for a service)

## なさい

do ...

## 正確

せいかく, accurate, correct, precise, exact

## 教室

きょうしつ, classroom, lecture room, department (in a university), class, lessons, course, school (for a particular discipline), teaching establishment

## 周辺

しゅうへん, circumference, outskirts, environs, around, in the area of, in the vicinity of, (computer) peripheral

## セミナー

seminar

## リスト

list, wrist

## 3月

さんがつ, March, third month of the lunar calendar

## 立て

たて, central, main, leading, head, chief, just (done), counter for consecutive losses, だて, particularly, especially, indicates the number of horses or oxen drawing a carriage, indicates the number of oars on a boat, indicates the number of movies, plays, etc. comprising a single program, indicates the number of items or methods used

## 不足

ふそく, insufficiency, deficiency, shortage, lack, scarcity, deficit, dissatisfaction, discontent, complaint

## 実

じつ, じち, truth, reality, sincerity, honesty, fidelity, content, substance, (good) result, み, fruit, nut, seed, (in broth) pieces of meat, vegetable, etc., content, substance, まこと, truth, reality, sincerity, honesty, integrity, fidelity, that's right, さね, seed (of a fruit), pit, pip, stone, tongue (projecting strip on a board that fits into a groove on another board), clitoris, core, kernel, heart, そうじみ, ただみ, むざね, the real person, said person, real thing, genuine article

## デ

of (indicates possessive)

## 法案

ほうあん, bill (law), measure

## 伺い

うかがい, call, visit, inquiry, enquiry, question

## 東

あずま, あづま, eastern Japan (esp. Kamakura or Edo, from perspective of Kyoto or Nara), eastern provinces, east, wagon, yamatogoto, my spouse, ひがし, ひむかし, ひんがし, east, トン, east wind tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of east wind tiles

## 厳しい

きびしい, severe, strict, rigid, unsparing, relentless, hard (to do), difficult, tricky, intense (e.g. cold), harsh (weather), inclement

## 異なる

ことなる, to differ, to vary, to disagree

## ボール

ball, ball (pitch that falls outside of the strike zone), bowl, board (cardboard, pasteboard, etc.)

## すなわち

that is (to say), namely, i.e., precisely, exactly, just, nothing but, neither more nor less, (and) then

## コード

code, program, code, regulation, rules, code, symbol set, cord, flex, chord, string (on an instrument)

## 王

おう, king, ruler, sovereign, monarch, tycoon, magnate, champion, master, king (of the senior player), おおきみ, おおぎみ, emperor, king, prince

## 飲み

のみ, drink, drinking, spigot, tap (in a cask, etc.), stock market bucketing, bookmaking

## 含む

ふくむ, くくむ, to contain, to comprise, to have, to hold, to include, to embrace, to hold in the mouth, to bear in mind, to understand, to harbor (grudge, etc.), to harbour, to express (emotion, etc.), to imply

## 世の中

よのなか, society, the world, the times

## みなさん

all, everyone, everybody

## 取得

とりえ, worth, merit, value, good point, strong point, redeeming feature, saving grace, しゆとく, obtaining (a qualification, right, object, etc.), acquisition (of land, property, etc.), gaining possession (of), getting, purchase

## 項目

こうもく, item, heading, category, clause, headword (in a dictionary, encyclopedia, etc.), entry

## 旧

きゅう, old, former, ex-, the old, old things, old customs, old times, bygone days, Japan's old (lunisolar) calendar, ふる, used item, secondhand item, old, used, previous, もと, former, ex-, past, one-time, earlier times, the past, previous state, formerly, previously, originally, before

## そんなに

so much, so, like that

## 性格

せいかく, character (of a person), personality, disposition, nature, characteristics, nature (of a thing, event, etc.)

## 連れ

つれ, ツレ, companion, company, tritagonist, second supporting character, づれ, in the company of, accompanied by ..., as a group comprising ..., likes of ...

## 次第

しだい, depending on, as soon as, immediately after, upon, as (e.g. "as one is told", "as one wishes"), whatever (e.g. "whatever is at hand"), order, program, programme, precedence, circumstances, course of events, state of things, reason

## 顧客

こきゃく, こかく, customer, client, patron

## いかに

how, in what way, how (much), to what extent, however (much), no matter how, hey, oi

## 多分

たぶん, perhaps, probably, generous, many, much, great

## 地区

ちく, district, section, sector

## を通じて

## やすく

inexpensively, cheaply

## 長期

ちようき, long-term

## ミ

mi (3rd note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), me, E (note in the fixed-do system)

## 達成

たっせい, achievement, attainment, accomplishment, realization

## 著者

ちよしゃ, author (usu. of a particular book), writer

## ソフトウェア

software

## におきまして

## 示す

しめす, to (take out and) show, to demonstrate, to tell, to exemplify, to make apparent, to point out (finger, clock hand, needle, etc.), to indicate, to show, to represent, to signify, to display

## 展示

てんじ, exhibition, display

## 誌

し, magazine

## 多

た, multi-

## 後半

こうはん, second half, latter half

## 福祉

ふくし, ふくち, welfare, well-being, social welfare, social security, social service

## 到着

とうちゃく, arrival

## ナ

## 罪

つみ, crime, sin, wrongdoing, indiscretion, penalty, sentence, punishment, fault, responsibility, culpability, thoughtlessness, lack of consideration, ざい, crime

## 送っ

## 楽

らく, comfort, ease, relief, (at) peace, relaxation, easy, simple, without trouble, without hardships, (economically) comfortable, raku pottery, sukha (happiness), がく, music, old Japanese court music, gagaku

## 操作

そうさ, operation, management, handling, manipulating (to one's benefit), manipulation, influencing

## 限ら

## 便利

べんり, convenient, handy, useful

## 支配

しはい, rule, domination, control, direction, management, guidance, control (of one's destiny, public opinion, etc.), governing, influence, sway, government

## 南

みなみ, south, ナン, south wind tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of south wind tiles

## 何とか

なんとか, something, something or other, so-and-so, somehow, anyhow, one way or another

## 講座

こうざ, course (e.g. of lectures), academic university unit (professor, lecturers, etc.)

## 現地

げんち, actual place, actual location, the spot, the scene, the field, (on) site, place where one is currently living

## 態度

たいど, attitude, manner, behaviour, demeanour, bearing, attitude (towards an issue, etc.), position, stance, stand

## 決まっ

## 触れ

ふれ, proclamation, official notice, touch, contact

## 書き込み

かきこみ, writing, entry (e.g. to a form), posting (e.g. to a blog)

## 審査

しんさ, judging, inspection, examination, investigation, review

## 公園

こうえん, (public) park

## 過程

かてい, process, course, mechanism

## 研修

けんしゅう, training (esp. in-service), induction course

## なきゃ

if (it) doesn't exist, if there is no ..., if (one) doesn't have ..., if not ..., unless ..., have to ..., must ...

## 長官

ちょうかん, secretary (government), director, chief, かん, かん, かん, かん, director (highest of the four administrative positions of the ritsuryō system), chief

## バランス

balance

## 変

へん, strange, odd, peculiar, weird, curious, queer, eccentric, funny, suspicious, fishy, unexpected, change, incident, disturbance, disaster, accident, flat

## なー

don't, do, hey, listen, look, say, now, ..., well, ..., I tell you!, you know, wow, ooh, right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?

## 連続

れんぞく, continuation, succession, series

## 作ら

## 空気

くうき, air, atmosphere, mood, situation, someone with no presence, someone who doesn't stand out at all

## 翻訳

ほんやく, translation, deciphering, decoding, translation

## まいり

visit (to a religious site, e.g. shrine, temple, grave)

## 長く

## 冬

ふゆ, winter

## 暮らし

くらし, (way of) life, living, livelihood, life circumstances

## 単純

たんじゆん, simple, plain, uncomplicated, straightforward, simple-minded, naive

## 嬉しい

うれしい, happy, glad, pleased, delighted, overjoyed, joyful, delightful, gratifying, pleasant

## 5月

ごがつ, May, fifth month of the lunar calendar

## 予約

よやく, reservation, appointment, booking, advance order, contract, subscription, pledge, programming (e.g. a device), setting (e.g. a timer)

## 構築

こうちく, construction, building, putting up, erecting, creation, formulation, architecture (systems, agreement, etc.)

## 党

とう, party (political), person who is fond of, fan of, たむろ, たむら, gathering, place where people gather, police station, camp, barracks

## 論文

ろんぶん, thesis, essay, treatise, paper, article

## 地震

じしん, ない, なえ, じぶるい, earthquake

## 不

ふ, un-, non-, negative prefix, ぶ, un-, non-, bad ..., poor ...

## パン

bread, (sweet) pastry, staff of life, one's bread, pan, frying pan, panning (a camera), pan-

## 記

き, account, history, chronicle, annals, record, Kojiki, Records of Ancient Matters

## 一言

ひとこと, いちげん, いちごん, single word, a few words, brief comment

## 継続

けいぞく, continuation, continuance, going on

## 内部

ないぶ, interior, inside, internal

## 豊か

ゆたか, abundant, plentiful, rich, ample, rich, wealthy, affluent, well-off, open (mind), relaxed, easy, plump (e.g. breasts), full, ample, (well) over, (easily) in excess of

## 生命

せいめい, life, existence, (one's) working life, career, life force, lifeblood, soul, essence

## 所得

しょとく, income, earnings

## 制作

せいさく, work (film, book), production, creation, turning (something) out, development

## 敵

かたき, rival, opponent, adversary, competitor, enemy (esp. one with which there is longstanding enmity), foe, revenge, spouse, てき, opponent, rival, adversary, menace, danger, threat, enemy

## 単位

たんい, unit, denomination, credit (in school), in units of (e.g. "in thousands"), in amounts of

## 自信

じしん, self-confidence, confidence (in oneself)

## 生きる

いきる, to live, to exist, to make a living, to subsist, to be in effect, to be in use, to function, to come to life, to be enlivened, to be safe (in baseball, go, etc.)

## 涙

なみだ, なみた, なだ, なんだ, tear, tears, lachrymal secretion, sympathy

## まずは

first of all, to begin with, before anything else, probably, most likely, almost certainly, virtually, more or less (satisfactory), on the whole, reasonably, anyway, at any rate, for now (at least), for the time being

## 科

か, department, section, faculty, school, arm, course (of study), branch of study, specialization, (taxonomical) family, しな, article, item, thing, goods, stock, quality, flirtatiousness, coquetry, とが, error, mistake, fault, sin, wrongdoing, offense, しな, シナ, Japanese linden (Tilia japonica)

## ゆっくり

slowly, unhurriedly, without haste, leisurely, at one's leisure, easily (e.g. in time), well, sufficiently, amply, with time to spare, well (e.g. sleep), comfortably

## あらゆる

all, every

## ベース

base, basis, theme, basic ingredient, base (e.g. military), depot, base, base bag, bass, low register, bass guitar, electric bass, bass, double bass, contrabass, bass

## 層

そう, layer, stratum, seam, bed, class, stratum, bracket, group, sheaf, counter for stories (of a building)

## 思い出し

## 毎年

まいとし, まいねん, every year, yearly, annually

## 距離

きょり, distance, range, interval, difference (e.g. in opinion), gap, distance

## 複数

ふくすう, plural, multiple, several

## 恋愛

れんあい, love, love-making, passion, emotion, affections

## め

sprout, shoot, bud, germinal disk (in an egg), eye, eyeball, eyesight, sight, vision, look, stare, gaze, glance, notice, attention, observation, eyes (of the world, public, etc.), an experience, viewpoint, discrimination, discernment, judgement, eye (e.g. for quality), (an) appearance, chance (of success), possibility (of a good result), spacing (between crossed strands of a net, mesh, etc.), opening, stitch, texture, weave, grain (of wood), eye (of a storm, needle, etc.), intersection (on a go board), square (on a chessboard), dot (on a dice), pip, rolled number, graduation, division (of a scale), tooth (of a saw, comb, etc.), ordinal number suffix, somewhat, -ish, point (e.g. of change), damn, bastard, humble, no!, don't!, tsk!, female, smaller (of the two), weaker, woman, wife

## 英

はなぶさ, かぼう, calyx, corolla, えい, United Kingdom, Britain, English (language)

## 運転

うんてん, operation (of a machine), running, working, driving (a vehicle), use (of capital, funds, etc.), management, investment

## 支持

しじ, support, backing, endorsement, approval, propping up, holding up, support

## 確実

かくじつ, certain, sure, definite, reliable, sound, solid, safe, secure

## インタビュー

interview (i.e. television, newspaper, etc.)

## 日間

にっかん, daytime, during the day

## 一定

いってい, いちじょう, fixed, settled, constant, definite, uniform, regularized, regularised, defined, standardized, standardised, certain, prescribed

## 早い

はやい, fast, quick, rapid, swift, speedy, brisk, prompt, early, soon, earlier than usual, premature, too soon, too early, easy, simple, quick, fast, as soon as ..., the moment ..., the instant ...

## 交渉

こうしょう, negotiations, bargaining, discussions, talks, connection, relationship, relations, dealings

## 司法

しほう, administration of justice

## 巻

まき, roll (e.g. of cloth), winding (e.g. watch), volume (of book), speeding up, heel (of a Japanese sandal), かん, volume (of book), reel (of film), scroll (of books or paintings), roll (paper, etc.)

## なんとか

something, something or other, so-and-so, somehow, anyhow, one way or another

## つける

to install (a king, emperor, etc.), to appoint (to a post), to promote, to assign (to study under), to soak (in), to steep, to dip, to dunk, to pickle, to preserve (in salt, vinegar, etc.), to attach, to join, to add, to append, to affix, to stick, to glue, to fasten, to sew on, to apply (ointment), to furnish (a house with), to wear, to put on, to keep a diary, to make an entry, to appraise, to set (a price), to allot, to budget, to assign, to bring alongside, to place (under guard or doctor), to follow (someone), to shadow, to tail, to stalk, to load, to give (courage to), to keep (an eye on), to establish (relations or understanding), to turn on (a light), to produce flowers (of a plant), to produce fruit, to do intensely, to do fiercely, to do strongly, to be used to (doing), to be accustomed to, to turn on, to switch on, to light up, to follow (someone), to shadow, to tail, to stalk

## 普段

ふだん, usual, normal, everyday, habitual, ordinary, usually, normally, generally, habitually, always

## 方式

ほうしき, form, method, system, formula

## 出席

しゅっせき, attendance, presence, appearance

## 金利

きんり, interest rate, interest

## アニメ

animation, animated film, animated cartoon, anime

## ところで

by the way, incidentally, even if, no matter (who, what, when, where, why, how)

## 窓

まど, window

## 諸

しよ, various, many, several, もろもろ, all kinds of things, various things, large number of people, もろ, 毛口, both, many, various, all, together

## 始める

はじめる, to start, to begin, to commence, to initiate, to originate, to start up (a business, society, etc.), to open (e.g. a store), to establish, to start ..., to begin to ...

## 安い

やすい, cheap, inexpensive, calm, peaceful, quiet

## り

advantage, benefit, profit, interest, government official, public official, Japanese league, ri, neighbourhood (under the ritsuryō system; orig. of 50 homes), unit of area (approx. 654 m by 654 m), one-hundredth, 0.3 mm (one-hundredth of a sun), 0.1 percent (one-hundredth of a wari), 0.0375 grams (one-hundredth of a monme), rin (monetary unit; 0.001 yen), reason, principle, logic, general principle (as opposed to individual concrete phenomenon), the underlying principles of the cosmos (in neo-Confucianism), li (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: fire, south), understood, OK, roger, in (e.g. secret), with (e.g. success), diarrhea, diarrhoea

## 危機

きき, crisis, critical situation, emergency, pinch

## 次に

つぎに, next, then, after that

## 募集

ぼしゅう, recruitment, invitation, selection, advertisement, taking applications, raising (funds, donations, etc.), collection, subscription, solicitation, flotation (of shares, loans, etc.)

## 史

し, history, ふひと, ふびと, ふみひと, court historian

## 休み

やすみ, rest, recess, respite, vacation, holiday, absence, suspension, dormancy (of a silkworm prior to moulting)

## 自宅

じたく, one's home, one's house

## 深い

ふかい, deep, profound, dense, thick, close (relationship), intense, strong, late

## 上記

じょうぎ, above-mentioned, above-named, above

## 分かる

わかる, to understand, to comprehend, to grasp, to see, to get, to follow, to become clear, to be known, to be discovered, to be realized, to be realised, to be found out, I know!, I think so too!

## 人権

じんけん, human rights, civil liberties

## 応じ

## 複雑

ふくざつ, complex, complicated, intricate, mixed (feelings)

## ひ

fire, flame, blaze, scarlet, red, day, days, sun, sunshine, sunlight, (the) day, daytime, daylight, date, deadline, (past) days, time (e.g. of one's childhood), case (esp. unfortunate), event, no, the noes, ratio, proportion, match, equal, explicit comparison (style of the Shi Jing), Philippines, in comparison with ..., cost, expense, fault, error, mistake, going poorly, being disadvantageous, being unfavorable, un-, non-, an-, trough, gutter, water pipe, flume, chute, coulisse (of a sword blade), ice, hail, hinoki cypress (Chamaecyparis obtusa), Japanese cypress, great (i.e. great-grandson, great-grandmother), light, lamp, stone monument bearing an inscription (esp. memorial for future generations), stele, stela, rook, princess, consort, brown bear (Ursus arctos), indicates the target of an activity, -ee (e.g. employee, examinee, trustee), shuttle (of a loom), karuna (compassion), female slave, female servant, housemaid, spleen, cutting off the leg at the knee (form of punishment in ancient China), one, one, secret, mystery, sun, sunshine, sunlight

## おかげ

grace (of God), benevolence (of Buddha), blessing, assistance, help, aid, effects, influence

## 逮捕

たいほ, arrest, apprehension, capture

## スーパー

supermarket, subtitles, telop,  
superheterodyne, super

## 器

うつわ, bowl, vessel, container,  
ability, capacity, calibre, caliber, き,  
device, instrument, vessel,  
container, ability, capacity, calibre,  
caliber

## 守る

まもる, to protect, to guard, to  
defend, to keep (i.e. a promise), to  
abide (by the rules), to observe, to  
obey, to follow

## 起こっ

## 級

きゅう, (school) grade, year, class,  
class, grade, rank, level, kyu (junior  
rank in martial arts, go, shogi, etc.)

## 取る

とる, to take, to pick up, to grab, to  
catch, to pass, to hand, to give, to  
get, to obtain, to acquire, to win, to  
receive, to earn, to take (e.g. a  
vacation), to adopt (a method,  
proposal, etc.), to take (a measure,  
attitude, etc.), to choose, to  
remove, to get rid of, to take off, to  
take away, to steal, to rob, to eat, to  
have (e.g. lunch), to take (e.g.  
vitamins), to pick (e.g. flowers), to  
gather, to extract (e.g. juice), to  
catch (e.g. fish), to harvest (a crop),  
to take up (time, space), to occupy,  
to spare, to set aside, to secure, to  
reserve, to save, to put aside, to  
keep, to take (e.g. a joke), to  
interpret, to understand, to make  
out, to grasp, to record, to take  
down, to subscribe to (e.g. a  
newspaper), to take, to buy, to get,  
to order, to have delivered, to  
charge, to fine, to take (tax), to take  
(e.g. a wife), to take on (e.g. an  
apprentice), to adopt, to accept, to  
compete (in sumo, cards, etc.), to  
play

## 証明

しょうめい, proof, testimony,  
demonstration, verification,  
certification

## 概念

がいねん, general idea, concept,  
notion

## ツール

tool (esp. software, etc.), tour (e.g.  
Tour de France)

## コンテンツ

contents, content

## 秋

とき, time, hour, moment, occasion,  
case, chance, opportunity, season,  
the times, the age, the day, tense,  
あき, autumn, fall

## 働い

## 単に

たんに, simply, merely, only, solely

## 今週

こんしゅう, this week

## 空港

くうこう, airport

## 適切

てきせつ, appropriate, suitable,  
fitting, apt, proper, right, pertinent,  
relevant

## 財産

ざいさん, property, fortune, assets

## 判決

はんけつ, judicial decision,  
judgement, judgment, sentence,  
decree

## 作家

さつか, author, writer, novelist, artist

## 学ぶ

まなぶ, to study (in depth), to learn,  
to take lessons in

## 討

## マスコミ

mass communication, mass media

## 迎え

むかえ, meeting, greeting, welcome

## 思考

しこう, thought, consideration,  
thinking

## 接続

せつぞく, connection, attachment,  
union, join, joint, link, changing  
trains, conjunction

## 出会い

であい, meeting, rendezvous,  
encounter, confluence

## ようやく

finally, at last, barely, narrowly,  
hardly, only just, gradually, little by  
little, by degrees, summary, digest,  
leaping with joy, jumping about,  
brief translation, summary  
translation

## 形式

けいしき, form (as opposed to  
substance), format, form, style,  
manner, formality, form, mode,  
form, form (bilinear, quadratic, etc.)

## 違反

いはん, violation, offense, offence, breach, transgression, infringement, contravention, いへん, breaking (a contract, promise, etc.)

## 義務

ぎむ, duty, obligation, responsibility

## 仕組み

しくみ, structure, construction, arrangement, contrivance, mechanism, workings, plan, plot, contrivance

## 再生

さいせい, restoration to life, coming to life again, resuscitation, regeneration, reformation, rehabilitation, recycling, reclamation, recovery, playback, regeneration (of video or sound), views (of an online video), regeneration (of lost or damage tissue), regrowth, rebirth, reincarnation, recall (memory), retrieval

## 破壊

はかい, destruction, disruption, (application) crash

## 研究所

けんきゅうじょ, けんきゅうしょ, research establishment, research institute, laboratory

## 国務大臣

こくむだいじん, minister of state, cabinet minister (in Japan)

## 両

りょう, both (hands, parents, sides, etc.), counter for carriages (e.g. in a train), counter for vehicles, ryō, tael, ryō, ryō, ryō, tael, unit of weight under the ritsuryō system, 1/16 kin, 42-43 g, counter for suits of clothing, sets of armor, etc., もろ, モロ, both, many, various, all, together, りゃん, リャン, two

## 白

しろ, white, innocence, innocent person, blank space, white go stone, white dragon tile, skewered grilled pig intestine, しろ, white, unseasoned, undyed, unaltered, very much, precisely, playing dumb, unfeigned, honest, diligent, はく, white, striped mullet fry (Mugil cephalus), (spoken) line (in a play, film, etc.), one's lines, white dragon tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of white dragon tiles, Belgium, white person, Caucasian

## 止め

とどめ, finishing blow, coup de grâce, とめ, (a) stop (e.g. in a timber joint, or at the end of a kanji stroke), remaining (e.g. poste-restante), forty-five degree angle, とめ, (something) stopper (e.g. geridome is medicine for diarrhea)

## いくら

how much, something over, and something, -odd, however (much), no matter how

## 始まり

はじまり, origin, beginning

## フリー

free (of restraint, controls, etc.), free (of cost), freelance, one-size

## 公式

こうしき, official, formal, formula (e.g. mathematical), official (social media) account (of a company, organization, etc.)

## 場面

ばめん, scene, setting, place (where something happens), scenario, case, scene (in a movie, play), shot, state of the market

## 英国

えいこく, United Kingdom, Britain, Great Britain

## 語っ

## 年生

ねんせい, nth-year student, nth-year pupil

## 挙げ

## 石

いし, stone, jewel, precious stone, flint (in a lighter), stone, stone (in the bladder, kidney etc.), calculus, こく, koku, measure of a Japanese-style boat's loading capacity (approx. 278.26 liters), せき, counter for jewels in a watch, counter for transistors, diodes, etc. in an electronic product

## それにしても

nevertheless, at any rate, even so, all things considered, be that as it may

## お客

## 就職

しゅうしょく, finding employment, getting a job

## 文書

ぶんしょ, もんじょ, ぶんじょ, document, writing, letter, papers, notes, records, archives, document addressed to someone

## 付き

つき, づき, ツキ, furnished with, including, attached to, impression, appearance, luck, sociality, under, assistant (e.g. to a manager), soup base

## 派遣

はけん, dispatch, despatch, deployment, temporary employee (esp. from an agency), temporary worker, agency temp

## 類

るい, kind, sort, type, class, genus, order, family, similar example, parallel, the like, たぐい, kind, sort, type, equal, match, peer

## テロ

terror, terrorism

## 名無し

ななし, being without a name, being nameless, namelessness

## 真

しん, truth, reality, genuineness, seriousness, logical truth, printed style writing, star performer, ま, just, right, due (east), pure, genuine, true, truth, まな, beloved, dear

## 定義

ていぎ, definition

## 素敵

すてき, ステキ, lovely, wonderful, nice, great, fantastic, superb, cool

## 超え

## プロセス

process

## 当たり前

あたりまえ, natural, reasonable, obvious, usual, common, ordinary, commonplace, the norm

## 約束

やくそく, promise, agreement, arrangement, one's word, contract, pact, appointment, engagement, date, convention, rule, destiny, fate

## 選ん

## 強

きょう, a little over, a little more than, strength, the strong, powerhouse, one of the biggest, one of the most powerful, -upper (seismic intensity)

## こんなに

so, like this, in this way

## コピー

copy, photocopy, book jacket blurb, (advertising) slogan

## 出身

しゅっしん, one's origin (e.g. city, country, parentage, school)

## 局長

きょくちょう, bureau director, office chief

## 初め

はじめ, beginning, start, outset, opening, first (in line, etc.), origin, such as ..., not to mention ..., ぞめ, first doing of ... (ever, in one's life, in the new year, etc.)

## 持た

## 事項

じこう, matter, item, facts

## 観点

かんでん, point of view

## 質

しつ, quality, value, nature, inherent quality, character, logical quality, たち, nature (of a person), disposition, temperament, nature (of something), character, kind, sort, しち, pawn, pawned article, pledge, security, guarantee

## 趣味

しゅみ, hobby, pastime, tastes, preference, liking

## 箱

はこ, ハコ, box, case, chest, package, pack, crate, car (of a train, etc.), shamisen case, shamisen, public building, community building, man who carries a geisha's shamisen, receptacle for human waste, feces (faeces), counter for boxes (or boxed objects)

## 開い

## ご覧

ごらん, (please) try to, (please) look, seeing, looking, watching

## 出発

しゅっぱつ, departure, leaving, setting off

## 語る

かたる, to talk about, to speak of, to tell, to narrate, to recite, to chant, to indicate, to show

## 魚

さかな, うお, fish

## 会計

かいけい, accounting, finance, account, reckoning, bill (at a restaurant), check, accountant, treasurer, paymaster, cashier, settlement (of a bill, fee, etc.), payment, economic condition

## 残り

のこり, remnant, residue, remaining, left-over

## いくつか

(a) few, some, several

## 記述

きじゆつ, description, account

## 形成

けいせい, formation, molding, making (up), taking form, giving form to, repair (e.g. with plastic surgery), replacement, -plasty

## 資源

しげん, resources

## たぶん

informing, perhaps, probably, generous, many, much, great, knowing about many things, having wide knowledge

## 願い

ねがい, desire, wish, hope, request, entreaty, plea, appeal, prayer, (written) application

## 事例

じれい, example, precedent, case

## 金額

きんがく, amount of money, sum of money

## 重

おも, chief, main, principal, important, main secondary or supporting role (in kyogen), え, -fold, -ply, じゅう, jūbako, heavy, serious, extreme, -fold, -ply

## きれい

pretty, lovely, beautiful, fair, clean, clear, pure, tidy, neat, completely, entirely

## と共に

とともに, together with, as X, then Y (e.g. as we age we gain wisdom, as wine matures it becomes more valuable, etc.)

## 立ち

たち, departure, setting off, start, being used up, being consumed, being burnt out, passage of time, lapse, rehearsal, leading male role in kabuki, rising from a crouch to charge, initial charge, faceoff

## 取り上げ

とりあげ, adoption, acceptance, confiscation, midwifery, midwife

## 証券

しょうけん, bond, bill, certificate, security

## ガ

moth, (but) what about (the) ..., (but) what about those ...

## 上がった

## 成立

せいりつ, formation, establishment, materialization, coming into existence, conclusion (e.g. of a deal), reaching (e.g. an agreement), approval, completion, closing, enacting, arrangement, being valid (of a theory, argument, etc.), holding, applying

## ひと

bandit, person, someone, somebody, human beings, mankind, man, people, humans, human (Homo sapiens), (other) people, others, character, personality, nature, capable person, competent person, suitable person, right person, adult, grown-up, I, me, one, another person, other people, others, unrelated person (i.e. not related by blood), outsider, stranger, condemning, denouncing, (way of) spending, one, one

## だし

parade float, festival float, dashi (Japanese soup stock made from fish and kelp), pretext, excuse, pretense (pretence), dupe, front man

## 軍事

ぐんじ, military affairs

## 訓練

くんれん, training, drill, practice, discipline

## 来年

らいねん, next year

## 食品

しょくひん, food, food products, foodstuffs

## 証拠

しょうこ, evidence, proof

## ラジオ

radio

## なさ

## 変わる

かわる, to change, to be transformed, to be altered, to vary, to move to, to be different, to be uncommon, to be unusual

## 描い

## プレゼント

present, gift

## 不明

ふめい, unclear, obscure, indistinct, uncertain, ambiguous, unknown, unidentified, ignorance, lack of wisdom, lack of insight

## アルバム

album

## 内閣

ないかく, cabinet (of a government), ministry

## 北海道

ほっかいどう, Hokkaido (island, prefectural-level administrative unit)

## 隣

となり, next (to), adjoining, adjacent, house next door, neighbouring house, next-door neighbour, next-door neighbor

## 当

とう, this, our, the ... in question, the said ..., right, justice, fairness, はた, or, otherwise, furthermore, also, perhaps, by some chance, possibly, that being said, be that as it may, however, but, not to mention, needless to say, as expected, sure enough, really, at all

## 見れ

## 裁判所

さいばんしょ, court, courthouse

## 挑戦

ちょうせん, challenge, defiance, dare, attempt, try

## やり方

やりかた, way (of doing), manner, method, means

## 黒

くろ, black, black go stone, guilt, guilty person

## バンド

band, belt

## 鳥

とり, トリ, bird, bird meat (esp. chicken meat), fowl, poultry

## ブラジル

Brazil

## 胸

むね, むな, chest, breast, breasts, bosom, bust, heart, lungs, stomach, heart, mind, feelings

## 物質

ぶっしつ, material, substance, matter

## 実に

じつに, げに, まことに, indeed, really, absolutely, truly, actually, very, quite

## いかが

how, in what way, how about, questionable

## 手法

しゅほう, technique, method

## 保存

ほぞん, preservation, conservation, storage, maintenance, saving (e.g. to disk)

## 相互

そうご, mutual, reciprocal

## 師

し, teacher, master, mentor, religious leader, specialist, five-battalion brigade comprising 2500 men (Zhou dynasty Chinese army)

## 依頼

いらい, request, commission, entrusting (with a matter), dependence, reliance

## 差別

さべつ, しゃべつ, しゃべち, distinction, differentiation, discrimination, discrimination (against people)

## 特集

とくしゅう, feature (e.g. newspaper), special edition, report

## 設備

せつび, equipment, facilities, installation, accommodations, conveniences, arrangements

## 発

はつ, departure, departing from ..., leaving at (e.g. 8:30), sent from ..., (a letter, etc.) dated ..., datelined ..., counter for engines (on an aircraft), counter for gunshots, bursts of gas, etc., counter for bullets, bombs, etc., counter for blows (punches), counter for jokes, puns, etc., counter for ideas, thoughts or guesses, counter for ejaculations or sexual intercourse, ハツ, green dragon tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of green dragon tiles

## なんか

something like ..., things like ..., someone like ..., the likes of ..., something, some, any, somehow, for some reason, (so) what (are you trying to say)?, what (do you mean)?, going south, softening, softening (of attitude), mollification, weakening (of the market), blanching (of vegetables; by depriving of light), pumpkin (Cucurbita sp.), squash, banknote, soft currency, becoming more difficult (e.g. exam), increasing difficulty

## お答え

ひつじ, the Sheep (eighth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Ram, the Goat, hour of the Sheep (around 2pm, 1-3pm, or 2-4pm), south-southwest, sixth month of the lunar calendar, み, not yet, un-

## 国連

こくれん, United Nations, UN

## 使える

つかえる, to be usable, to be serviceable, to be useful

## 季節

きせつ, season, time of year

## 答弁

とうべん, response, reply, answer, defence, defense

## 使え

## わずか

a little, a few, small, slight, trifling, meagre, meager, narrow (margin), only, just, merely, no more than

## 意思

いし, intention, wish, purpose, mind (to do)

## 保証

ほしょう, guarantee, security, assurance, pledge, warranty

## 実態

じつたい, true state, actual condition, reality

## 当初

とうしよ, beginning, start, outset, at first, at the beginning, initially, originally

## 譴

## もともと

originally, from the start, from the beginning, from the outset, by nature, none the worse (for), (coming out) even, in the same position (as before)

## 装置

そうち, equipment, device, installation, apparatus, stage setting

## キロ

kilo-, 1000, kilogram, kilogramme, kilometre, kilometer, kilo-, 1024, 2<sup>10</sup>

## 図書館

としよかん, ずしよかん, library

## 被告

ひこく, defendant, the accused

## 所有

しよゆう, one's possessions, ownership

## 防止

ぼうし, prevention, check

## 日時

にちじ, date and time

## 目指し

めざし, aim, goal, purpose, look, eyes, expression of eyes

## マンション

condominium (usu. mid or high-rise), apartment building, apartment house, block of flats, apartment, flat

## リー

## 問い合わせ

といあわせ, enquiry, inquiry, query

## 肉

にく, flesh, meat, flesh (of a fruit), pulp, the physical body (as opposed to the spirit), flesh, thickness, content, substance, flesh, ink pad, しし, flesh (esp. of an animal), meat

## アプリケーション

application, application software, application, putting into use, application, request, petition

## 需要

じゅよう, demand, request

## 始まる

はじまる, to begin, to start, to commence, to happen (again), to begin (anew), to date (from), to originate (in)

## 無視

むし, disregarding, ignoring

## 設立

せつりつ, establishment, founding, incorporation (of a business)

## 総理

そうり, prime minister (as the head of a cabinet government), premier, leading, overseeing, leader, overseer, president

## つく

to take (seat, position, course, office, etc.), to assume, to be hired, to be employed, to ascend (the throne), to accede, to start (on a journey), to commence, to depart, to study (under teacher), to be an apprentice, to arrive at, to reach, to sit on, to sit at (e.g. the table), to be lit (of a lamp, burner, etc.), to catch fire, to ignite, to start burning, to be turned on (of a light, appliance, etc.), to come on, to breathe out, to breathe, to tell (a lie), to use (foul language), to vomit, to throw up, to spit up, to prick, to stab, to poke, to prod, to push, to thrust, to nudge, to hit, to strike, to use (a cane), to prop oneself up with, to press against (the floor, etc.), to attack, to brave (the rain, etc.), to be attached, to be connected with, to adhere, to stick, to cling, to remain imprinted, to scar, to stain, to dye, to bear (fruit, interest, etc.), to be acquired (of a habit, ability, etc.), to increase (of strength, etc.), to take root, to accompany, to attend, to follow, to study with, to side with, to belong to, to possess, to haunt, to be lit, to catch fire, to ignite, to be turned on (of a light, appliance, etc.), to be settled, to be resolved, to be decided, to be given (of a name, price, etc.), to be sensed, to be perceived, to be lucky, to become (a state, condition, etc.), horned owl, to possess, to haunt, to hull (rice, barley, etc.), to pound (rice), to polish (rice), to stamp (ore), to be immersed, to be pickled

## できるだけ

as much as one can, as much as possible, if at all possible

## ショップ

shop

## 大き

おおき, great, grand, large, greater (of equal court ranks), upper, senior, a great deal, very much

## 自転車

じてんしゃ, じてんしゃ, bicycle, bike

## 経

たて, タテ, the vertical, height, front-to-back, length, north-to-south, vertical (relationship), hierarchy, (weaving) warp, たていと, (weaving) warp, きょう, sutra, Buddhist scriptures, ふ, to pass, to elapse, to go by, to pass through, to go through, to experience, to go through, けい, warp (weaving), longitude, scripture, sutra, trans-

## 生物

せいぶつ, living thing, organism, creature, life, biology, なまもの, raw food, perishables

## 残し

## 勧め

すすめ, recommendation, advice, suggestion, encouragement

## メニュー

menu, schedule, program, programme, course, services, (computer) menu

## 改めて

あらためて, another time, again, over again, once again, anew, formally, especially, intentionally, deliberately

## 優勝

ゆうしょう, overall victory, championship, winning the title, (being in) heaven, bliss, perfect contentment

## 多様

たよう, diverse, varied

## 特許

とっきょ, patent, special permission, license, licence, concession, charter

## すね

shin, shank, lower leg

## 補助

ほじょ, assistance, support, help, aid, subsidy, supplement, subvention, grant-in-aid, spotting (in weight training)

## 働く

はたらく, to work, to labor, to labour, to function, to operate, to be effective, to work (i.e. ... works), to come into play, to commit (e.g. a crime), to perpetrate, to do, to act, to practise, to practice, to be conjugated

## を通して

をとおして, through, throughout, through (the good offices of), by way of

## 間違っ

## 不動産

ふどうさん, real estate

## 野菜

やさい, vegetable

## バカ

idiot, moron, fool, trivial matter, folly, absurdity, stupid, foolish, dull, absurd, ridiculous, fervent enthusiast, nut, person singularly obsessed with something, Mactra chinensis (species of trough shell)

## 赤

あか, red, crimson, scarlet, red-containing colour (e.g. brown, pink, orange), Red (i.e. communist), red light (traffic), red ink (i.e. in finance or proof-reading), (in) the red, complete, total, perfect, obvious, copper, red 5-point card

## 兆

ちょう, 10<sup>12</sup>, 1,000,000,000,000, trillion, sign, omen, indication, portent

## ライン

line, LINE (instant messaging software)

## 承知

しょうち, knowledge, awareness, acceptance, consent, assent, agreement, compliance, acknowledgment, acknowledgement, forgiving, pardoning, excusing

## 父親

ちちおや, てておや, father

## 供給

きょうきゅう, supply, provision

## 秘密

ひみつ, secret, secrecy, confidentiality, privacy, mystery, secret (e.g. to success), esoteric teachings

## 誰か

だれか, someone, somebody

## 独自

どくじ, original, unique, distinctive, characteristic, peculiar, independent, one's own, personal

## 獲得

かくとく, acquisition, possession

## 許可

きょか, permission, approval, authorization, license

## 急

きゅう, sudden, abrupt, unexpected, urgent, pressing, steep, sharp, precipitous, rapid, swift, fast, emergency, crisis, danger, urgency, hurrying, haste, (in gagaku or noh) end of a song

## 嫌

いや, や, イヤ, disagreeable, detestable, unpleasant, reluctant

## 外交

がいこう, diplomacy, selling (e.g. door-to-door), canvassing

## ねー

right?, isn't it?, doesn't it?, don't you?, don't you think?, hey, say, listen, look, come on, you know, you see, I must say, I should think, will you?, please, so, ..., well, ..., you see, ..., you understand?, I'm not sure if ..., I have my doubts about whether ..., nonexistent, not being (there), not having, not

## セキュリティ

security

## 論理

ろんり, logic

## 話す

はなす, to talk, to speak, to converse, to chat, to tell, to explain, to narrate, to mention, to describe, to discuss, to speak (a language)

## 西

にし, west, せい, Spain, Spanish (language), シャー, west wind tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of west wind tiles

## メイン

main, principal, main dish, main course, main part, principal part, Maine

## 深く

ふかく, deeply, intimately, heartily, sincerely, profoundly

## とっても

very, awfully, exceedingly, (not) at all, by no means, simply (cannot)

## 極めて

きわめて, exceedingly, extremely, decisively

## 本質

ほんしつ, essence, true nature, substance, reality

## 多少

たしょう, a little, some, somewhat, slightly, to some degree, to some extent, amount, quantity, number

## 出来事

できごと, incident, affair, happening, event

## 走っ

## 手紙

てがみ, letter, missive, note, mail

## 策

さく, plan, policy, means, measure, stratagem, scheme, fifth principle of the Eight Principles of Yong, right upward flick, むち, ぶち, ムチ, whip, lash, scourge, stick, cane, rod, pointer

## スト

strike (i.e. industrial action)

## 去年

きょねん, こそ, last year

## 項

うなじ, nape (of the neck), nucha, こう, clause, paragraph, item, argument, term (of an equation), nape (of the neck)

## お互い

おたがい, each other, one another

## 9月

くがつ, September, ninth month of the lunar calendar

## ゆく

to go, to move (towards), to head (towards), to leave (for), to move through, to travel across, to walk along (e.g. a road), to go (well, badly, etc.), to proceed, to turn out, to get along, to do (in a particular way), to go (with; a choice), to try, to pass (of time, seasons, etc.), to go by, to stream, to flow, to die, to pass away, to reach (a stage, extent, age, etc.), to get to, to go (so far as ...), to reach (of information, instructions, wind, etc.), to arrive, to continue ..., to go on ..., to (progress) steadily, to gradually ..., to progressively ..., to have an orgasm, to come, to cum, to trip, to get high, to have a drug-induced hallucination, to conquer, to subjugate, to die, to pass away

## つくっ

## つくる

to make, to produce, to manufacture, to build, to construct, to prepare (food), to brew (alcohol), to raise, to grow, to cultivate, to train, to till, to draw up (a document), to make out, to prepare, to write, to create (an artistic work, etc.), to compose, to coin (a phrase), to organize, to organise, to establish, to found, to have (a child), to make up (one's face, etc.), to fabricate (an excuse, etc.), to give a (false) appearance, to feign (a smile, etc.), to put on a show of emotion, to form (a line, etc.), to set (a record), to commit (a sin, etc.)

## つぶやき

murmur, mutter, murmuring, tweet, Twitter post

## 汗

あせ, sweat, perspiration, moisture, condensation, gulp, oops, かん, Khan (medieval ruler of a Tatar tribe)

## 強制

きょうせい, compulsion, coercion, forcing (to do), enforcement

## 宣言

せんげん, declaration, proclamation, announcement

## 病

やまい, illness, disease, bad habit, weakness, fault, いたづき, いたつき, いたづき, pain, trouble, illness, びょう, disease, -pathy

## エンジン

engine

## チャンス

chance, opportunity

## 優先

ゆうせん, preference, priority, precedence

## 遅れ

おくれ, delay, lag, postponement, falling behind

## オンライン

online, on the line (of a ball; in tennis, volleyball, etc.)

## 変わり

かわり, change, alteration, difference, distinction, something wrong, abnormality, unusual event, accident, incident

## ソース

sauce, Worcestershire sauce, source, origin, source program, source code

## 人材

じんざい, capable person, talented person, human resources, personnel

## 職業

しよくぎょう, occupation, profession, job, vocation, trade, calling, business

## 楽しく

## ついに

finally, at last, in the end, after all, never (happened)

## 援助

えんじょ, assistance, aid, support

## 申請

しんせい, application, request, petition

## それで

so, therefore, and, (and) then

## 歩

ふ, pawn, ほ, step, stride, counter for steps, あゆみ, walking, pace, step, course (of history, one's life, etc.), history, progress, advance, development, pitch (of a screw, etc.), ぶ, bu, commission, percentage, exactly, precisely, かし, foot soldier (Edo period), samurai on foot, going on foot, walking

## コーナー

corner, bend, turn, segment (within a radio or TV program), session, column (newspaper, etc.), area, department, section

## 問

とい, question, query, もん, counter for questions

## 頂い

## 喜び

よろこび, joy, delight, rapture, pleasure, gratification, rejoicing, congratulations, felicitations

## ブランド

brand, bland

## 高速

こうそく, high-speed, rapid, express, highway, freeway, expressway, motorway

## マーク

mark, symbol, insignia, logo, label, emblem, to mark, to put a mark on, trademark, paying attention to, focusing on, watching, guarding, marking, registering a record (in sport, etc.), Mach (OS kernel)

## ろう

labor, labour, toil, trouble, pains, work, effort, striving, wax, tower, tall building, belvedere, turret, lookout, watchtower, brothel, old age, age, old people, the old, the aged, senior, elder, I, me, my humble self, Chinese "Bond" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), prison, jail, gaol, firm, solid, strong, year in the Buddhist order (after the completion of the first meditation retreat), becoming more experienced with age, social status based on this experience, offering ceremony held on the third day of the dog after the winter solstice, twelfth month of the lunisolar calendar, year in the Buddhist order (after the completion of the first meditation retreat), corridor, passage, hall, solder, six, right?, isn't it?, person who has spent X years after graduating high school attempting to get admitted to (a specific) university, vengeful spirit, revengeful ghost, narrowness, meanness, humbleness, lowliness, nth son, lang, man, young man, my husband, my lover, nth child (male and female), deafness, Russia and Ukraine

## 変わら

## 特殊

## こっち

## 次回

とくしゆ, special, particular, peculiar, unique

this way, this direction, here, this (one), I, me, we, us, this person, suddenly, abruptly, unexpectedly

じかい, next time (occasion)

## 文学

ぶんがく, literature

## お知らせ

おしらせ, notice, notification

## 議会

ぎかい, congress, parliament, diet, legislative assembly

## 分け

わけ, division, splitting, classification, sharing, distribution, draw, tie

## 介護

かいご, nursing, care, caregiving, caring

## 唯一

ゆいいつ, ゆいつ, ゆういつ, only, sole, unique

## 削除

さくじょ, deletion, elimination, erasure, striking out

## 田中

## 両方

りょうほう, both, both sides, both parties

## 垢

あか, dirt, filth, grime, く, klesha (polluting thoughts such as greed, hatred and delusion, which result in suffering), アカ, account (e.g. for an online service)

## 売っ

## 本部

ほんぶ, headquarters, head office, main office

## 横浜

よこはま, Yokohama (city)

## 切れ

きれ, piece, slice, strip, scrap, cloth, sharpness, agility, counter for scraps, pieces, etc., ぎれ, completely using up ..., running out of ..., exhausting ...

## 消え

## 悪

あく, evil, wickedness, (role of) the villain (in theatre, etc.), the bad guy, わる, ワル, wicked person, evil person, scoundrel, bad guy, bad child, naughty child, bad thing, mischief

## 処分

しょぶん, disposal, throwing away, selling off, dealing with (a problem), measure, punishment, penalty, putting down (e.g. diseased animal)

## きっかけ

chance, start, cue, excuse, motive, impetus, occasion

## ママ

mom, mommy, mum, mummy, mother, mama, mamma, female proprietress (of a bar, etc.), as (it is), remaining (in a state), keeping (the same), leaving (unchanged), with (e.g. one's eyes closed, the light on), while (e.g. standing, alive), as, as (one pleases, one is told, etc.), according to, sic

## 戦い

たたかい, battle, war, fight, conflict, fight (against time, poverty, etc.), struggle (for freedom, survival, etc.), war (e.g. on drugs), battle (e.g. against nature), contest, competition, match, game

## 共有

きょうゆう, joint ownership, co-ownership, sharing (e.g. a viewpoint), sharing (files, devices on a network, posts on social media, etc.)

## 変える

かえる, to change, to alter, to transform, to convert, to turn, to vary, to reform, to revise, to amend

## 学者

がくしゃ, scholar, academic, scientist, learned person, person of learning

## はい

yes, that is correct, understood, I see, OK, okay, present, here, pardon?, what's that?, come again?, now, here, here you go, giddy-up, giddap, ash, ashes, lung, type of ancient oriental belt, counter for swords, minnow, shinner, bowing one's head (in respect or worship), worship, respectfully yours, loss, defeat, counter for losses, sake cup, cup for alcoholic beverages, counter for cupfuls, bowlfuls, spoonfuls, etc., counter for boats, counter for octopuses and squid, cup (in sports), championship, embryo, germ (e.g. wheat germ), group, gang, bunch, lotus root, medal, shield, badge, card on which dharani (etc.) are written, notice board (in a Zen temple), tile (mahjong, dominos, etc.), anti-

## 夫婦

ふうふ, めおと, みようと, married couple, husband and wife, man and wife, his and hers

## 買い物

かいもの, かいもん, shopping, purchased goods

## 風景

ふうけい, scenery, scene, landscape, view, sight, scene (e.g. of a crime)

## それほど

to that degree, to that extent, that much

## 中小

ちゅうしょう, small and medium

## でる

to leave, to exit, to go out, to come out, to get out, to leave (on a journey), to depart, to start out, to set out, to move forward, to come to, to get to, to lead to, to reach, to appear, to come out, to emerge, to surface, to come forth, to turn up, to be found, to be detected, to be discovered, to be exposed, to show, to be exhibited, to be on display, to appear (in print), to be published, to be announced, to be issued, to be listed, to come out, to attend, to participate, to take part, to enter (an event), to play in, to perform, to be stated, to be expressed, to come up, to be brought up, to be raised, to sell, to exceed, to go over, to stick out, to protrude, to break out, to occur, to start, to originate, to be produced, to come from, to be derived from, to be given, to get, to receive, to be offered, to be provided, to be presented, to be submitted, to be handed in, to be turned in, to be paid, to answer (phone, door, etc.), to get, to assume (an attitude), to act, to behave, to pick up (speed, etc.), to gain, to flow (e.g. tears), to run, to bleed, to graduate, to ejaculate, to cum, to be ...-ing, to have been ...-ing

## レストラン

restaurant (esp. Western-style)

## 高齢

こうれい, advanced age, old age

## 付

つき, づき, ツキ, furnished with, including, attached to, impression, appearance, luck, sociality, under, assistant (e.g. to a manager), soup base, づけ, dated (e.g. a letter), date of effect (e.g. a rule change)

## 製

せい, -made, make

## 剤

ざい, medicine, agent, (chemical) substance, drug, dose

## 1月

いちがつ, January, first month of the lunar calendar

## 受け入れ

うけいれ, receiving, acceptance, reception

## 夕方

ゆうがた, evening, dusk

## 少女

しょうじょ, girl (usu. between 7 and 17), young lady, female between 17 and 20 years old (ritsuryō period), おとめ, (young) girl, maiden, young lady

## 勝利

しょうり, victory, triumph, win, conquest, success

## スピード

speed

## 職場

しょくば, one's post, place of work, workplace

## スター

star (cinema, sports, etc.), celebrity, idol, star symbol, asterisk, (celestial) star

## 材料

ざいりょう, materials, ingredients, material (for a novel, experiment, etc.), subject matter, grounds (for a decision, judgement, etc.), basis, evidence, data, (market) factor

## 考慮

こうりよ, consideration, taking into account

## 主人公

しゅじんこう, protagonist, main character, hero, heroine, head (of a household), proprietor (of a store)

## かける

to hang up (e.g. a coat, a picture on the wall), to let hang, to suspend (from), to hoist (e.g. sail), to raise (e.g. flag), to put on (e.g. a blanket), to put on top of, to cover, to lay, to spread, to put on (glasses, etc.), to wear (a necklace, etc.), to make (a call), to spend (time, money), to expend, to use, to pour (liquid) onto, to sprinkle (powder or spices) onto, to splash, to throw (e.g. water) onto, to turn on (an engine, radio, etc.), to set (a dial, alarm clock, etc.), to put on (a DVD, song, etc.), to use (a device, implement, etc.), to cause (someone inconvenience, trouble, etc.), to burden (someone), to impose, to multiply (arithmetic operation), to secure (e.g. lock), to take a seat, to sit, to rest (something on something else), to support (something on something else), to bind, to wager, to bet, to risk, to stake, to gamble, to put an effect (spell, anaesthetic, etc.) on, to hold (a play, festival, etc.), to hold an emotion for (pity, hope, etc.), to argue (in court), to deliberate (in a meeting), to present (e.g. idea to a conference, etc.), to increase further, to catch (in a trap, etc.), to set atop, to erect (a makeshift building), to apply (insurance), to pun (on a word), to use (a word) as a pivot word, to play on words, to be partway doing ..., to begin (but not complete) ..., to be about to ..., to address (someone), to direct (something, to someone), to do (something, to someone), to run, to dash, to race, to gallop (on horseback), to canter, to advance (against one's enemy), to charge (on horseback), to chip, to be chipped, to break (off), to be damaged, to be missing (from a set, team, etc.), to be absent, to become lost, to be lacking (in), to be short (of), to be deficient, to be wanting (in), to wane (of the moon), to go into eclipse, to wager, to bet, to risk, to stake, to gamble, to soar, to fly, to run, to dash, to suspend between two points, to build (a bridge, etc.), to put up on something (e.g. legs up on table)

## 開か

## 実感

じっかん, real feeling, actual feeling, to actually feel, to have a real feeling (that ...), to experience personally

## 代わり

かわり, substitute, replacement, substituting, replacing, stand-in, proxy, alternate, deputy, relief, successor, compensation, exchange, return, another helping, second helping, seconds, refill, upcoming program, upcoming programme, がわり, substitute for ...

## 現れ

あらわれ, embodiment, manifestation, materialization, materialisation, expression, indication

## 近代

きんだい, present day, modern times, recent times, early modern period (in Japan, usu. from the Meiji Restoration until the end of World War II)

## 借り

かり, borrowing, debt, loan

## だれ

sauce (esp. soy or mirin-based dipping sauce), hanging, something hanging (flap, lappet, etc.), (kendo) loin guard, kanji radical enclosing the top-left corner of a character, woman, -ass, -head, who, undercut (of a machined edge)

## 航空

こうくう, aviation, flying

## 一時

ひととき, いっとき, a (short) time, a while, moment, one time (in the past), a period, former times, two-hour period, いちじ, one o'clock, once, at one time, formerly, before, for a time, for a while, for the time being, for the present, for the moment, temporarily, a time, one time, once

## 字

あざ, section of village, じ, character (esp. kanji), letter, written text, handwriting, penmanship, the ... word (e.g. "the L word" = "love"), あざな, Chinese courtesy name (name formerly given to adult Chinese men, used in place of their given name in formal situations), nickname, section of a village

## 分類

ぶんるい, classification, categorization, sorting

## 戦後

せんご, postwar period, period after Second World War

## 行け

## 無く

## コーヒー

coffee

## 減少

げんしょう, decrease, reduction, decline

## 哲学

てつがく, philosophy

## コントロール

control

## ガン

gun, cancer, wild goose, glans, head of a penis, with a thump, with a thud, with a bang, hard (hit, scold, etc.), severely, marking (on a card or tile for the purpose of cheating), card marking, tile marking, alteration

## 核

かく, stone (of a fruit), pit, pip, core (of an organization, team, etc.), nucleus, heart, nuclear weapons, nucleus (of an atom), nucleus (of a cell), condensation nucleus, (planetary) core, ring (in a cyclic compound), kernel, core, nucleus (of a cultured pearl), さね, seed (of a fruit), pit, pip, stone, tongue (projecting strip on a board that fits into a groove on another board), clitoris, core, kernel, heart

## ポ

Portugal, Portuguese language

## かかわら

## 巨大

きょだい, huge, gigantic, enormous

## 台湾

たいわん, Taiwan

## 試し

ためし, trial, test

## 同士

どうし, どし, fellow, mutual, companion, comrade

## 佐藤

## 修

## 条約

じょうやく, treaty, pact, convention, agreement

## 通っ

## 人類

じんるい, mankind, humanity

## 捨て

## ワイン

wine

## コン

## らしく

## 燭

しよく, light, lamp, obsolete unit of luminous intensity (approx. 1.0067 candela), ともしび, light, lamp, torch

## 個別

こべつ, individual, separate, personal, case-by-case

## 展

てん, exhibition, exhibit

## パターン

pattern, behavioural pattern, behavioral pattern, predictability, force of habit

## たっ

## ビール

beer, beer

## 首

くび, クビ, neck, head, dismissal (from a job), firing, sacking, しゅきゅう, しるし, decapitated head of an enemy, しゅ, counter for songs and poems, つかさ, office, official, chief, head, person (usually a woman) who officiates at religious ceremonies (on the Yaeyama Islands in Okinawa), おびと, おひと, おうと, Obito (hereditary title, often given to powerful regional families), このかみ, eldest son, older brother, older sister, older person, head of a clan, head of a region, skilled craftsman, かしら, head (of a doll), こうべ, head

## 付い

## 波

なみ, wave, ups and downs, ぼ, Poland, は, counter for waves (of a repeated occurrence)

## 低下

ていか, fall, decline, lowering, deterioration, degradation

## 機器

きき, device, equipment, machinery, apparatus

## 血

ち, blood, blood, ancestry, lineage, stock, (the) blood, feelings, passions

## 捜査

そうさ, search (esp. in criminal investigations), investigation, inquiry, enquiry

## 死亡

しぼう, death, dying, mortality

## 分の

ぶんの, -th (e.g. one fifth)

## 祭

まつり, festival, feast, harassment by an Internet pitchfork mob, online shaming, flaming, galore (as in "goals galore"), frenzy, mania

## 聞こえ

きこえ, being able to hear something (clearly), clearness of a sound, reception (e.g. of a radio station), reputation, renown, fame, hearsay, impression (that something gives off), respectability, sonority

## ボランティア

volunteer

## 説

せつ, theory, doctrine, opinion, view, rumour, rumor, gossip, hearsay

## ホーム

(railway) platform, home, home base, home plate

## 某

それがし, someone, unknown person, I, me, ぼう, certain, one, I, me, なにがし, なにぼう, certain amount, some, certain person, Mr So-and-so, a certain ..., I, me

## ぜ

righteousness, justice, right, I can tell you, heh

## ネ

## 理想

りそう, ideal, ideals

## 天気

てんき, weather, fair weather, fine weather

## 当局

とうきょく, authorities, relevant authorities, authorities concerned, this office

## 書籍

しょせき, しょじゃく, book, publication

## 挨拶

あいさつ, greeting, greetings, salutation, salute, condolences, congratulations, speech (congratulatory or appreciative), address, reply, response, revenge, retaliation, a fine thing to say, dialoging (with another Zen practitioner to ascertain their level of enlightenment), relationship (between people), connection, intervention, mediation, mediator

## バイト

part-time job, side job, part-time worker, part-timer, byte, octet, cutting tool, bit

## ガス

gas (as a fuel), gas (state of matter), poison gas, dense fog, thick fog, gas stove, gas cooker, gas range, gasoline, gas, petrol, flatulence, gas, wind, fart, gassed yarn

## 受験

じゅけん, taking an examination (esp. for entrance to a school or university)

## オレ

olé

## 観察

かんさつ, observation, survey, watching

## もう一度

もういちど, once more, again

## 要因

よういん, main cause, primary factor

## 促進

そくしん, promotion, acceleration, encouragement, facilitation, spurring on

## それでは

well, ..., right, ..., now, ..., so, then, that way (would mean ...), if that is the case, in that case, bye then

## すら

Asura, demigod, anti-god, titan, fighting, carnage, conflict, strife, sledge (for conveying large rocks, logs, etc.), log slide, chute, flume, even

## い

## 税金

ぜいきん, tax, duty

## もつ

to hold (in one's hand), to take, to carry, to possess, to have, to own, to maintain, to keep, to last, to be durable, to keep, to survive, to take charge of, to be in charge of, to hold (meeting, etc.), to have (opportunity, etc.), to have "it", to have that special something, to be blessed with good luck, to keep, to preserve, to hold, to retain, to maintain, to sustain, to last, to endure, to keep well (food), to wear well, to be durable, entrails, giblets, guts, internal organs

## 異常

いじょう, strangeness, abnormality, disorder

## 呼ん

## 無事

ぶじ, safety, security, peace, quiet, safely, without incident, successfully, good health, inaction, ennui

## 合意

ごうい, (coming to an) agreement, consent, mutual understanding, accord, consensus

## 統計

とうけい, statistics

## 多かつ

## キー

key (lock, keyboard, piano, clue, island, cay, etc.), chi, screech, squeak, squeal

## 服

ふく, clothes (esp. Western clothes), counter for doses of medicine, gulps of tea, drags of a cigarette, etc., ぶく, mourning clothes, mourning, period of mourning

## 不可能

ふかのう, impossible

## 領域

りょういき, area, domain, territory, field, range, region, regime

## 働き

はたらき, work, labor, labour, achievement, performance, ability, talent, salary, income, earnings, action, activity, workings, function, operation, movement, motion, conjugation, inflection

## 普及

ふきゅう, diffusion, spread, popularization, promulgation, familiarization

## 会い

## 周囲

しゅうい, surroundings, environs, circumference

## お前

おまえ, おまい, you, presence (of a god, nobleman, etc.)

## 見事

みごと, splendid, magnificent, excellent, fine, superb, beautiful, admirable, utter (esp. defeat), total, complete, something worth seeing, sight, spectacle

## 一切

いっさい, all, everything, entirety, the whole, absolutely (not), (not) at all, (none) whatsoever, without exception

## 素材

そざい, ingredient, (raw) material, resource, unprocessed timber, raw timber, subject matter, topic

## 新規

しんき, new, fresh, new item (e.g. customer, regulation), newly created object, new customer

## 児童

じどう, children, juvenile

## 自民党

じみんとう, Liberal Democratic Party, LDP

## 後ろ

うしろ, back, behind, rear

## 把握

はあく, understanding, grasp, grasping (with one's hand), hold, grip, catch

## 前後

ぜんご, front and rear, front and back, before and behind, back and forth, before and after, around, about, approximately, order, context, consequences, just when, around the time of, inversion, reversion, getting out of order, co-occurring, happening at the same time, まえしりえ, front and rear, front and back, before and behind

## 又は

または, or, either ... or ...

できれ

基づい

リリース

権力

release (of a film, product, etc.), publication, release, liberation, setting free, release (of a previously pressed mouse button)

けんりよく, (political) power, authority, influence

趣旨

しゆし, meaning, point (e.g. of a statement), gist, effect, goal, intent, object, aim, point

やや

a little, partially, somewhat, slightly, semi-, -ish, on the ... side, a short time, a while, oh!, oh my!, dear me!, not a chance, not likely, no way, no, oh no, yuck, eew, baby, child, no, quit it, no way

聴い

生じ

集まっ

女子

熱

扱い

じょし, おなご, おみなご, woman, girl, めこ, メコ, vagina, girl

ねつ, heat, fever, temperature, zeal, passion, enthusiasm, mania, craze, rage, ねち, fever

あつかい, treatment, service, dealing (with), handling, management, handling (of a machine, tool, etc.), operation, use, treating as, treating like

終え

予測

自衛隊

おいしい

よそく, prediction, estimation

じえいたい, Japan Self-Defense Forces, JSDF, self-defence force, self-defense force

good(-tasting), nice, delicious, tasty, attractive (offer, opportunity, etc.), appealing, convenient, favorable, desirable, profitable

オリジナル

original, unique (e.g. product), signature, exclusive, one-of-a-kind, custom

常識

じょうしき, common sense, good sense, common knowledge, general knowledge, common practice, accepted practice, social etiquette

びっくり

to be surprised, to be amazed, to be frightened, to be astonished, to get startled, to jump, surprise (e.g. surprise party)

辰

たつ, the Dragon (fifth sign of the Chinese zodiac), hour of the Dragon (around 8am, 7-9am, or 8-10am), east-southeast, third month of the lunar calendar

いよいよ

more and more, all the more, increasingly, at last, finally, beyond doubt, (at the) last moment, worst possible time

すっかり

all, completely, totally, entirely, thoroughly

目指す

めざす, to aim at (for, to do, to become), to try for, to have an eye on, to go toward, to head for

緊張

きんちょう, tension, strain, nervousness, stress, tensions (between countries, groups, etc.), tonus, muscle tone

沢山

たくさん, a lot, lots, plenty, many, a large number, much, a great deal, a good deal, enough, sufficient, enough, too many, too much, たくさん, enough, too many, too much

職

しよく, そく, job, work, employment, occupation, position, duties, trade, skill, しき, agency (government department between a ministry and a bureau under the ritsuryō system)

博士

はかせ, expert, learned person, doctor, PhD, Dr., instructor at the imperial court (ritsuryō period), pitch and length marks (to accompany a Buddhist liturgical chant, etc.), はくし, doctor, PhD, Dr., expert, learned person

進む

すすむ, to advance, to go forward, to precede, to go ahead (of), to make progress, to improve, to deepen, to heighten, to be fast (of a clock), to be ahead, to do of one's own free will, すさむ, to grow wild, to run to waste, to become degenerate, to become rough (of art, craft, etc.), to lose refinement, to deteriorate (of skill), to intensify (of wind, rain, etc.), to become more severe

教科書

きょうかしょ, textbook, coursebook, schoolbook

先週

せんしゅう, last week, the week before

がち

artistry, good taste, elegance, grace, apt to (do), liable to, prone to, inclined to, tend to, predominantly, mostly, having lots of, ... reaps the rewards, ... takes the prize, ... wins, serious, earnest, honest, real, legit

2月

にがつ, February, second month of the lunar calendar

## 朝鮮

ちょうせん, Korea

## 余裕

よゆう, surplus, margin, leeway, room, space, time, allowance, flexibility, scope, composure, placidity, complacency, calm

## 品質

ひんしつ, quality (of a product or a service)

## 太陽

たいよう, Sun

## 勤務

きんむ, service, duty, work

## 水準

すいじゅん, level, standard, water level

## テキスト

text, textbook

## 公務員

こうむいん, government worker, public servant, civil servant

## 意図

いと, intention, aim, design

## 復活

ふっかつ, ふっかーつ, revival (of an old system, custom, fashion, etc.), restoration, return, comeback, resurrection, rebirth

## 用語

ようご, term, terminology, wording, choice of words, phraseology

## 進行

しんこう, moving forward (e.g. of a vehicle), onward movement, progress (of work, activities, etc.), advance, making headway, progression (of a disease, global warming, etc.), progression (e.g. chord progression)

## 近所

きんじょ, neighbourhood, neighborhood

## 呼ぶ

よぶ, to call out (to), to call, to invoke, to summon (a doctor, etc.), to invite, to designate, to name, to brand, to garner (support, etc.), to gather, to take as one's wife

## とり

chicken (Gallus gallus domesticus), domestic chicken, chicken meat, bird, bird meat (esp. chicken meat), fowl, poultry, the Rooster (tenth sign of the Chinese zodiac), the Cock, the Chicken, the Bird, hour of the Rooster (around 6pm, 5-7pm, or 6-8pm), west, eight month of the lunar calendar, in the heart, taking, taker, collecting, collector, remover, removal, last performer of the day (usu. the star performer), last performance of the day, active partner (e.g. in judo demonstration), emphatic or formal prefix

## 程

ほど, extent, degree, measure, limit, bounds, (span of) time, (a) distance, the state of, the status of, the condition of, about, around, approximately, or so, as much as ..., to the extent of ..., like ..., the more ... the more ...

## 無駄

むだ, ムダ, futility, waste, uselessness, pointlessness, idleness

## 講師

こうし, speaker, lecturer, lecturer (at a university or college), instructor, part-time teacher, tutor (at a cram school)

## 桜

さくら, サクラ, cherry tree, cherry blossom, fake buyer, paid audience, shill, seat filler, hired applauder, horse meat

## 郵便

ゆうびん, mail service, postal service, mail, post, mail, postal matter, postal items

## パワー

power

## 候補

こうほ, candidate, contender, prospect, pick, choice, list, candidacy, candidature, nomination

## しょ

various, many, several, book, document, calligraphy (esp. Chinese), penmanship, handwriting, letter, note, station (esp. a police station), office (e.g. tax office), counter for places, heat, midsummer, beginning, inception, vajra (mystical weapon in Hinduism and Buddhism), detailed commentary, explanation, annotation, memorial to the throne (esp. itemized)

## 指示

しじ, しし, indication, denotation, designation, instructions, directions

## 留学

りゅうがく, studying abroad, (temporarily) studying at another school (to learn a specific skill)

## 足り

## いくつ

how many, how old

## ミス

mistake, error, blunder, management information system (MIS), Miss, unmarried woman, myth

## 返事

へんじ, reply, answer, response

## 良

りょう, good (quality, condition, etc.), Good (grade), B

## 嫌い

きらい, disliked, hated, disagreeable, tendency, smack (of), touch (of), distinction, discrimination, きらい, dislike, hatred, fear

## 創造

そうぞう, creation, Creation (by God)

## 物価

ぶっか, prices of commodities, prices (in general), cost-of-living

## 困っ

とういつ, unity, consolidation, uniformity, unification, compatible

## 統一

## 過ごし

## やってき

たび, time (three times, each time, etc.), times, travel, trip, journey

## たび

## 々

のま, ノマ,

## 辺

へん, area, vicinity, region, side, edge, circumstances, へ, べ, え, surrounding area, shore (of the sea), suffix used as a rough indicator of location, direction, time, etc., ほとり, side (esp. of a waterbody), edge, bank, shore, わたり, neighbourhood, vicinity, nearby

## テーブル

table

## 苦勞

くろう, trouble, hardship, difficulty, labour, labor, toil, pains, anxiety, worry, concern, cares

## 漫画

まんが, マンガ, cartoon, comic, comic strip, manga

## 押し

おし, push, pushing, weight, pressure, authority, forcefulness, boldness, audacity, persistence, to forcibly ..., to strongly ...

## 広く

ひろく, widely, far and wide, extensively, universally

## 飛行機

ひこうき, aeroplane, airplane, aircraft

## 進化

しんか, evolution, evolution, becoming more advanced, progress, development, improvement

## マガジン

magazine

## 手術

しゅじゅつ, しゅずつ, surgery, operation, procedure, skill with one's hands, sleight of hand

## リーグ

league

## それとも

or, or else

## おかしい

funny, amusing, comical, laughable, ridiculous, strange, odd, funny, peculiar, weird, wrong, unusual, eccentric, wrong, unsuitable, improper, inappropriate, unbecoming, suspicious

## ツアー

tour

## 見解

けんかい, opinion, point of view

## 伸び

のび, ノビ, growth, development, stretching (one's body, e.g. when waking up), (ability to) spread (of paint, cream, etc.), elongation, extension, carry (e.g. of sound), sustain

## 連合

れんごう, union, combination, alliance, confederation, coalition, association, RENGO (Japanese Trade Union Confederation)

## ホント

truth, reality, actuality, fact, proper, right, correct, official, genuine, authentic, real, natural, veritable

## 貿易

ぼうえき, (foreign) trade, (international) commerce, importing and exporting

## 発想

はっそう, idea, conception, way of thinking, approach, expression

## 助け

たすけ, assistance, help, aid, support, reinforcement

## 静か

しずか, quiet, silent, slow, unhurried, calm, peaceful

## よれ

## いきなり

abruptly, suddenly, all of a sudden, without warning

## 経過

けいか, passage (of time), elapsing, lapse, progress, development, course (of events), transit

## 専用

せんよう, (one's) exclusive use, private use, personal use, dedicated use, use for a particular purpose, exclusive use (of particular products), using only (e.g. a certain brand), using solely

## 停止

ていし, ちようじ, stoppage, coming to a stop, halt, standstill, ceasing (movement, activity, etc.), suspension (of operations), interruption (e.g. of electricity supply), cutting off, suspension (of payment, a licence, etc.), (temporary) prohibition, ban, suspension of music, dance, etc. as a sign of mourning for a prominent person

## 覆

ふく, concealment (of one's vices), veil, cover, overturning, toppling

## 売り

うり, sale, selling, selling point, gimmick, seller, vendor, prostitution

## 訪れ

おとずれ, visit, call, arrival (e.g. of spring), advent, coming, appearance, news, tidings, word

## クリスマス

Christmas

## 化学

かがく, ばけがく, chemistry

## 院

いん, house of parliament (congress, diet, etc.), graduate school, postgraduate school, institution (often medical), institutional building, government office, sub-temple, minor temple building, temple, cloister, imperial palace, title bestowed on empresses, princesses, etc., former (esp. of emperors, daimyos, etc.), late

## 番目

ばんめ, the nth ..., divisions of a kabuki performance, つがいめ, joint, hinge

## 事前

じぜん, prior, beforehand, in advance, before the fact, ex ante

## ラン

run, rump, orchid, Netherlands, Holland, local area network, LAN

## 匹

ひき, き, counter for small animals, counter for rolls of cloth (two han in size), counter for horses, roll of cloth

## 災害

さいがい, calamity, disaster, misfortune

## ピアノ

piano

## 連携

れんけい, cooperation, coordination, link

## 信用

しんよう, confidence, trust, faith, reputation, credit (finance)

## つか

strut, short vertical post, thickness (of a book minus the cover, a sheaf of paper, etc.), handbreadth, bundle, mound, heap, hillock, burial mound, tomb, tumulus, barrow, gravesite, standing stone, stone signpost, roadside stone statue, hilt (of a sword), haft (of a dagger), handle, handgrip, or rather (say), or better (say), or perhaps I should say, or, how should I put it, ..., I mean

## おっ

oh, oops, vigorously ..., suddenly ...

## 両親

りょうしん, ふたおや, parents, both parents

## 致し

## 驚い

## 高度

こうど, altitude, height, elevation, high-degree, high-grade, advanced, sophisticated, strong

## 許さ

## 切っ

## 開け

ひらけ, beginning, start, civilization, civilisation, enlightenment, あげ, newly commenced ..., just started ...

## 症

しょう, illness

## 宣伝

せんでん, publicity, advertisement, advertising, propaganda

## 会っ

## 迷惑

めいわく, trouble, bother, annoyance, nuisance, inconvenience, to be troubled (by), to be bothered (by), to be inconvenienced (by)

## 残る

のこる, to remain, to be left

## 優れ

## 砲

じゅう, gun, rifle, small arms, ほう, gun, cannon, artillery, ordnance

# オーストラリア

Australia

# 主要

しゅよう, chief, main, principal, major

# ふ

two, 2, cloth, fabric, material, textile, bujian (spade-shaped bronze coin of ancient China), negative, minus, pawn, instructor, tutor (to a prince), spots, speckles, mottles, un-, non-, negative prefix, (sheet) music, (musical) note, (musical) score, genealogy, family tree, record of a game of go, shogi, chess, etc., poem, narrative (style of the Shi Jing), classical Chinese rhymed prose, (metropolitan) prefecture (i.e. Osaka and Kyoto), centre (e.g. of learning), center, seat, (government) office, fu (administrative unit in China, Korea and Vietnam), news of someone's death, internal organ, viscera, gut, married woman, woman, lady, wheat gluten (usu. steamed or baked), area of thick growth (of trees, grass, etc.), charm, talisman, amulet, tally, sign, mark, note, fu, unit used in calculation of a hand's score, to pass, to elapse, to go by, to pass through, to go through, to experience, to go through, money and goods given to a bereaved family

# ゴール

goal, basket (basketball), finishing line, winning post, Gaul

# 配信

はいしん, distribution (of information, news, etc.), broadcast, delivery, transmission, streaming (over the Internet)

# 確立

かくりつ, establishment, settlement

# 統合

とうごう, integration, unification, unity, combination, consolidation, synthesis

# 謎

なぞ, riddle, puzzle, enigma, mystery, enigmatic, mysterious

# コンサート

concert

# 起こる

おこる, to occur, to happen

# 時半

じはん, half past (the hour), ときなか, one hour

# 何故

なぜ, なにゆえ, why, how

# げ

seeming, giving the appearance of, giving one the feeling of, lowness (of degree, value, etc.), inferiority, second volume (of two), third volume (of three), exclamation of surprised disappointment, disgust, or worry (yuck, ick, ack, eeew, crap!, blech, gross), gatha (poetic verse of a scripture), summer (on the lunisolar calendar: 16th day of the 4th month to the 15th day of the 7th month), tooth, ivory

# ノート

notebook, copy-book, exercise book, note, noting down, (musical) note, laptop (computer), notebook (computer)

# 居

きよ, residence, い, being (somewhere), sitting

# それなり

in itself, as it is, in its own way, as suits the occasion, within its capacity, within limitations

# ニューヨーク

New York

# 笑っ

# 物理

ぶつり, laws of nature, physical laws, physics

# 8月

はちがつ, August, eighth month of the lunar calendar

# ゆ

# 恋

こい, (romantic) love

# ストーリー

story, tale, legend, plot, storyline

# 笑顔

えがお, smiling face, smile

# ゼロ

zero, 0, nought, nil, nothing, zilch

# 訴え

うったえ, lawsuit, complaint

# 自動

じどう, automatic, intransitive verb

# 圏

けん, sphere, circle, range, area, zone, bloc, category

# メモ

note, memo, memorandum

# アドバイス

advice

# 知的

ちてき, intellectual

# もらえ

## 男女

だんじょ, なんによ, men and women, man and woman, both sexes, both genders, おとこおんな, masculine woman, mannish woman, feminine man, effeminate man, intersexual, hermaphrodite

## 緊急

きんきゅう, urgency, emergency

## 終わる

おわる, to end, to come to an end, to close, to finish

## 動作

どうさ, movement (of the body), action, motion, gesture, bearing, carriage, behaviour, behavior, demeanour, demeanor, operation (of a machine, software, etc.), running, working, functioning

## 向かう

むかう, to face, to go towards, to head towards

## 輸出

ゆしゅつ, しゅしゅつ, export, exportation, efferent

## いこ

orphan, unfairness

## 先輩

せんぱい, senior (at work or school), superior, elder, older graduate, progenitor, old-timer

## 帰る

かえる, to return, to come home, to go home, to go back, to leave (of a guest, customer, etc.), to get home, to get to home plate

## 見直し

みなおし, review, reconsideration, revision

## 本格

ほんかく, original method, original procedure, genuine way (of doing something)

## 合併

がっぺい, merger (of companies, towns, etc.), combination, union, amalgamation, consolidation, coalition, fusion, annexation, affiliation, incorporation

## 反省

はんせい, reflection, reconsideration, introspection, meditation, contemplation, regret, repentance, remorse, being sorry

## 襪

そう, image, figure, statue, picture, portrait, figure, form, shape, appearance, image

## 中身

あてみ, blow to a vital point of a person's body, striking techniques (judo), なかみ, contents, interior, filling, substance, content, (sword) blade

## 製作

せいさく, manufacture, production, production (of a film, play, TV show, etc.)

## サン

sun, three, Saint, St, San (people), son

## 牛

うし, ぎゅう, ウシ, cattle (Bos taurus), cow, bull, ox, calf, beef, Chinese "Ox" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), ぎゅう, ぎふ, pimp, brothel tout

## 起こし

おこし, development, revitalization, standing (something) up, waking up, tilling a rice field, drawing a card from the draw pile

## 診断

しんだん, diagnosis, medical examination

## 問わ

## 要望

ようぼう, demand for, request

## ストレス

stress

## 工業

こうぎょう, (manufacturing) industry

## ボタン

button (clothing), push-button, button, tree peony (Paeonia suffruticosa), moutan, wild boar (meat)

## アン

## 広い

ひろい, spacious, vast, wide

## 白い

しろい, white

## ますます

increasingly, more and more, decreasingly (when declining), less and less

## 崩壊

ほうかい, collapse, crumbling, breaking down, caving in, (radioactive) decay, disintegration

## 真実

しんじつ, しんじち, truth, reality, truly, really, absolute truth

## プレー

play, recreation, play (theatre), performance, staging, praying, play ball, starting a match

## 適当

てきとう, テキトウ, suitable, proper, appropriate, adequate, fit, fair, perfunctory, half-minded, sloppy, lazy, careless, noncommittal, unreliable, irresponsible, haphazard

## 国立

こくりつ, national, founded and run by the central government

## 計

けい, plan, meter, measuring device, (in) total, total (of), ほか, progress

## 石油

せきゆ, oil, petroleum, kerosene, paraffin

## 自治体

じちたい, municipality, local government, self-governing body, autonomous body

## 大幅

おおはば, big, large, drastic, substantial, full-width cloth (approx. 72 cm wide for traditional Japanese clothing; approx. 140 cm wide for Western clothing)

## せっかく

assassin, stone burial chamber, with trouble, at great pains, rare, valuable, precious, long-awaited, kind, generous, specially, especially, expressly, adessive case

## をもって

by (means of), with

## 天

てん, sky, heaven, God, svarga (heaven-like realm visited as a stage of death and rebirth), deva (divine being of Buddhism), top (of a book), sole (of a Japanese sandal), beginning, start, tempura, India, あめ, あま, sky

## 定め

さだめ, law, rule, regulation, provision, decision, appointment, arrangement, agreement, destiny, fate, karma

## だめ

no good, not serving its purpose, useless, broken, hopeless, wasted, in vain, purposeless, cannot, must not, not allowed, neutral point, intersection owned by neither player at the end of a game, no!, stop!

## ブッシュ

bush

## 貢献

こうけん, contribution (furthering a goal or cause), services (to a cause), paying tribute, tribute

## ごろ

sound (of a sentence), euphony, (approximate) time, around, about, toward, suitable time (or condition), time of year, season, racketeer, thug, rogue, bully, fixer

## 配慮

はいりよ, consideration, concern, attention, thoughtfulness, making arrangements, care, trouble

## サイド

side

## 若干

じゃっかん, そこばく, そくばく, そこば, some, few, a number of, a little (bit), somewhat, to a certain extent, many, a lot

## スペース

space (room, area, outer space)

## 書類

しよるい, document, papers

## 主催

しゅさい, sponsorship (i.e. conducting under one's auspices), promotion, organizing, organising, hosting, staging

## きょう

imperial capital (esp. Kyoto), final word of an iroha poem, 10<sup>16</sup>, 10,000,000,000,000,000, ten quadrillion, bad luck, bad fortune, evil, wickedness, Lord, Sir, state minister (under the ritsuryō system), you (in reference to someone of lower status), border, boundary, turning point, watershed, area, region, spot, space, environment, psychological state, mental state, cognitive object, something perceptible by the sense organs or mind, filial piety, Hungary, interest, entertainment, pleasure, implicit comparison (style of the Shi Jing), today, this day, these days, recently, nowadays, lance, sutra, Buddhist scriptures, a little over, a little more than, strength, the strong, powerhouse, one of the biggest, one of the most powerful, -upper (seismic intensity), (some type of) enthusiast, someone possessed of a (certain kind of) mental abnormality, hometown, rural township (of China), pons (pontes), pons Varolii, pontine, part of the brain stem (links the medulla oblongata and cerebellum with the midbrain), Qiang (Chinese ethnic group), treating someone (to food or drink), entertaining someone (as one's guest)

## 韓

から, China (sometimes also used in ref. to Korea or other foreign countries)

## ミサイル

missile

## 調子

ちょうし, tune, tone, key, pitch, time, rhythm, vein, mood, way, manner, style, knack, condition, state of health, impetus, spur of the moment, strain, trend

## 単語

たんご, word, vocabulary

## パリ

Paris (France)

## 表情

ひょうじょう, facial expression, countenance, look, appearance, expression (vocal, etc.)

## べく

in order to, for the purpose of, must, should, last (on the list), (at the) bottom, (in) last position, tailender

## 並ん

## 基地

きち, base (military, expedition, etc.)

## ホール

hall (dance, concert, etc.), dining area of a restaurant, hole, hole, cup, (electron) hole, whole, entire, complete

## みれ

けいき, business conditions, the market, economic activity, economic climate, good (economic) times, prosperity, boom, liveliness, energy, vigour, vigor, spirit

## 植物

しょくぶつ, plant, vegetation

## セ

Central League (Japanese baseball league), CL

## トイレ

toilet, restroom, bathroom, lavatory, going to the toilet, relieving oneself

## 転換

てんかん, conversion, diversion, changeover, commutation, switchover

## 状

じょう, form, shape, appearance, state, condition, circumstances, letter, correspondence, さま, Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., makes a word more polite (usu. in fixed expressions), state, situation, appearance, manner

## 根拠

こんきよ, basis, grounds, foundation, reason, authority, base (of operations)

## 悩み

なやみ, trouble, troubles, worry, distress, sorrows, anguish, agony, problem

## 合格

ごうかく, passing (an exam), pass, success, passing grade, meeting (specifications, standards, etc.), passing (inspection), qualification, being found eligible

## 駐車

ちゅうしゃ, parking (a vehicle)

## 世間

せけん, world, society, people, the public

## 単なる

たんなる, mere, simple, sheer

## 自治

じち, self-government, autonomy, local (governmental) autonomy

## ただいま

I'm home!, I'm back!, it's me!, now, at present, at the moment, just now, a moment ago, at once, right away, in a minute, shortly, soon

## 美

び, beauty, み, august, beautiful

## 奴

やつこ, servant (esp. a samurai's attendant), chivalrous man (Edo period), cubed tofu (often served cold), kite shaped like an Edo-period footman, Edo-period hairstyle worn by samurai's attendants, enslavement (of a woman; Edo-period punishment for her own or her husband's crime), he, she, him, her, やつ, fellow, guy, chap, thing, object, he, she, him, her, め, damn, bastard, humble, やつこ, つぶね, やつこらま, slave, retainer, servant, captive, varlet, I, me

## こうして

thus, in this way

## イエス

Jesus (Christ), yes

## 記載

きさい, mention (in a document), record, entry, statement, listing

## 比較的

ひかくてき, comparatively, relatively

## たとえ

example, simile, metaphor, allegory, fable, parable, even if, no matter (what), if, though, although, supposing, supposing that, -ever

## あり方

ありかた, the way something ought to be, the (current) state of things, how things are

## 限界

げんかい, limit, bound

## 反映

はんえい, reflection (of light), reflection (of society, attitudes, etc.), application (of an update, changes, etc.), taking effect

## タイム

time, thyme, time out (e.g. in sport)

## まい

counter for thin, flat objects (e.g. sheets of paper, plates, coins), counter for portions of gyōza or soba, counter for ranks, counter for wrestlers of a particular rank, counter for fields or rice paddies, counter for palanquin bearers, every (usu. with events, e.g. every weekend), each, linen robe, dancing, dance, probably isn't (doesn't, won't, etc.), don't (doesn't) intend to, intend not to, must not, (when used in an imperative sentence) don't, reward, present, gift, offering to the gods

## メルマガ

email newsletter, email magazine, e-zine, e-mag

## そろそろ

soon, before long, any time now, momentarily, slowly, quietly, steadily, gradually, gingerly, already, about time

## お母さん

おかあさん, mother, mom, mum, ma, wife

## ガラス

glass, pane

## カー

car

## 安

やす, cheap, rash, thoughtless, careless, indiscreet, frivolous

## ベスト

best, vest, waistcoat

## 安く

やすく, inexpensively, cheaply

## 形態

けいたい, form, shape, figure, morph

## 感染

かんせん, infection, contagion, becoming infected, being infected (e.g. with harmful ideas), being influenced (by)

## 原稿

げんこう, manuscript, copy, draft, notes, contribution

## 相場

そうば, market price, speculation (e.g. on stocks), reputation (according to conventional wisdom), estimation, esteem

## 怖い

こわい, scary, frightening, eerie, dreadful

## あげる

to raise, to elevate, to do up (one's hair), to fly (a kite, etc.), to launch (fireworks, etc.), to surface (a submarine, etc.), to land (a boat), to deep-fry, to show someone (into a room), to give, to send someone (away), to enrol (one's child in school), to enroll, to increase (price, quality, status, etc.), to develop (talent, skill), to improve, to make (a loud sound), to raise (one's voice), to earn (something desirable), to praise, to give (an example, etc.), to cite, to summon up (all of one's energy, etc.), to arrest, to nominate, to summon (for geishas, etc.), to offer up (incense, a prayer, etc.) to the gods (or Buddha, etc.), to bear (a child), to conduct (a ceremony, esp. a wedding), (of the tide) to come in, to vomit, to do for (the sake of someone else), to complete ..., to humbly do ...

## 歩き

あるき, ありき, walk, walking, foot messenger (of a town, village, etc.)

## お

## 人達

ひとたち, people

## 取り組み

とりくみ, effort, initiative, dealing with, grappling with, wrestling with, bout (in sports, etc.), match

## 地図

ちず, map, atlas, chart, plan

## 大学院

だいがくいん, graduate school

## ダウンロード

download

## 拒否

きよひ, refusal, rejection, denial, veto

## 腕

うで, arm, skill, efforts, ability, かいな, arm (esp. upper arm), counter used to measure the thickness of round objects

## 鈴木

## 最低

さいてい, least, lowest, minimum, worst, awful, horrible, nasty, disgusting, at the very least

## 微妙

びみょう, ビミョー, subtle, delicate, fine, difficult, complex, tricky, delicate (situation, position, etc.), close (e.g. decision), doubtful, questionable, dicey, not great, iffy, みみょう, unspeakably wonderful, sublime, exquisite, marvelous

## 見方

みかた, viewpoint, point of view, way of looking (at something), view, angle, way of appreciating (e.g. opera), way of understanding, how to read (a map, train timetable, etc.)

## 美味しい

おいしい, good(-tasting), nice, delicious, tasty, attractive (offer, opportunity, etc.), appealing, convenient, favorable, desirable, profitable

## 抱え

かかえ, arduous, employee

## 最

さい, the most, the extreme, prime, conspicuous

## 弱い

よわい, weak, frail, delicate, tender, unskilled, weak (wine)

## 遠く

とおく, far away, distant place, a (great) distance, a long way off, afar, long ago, far back, far (into the future), by far

## 驚き

おどろき, オドロキ, surprise, astonishment, wonder, amazement

## ちやい

## 削減

さくげん, cut, reduction, curtailment

## 青年

せいねん, youth, young man

## 我が国

わがくに, our country, our land, one's own country

## 思える

おもえる, to seem, to appear likely

## しかしながら

however, nevertheless

## 支え

ささえ, support, stay, prop, つかえ, load on one's chest, obstacle, hindrance, impediment, difficulty

## 選ぶ

えらぶ, to choose, to select

## 劇場

げきじょう, theatre, theater, playhouse

## 強調

きょうちょう, emphasis, stress, highlighting, underlining, underscoring, accentuating (a feature or certain part), accenting, strong tone (of the market), firm tone

## 要するに

ようするに, in short, in a word, to sum up, to put it simply, to make a long story short, after all

## 楽しんで

## 防衛

ぼうえい, defense, defence, protection

## ロンドン

London (UK)

## 世界中

せかいじゅう, around the world, throughout the world

## 初期

しよき, early days, early years, early stages, initial stages, beginning

## ホ

5th (in a sequence denoted by the iroha system), E (note)

## 機構

きこう, mechanism, machinery, system, structure, organization, framework

## かね

tooth blackening, tooth-blackening dye, money, metal, bell (often a large hanging bell), chime, gong, handbell, interrogative sentence-ending particle expressing doubt, carpenter's square, upside-down and mirrored L-shape (used in traditional shop logos combined with another character), perpendicularity, straightness, model, standard

## どうやら

possibly, apparently, (seem) likely, seemingly, somehow or other, with difficulty, barely, after a fashion

## 床

とこ, bed, bedding, sickbed, alcove, riverbed, seedbed, straw "core" of a tatami mat, floor, ゆか, floor, stage (for the narrator and the shamisen player), dining platform built across a river, しょう, counter for beds

## いらっしゃる

to come, to go, to be (somewhere), to be (doing)

## 真剣

しんけん, serious, earnest, real sword (as opposed to a wooden practice weapon)

## 講義

こうぎ, lecture

## おすすめ

recommendation, advice, suggestion, encouragement

## 術

じゆつ, art, technique, means, way, trick, trap, plot, stratagem, magic, すべ, way, method, means

## 隊

たい, party, group, crew, team, body, company (of troops), corps, unit, squad

## 対処

たいしよ, dealing with, coping with

## 実質

じっしつ, substance, essence, substantive, substantial, essential, real (e.g. interest rate), in essence, in effect, essentially, effectively, practically, parenchyma

## 貴重

きちょう, precious, valuable

## メートル

metre (unit of length), meter, meter, gauge

## もしくは

or, otherwise

## 収集

しゅうしゅう, collecting, accumulating, gathering, collection (of art, stamps, insects, etc.), garbage collection, waste collection

## 大手

おおて, major company, big company, front castle gate, force attacking the front of a castle, おおで, full length of one's arm (from shoulder to fingertip)

## 工夫

くふう, devising (a way), contriving, inventing, thinking up, figuring out, coming up with, working out, device, design, idea, plan, invention, dedication to spiritual improvement (esp. through Zen meditation), こうふ, labourer, laborer, workman

## じゃあ

then, well, so, well then

## 諸国

しよこく, various countries, various regions, various provinces

## 幅

はば, width, breadth, freedom (e.g. of thought), latitude, gap, difference (e.g. in price), range (e.g. of voice), の, unit of measurement for cloth breadth (30-38 cm), ふく, scroll, counter for scrolls

## そば

buckwheat (Fagopyrum esculentum), soba, Chinese-style noodles, near, close, beside, vicinity, proximity, besides, while, third person

## 蠅

はえ, ハエ, fly (any insect of infraorder Muscomorpha), person of no worth, pisher, scrub

## 監視

かんし, monitoring, watching, observation, surveillance, guarding, supervision, lookout

## リーダー

leader, reader, reading book, reader (i.e. someone who reads), microreader, dotted line (in printing), leaders, ellipsis mark

## 認定

にんてい, authorization, authorisation, acknowledgment, acknowledgement, certification, recognition

## 必ずしも

かならずしも, (not) always, (not) necessarily, (not) entirely, (not) all

## 文庫

ぶんこ, library, book collection, paperback book

## サーバー

server, (cake) server, (water) dispenser, server (tennis, volleyball, etc.)

## 避け

よけ, protection, repellent

## 勝ち

勝ち, win, victory, がち, apt to (do), liable to, prone to, inclined to, tend to, predominantly, mostly, having lots of, ... reaps the rewards, ... takes the prize, ... wins

## 各種

かくしゆ, every kind, all sorts

## 節

せつ, occasion, time, section (of a literary work or piece of music), passage, paragraph, verse, stanza, clause, season, term, one's principles, integrity, node (of a plant stem), (taxonomical) section, knot (nautical mile per hour), ノット, knot (nautical mile per hour), ふし, joint, knuckle, tune, melody, node (of a plant stem), joint, knot (in wood), knob, (notable) point, part, node, ぶり, characteristic way of speaking, よ, space between two nodes (on bamboo, etc.), せち, season, time of the year, seasonal festival, seasonal banquet, seasonal feast

## 福岡

ふくおか, Fukuoka (city, prefecture)

## 反

たん, variable measure of fabric (28.8 cm in width), for kimonos: at least 10 m in length, for haori: at least 7.27 m in length, for other clothes: at least 6.06 m in length, 300 tsubo (991.74 meters square, 0.24506 acres), six ken (10.91 m), はん, anti-, antithesis, fanqie

## 肩

かた, shoulder

## すると

thereupon, hereupon

## 券

けん, ticket, coupon, bond, certificate

## そ

altar of sacrifice, plain, white silk, prime, ancestor, forefather, progenitor, originator, pioneer, inventor, founder, grandfather, sparse, distant (of a relationship), estranged, alienated, type of carbuncle, so (condensed milk product eaten in ancient Japan), that, he, she, that person, rice tax (ritsuryō system), rice levy, tax on rice fields, annual tribute, annual tax, detailed commentary, explanation, annotation, memorial to the throne (esp. itemized), rank of the emperor, imperial throne, coarse, rough, crude, raw, unrefined

## 意外

いがい, unexpected, surprising

## 容疑

ようぎ, suspicion, charge

## 明治

めいじ, Meiji era (1868.9.8-1912.7.30)

## 命令

めいれい, order, command, decree, directive, (software) instruction, statement

## 向こう

むこう, opposite side, other side, opposite direction, over there, that way, far away, beyond, the other party, the other person, future (starting now)

## 根本

ねほん, kabuki script, illustrated kabuki script, ねもと, base (of a plant, tree, pillar, etc.), (part near the) root, roots (of one's hair), root (e.g. of a problem), source, こんほん, こんほん, root, source, origin, foundation, basis, essence

## 重視

じゅうし, regarding as important, attaching importance to, taking a serious view of, putting emphasis on

## ワン

one, wide area network, WAN, counter for character tiles, woof, arf, bow-wow

## 慣れ

なれ, practice, experience, habituation, being used to, being comfortable with, being experienced in

## おっしゃっ

## 時々

ときどき, sometimes, occasionally, at times, from time to time, now and then, once in a while, at intervals, seasonal, of the season, appropriate (for the season or occasion)

## 指

ゆび, および, おゆび, finger, toe, digit, さし, サシ, between (e.g. two people), face to face, hindrance, impediment, arrhythmic section of recitative in noh music, playing with only 2 players, prefix used for stress or emphasis, counter for traditional dance songs

## 依存

いそん, いそん, dependence, reliance

## 医学

いがく, medical science, medicine

## 手続

てつづき, procedure, process, proceedings, formalities

## けっこう

cancellation (of a flight or sea voyage), doing (with resolve), carrying out (e.g. a plan), splendid, nice, wonderful, delightful, lovely, excellent, fine, sufficient, satisfactory, enough, fine, all right, OK, not needing (any more of something), (already) having enough, fine (as in "I'm fine"), no, thank you, rather, quite, fairly, pretty, surprisingly, quite a bit, fairly well, structure, construction, framework, architecture, circulation (of the blood), cancellation of lecture or class, rising and falling (of a bird), rivalry (between two equally strong sides), struggle for supremacy, competing (with), vying (with), contending (with), being an equal match (for)

## 株主

かぶぬし, shareholder, stockholder

## プラス

plus, addition, positive (number), plus sign, positive symbol, advantage, plus, asset, positive factor, positive effect, profit, gain, anode, plus terminal, positive pole, positive (test result)

## 刺激

しげき, stimulus, stimulation, irritation, impetus, impulse, stimulus, spur, incentive, encouragement, stimulation, motivation, provocation, excitement, thrill

## 合理

ごうり, rationality

## ゆ

bow (weapon), archery, bow (for a violin, etc.), hot water, hot bath, hot spring, molten iron, yuzu (Citrus ichangensis x C. reticulata)

## あん

that, those, the, hermitage, retreat, idea, plan, proposal, suggestion, (government) bill, draft, rough copy, expectation, desk, stand, red bean paste, red bean jam, anko, kudzu sauce, filling (of a dumpling, etc.), filling, stuffing, inside, darkness

## 中間

ちゅうかん, middle, midway, halfway, centre, center, middle position, moderate position, neutral position, middle-of-the-road position, interim, intermediary, intermediate, midterm, ちゅうげん, samurai's attendant, footman

## 鉄道

てつどう, railroad, railway, rail transport

## 短い

みじかい, short, brief

## 入手

にゅうしゆ, acquisition, obtaining, procurement, getting (hold of)

## 名古屋

なごや, Nagoya (city)

## 才

さい, ... years old, age (of) ..., さい, ability, gift, talent, aptitude, genius, sai

## 現

うつつ, reality, consciousness, げん, present (e.g. government, administration), current, existing

## 動い

## こんにちは

hello, good day, good afternoon

## 注

ちゅう, annotation, explanatory note, comment

## 笑い

わらい, laugh, laughter, smile, sneer, sex aids (e.g. dildos, pornographic books, erotic woodblock prints, etc.)

## 載っ

## 上げる

あげる, to raise, to elevate, to do up (one's hair), to fly (a kite, etc.), to launch (fireworks, etc.), to surface (a submarine, etc.), to land (a boat), to deep-fry, to show someone (into a room), to give, to send someone (away), to enrol (one's child in school), to enroll, to increase (price, quality, status, etc.), to develop (talent, skill), to improve, to make (a loud sound), to raise (one's voice), to earn (something desirable), to praise, to give (an example, etc.), to cite, to summon up (all of one's energy, etc.), to arrest, to nominate, to summon (for geishas, etc.), to offer up (incense, a prayer, etc.) to the gods (or Buddha, etc.), to bear (a child), to conduct (a ceremony, esp. a wedding), (of the tide) to come in, to vomit, to do for (the sake of someone else), to complete ..., to humbly do ...

## 相

さが, one's nature, one's destiny, custom, tradition, habit, convention, あい, together, mutually, fellow, そろ, aspect, appearance, look, physiognomy (as an indication of one's fortune), aspect, phase (e.g. solid, liquid and gaseous), こもごも, alternately, in succession, しょう, minister (of a government department)

## ロー

low, low gear, rho, raw (image format), RAW, law, row

## 印刷

いんさつ, printing

## 帰国

きこく, return to one's country, return to one's hometown

## 発揮

はつき, show (of power, ability, etc.), exhibition, demonstration, display, manifestation

## え

## 市町村

しちょうそん, cities, towns and villages, municipalities

## 何らかの

## 規則

きそく, rule, regulation

## 賃金

ちんぎん, ちんぎん, wages, pay, rental payment

## 一致

いっち, agreement, accord, correspondence, consistency, coincidence, union, unity, cooperation

## バージョン

version

## 奥

おく, inner part, inside, interior, depths (e.g. of a forest), back (of a house, drawer, etc.), bottom (e.g. of one's heart), recesses, heart

## マーケティング

marketing

## 主体

しゅたい, main constituent, core, nucleus, subject (philosophical), protagonist, チュチェ, Juche (North Korean political ideology), self-reliance, Juche (North Korean calendar)

## トラブル

trouble

## 原告

げんこく, plaintiff, accuser, prosecutor

## 合っ

## 住む

すむ, to live (of humans), to reside, to inhabit, to dwell, to abide

## 歩く

あるく, to walk

## 部長

ぶちょう, head (chief, director) of a section or department, head of a (school) club, head of a (school) team

## 習慣

しゅうかん, habit, (social) custom, practice, convention

## 筆者

ひっしゃ, writer, author

## 以内

いない, within, inside of, less than

## だり

-ing and -ing (e.g. "coming and going"), doing such things as..., expresses a command, to be, indicates completion or continuation of an action

## カナダ

Canada

## 校

こう, school, proof (of a book, document, etc.), counter for proofs

## ロック

lock, roc (mythological bird), rock (music), rock, boulder, stone, on the rocks

## 模様

もよう, pattern, figure, design, state, condition, conjecture of the current situation, the way it seems, model, pattern, example, indicates that something seems likely (e.g. rain or storm), framework, territorial framework, moyo

## 日曜日

にちようび, Sunday

## 越え

## 速度

そくど, speed, velocity, pace, rate, velocity

## 外部

がいぶ, outside (e.g. of a building), exterior, outside (of a group, company, etc.), outside world

## 抵抗

ていこう, resistance, opposition, standing up to, reluctance, repulsion, repugnance, resistance, drag, friction, electrical resistance, resistor

## 各国

かっこく, かくこく, each country, every country, various countries, all countries

## たる

to be sufficient, to be enough, to be worth doing, to be worthy of, to deserve, to do (the job), to serve, to answer, cask, barrel, (those) who are, (that) which is, in the capacity of

## ワールドカップ

World Cup (e.g. soccer)

## 会見

かいけん, interview, audience, meeting, (viewing) party

## 定期

ていき, fixed period, fixed term, regular, periodic, periodical, fixed-term commuter pass, fixed-term deposit, futures contracts

## 市内

しない, in the city, within the city

## 混乱

こんらん, disorder, chaos, confusion, mayhem

## 医者

いしゃ, doctor, physician

## かかり

starting (e.g. of an engine), engaging (e.g. of a lock), expenses, costs, attack (esp. a corner approach), barb (of a fish hook), charge, duty, person in charge, official, clerk, charge, duty, person in charge, official, clerk, connection, linking

## 自殺

じさつ, suicide

## 当たり

あたり, hit, success, guess, prediction, affability, friendliness, sensation, touch, bruise (on fruit), situation in which a stone or chain of stones may be captured on the next move, bite (of a fish on a hook), strike, per, each

## 都合

つごう, circumstances, condition, convenience, to arrange, to manage, to lend money, to raise money, in all, in total, all told

## 幸い

さいわい, happiness, blessedness, luck, fortune, felicity, luckily, fortunately

## 検証

けんしょう, verification, inspection

## 概要

がいよう, outline, summary, overview, synopsis, abstract, abridgment, abridgement

## 温泉

おんせん, hot spring, onsen, hot spring resort, hot spring spa

## ジョン

jeon (fried dish of meat, vegetables, etc. coated in flour and egg)

## 神様

かみさま, God, god, ace, king, superior person, god (amongst men)

## 漢字

かんじ, kanji, Chinese character

## 流

りゅう, way, manner, style, fashion, mode, school (e.g. of flower arrangement), class, rate, rank, flow, current, stream, る, exile (second most severe of the five ritsuryō punishments), りゅう, counter for flags, banners, etc.

## ごく

quite, very, 10<sup>48</sup>, quinquagillion, words, phrases, jail, gaol, prison

## 杯

さかずき, さかづき, うき, sake cup, cup for alcoholic beverages, はい, sake cup, cup for alcoholic beverages, counter for cupfuls, bowlfuls, spoonfuls, etc., counter for boats, counter for octopuses and squid, cup (in sports), championship, つき, shallow bowl, はた, counter for cupfuls, bowlfuls, spoonfuls, etc.

## レース

race, lace, lathe

## ご飯

ごはん, cooked rice, meal

## さっき

a short while ago, a moment ago, just now, some time ago, thirst for blood, bloodlust, determination to kill, misfortune, adverse fortune, hapless fate, checkered (life, career, etc.), varied, eventful, dramatic, full of ups and downs, last season (e.g. in sports), equivalent season last year, (stone) scraper, last period, previous period

## 賛成

さんせい, approval, agreement, support, favour, favor

## 余り

あまり, あんまり, remainder, remnant, rest, balance, surplus, remains (of a meal), leftovers, (not) very, (not) much, too much, excessively, overly, extreme, great, severe, tremendous, terrible, more than, over

## 決める

きめる, to decide, to choose, to determine, to make up one's mind, to resolve, to set one's heart on, to settle, to arrange, to set, to appoint, to fix, to clinch (a victory), to decide (the outcome of a match), to persist in doing, to go through with, to always do, to have made a habit of, to take for granted, to assume, to dress up, to dress to kill, to dress to the nines, to carry out successfully (a move in sports, a pose in dance, etc.), to succeed in doing, to immobilize with a double-arm lock (in sumo, judo, etc.), to eat or drink something, to take illegal drugs

## 緑

みどり, green, greenery, verdure

## もらえる

to be able to receive, to be able to take, to be able to accept, could you (give me), would you, can you

## 民主党

みんしゅとう, Democratic Party (esp. DPJ or US Democratic Party), Constitutional Democratic Party of Japan

## 欧州

おうしゅう, Europe

## 取れ

## 座っ

## 帰宅

きたく, returning home, going home, coming home, getting home

## 城

しろ, castle, じょう, castle (in place names), castle, fortress, き, fortress (surrounded by a wall, moat, etc.)

## シーズン

season (period in which regulated games are played), season (division of the year), season (of a TV show, etc.), season (for doing something, e.g. ski season, entrance examination season)

## 筋

すじ, スジ, muscle, tendon, sinew, vein, artery, fiber, fibre, string, line, stripe, streak, reason, logic, plot, storyline, lineage, descent, school (e.g. of scholarship or arts), aptitude, talent, source (of information, etc.), circle, channel, well-informed person (in a transaction), logical move (in go, shogi, etc.), ninth vertical line, seam on a helmet, gristly fish paste (made of muscle, tendons, skin, etc.), social position, status, on (a river, road, etc.), along, counter for long thin things, counter for roads or blocks when giving directions, street (in Osaka), (Edo period) counter for hundreds of mon (obsolete unit of currency), きん, muscle

## 天皇

てんのう, Emperor of Japan, すめらみこと, すべらみこと, Emperor of Japan, すめらぎ, すめろぎ, すべらぎ, すめらき, Emperor of Japan

## 前半

ぜんはん, ぜんぱん, first half

## 痛み

いたみ, pain, ache, soreness, grief, distress, damage, injury, wear, bruise, break

## ともかく

anyhow, anyway, somehow or other, generally speaking, in any case, be that as it may, apart from ..., setting ... aside

## 重大

じゅうだい, serious, important, significant, grave, weighty

## 死ぬ

しぬ, 死ぬ, to die, to pass away, to lose spirit, to lose vigor, to look dead, to cease, to stop

## 容易

ようい, easy, simple, plain

## ところ

place, spot, scene, site, address, district, area, locality, one's house, point, aspect, side, facet, passage (in text), part, space, room, thing, matter, whereupon, as a result, about to, on the verge of, was just doing, was in the process of doing, have just done, just finished doing, bed, bedding, sickbed, alcove, riverbed, seedbed, straw "core" of a tatami mat, floor, constant, unchanging, eternal

## ゴルフ

golf

## ユーザ

user

## 題

だい, title, subject, theme, topic, problem (on a test), question, counter for questions (on a test)

## 録音

ろくおん, (audio) recording

## 運

うん, fortune, luck

## 走る

はしる, to run, to run (of a vehicle), to drive, to travel, to move, to sail, to rush (to), to dash, to race, to retreat, to flee, to defect (to), to run away, to abscond, to elope, to flash (of lightning), to streak, to shoot (through; e.g. of pain), to run (through), to flare, to flit (e.g. across one's face), to spread quickly (of news, shock, etc.), to go (e.g. bad, to extremes), to become, to turn, to take to (e.g. crime), to get carried away by (e.g. one's emotions), to get involved in, to get wrapped up in, to run (through; of a road, street, etc.), to extend (e.g. of a mountain range), to stretch, to lie

## 読ま

## 必須

ひつす, ひつしゅ, ひつすう, indispensable, essential, requisite, required, compulsory, necessary

## 売れ

## 林

はやし, wood, woods, forest, grove, copse, thicket, bunch (of something), cluster, line, collection

## 不満

ふまん, dissatisfaction, discontent, displeasure, complaint, unhappiness

## うる

to be able to ..., can ..., to get, to acquire, to obtain, to procure, to earn, to win, to gain, to secure, to attain, to sell, nonglutinous grain (not sticky enough to make mochi rice cakes)

## 流通

りゅうつう, circulation (of money, goods, etc.), distribution, circulation (of air, water, etc.), ventilation, flow

## ただけ

## 我が家

わがや, わがいえ, one's house, one's home, one's family

## 原理

げんり, principle, theory, fundamental truth

## 比

ひ, ratio, proportion, match, equal, explicit comparison (style of the Shi Jing), Philippines, in comparison with ..., ころ, ごろ, (approximate) time, around, about, toward, suitable time (or condition), time of year, season, たぐい, kind, sort, type, equal, match, peer, ころおい, time, period, days

## 嘘

うそ, ウソ, lie, fib, falsehood, untruth, mistake, error, unwise move, bad decision, no way!, unbelievable!, really?!

## 株価

かぶか, stock prices

## 想定

そうてい, hypothesis, supposition, assumption

## 青

あお, blue, azure, green, green light (traffic), black (horse coat color), blue 5-point card, immature, unripe, young

## 手続き

てつづき, procedure, process, proceedings, formalities

## 眺め

ながめ, scene, view, prospect, outlook

## 要請

ようせい, appeal, call for something, request, claim, demand, axiom

## 楽器

がっき, musical instrument

## 詩

うた, song, singing, classical Japanese poem (esp. tanka), modern poetry, し, poem, poetry, verse, Chinese poem

## よっ

## 村上

## 廃止

はいし, abolition, discontinuance, discontinuation, repeal, annulment

## 詳しい

くわしい, detailed, full, minute, knowing very well, knowledgeable (about), well-acquainted (with), well-informed (about), familiar (with)

## 魂

たましい, だまし, たま, soul, spirit, こん, Yang energy, spirit

## 綺麗

きれい, キレイ, pretty, lovely, beautiful, fair, clean, clear, pure, tidy, neat, completely, entirely

## イスラエル

Israel

## 今月

こんげつ, this month

## かい

low rank, lower position, subordinate position, lower order (e.g. byte), the feelings of the people, meeting, assembly, party, gathering, conference, athletic meet, society, association, club, counter for occurrences, a time, an instance, inning (baseball), round, game, episode, chapter, instalment, Hui (people), Islam, storey, story, floor, stairs, stage (in chronostratigraphy), counter for storeys and floors of a building, shellfish, seashell, shell, thin rice porridge, watery cooked rice, rice gruel, congee, breakfast (in Zen temples), effect, result, worth, use, avail, Kai (former province located in present-day Yamanashi Prefecture), spoon, paddle, oar, scull, buying, shopping, buyer, purchase, mystery, wonder, yes?, no?, isn't it?, is it?, revision, solution (of an equation, inequality, etc.), root (e.g. of a polynomial), solution (to a given problem), answer, explanation, interpretation, community, circles, world, kingdom, erathem, field (electrical), border, boundary, division, admonition, commandment, sila (precept), pleasure, delight, enjoyment, gorge, ravine, egg, eggshell, bad physician, bad doctor, undergarment, underwear, lower garment (e.g. trousers), China and foreign countries (from the perspective of China), civilized land and uncivilized land, regular script (of Chinese characters), square style, block style, standard style, Chinese pistache (*Pistacia chinensis*), meaning of a song, meaning of a tanka

## 滞在

たいざい, stay, sojourn

## いったい

(what) the heck, (why) in the world, (who) on earth, one object, one body, unity, one form, one style, one Buddhist image (or carving, etc.), generally, in general, whole area, whole region, stretch (of land), tract, belt, zone, party, gang, company, squad

## 各地

かくち, every place, various places

## 従業

じゅうぎょう, employment

## いえる

to be possible to say, to be able to say, said, have said, to recover, to be healed

## 読書

どくしょ, とくしょ, reading (a book)

## 行こ

## 確定

かくてい, decision, settlement, confirmation, establishment

## 合計

ごうけい, sum total, total amount

## 伝える

つたえる, to convey, to report, to transmit, to communicate, to tell, to impart, to propagate, to teach, to bequeath

## 怒り

いかり, anger, rage, fury, wrath, indignation

## 香り

かおり, aroma, fragrance, scent, smell

## ヒット

hit, base hit, safe hit, single, hit, success, hit (in boxing), blow, hit (i.e. a successful match in a search)

## モード

mode, manner, way, mode, mode, fashion

## タクシー

taxi

## 発信

はっしん, dispatch, despatch, transmission, submission, informing (e.g. of opinion), sharing (thoughts, etc.), telling

## 建て

だて, indicates storeys, structures, or materials used in a building, indicates denomination, たて, contract, commitment

## 執行

しっこう, しゅぎょう, しゅうぎょう, しぎょう, execution, carrying out, performance, enforcement, exercise, service, conduct, execution, lead monk performing various tasks in a temple

## 連載

れんさい, serialization, serialisation, serial story

## 恐れ

おそれ, fear, horror, anxiety, concern, uneasiness, reverence

## フル

full

## 思い出

おもいで, memories, recollections, reminiscence

## 恐怖

きょうふ, くふ, fear, dread, dismay, terror, horror, scare, panic

## 日経

につけい, Nikkei (newspaper, share index)

## 主人

しゅじん, head (of a household), proprietor (of a store), proprietress, landlord, landlady, one's husband, (one's) employer, (one's) master, host, hostess, あるじ, head (of a household), proprietor (of a store), proprietress, landlord, landlady, master (of a servant), entertaining someone as one's guest

## 支払い

しはらい, payment

## 一瞬

いっしゆん, instant, moment, for an instant

## 老人

ろうじん, old person, senior citizen, the aged, the elderly

## 頁

ページ, page, nth page, page ..., おおがい, kanji "big shell" radical

## 当日

とうじつ, day in question, appointed day, that very day, the day (of issue, publication, etc.)

## 早速

さっそく, at once, immediately, without delay, promptly

## 関西

かんさい, かんせい, かんぜい, Kansai, region consisting of Osaka, Kobe, Kyoto and surrounding prefectures, Kansai, south-western half of Japan (during the feudal era)

## がっ

## くださっ

## 神戸

こうべ, Kobe (city)

## 時計

とけい, ときはかり, clock, watch, timepiece

## とら

tiger (Panthera tigris), drunkard, drunk, sot, the Tiger (third sign of the Chinese zodiac), hour of the Tiger (around 4am, 3-5am, or 4-6am), east-northeast, first month of the lunar calendar

## 割合

わりあい, rate, ratio, percentage, proportion, comparatively, contrary to expectations

## 認める

したためる, to write (e.g. a letter), to draw up (a document), to take down (e.g. notes), to have (lunch, dinner, etc.), to eat, みとめる, to recognize, to recognise, to observe, to notice, to deem, to judge, to assess, to approve, to deem acceptable, to allow, to admit, to accept, to confess (to a charge), to watch steadily, to observe carefully, to renown, to give renown to, to appreciate, to acknowledge

## 正式

せいしき, due form, official, formality

## おか

land, shore, hill, height, knoll, rising ground, bonus points awarded to the winner at the end of a game, buck (male deer)

## カラー

color, colour, hair colouring (coloring), political color, political leaning, collar, calla (variety of arum lily)

## 出場

しゅつじょう, (stage) appearance, performance, participation (e.g. in a tournament), exit, exiting, しば, one's time (e.g. to go on stage), one's turn, source, origin, place of production

## 徹底

てつてい, thoroughness, completeness, consistency, thorough enforcement, seeing to it that a policy, etc. is carried out without exception

## 収録

しゅうろく, recording (in a book, the minutes, etc.), printing, including (e.g. in a set of complete works), containing, compiling, recording (audio or video)

## 穴

あな, hole, opening, orifice, perforation, pit, hollow, cavity, hole (e.g. in the ground), burrow, den, lair, hole, deficit, shortage, (financial) hole, loss, gap (left by a missing employee, team member, etc.), vacancy, opening, flaw, fault, defect, weak point, hole (in a theory, plan, etc.), loophole, good place not many people know about, well-kept secret, upset victory (with a large payoff), long shot, dark horse, (partitioned) box (type of floor seating in a traditional Japanese theatre), hiding place, hideout, けつ, ケツ, ass, arse, buttocks, rear, end, acupuncture point, hole, notch, めど, みぞ, はりめど, eye of a needle, hole

## 板

いた, board, plank, sheet (of metal), plate (of glass), pane, slab, cutting board, chopping board, chef (esp. of high-end Japanese cuisine), cook, stage (i.e. at a theatre)

## 退職

たいしよく, retirement, resignation

## 動く

うごく, to move, to stir, to shift, to shake, to swing, to operate, to run, to go, to work, to make a move, to take action, to act, to go into action, to be touched, to be influenced, to change, to vary, to fluctuate, to waver, to be transferred

## 入学

にゅうがく, admission (to a school or university), entrance, enrolment, enrollment, matriculation

## 週末

しゅうまつ, weekend

## 殺人

さつじん, murder, homicide, manslaughter

## 代理

だいに, representation, agency, proxy, proxy, agent, representative, deputy, substitute, surrogate, stand-in

## 演出

えんしゅつ, direction (of a play, film, etc.), production, organization (of an event), arrangement, staging (for effect), orchestration

## やろ

evening dew, night dew, path in a field, seems, I think, I guess, right?, don't you agree?

## 掃除

そうじ, cleaning, sweeping, dusting, scrubbing

## 葉

は, leaf, blade (of grass), (pine) needle, よう, counter for leaves, pieces of paper, etc., counter for boats

## ショー

show

## 公表

こうひょう, official announcement, proclamation

## 置か

## インストール

installation (esp. software)

## 踏まえ

## 育成

いくせい, rearing, training, nurture, cultivation, promotion

## 実績

じっせき, achievements, actual results, accomplishments, past results, track record

## だけど

however

## 昼

ひる, noon, midday, daytime, lunch

## 使い方

つかいかた, way of using (something), way to use, how to use, usage, use, way of handling (employees, subordinates, etc.), way of treating, treatment, management

## 軽く

## パー

par, equivalence, face value, parity, par, paper (in rock-paper-scissors), disappearing completely, coming to nought, becoming worthless, losing everything, foolishness, stupidity, price-earnings ratio, PER, eight, percent, apiece, each

## もはや

already, now, no longer, not any more

## 気づい

## っぽい

-ish, -like

## 源

みなもと, source (of a river), fountainhead, source, origin, root, げん, source, origin

## ふと

suddenly, casually, accidentally, incidentally, unexpectedly, unintentionally, Buddha, stupa, Buddhist temple, Buddhist monk, fat, fatty, grand, magnificent, excellent

## 店舗

てんぽ, shop, store

## 大型

おおがた, large, large-sized, large-scale, big

## キリスト教

キリストきょう, Christianity

## ハイ

high (spirits), euphoric, intoxicated, high

## 風呂

ふろ, bath, bathing, bathtub, bathroom, bathhouse, public bath, room for drying lacquerware, base (wooden joint connecting the blade of a hoe, spade, etc., to the handle)

## どっち

which way, which direction, where, which one (esp. of two alternatives), who

## 申し訳

もうしわけ, apology, excuse

## すばらしい

wonderful, splendid, magnificent

## 回転

かいてん, rotation, revolution, turn, spin, working (e.g. of one's mind), function, turnover (of goods, funds, etc.), circulation, flow (of customers), rotation, curl, slalom (alpine skiing event)

## マイナス

minus, subtraction, taking away, negative (number), deficit, loss, disadvantage, drawback, handicap, negative charge, cathode, negative terminal, negative pole, minus sign, negative sign, negative (image, effect, thinking, etc.), bad, negative (test result)

## 喜ん

## チケット

ticket

## 犠牲

ぎせい, sacrifice, victim, sacrifice (to a deity), いけにえ, (living) sacrifice, victim, scapegoat

## 暴力

ぼうりょく, violence, mayhem

## 細胞

さいぼう, さいほう, cell, cell (in an organization, esp. a communist party)

## ことば

language, dialect, word, phrase, expression, term, speech, (manner of) speaking, (use of) language, words, remark, statement, comment, learning to speak, language acquisition

## 愛し

はし, lovely, beloved, sweet, adorable

## ステージ

stage, performance

## 痛い

いたい, painful, sore, cringing, embarrassing, exceeding

## ガイド

guide, tour guide, conductor, guiding, leading, guidebook

## 面倒

めんどう, trouble, bother, trouble, difficulty, care, attention

## 知事

ちじ, prefectural governor

## バイク

motorcycle, motorbike, bike, bicycle

## ロボット

robot, (mere) puppet, pawn, figurehead

## 起業

きぎょう, starting a business, promotion of enterprise

## 試み

こころみ, attempt, trial, experiment, endeavour (endeavor), effort, venture, initiative

## 戦闘

せんとう, battle, fight, combat

## たった

only, merely, but, no more than

## 10月

じゅうがつ, October, tenth month of the lunar calendar

## 楽しむ

たのしむ, to enjoy, to take pleasure in, to have a good time, to have fun, to look forward to

## 困る

こまる, to be troubled, to have difficulty, to be in a fix, to be at a loss, to be stumped, to be embarrassed, to be bothered, to be inconvenienced, to be annoyed, to be badly off, to be hard up, to be in straitened circumstances

## 聖書

せいしょ, Bible, the Scriptures, Holy Writ

## 一気に

いっきに, in one go, in one gulp, in one breath, without stopping, without pausing, without a rest, in one sitting, at a stretch, suddenly, all of a sudden, all at once

## 届け

とどけ, report, notification, registration

## 引き

ひき, pull, patronage, influence, tug, discount, びき, -off (price reduction)

## 移行

いこう, transition, changeover, switchover, shift, transfer (of powers, weight, etc.), shift (e.g. of centre of gravity)

## はじめて

for the first time, only after ... is it ..., only when ... do you ..., not until ... do you ..., first time, (one's) first

## 正

せい, (logical) true, regular, 10<sup>40</sup>, ten thousand undecillion, original, positive, greater than zero, thesis (in dialectics), しょう, exactly, precisely, correct, right, true, greater (of equal court ranks), upper, senior, director (highest of the four administrative positions of the ritsuryō period), chief, まさ, exact, precise

## 成績

せいせき, results, record, grades, marks

## お茶

おちゃ, tea (usu. green), tea break (at work), tea ceremony

## 勝負

しょうぶ, victory or defeat, match, contest, game, bout

## 同じく

おなじく, in the same way, like, likewise, similarly

## 翌日

よくじつ, next day

## 降り

ふり, rainfall, snowfall, alighting, descending, おり, giving up on winning a hand and discarding only safe tiles

## 票

ひょう, vote, ballot, label, ticket, tag, stub

## 別れ

わかれ, parting, separation, farewell

## 直後

ちやくご, immediately following

## 左右

さゆう, そう, さう, left and right, right and left, (asserting) control, influence, domination, one's attendants, people accompanying one, (serving at someone's) side, equivocation, とかく, (doing) various things, (doing) this and that, being apt to, being prone to, tending to, at any rate, anyhow, anyway, all sorts of (negative things), various, things that do not exist

## 進める

すすめる, to advance, to move forward, to put (a clock, watch) forward, to carry forward (plans, work, etc.), to proceed with, to make progress in, to further, to advance, to hasten, to speed up, to raise, to elevate, to promote, to develop, to stimulate (e.g. one's appetite)

## やがて

before long, soon, shortly, almost, nearly, finally, in the end, eventually

## 決勝

けっしょう, decision of a contest, finals (in sports)

## 所属

しょぞく, belonging to (a group, organization, etc.), affiliation (with), being attached to, being under the control of

## キャラ

(fictional) character, character, personality, persona

## 測定

そくてい, measurement

## 千葉

ちば, Chiba (city, prefecture)

## ダイエット

diet, dieting, losing weight (through dieting, exercise, etc.)

## ブック

book

## 提示

ていじ, presentation (of a passport, ID, etc.), showing, production (e.g. of documents), presentation (of a plan, response, etc.), bringing up, citing (an example)

## 弾

たま, ball, sphere, globe, orb, bead (of sweat, dew, etc.), drop, droplet, ball (in sports), pile (of noodles, etc.), bullet, bulb (i.e. a light bulb), lens (of glasses, etc.), bead (of an abacus), ball (i.e. a testicle), gem, jewel (esp. spherical; sometimes used figuratively), pearl, female entertainer (e.g. a geisha), person (when commenting on their nature), character, item, funds or person used as part of a plot, egg, okonomiyaki, coin, precious, beautiful, excellent, だん, counter for parts, stages, installments, etc. (of a story, series, project, campaign, etc.), counter for bullets

## リング

ring

## 材

ざい, wood, lumber, timber, (raw) material, stuff, talent, ability, capable person

## 府

ふ, (metropolitan) prefecture (i.e. Osaka and Kyoto), centre (e.g. of learning), center, seat, (government) office, fu (administrative unit in China, Korea and Vietnam)

## 設け

もうけ, preparation, provision, establishment

## あんまり

remainder, remnant, rest, balance, surplus, remains (of a meal), leftovers, (not) very, (not) much, too much, excessively, overly, extreme, great, severe, tremendous, terrible, more than, over

## 帯

おび, obi (kimono sash), obi (strip of paper looped around a book, CD, etc. containing information about the product), band, belt, strip, cingulum, radio or television program broadcast in the same time slot on all or most days, たい, band (e.g. conduction, valence), belt (e.g. Van-Allen, asteroid, etc.)

## しろ

castle, substitution, material, price, margin (e.g. for stapling, etc.), area required for something, shiro (unit of land area equal to one-fiftieth of a tan; approx. 19.83 m.sq.), white, innocence, innocent person, blank space, white go stone, white dragon tile, skewered grilled pig intestine

## 至る

いたる, to arrive at (e.g. a decision), to reach (a stage), to attain, to lead to (a place), to get to, in the extreme case of, to come, to arrive, to result in

## 育て

そだて, bringing up, raising

## たまたま

occasionally, once in a while, seldom, casually, unexpectedly, accidentally, by chance, testicles, balls

## ベッド

bed

## 抜け

ぬけ, omission, slip, error, fault, definition (of photograph), sharpness, clarity (sound), flow

## 基盤

きばん, foundation, basis, base, footing, infrastructure, bedrock, substrate (circuit board)

## しい

thought, thinking, contemplation, consideration, using wisdom to get to the bottom of things, focusing one's mind, deep contemplation, concentrated thought, deliberating, pondering, reflecting, urine, arbitrariness, self-will, whim, demonstration, show of force, surroundings, circumference, personal opinion, selfishness, Four Barbarians, any beech tree of genus Castanopsis, chinquapin, chinkapin, shh! (used to silence someone), sh!, shoo! (used to drive off an approaching animal, etc.), -ish, -like, -looking, fourth court rank, purple vestment (traditionally awarded by the imperial household), high-ranking priest's purple robe, intent, purpose, aim, poetic sentiment, meaning of a poem, neglecting the duties of an office while taking pay, four ordinal directions, four cardinal principles of the state (propriety, justice, integrity, sense of shame), deed, act, conduct, priest's black robe, priest

## 見学

けんがく, inspection, study by observation, field trip, tour, review, sitting out (e.g. PE class)

## 応募

おうぼ, application, subscription, entry (competition, raffle, etc.), enlistment

## ファ

fa (4th note of a major scale in movable-do solfège), fah, F (note in the fixed-do system)

## 学ん

わく, frame, framework, border, box, limit, restriction, quota, category, bracket, class, time slot (in a broadcasting schedule), live stream, live (online) broadcast, spool (of thread), reel

## 枠

## 厚生

こうせい, welfare, public welfare, social welfare, (former) Ministry of Health and Welfare

## 配置

はいち, arrangement (of resources), deployment, stationing, posting, disposition, configuration, layout

## 道具

どうぐ, tool, implement, instrument, utensil, apparatus, device, means, furniture

## 刑事

けいじ, (police) detective, criminal matter

## 勢い

いきおい, いきよい, force, vigor, vigour, energy, spirit, life, influence, authority, power, might, impetus, momentum, course (of events), naturally, necessarily

## 対立

たいりつ, confrontation, opposition, antagonism

## 散歩

さんぽ, walk, stroll

## あい

love, affection, care, attachment, craving, desire, agape, Ireland, between-season wear, spring and autumn clothing, spring and fall clothing, together, condition, situation, state, -ish, together, mutually, fellow, dyer's knotweed (Persicaria tinctoria, used to produce indigo dye), indigo (dye), indigo (colour), dust, one ten-billionth, sweetfish (Plecoglossus altivelis altivelis), ayu, salmon, yes, wind that blows from north to north-east during spring and summer along the coast of the sea of Japan, pity, sorrow, grief, misery

## 症状

しょうじょう, symptoms, condition (of a patient)

## 入院

にゅういん, hospitalization, hospitalisation

## 教員

きょういん, teacher, instructor, teaching staff, faculty member

## キーワード

keyword, key word, clue word, keyword, search term, indexing term

## 中学

ちゅうがく, junior high school, middle school, lower secondary school

## うえ

hunger, starvation, above, over, up, top, summit, upper part, head (e.g. of a staircase), surface, on (top of), the above (in a piece of writing), earlier part, superior, better, higher (position, rank, etc.), upper (class), elder, older, senior, with respect to ..., in terms of, as far as ... is concerned, when (e.g. drunk), besides ..., in addition to ..., on top of ..., as well as ..., after ..., upon ..., on ..., with (e.g. full awareness), as a result of ..., since ..., now that ..., because ..., honorable, venerable, dear, emperor, sovereign, shogun, daimyo, cylindrical bamboo fishing basket

## 通

つう, authority, expert, connoisseur, well-informed person, counter for messages, letters, notes, documents, etc., understanding (esp. of male-female relations), tact, insight, supernatural powers, magical powers

## 表面

ひょうめん, surface, face, outside, exterior, appearances, superficiality

## ぱ

counter for birds, rabbits, etc., counter for bundles, apiece, each

## 広島

ひろしま, ヒロシマ, Hiroshima (city, prefecture)

## 情勢

じょうせい, state of things, state of affairs, situation, conditions, circumstances

## 果たし

れつ, row, line, file, column, queue, rank, procession, company (of someone), group, ranks, sequence, counter for rows

## 列

## 腹

はら, abdomen, belly, stomach, womb, one's mind, one's real intentions, one's true motive, courage, nerve, willpower, generosity, magnanimity, feelings, emotions, wide middle part, bulging part, inside, interior, inner part, anti-node, counter for hard roe, counter for containers with bulging middles (pots, vases, etc.)

## 掛け

かけ, credit, money owed on an account, bill, hanger, holder, rest, rack, peg, hook, stand, in the process of (doing), midway through, half-(done), on the verge of, just about to, hot noodles in broth, wholesale price as a proportion of the list price (in tenths), かけ, -clad, in the midst of, tenths (e.g. wholesale price, as tenths of retail price), times (i.e. multiplied by), able-to-seat (of a chair, etc.)

## 玉

たま, ball, sphere, globe, orb, bead (of sweat, dew, etc.), drop, droplet, ball (in sports), pile (of noodles, etc.), bullet, bulb (i.e. a light bulb), lens (of glasses, etc.), bead (of an abacus), ball (i.e. a testicle), gem, jewel (esp. spherical; sometimes used figuratively), pearl, female entertainer (e.g. a geisha), person (when commenting on their nature), character, item, funds or person used as part of a plot, egg, okonomiyaki, coin, precious, beautiful, excellent, ぎよく, precious stone (esp. jade), egg (sometimes esp. as a sushi topping), stock or security being traded, product being bought or sold, position (in finance, the amount of a security either owned or owed by an investor or dealer), geisha, time charge for a geisha, king (of the junior player)

## 送る

おくる, to send (a thing), to dispatch, to despatch, to transmit, to take or escort (a person somewhere), to see off (a person), to bid farewell (to the departed), to bury, to spend (time), to live one's life, to pass (down the line), to affix okurigana

## レビュー

review, revue

## 学会

がっかい, learned society, scientific society, academy, academic meeting, academic conference

## ニーズ

needs, demands, requests

## シンプル

simple, plain

## 総会

そうかい, general meeting

## それに

besides, in addition, also, moreover

## 合う

あう, おう, to come together, to merge, to unite, to meet, to fit, to match, to suit, to agree with, to be correct, to be profitable, to be equitable, to do ... to each other, to do ... together

## 銘柄

めいがら, brand, make, description, trading name of stocks and securities

## 数学

すうがく, mathematics

## 土曜日

どようび, Saturday

## うれしい

happy, glad, pleased, delighted, overjoyed, joyful, delightful, gratifying, pleasant

## 民

たみ, people, citizens, subjects, folk, みる, citizen, resident, person, user (of a website, esp. as a collective, e.g. Twittersphere)

## 承認

しょうにん, recognition, acknowledgement, approval, consent, agreement

## なんとなく

somehow or other, for some reason or another, without knowing why

## 下記

かき, the following

## 侵害

しんがいはい, infringement, violation, invasion, encroachment, trespass

## 受賞

じゅしょう, winning (a prize), receiving (an award), being awarded

## 増

ぞう, increase

## 赤字

あかじ, (being in) the red, deficit, red letter, red writing, corrections (by a teacher or proofreader) written in red

## 公

きみ, you, buddy, pal, monarch, ruler, sovereign, (one's) master, he, she, おおやけ, official, governmental, formal, public (use, matter, forum, etc.), common, being public knowledge, being out in the open, exposure to public view, こう, public affair, government matter, the state, the government, the public, duke, prince, Sir, Lord, familiar or derogatory suffix

## 出かけ

## 腰

こし, コシ, lower back, waist, hips, lumbar region, body (of hair, noodle, paper, etc.), resilience, spring, こし, posture, position, pose, attitude, こし, よう, counter for swords, hakama, obi, etc. worn around the waist, counter for quivers of arrows

## 凄い

すごい, スゴイ, スゴい, terrible, dreadful, amazing (e.g. of strength), great (e.g. of skills), wonderful, terrific, to a great extent, vast (in numbers), awfully, very, immensely

## にかけて

till, to, over (a period), through (e.g. Monday through Thursday), about (approx. time or place), on, concerning (an area of expertise), swearing by (one's sword, God, etc.)

## お世話

おせわ, help, aid, assistance

## うん

yes, yeah, uh huh, hum, hmmm, well, erm, huh?, oof, fortune, luck, halo (around the Sun, Moon, etc.), ring, corona, some (at the start of a number in place of a digit)

## 減っ

次々  
つぎつぎ, in succession, one by one

## 加工

かこう, manufacturing, processing, treatment, machining

## 中村

## 書店

しよてん, bookshop, bookstore

## 驚く

おどろく, to be surprised, to be astonished

## 緩和

かんわ, relief, mitigation, alleviation, relaxation (of restrictions, tensions, etc.), easing, softening

## マイ

my, one's own, personal, privately owned

## ジャンル

genre, category, kind

## やれ

oh!, ah!, oh dear!, dear me!, thank God!, tear, rip, breach, break, hole, crack, breakdown, collapse, spoilage, waste, wastepaper

## プラン

plan, scheme, (payment) plan, package, deal, offer

## 重い

おもい, heavy, weighty, heavy (feeling), depressed, gloomy, blue, uneasy, slow, sluggish, lumbering, ponderous, clumsy, important (position, responsibility, etc.), serious, grave, serious (punishment, illness, etc.), severe, critical, solid, established, dignified, sensible

## お気に入り

おきにいり, favorite, favourite, pet (e.g. teacher's pet), bookmark (in a web browser)

## 本当は

## 個性

こせい, individuality, personality, quirk, idiosyncrasy, character, individual characteristic

## 作戦

さくせん, tactics, strategy, military operation, naval operation

## 技

わざ, ぎ, technique, art, skill, move

## 指揮

しき, command, direction, supervision, conducting (an orchestra, choir, etc.)

## たまに

occasionally, once in a while, now and then, rarely, seldom

## たま

ball, sphere, globe, orb, bead (of sweat, dew, etc.), drop, droplet, ball (in sports), pile (of noodles, etc.), bullet, bulb (i.e. a light bulb), lens (of glasses, etc.), bead (of an abacus), ball (i.e. a testicle), gem, jewel (esp. spherical; sometimes used figuratively), pearl, female entertainer (e.g. a geisha), person (when commenting on their nature), character, item, funds or person used as part of a plot, egg, okonomiyaki, coin, precious, beautiful, excellent, soul, spirit, occasional, infrequent, rare

## 偶然

ぐうぜん, coincidence, chance, accident, fortuity, by chance, unexpectedly, accidentally, contingency

## 誤解

ごかい, misunderstanding

## 群

ぐん, group, bunch, crowd, throng, swarm, band, group, むら, gathering

## 組み合わせ

くみあわせ, combination, assortment, set, matching (in a contest), pairing, combination

## 少々

しょうしょう, just a minute, small quantity

## ショック

shock (psychological), crisis (esp. financial), event that rattles the markets, shock (physical, mechanical), shock (e.g. due to lack of blood flow), trauma

## 小さく

**撮っ**

**寄せ**

**確信**

**意志**

よせ, last moves (in go, shogi, or chess), endgame, gathering, collecting, coming together

かくしん, conviction, belief, confidence

いし, will, volition, intention, intent, determination

**知**

ち, wisdom, jnana (higher knowledge)

**置く**

おく, to put, to place, to leave (behind), to establish (an organization, a facility, a position, etc.), to set up, to appoint (someone to a certain position), to hire, to employ, to place (one's trust, one's faith, etc.), to bear (in mind, etc.), to put down a tool (e.g. a pen) hence stopping what one is doing with that tool, to take in (boarders, etc.), to provide lodging in one's house, to separate spatially or temporally, to do something in advance, to leave something in a certain state, to keep something in a certain state

**シート**

seat, sheet

**描か**

**高校生**

こうこうせい, senior high school student

**12月**

じゅうにがつ, December, twelfth month of the lunar calendar

**パス**

passing (a test, examination, etc.), pass (for admission, transport, etc.), ticket, pass (of a ball), (giving something a) pass, skipping (one's turn), path (file, directory, graphics)

**ログ**

log, journal, logarithm

## 下げ

さげ, lowering, sinking, bringing down, letting down, depreciation, price fall, punch line (of a rakugo story), sword strap

## カフェ

café, cafe, coffeehouse, hostess bar (serving western alcoholic beverages; Taisho and Showa period)

## しょう

quotient, business, merchant, dealer, second degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), Shang dynasty (of China; approx. 1600-1046 BCE), Yin dynasty, illness, name, title, designation, fame, reputation, chapter, section, medal, badge, insignia, proof, evidence, sign, testimony, vindication, certificate, license, membership card, to testify (usu. Christian religious context), enlightenment, symptoms (in Chinese medicine), patient's condition, form, shape, figure, appearance, phenomenon, prize, award, surname, family name, hereditary title (used in ancient Japan to denote rank and political standing), to carry on one's back, to be burdened with, to take responsibility for, to have (something) in the background, to be in front (of something), to be conceited, to think highly of oneself, palm (of the hand), imperial decree, imperial edict, gong, handbell, commander, general, leader, important point (e.g. on a route), important role (responsibility, etc.), opposition, traditional Japanese wind instrument resembling panpipes, free-reed instrument used in Japanese court music, ministry, department, province (of China), saving, conserving, smallness, small item, short month (i.e. having fewer than 31 days), elementary school, smaller (of two things, places, etc. with the same name), inferior, younger (of two people with the same name), junior, unit of field area (approx. 400 sq m), counter for beds, life, living, I, me, myself, student, small, little, few, praise, hymn (genre of the Shi Jing), xiao (vertical Chinese bamboo flute), minister (of a government department), shō, manor, villa, excerpt, extract, annotation, shō (unit of volume, approx. 1.8 ml), banknote, paper money, exactly, precisely, correct, right, true, greater (of equal court ranks), upper, senior, director (highest of the four administrative positions of the ritsuryō period), chief, nature, disposition, temperament, character, quality, that which does not change according to external influences, rice water, second line of a four-line Chinese poem, win, victory, beautiful scenery, scenic spot, counter for wins, round bronze jar used for storing alcohol (Han dynasty China), assistant vice-minister (ritsuryō system, early Meiji period), nth year in the Shōwa era (1926.12.25-1989.1.7), mistress, kept woman, concubine, I, me, voice, sound, tone (of Chinese character), tone mark, stress (in pronunciation), intonation, accent, omen (usu. good), (auspicious) sign, first two anniversaries of a person's death, reef, request, invitation, privilege in criminal law given to nobles of the fifth rank or above (ritsuryō system), craftsman, artisan, carpenter, (skilled) workman

## 読め

## 勇氣

ゆうき, courage, bravery, valour, valor, nerve, boldness

## 備え

そなえ, preparation, provision, guarding

## カテゴリー

category

## 失っ

## 売買

ばいばい, trade, buying and selling, trafficking (e.g. of humans, arms, drugs), dealing, ばいかい, バイカイ, crossing (shares)

## 飲む

のむ, to drink, to gulp, to swallow, to take (medicine), to smoke (tobacco), to engulf, to overwhelm, to keep down, to suppress, to accept (e.g. demand, condition), to make light of, to conceal

## 図る

はかる, to plan, to attempt, to devise, to plot, to conspire, to scheme, to aim for, to strive for, to work towards, to seek, to deceive, to trick, to take in

## 公演

こうえん, public performance, exhibition in a foreign country

## 画

かく, stroke (of a kanji, etc.), え, が, picture, drawing, painting, sketch, image (TV, film, etc.), picture, footage

## 好み

このみ, liking, taste, choice, よしみ, ぎ, よしび, friendship, friendly relations, connection, relation, intimacy, ごのみ, being fond of, having a liking for, to the liking of, favored by, popular with

## 制御

せいぎよ, control (of a machine, device, etc.), control (over an opponent, one's emotions, etc.), governing, management, suppression, keeping in check

## 食べ物

たべもの, food

## にて

at, in, at, when, by, with, and then, so, and, then, let me tell you, don't you know

## キリスト

Christ

## かわいい

cute, adorable, charming, lovely, pretty, dear, precious, darling, pet, innocent, childlike, childish, lovable, dainty, little, tiny

## レッスン

lesson

## 法則

ほうそく, law, rule

## メリット

advantage, benefit, merit, good point, plus

## 作者

さくしゃ, creator (of a work), author, writer, artist, composer, playwright, dramatist

## 上手

じょうず, じょうて, じょうしゅ, skillful, skilled, proficient, good (at), adept, clever, flattery, うわて, かみて, upper part, upper stream, upper course of a river, right side of the stage (audience's or camera's POV), stage left (actor's POV), skillful (in comparisons), dexterity, over-arm grip on opponent's belt

## へん

left-hand radical of a character, strange, odd, peculiar, weird, curious, queer, eccentric, funny, suspicious, fishy, unexpected, change, incident, disturbance, disaster, accident, flat, compilation (of a text), editing, volume (of a text), completed literary work, area, vicinity, region, side, edge, circumstances, number of times, suffix used to negate a verb in the non-past tense, humph, hmph, counter for scraps, fragments, petals, etc., reply, answer

## ト

## 文句

もんく, complaint, grumbling, objection, phrase, words, expression

## 馬鹿

ばか, バカ, idiot, moron, fool, trivial matter, folly, absurdity, stupid, foolish, dull, absurd, ridiculous, fervent enthusiast, nut, person singularly obsessed with something, Mactra chinensis (species of rough shell)

## 失礼

しつれい, しつらい, しちらい, discourtesy, impoliteness, excuse me, goodbye, to leave, to be rude

## 立つ

たつ, to stand, to rise, to stand up, to find oneself (e.g. in a difficult position), to depart (on a plane, train, etc.)

## 博物館

はくぶつかん, museum

## 神社

じんじゃ, じんしゃ, Shinto shrine

## 予防

よぼう, prevention, protection (against), precaution

## 正当

せいとう, just, justifiable, right, due, proper, equitable, reasonable, legitimate, legal, lawful

## レス

reply (on an Internet message board, chat client, etc.), response, comment, -less, sexless (relationship), loess

## データベース

database

## 実家

じっか, (one's parents') home

## 活性

かっせい, active

## 受信

じゅしん, receiving (a message, letter, email, etc.), reception (radio, TV, etc.)

## 山本

やまもと, foot of a mountain, base of a mountain, mine, colliery, owner of a mountain, operator of a mine

## 自主

じしゅ, independence, autonomy, self-reliance

## 確率

かくりつ, probability, likelihood, chances

## アンケート

questionnaire, survey, poll

## 回っ

## 表明

ひょうめい, declaration, indication, representation, manifestation, demonstration, expression, announcement, assertion

## 美術館

びじゅつかん, art museum, art gallery

## 解消

かいしょう, cancellation, liquidation, resolution, reduction (e.g. of stress)

## 座

ざ, seat, place, position, status, gathering, party, company, atmosphere (of a gathering), stand, pedestal, platform, trade guild, attaches to the names of constellations, attaches to the names of theatres, cinemas and theatrical troupes, counter for theatres, deities, Buddhist images, tall mountains, and satokagura songs

## オフィス

office

## 苦手

にがて, poor (at), weak (in), not very good (at), not one's cup of tea, not one's favorite

## 爆発

ばくはつ, explosion, detonation, blast, blowing up, eruption, outburst (of emotion), explosion (e.g. of anger), eruption (e.g. of discontent)

## 欧米

おうべい, Europe and America, the West

## 肌

はだ, はだえ, skin, body (in the context of intimate bodily contact), surface, grain (e.g. of wood), texture, disposition, temperament, character, type

## 信仰

しんこう, (religious) faith, belief, creed

## タイミング

timing

## 現行

げんこう, present, current, in operation

## 解放

かいほう, release, unleashing, liberation, emancipation, setting free, deallocation (of computer memory)

## カバー

cover, covering, dust jacket, cover song, cover version, coverage, to compensate for (a loss), to offset (a weakness), to back up

## 見通し

みとおし, unobstructed view, perspective, visibility, vista, forecast, outlook, prospect, prediction, insight, foresight

## させる

to make (someone) do, to allow (someone) to do, (any) particular, notable, noteworthy, significant, considerable,

## 取ら

## 超える

こえる, to cross over, to cross, to pass through, to pass over (out of), to go beyond, to go past, to exceed, to surpass, to be more (than)

## ペ

## 発電

はつでん, generation (e.g. power), sending a telegram, telegraphing

## カット

cut, cutting, haircut, (continuous) shot (in a film or TV show), illustration (in a book, newspaper, etc.), cut, cut (shot; in tennis, table tennis, etc.), chop, cutting (the ball), cutting off (an outfielder's throw), cut (of a deck of cards)

## デモ

demonstration, protest, (giving a) demo, demonstration, presentation

## 上がる

あがる, to rise, to go up, to come up, to ascend, to be raised, to enter (esp. from outdoors), to come in, to go in, to enter (a school), to advance to the next grade, to get out (of water), to come ashore, to increase, to improve, to make progress, to be promoted, to advance, to be made (of profit, etc.), to occur (esp. of a favourable result), to be adequate (to cover expenses, etc.), to be finished, to be done, to be over, (of rain) to stop, to lift, to stop (working properly), to cut out, to give out, to die, to win (in a card game, etc.), to be arrested, to turn up (of evidence, etc.), to be deep fried, to be spoken loudly, to get nervous, to get stage fright, to be offered (to the gods, etc.), to go, to visit, to eat, to drink, to be listed (as a candidate), to serve (in one's master's home), to go north, to be complete, to finish

## 損害

そんがい, damage, injury, loss

## 小学生

しょうがくせい, elementary school student, primary school student, grade school student

## トレーニング

training (for a skill, job, sport, etc.), practice, working out, workout, (strength, weight) training

## アフリカ

Africa

## む

six, 6, nothing, naught, nought, nil, zero, un-, non-, unh, oof, wow, whoa, yes, yeah, uh-huh, probably, will, intend to, would like to have done (for me)

## 妹

いもうと, younger sister, いも, darling (woman), dear, honey, my betrothed, one's sister, friend

## 取り組ん

## 競馬

けいば, horse racing, くらべうま, traditional horse-racing

## 運命

うんめい, fate, destiny, lot

## 噂

うわさ, rumour, rumor, report, hearsay, gossip, common talk

## 個々

ここ, individual, one by one, separate, each

## コンピューター

computer

## アル

two, be, is

## 経費

けいひ, expenses, expenditure, outgoings, outlays, costs

## ええ

yes, that is correct, right, um, errr, huh?, grrr, gah, Must I?, good

## 週刊

しゅうかん, weekly publication

## 本書

ほんしょ, main text, original text, this book, this volume

## 原

げん, original, primitive, primary, fundamental, proto-, はら, field, plain, prairie, tundra, moor, wilderness, ばら, suffixed to words indicating a class of people to create a plural (esp. in impolite contexts)

## マンガ

cartoon, comic, comic strip, manga

## 仕様

しょう, way, method, means, resource, remedy, (technical) specification

## 電力

でんりょく, electric power

## 園

その, garden, orchard, park, place, world, environment, えん, garden, orchard, park, plantation, kindergarten, nursery school, preschool

## きれ

piece, slice, strip, scrap, cloth, sharpness, agility, counter for scraps, pieces, etc.

## オフ

(switched) off, off-season, offset, off-road, offline, offside, day off, off (the price), low- (calorie, sugar, etc.), reduced

## 発達

はったつ, development, growth

## 矛盾

むじゅん, contradiction, inconsistency

## ハウス

house, plastic greenhouse, house music, go to your kennel (cage, bed, etc.)!

## 性能

せいのもう, ability, performance, efficiency

## 立派

りっぱ, splendid, fine, handsome, elegant, imposing, prominent, impressive, praiseworthy, creditable, worthy, legal, legitimate, lawful, undeniable (e.g. crime), indisputable, solid

## 選ば

## がんばっ

## 役員

## 大いに

やくいん, director, executive, officer, official, person in charge

おおいに, very, very much, greatly, considerably, highly, exceedingly, a great deal, a lot, to one's heart's content

## 影

かげ, shadow, silhouette, figure, shape, reflection, image, ominous sign, light (stars, moon), trace, shadow (of one's former self)

## おもしろい

interesting, fascinating, intriguing, enthralling, amusing, funny, comical, enjoyable, fun, entertaining, pleasant, agreeable, good, satisfactory, favourable, desirable, encouraging

## 遅く

おそく, late, slowly

## 象徴

しょうちょう, (abstract) symbol, emblem, representation

## 勝

しょう, win, victory, beautiful scenery, scenic spot, counter for wins

## 性質

せいしつ, nature, property, disposition

## 送信

そうしん, transmission, sending

## わが国

わがくに, our country, our land, one's own country

## あえて

purposely (of something needless, unexpected or seemingly counterproductive, etc.), daringly (doing something), deliberately, intentionally, not necessarily, not particularly, not especially, definitely not

## あー

ah!, oh!, alas!, yes, indeed, that is correct, aah, gah, argh, hey!, yo!, uh huh, yeah yeah, right, gotcha

## 圧力

あつりょく, pressure, stress, pressure (e.g. political), coercion, arm-twisting

## 払っ

## 基づく

もとづく, to be based (on), to be founded (on), to be grounded (on), to be in accordance (with), to be due to, to come (from), to arise (from), to originate (in)

## 落とし

おとし, dropping, losing, missing item, something one forgot to write down, trap, wooden protrusion from a Japanese door frame that fits a hole in the threshold, acting as a lock when closed, conclusion (of a speech, etc.), metallic bowl used to hold the charcoal in a wooden hibachi

## 風邪

かぜ, ふうじゃ, (common) cold, influenza, flu, ague, inflammatory respiratory system illness (in general)

## 届い

## アウト

out (of a ball; in tennis, etc.), outside the line, out, putout, outer, external, outside, exit, exit here, front nine, no good, unacceptable, out of line, over, finished, disqualified, check-out time

## スキル

skill

## 増える

ふえる, to increase, to multiply

## いただける

to be able to receive, to be able to take, to be able to accept, to be able to eat, to be able to drink, to be acceptable, to be satisfactory

## 殺し

ころし, murder, killing, murderer

## かた

excess, surplus, superabundance, lagoon, inlet, creek, tidal beach, tidal flat, tideland, type, style, model, pattern, mold, mould, model, pattern, template, impression, kata (set sequence of positions and movements in martial arts), style (in kabuki, noh, etc.), form, convention, tradition, (standard) form, formula, usage, (set) size, inches (in sizes of displays, disks, image sensors, etc.), (taxonomical) form, shoulder, one (of a pair), incomplete, imperfect, fragmentary, few, little, off-centre, remote, side, problem, question, matters, direction, way, person, lady, gentleman, method of, manner of, way of, care of ..., person in charge of ..., side (e.g. "on my mother's side"), many, plentiful, shape, form, style, security, collateral, obverse of an old zen coin

## 得意

とくい, satisfaction, pride, triumph, elation, one's strong point, one's forte, one's specialty, regular customer, regular client, patron

## 温度

おんど, temperature

## 初心者

しょしんしゃ, beginner

## 一生懸命

いっしょうけんめい, very hard, with utmost effort, as hard as one can, with all one's might, for dear life, eagerly, desperately

## 香港

ホンコン, Hong Kong, Hongkong

## 必死

ひっし, frantic, frenetic, desperate, inevitable death, brinkmate (inevitable checkmate)

## ラーメン

ramen, rigid frame

## わざわざ

expressly, especially, specially, taking the trouble (to do), going to the trouble of (doing), going out of one's way (to do), intentionally, deliberately, on purpose

## そうすると

having done that, if that is done, if it is done in that way

## ギター

guitar

## ゴミ

rubbish, trash, garbage, refuse

## 具合

ぐあい, ぐわい, condition, state, health, state (of health), way, manner, circumstance, luck, face, dignity, decency, propriety

## 橋

はし, bridge, きょう, pons (pontes), pons Varolii, pontine, part of the brain stem (links the medulla oblongata and cerebellum with the midbrain)

## 神経

しんけい, nerve, nerves, sensitivity

## 作用

さよう, action, operation, effect, function

## いわば

so to speak, so to call it, as it were, rocky area, rocky tract, rocky stretch (of a climb), wall (of rock)

## 庭

にわ, garden, yard, courtyard, field (of action), area

## 済み

ずみ, すみ, arranged, taken care of, settled, completed, finished

## 本物

ほんもの, genuine article, real thing, real deal

## 意義

いぎ, meaning, significance

## 新宿

## ライフ

life

## 延長

えんちょう, extension, elongation, prolongation, lengthening, Enchō era (923.4.11-931.4.26)

## 観客

かんきゃく, かんかく, spectator, audience

## 重ね

かさね, pile, heap, layers (e.g. of clothing), set (e.g. of boxes), course (e.g. of stones), counter for things that are stacked, piled up (or layered, etc.), layers of clothing worn under one's overcoat, combination of colors created by layering of garments (colours)

## NHK

エヌエイチケー, NHK, Japan Broadcasting Corporation

## 引き続き

ひきつづき, continuously, continually, without a break, next, then, after that

## 深刻

しんこく, serious, severe, grave, acute

## 行なわ

## ファンド

fund

## 路線

ろせん, route (bus, train, air, etc.), line, line (taken by a group, organization, etc.), policy, course

## 又

また, again, once more, once again, another time, some other time, also, too, as well, likewise, on the other hand, while, and, in addition, besides, moreover, furthermore, or, otherwise, really, how, (what, why) on earth, indirect

## 武器

ぶき, weapon, arms, ordnance, weapon (something used to gain an advantage), asset

## マシン

machine, race car, racing motorcycle

## 取締役

とりしまりやく, company director, board member

## ほんの

mere, only, just, slight

## 方面

ほうめん, direction, district, area, field (e.g. of study), sphere, quarter, aspect, angle

## なくなっ

## 荷物

にもつ, luggage, baggage, package, burden, payload (of a packet, cell, etc.)

## 学び

まなび, learning, study

## 自立

じりつ, independence, self-reliance

## ローン

loan, lawn (grass), lawn (linen or cotton fabric)

## 録

ろく, record, transcript

## 直前

ちよくぜん, just before, just prior to, right in front of, just in front of

## 開く

ひらく, to open, to undo, to unseal, to unpack, to bloom, to unfold, to spread out, to open (for business, e.g. in the morning), to be wide (gap, etc.), to widen, to hold (meeting, party, etc.), to give, to open, to found (nation, dynasty, sect, etc.), to open (a new business), to set up, to establish, to start, to open (ports, borders, etc.), to open (an account), to open up (new land, path, etc.), to clear, to develop, to open (a file, etc.), to extract (root), to reduce (equation), to cut open (fish), to change (kanji into hiragana), to flare (e.g. skirt), to slacken (into a poor posture), あく, to open (e.g. doors), to open (e.g. business, etc.), to be empty, to be vacant, to be available, to be free, to be open (e.g. neckline, etc.), to have been opened (of one's eyes, mouth, etc.), to come to an end, to open (one's eyes, mouth, etc.), to have a hole, to form a gap, to have an interval (between events)

## 既存

きそん, きそん, existing

## よし

common reed (Phragmites australis), good, excellent, fine, nice, pleasant, agreeable, reason, significance, cause, piece of information that one has heard, I hear that ..., it is said that ..., quitting, ceasing, giving up, alright, all right, right on, looking good, OK, okay, even if

## 部品

ぶひん, parts, accessories, components

## アイデア

idea

## モン

## かな

I wonder, should I?, is it?, I wish that, I hope that, money, metal, how!, what!, alas!, kana

## 幹部

かんぶ, management, (executive) staff, leaders, leadership, top brass, upper echelons

## 相変わらず

あいかわらず, as usual, as always, as before, as ever, still

## 本気

ほんき, seriousness, earnestness, truth, sanctity

## 殆ど

ほとんど, almost, nearly, mostly, practically, virtually, basically, just about, all but, hardly, barely, scarcely, little, large majority, large proportion, greater part, most (of), almost all (of)

## 慎重

しんちょう, careful, cautious, prudent, discreet, deliberate

## もしか

if, in case

## 流し

ながし, sink (e.g. in a kitchen), cruising (e.g. taxi), strolling (entertainer, musician, etc.), washing area (in a Japanese-style bath), back-washing service (in a public bath), floating (something on water), setting adrift, washing away

## 劇

げき, drama, play, powerful drug

## 忙しい

いそがしい, busy, occupied, hectic, restless, hurried, fidgety, せわしい, busy, hectic, frantic, restless, hurried, fidgety

## 視聴

しちょう, してい, looking and listening, (television) viewing, watching, (public) attention, interest

## 産

うぶ, innocent, naive, unsophisticated, inexperienced, green, wet behind the ears, birth-, さん, (giving) birth, childbirth, delivery, confinement, native of, product of, assets, property, fortune

## 最適

さいてき, most suitable, optimum, optimal, best

## アート

art, assisted reproductive technologies, ART

## ひどい

cruel, heartless, hard, harsh, severe, violent, intense, strong, heavy, extreme, very bad, terrible, awful, excessive, exorbitant, unreasonable, outrageous, unfair, unjust

## マニュアル

(instruction) manual, operations manual, basic rules (pertaining to how a job should be carried out), standards, (car with) manual transmission

## 乗り

のり, ノリ, riding, ride, spread (of paints), -seater (e.g. two-seater), (getting into the) mood, (entering into the) spirit, energy, enthusiasm, rhythm, feeling

## つながる

to be tied together, to be connected to, to be linked to, to lead to, to be related to, to be related (by blood)

## 我が

わが, my, our, one's own

## かしら

I wonder, do you think?, I might, how about, some kind, some stage, somehow, somewhere, head, hair (on one's head), mind, brains, intellect, leader, chief, boss, captain, top, tip, beginning, start, head, person, down payment, deposit, top structural component of a kanji, pair, head (of a doll)

## 11月

じゅういちがつ, November, eleventh month of the lunar calendar

## 達し

たっし, official notice, notification

## 学問

がくもん, study, scholarship, learning, education, knowledge, discipline, branch of learning, (a) science

## 進出

しんしゅつ, advance (into a new market, industry, etc.), expansion (into), launch (into), entering, making inroads (into), advance (to the next round of a competition)

## 久々

ひさびさ, (in a) long time, long time (ago), while (ago), long ago, long while (ago), (in a) long while

## 総裁

そうさい, president (of an organization), director general, governor (of a central bank), party leader (esp. LDP)

## 探す

さがす, to search for, to look for, to hunt for, to seek, to search (a house, pocket, etc.), to search through, to rummage in (e.g. a drawer), to fish around

## 袋

ふくろ, bag, sack, pouch, skin of an orange (and other like fruits), dead end, plot of land surrounded by water, たい, counter for things inside a bag

## 地下

ちか, underground, below the ground, world of the dead, the grave, underground (activities, movement, etc.), secret, illegal, in hiding

## ずいぶん

very, extremely, surprisingly, considerably, awfully, terribly, terrible, horrid, contemptible, reprehensible, remarkable, extraordinary

## 髪

かみ, hair (on the head), はつ, hair (on the head), tresses, locks

## 為替

かわせ, かわし, money order, draft, exchange (e.g. foreign)

## エリア

area

## 丁寧

ていねい, polite, courteous, civil, careful, close, thorough, conscientious

## ゆえ

reason, cause, circumstances, royal family nursemaid (Yamato court)

## 歯

は, tooth, よわい, (one's) age, し, tooth, age, years

## 格差

かくさ, qualitative difference, disparity, gap

## 区別

くべつ, distinction, differentiation, classification

## カレー

curry (esp. Japanese curry), rice and curry

## 塩

しお, salt, common salt, table salt, sodium chloride, hardship, toil, trouble, saltiness, cold, unwelcoming, indifferent, えん, salt (e.g. sodium chloride, calcium sulfate, etc.), chloride

## 休日

きゅうじつ, holiday, day off

## 当社

とうしゃ, this company, this firm, this shrine

## 解析

かいせき, analysis, analytical study, parsing, parse

## 課

か, lesson, section (in an organization), division, department, counter for lessons and chapters (of a book)

## 上司

じょうし, (one's) superior, (one's) boss, the higher-ups

## 法的

ほうてき, legal

## 民営

みんえい, private management

## 呂

りよ, bass range (in Japanese music), six even-numbered notes of the ancient chromatic scale, Japanese seven-tone gagaku scale similar to Mixolydian mode (corresp. to: re, mi, fa, so, la, ti, do)

## 周年

しゅうねん, whole year, entire year, n-th year anniversary

## よー

well, properly, skillfully, often, how (could you), why (would you), hey, yo, hi, come on, hey

## 寒い

さむい, さぶい, cold (e.g. weather), uninteresting (esp. joke), lame, dull, weak, corny

## 従って

したがって, therefore, consequently, accordingly

## いける

to arrange (flowers), to plant, living, live, to be good (at), to go well, to look (taste, etc.) good, to hold one's liquor, to be able to hold one's drink, to bury something in the ground, to cover coals with ash, to bank a fire

## 逃げ

にげ, escape, getaway, evasion

## 医

い, medicine, the healing art, healing, curing, doctor, くすし, くすりし, doctor

## しばしば

often, again and again, frequently, repeatedly, (blinking) repeatedly

## 兄弟

きょうだい, けいてい, siblings, brothers and sisters, brothers, siblings-in-law, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, mate, friend

## 競技

きょうぎ, game, match, contest

## だいたい

generally, on the whole, mostly, almost, nearly, approximately, roughly, about, general, rough, outline, main points, gist, substance, essence, in the first place, first and foremost, from the start, to begin with, battalion, substitution, alternative, substitute, thigh

## 辺り

あたり, (in the) neighbourhood, neighborhood, vicinity, nearby, surroundings, around, about, or thereabouts, for instance, say, such as, ほとり, side (esp. of a waterbody), edge, bank, shore, わたり, neighbourhood, vicinity, nearby

## 当事者

とうじしゃ, person concerned, interested party, related party

## イ

## 素直

すなお, obedient, meek, docile, unaffected, honest, frank, upfront (about one's feelings)

## 決算

けっさん, settlement of accounts, closing accounts, financial results, reporting (of accounts)

## スクール

school

## はるか

far away, far off, far, distant, in the distance, long ago, long before

## 待つ

まつ, to wait, to await, to look forward to, to anticipate, to depend on, to need

## アーティスト

artist, musician

## 大衆

たいしゅう, general public, the masses

## 人事

じんじ, personnel affairs, human affairs, human resources, HR, ひとごと, たにんごと, other people's affairs, someone else's problem

## 不正

ふせい, injustice, unfairness, wrongdoing, iniquity, impropriety, irregularity, dishonesty, illegality, fraud

## キャンペーン

promotion (e.g. sales, etc.), marketing campaign, campaign (election, membership, enrolment, fund-raising, etc.), drive, movement, military campaign, military action, military maneuvers (maneuvers)

## 勢力

せいりよく, influence, power, might, strength, potency, force, energy

## つながり

connection, link, relationship

## 議長

ぎちょう, chair, chairman, chairperson, speaker (of an assembly), president (of a council, senate, etc.)

## マーケット

market

## 報酬

ほうしゅう, remuneration, recompense, reward, toll

## 便

びん, flight (e.g. airline flight), trip (e.g. train trip), service, mail, post, letter, opportunity, chance, べん, convenience, service, facility, accommodation, excreta (esp. faeces), excrement, stool, よすが, よすか, something to rely on, aid, clue, way, means, someone to rely on, relative, reminder, memento

## 丸

まる, マル, circle, entirety, whole, full, complete, money, dough, moola, enclosure inside a castle's walls, soft-shelled turtle, suffix for ship names, suffix for names of people (esp. infants), suffix for names of swords, armour, musical instruments, etc., suffix for names of dogs, horses, etc., がん, fishball, meatball, pill

## 応用

おうよう, (practical) application, putting to practical use, applied (e.g. physics, linguistics, research)

## 振興

しんこう, promotion, encouragement

## だんだん

gradually, by degrees, little by little, more and more, increasingly, steps, stairs, staircase, terrace, thank you (dialect from the Izumo region of Shimane Prefecture)

## ソ連

ソレン, Soviet Union, USSR

## 変換

へんかん, change, conversion, transformation, transformation

## 連邦

れんぽう, commonwealth, federation of states, confederation, union

## 衝撃

しょうげき, impact, shock, impulse, (psychological) shock

## レコード

record (e.g. LP), record (e.g. in sports), record (data structure)

## 今朝

けさ, こんちょう, this morning

## 権限

けんげん, power, authority, jurisdiction

## 充分

じゅうぶん, enough, sufficient, plenty, adequate, satisfactory, sufficiently, fully, thoroughly, well, perfectly, division into ten

## きわめて

exceedingly, extremely, decisively

## 動向

どうこう, trend, tendency, movement, attitude

## ノウハウ

know-how, expertise, the ropes, the knack

## あら

oh, ah, saw-edged perch (Nippon spinosus), remaining bony parts (of a fish after filleting), flaw (esp. of a person), fault, defect, rice chaff, rough, crude, raw, natural, wild, new, unused, new, obvious, natural

## あくまで

to the end, to the bitter end, to the last, stubbornly, persistently, consistently, to the utmost, after all, it must be remembered, only, purely, simply

## 療法

りょうほう, therapy, treatment, remedy, cure

## 搭載

とうさい, loading (on a ship), equipping (an aircraft, car, etc.) with, being equipped with

## どんなに

how, how much, to what extent, no matter how (much), however

## 収益

しゅうえき, earnings, proceeds, returns, revenue

## それだけ

that much, as much, to that extent, only that, that alone, no more than that, that is all (when finished speaking)

## 正しく

まさしく, certainly, surely, undoubtedly, evidently, really, truly, just, precisely, exactly, ただしく, right, rightly, properly, correctly

## 縁

ゆかり, しょえん, connection (to a person, place, etc.), relation, affinity, えん, えにし, えに, え, fate, destiny (esp. as a mysterious force that binds two people together), relationship (e.g. between two people), bond, link, connection, family ties, affinity, opportunity, chance (to meet someone and start a relationship), pratyaya (indirect conditions, as opposed to direct causes), narrow open-air veranda, ふち, rim, brim, edge, brink, よし, reason, significance, cause, piece of information that one has heard, I hear that ..., it is said that ..., よすが, よすか, something to rely on, aid, clue, way, means, someone to rely on, relative, reminder, memento, へり, edge (of a river, woods, etc.), shoulder (of a road), rim, brim, hem, margin, fringe, selvage, fabric border (of a tatami mat, etc.), edging

## ほんとう

main island, this island, stealing home, truth, reality, actuality, fact, proper, right, correct, official, genuine, authentic, real, natural, veritable, turning upside-down, soar (e.g. in price), jump, boom, sudden ride, main branch of a family, truth, reality

## 人数

にんずう, にんず, にんじゆ, the number of people, many people, a large number of people, ひとかず, the number of people, (being counted as an) adult

## 違法

いほう, illegal, illicit, unlawful

## 政党

せいとう, political party

## スケジュール

schedule

## とくに

particularly, especially, in particular, expressly

## 来週

らいしゅう, next week

## オランダ

Netherlands, Holland

## 着い

## 本体

ほんたい, ほんだい, substance, real form, main part, main unit, body (of a machine), this machine, this appliance, object of worship (at a shrine, temple, etc.), noumenon, base price, pre-tax price

## 遊ん

## 骨

こつ, コツ, knack, skill, trick, secret, know-how, the ropes, hang, bone, skeleton, cremated remains (esp. the bones), ashes, ほね, bone, frame, outline, core, backbone, spirit, fortitude, laborious, troublesome, difficult

## 塾

じゅく, cram school, private tutoring school, juku

## 我慢

がまん, ガマン, endurance, patience, perseverance, bearing (with something), self-control, self-restraint

## 一生

いっしょう, whole life, a lifetime, all through life, one existence, a generation, an age, the whole world, the era, (the only, the greatest, etc.) of one's life

## 原作

げんさく, original work

## ベトナム

Vietnam, Vietnam

## 底

そこ, bottom, sole, てい, base (logarithmic, exponential, number system), radix, base (triangle, cone, cylinder, etc.), type, kind, extent, degree

## おっしゃる

to say, to speak, to tell, to talk

## 仮に

かりに, supposing, even if, granting that, for argument's sake, temporarily, provisionally, for the time being

## ワーク

work

## たいへん

very, greatly, terribly, awfully, immense, enormous, great, serious, grave, dreadful, terrible, difficult, hard, challenging, major incident, disaster, opposite side

## 選び

えらび, choosing, selecting, deciding (on)

## 強力

きょうりょく, powerful, strong, ごうりき, herculean strength, mountain carrier-guide

## 視

し, viewing as ..., seeing as ..., treating as ..., regarding as ...

## お尋ね

おたずね, asking, enquiring, searching, looking for

## うまい

skillful, skilful, skilled, good, expert, clever (expression, trick, etc.), apt, appropriate, delicious, tasty, good, nice, good (deal, idea, etc.), profitable, promising, lucky, fortunate, successful, satisfactory, splendid,

## 待ち

まち, waiting, waiting time, wait tile, tile which would complete one's hand

## 箇所

かしよ, place, point, part, spot, area, passage, portion, counter for places, parts, passages, etc.

## コミュニティ

community

## 族

ぞく, ぞう, tribe, clan, band, family, (taxonomical) tribe, group (of the periodic table), やから, party (of people), set (of people), clan, family, fellow

## 戻り

もどり, return, reaction, recovery, return (from a procedure)

## 圧倒的

あつとうてき, overwhelming

## 高橋

## 細かい

こまかい, small, fine, minute, minor, trivial, sensitive, attentive, careful, frugal, stingy

## 免許

めんきよ, license, licence, permission, permit, certificate

## ユーロ

Euro-, euro (the currency)

## 伴う

ともなう, to accompany, to go hand in hand with, to be consequent upon, to be accompanied by, to bring with, to take with, to be involved in

## 飛ん

## 港

みなと, harbour, harbor, port, こう, harbour

## 聖

せい, Saint, St., S., sacred, holy, pure, ひじり, highly virtuous monk, monk, Buddhist solitary, Buddhist missionary, saint (i.e. a virtuous person), emperor, master, expert

## アドレス

address, email address

## ク

## 裁判官

さいばんかん, judge

## 実力

じつりよく, (real) ability, true strength, merit, efficiency, competency, arms, force

## なぜなら

because, the reason is, if you want to know why

## 恋人

こいびと, lover, sweetheart, boyfriend, girlfriend

## 首都

しゅと, capital city, metropolis

## 質疑

しつぎ, question, interpellation

## なるほど

I see, that's right, indeed

## ぶ

## 住所

じゅうしょ, address, residence, domicile

## 歓迎

かんげい, welcome, reception

## なにか

something, some, any, somehow, for some reason, (so) what (are you trying to say)?, what (do you mean)?

## つくり

making, producing, manufacturing, building, construction, make, structure, appearance (attire, make-up, etc.), build, physique, sashimi, forced (smile, etc.), right-hand radical of a character

## あたし

I, me

## 子育て

こそだて, child rearing, child raising, raising children, parenting

## 存じ

ぞんじ, knowing, being aware (of)

## 順

じゅん, ずん, order, turn, sorting, obedient, docile, submissive, meek

## 通じ

つうじ, bowel movement, evacuation, understanding

## 韻

いん, rhyme, rhyme (of a Chinese character), rime

## 作曲

さつきよく, composition (of music), setting, writing music

## おれ

I, me, you, I, me, fold, bend, broken part

## 失業

しつぎょう, unemployment, losing one's job, becoming unemployed

## 太郎

## 客観

きゃっかん, かつかん, かくかん, objectivity, objective, object (philosophical)

## 田舎

いなか, rural area, countryside, the sticks, hometown, でんしゃ, でんじや, country, country home

## しま

stripe, bar, streak, (weaved) stripe pattern (of 2 or more different colors), island, one's territory (e.g. of a sex worker, organized crime gang), one's turf, the four kinds of demons that make trouble for sentient beings, demon of death, Shima (former province located at the eastern tip of present-day Mie Prefecture), four-of-a-kind, conjecture, guess, surmise, speculation

## 勝っ

はげしい, violent, furious, tempestuous, extreme, intense, fierce, strong, fervent, vehement, incessant, relentless, precipitous, steep

## 鍵

かぎ, カギ, key, lock, key (to a problem, success, etc.), clue, けん, key (on a piano, organ, etc.)

## 勿論

もちろん, of course, certainly, naturally

## リン

phosphorus (P), ring (sound), ding

## 同社

どうしゃ, the same firm

## 乗る

のる, ノる, to get on (train, plane, bus, ship, etc.), to get in, to board, to take, to embark, to get on (e.g. a footstool), to step on, to jump on, to sit on, to mount, to reach, to go over, to pass, to follow, to stay (on track), to go with (the times, etc.), to take part, to participate, to join, to get into the swing (and sing, dance, etc.), to be deceived, to be taken in, to be carried, to be spread, to be scattered, to stick, to attach, to take, to go on

## 示さ

## 發

ハツ, green dragon tile, winning hand with a pung (or kong) of green dragon tiles

## 売上

うりあげ, amount sold, sales, proceeds, takings, turnover

## リアル

real, realistic, true to life, serious, non-joking, earnest, realtime blog, real world (cf. online games or social networking services), riyal (currency), rial

## 倫理

りんり, ethics, morals

## 中古

ちゅうこ, ちゅうぶる, used, second-hand, old, Middle Ages (in Japan esp. Heian period)

## なかる

## 卵

たまご, eggs, egg, spawn, roe, (hen's) egg, (an expert) in the making, beginning, origin, infancy, かい, かいご, egg, eggshell, らん, ovum, ovule, egg cell

## 朝日

あさひ, morning sun

## 高級

こうきゅう, high-class, high-grade, high-quality, high-end, luxury, high-ranking, high-level, senior

## 辞書

じしょ, dictionary, lexicon, letter of resignation

## 市長

しちょう, mayor

## 一種

いっしゆ, a kind, a sort, a variety, a species, of sorts, something of a, a sort of, sort of, somewhat

## 入門

にゅうもん, becoming a pupil (of), becoming a disciple, entering an institution, beginning training, introduction (to), primer, guide, entering through a gate

## そういえば

now that you mention it, come to think of it, that reminds me, on that subject, speaking of which

## キャラクター

character, personality, disposition, (fictional) character, letter, character, symbol

## 出張

しゅっちょう, business trip, official trip

## 夕食

ゆうしょく, evening meal, dinner

## 描く

えがく, かく, to draw, to paint, to sketch, to depict, to describe, to picture in one's mind, to imagine, to form a certain shape (e.g. path of an action, appearance of an object, etc.)

## ダウン

fall, decrease, drop, going down, knocking down (in boxing), flooring, being knocked down, being floored, being out of action (due to illness, exhaustion, etc.), being down (e.g. with a cold), being knocked out (from alcohol), being out of it, collapsing, going down (of a computer system, server, etc.), crashing, (number of) outs, being down (in points, games, etc.), behind behind, trailing, down (American football), down (feathers)

## 気に入っ

## 協定

きょうてい, arrangement, pact, agreement

## 深夜

しんや, late at night

## 半年

はんとし, はんねん, half a year, six months

## 教える

おしえる, to teach, to instruct, to tell, to inform, to show, to preach

## 豊富

ほうふ, abundant, plentiful, rich, ample

## 息

いき, おき, breath, breathing, tone, mood, むすこ, そく, son, penis, そく, son, interest (on a loan, deposit, etc.)

## 身近

みぢか, near oneself, close to one, familiar

## ただけれ

## 物件

ぶっけん, article, thing, object, property, real estate

## ハード

hard, tough, hardware, hard disk

## 優秀

ゆうしゅう, superior, excellent, brilliant, outstanding

## 明

みょう, vidya (wisdom), mantra, the coming (July 4, etc.), めい, brightness, discernment, insight, an eye (for), eyesight, vision, nth year in the Meiji era (1868.9.8-1912.7.30), みんな, Ming dynasty (of China; 1368-1644), さや, clearly, brightly, cleanly, purely

## 角

かく, angle, square, cube, bishop, third degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), Chinese "horn" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), jiao (monetary unit of China; one-tenth of a yuan), かと, corner, edge, (street) corner, turning, rough edges (of one's character, words, etc.), abrasiveness, harshness, sharpness, つの, horn, antler, antenna, feeler, tentacle (e.g. of a snail), horn-like projection (e.g. peaks of whipped cream), すみ, すま, corner, nook, recess, downstage right (on a noh stage)

## け

lacking substance and existing in name only, something without substance, house, family, hair, fur, wool, down, plumage, feathers, mundane, commonplace, ordinary, divination sign, remind me, I forget, was it?, was that what happened?, difference (from one another), different thing, other, unusual, extraordinary, sign, indication, trace, touch, feeling, somehow, for some reason, seeming to be, rule, (ruled) line, line (on a go board, shogi board, etc.), container (esp. for food)

## 弟

おとうと, てい, younger brother, little brother, kid brother, brother-in-law (spouse's younger brother or younger sister's husband), pupil, apprentice, おとと, younger sibling, おと, younger brother (of an older brother), younger sister (of an older sister), youngest child, young, younger, youngest, young and beautiful, cute

## 面接

めんせつ, interview (e.g. for a job)

## 部隊

ぶたい, force, unit, corps, squad, troops, party

## マレーシア

Malaysia

## 給与

きゅうよ, pay, salary, wages, allowance, grant, supply, providing with

## ハワイ

Hawaii, Hawai'i

## 発音

はつおん, pronunciation, production of sound

## 配布

はいふ, distribution

## 同意

どうい, agreement, consent, approval, assent, same opinion, same view, same meaning

## オススメ

recommendation, advice, suggestion, encouragement

## 交付

こうふ, delivery, issuance, handing over, granting

## ワ

## 保有

ほゆう, possession, retention, maintenance

## 課長

かちょう, section manager, section chief

## 出会っ

ひらき, opening, gap, dried and opened fish

## とれ

## 体系

たいけい, system, organization, organisation, architecture

## ユダヤ

Judea (southern Palestine), Jews

## 歌っ

## 同一

どういつ, identical, same, one and the same, equal, fair, equal treatment, without discrimination

## 悲しい

かなしい, sad, miserable, unhappy, sorrowful, sad, lamentable, deplorable, grievous

## 加藤

かんりょう, bureaucrat, government official, bureaucracy

## 列車

れっしゃ, train, railway train

## 茶

ちゃ, tea, tea plant (Camellia sinensis), tea preparation, making tea, brown, mockery

## まわり

circumference, girth, surroundings, neighbourhood, neighborhood, vicinity, people surrounding oneself, surrounding circumstances, rotation, making the rounds, spreading, effect, efficacy, by way of, via, round, turn, size, 12-year period, 12-year age difference

## 朝日新聞

あさひしんぶん, Asahi Shimbun (newspaper)

## 構想

こうそう, plan, plot, idea, conception, vision, scheme

## 口座

こうざ, account (e.g. bank)

## 陣

じん, battle formation, camp, encampment, position, group, gang, party, corps, war, battle, campaign

## いら

scarbreast tuskfin (Choerodon azurio)

## 説得

せつとく, persuasion

## 会う

あう, to meet, to encounter, to see, to have an accident, to have a bad experience

## 入ら

けつぎ, resolution, vote, decision

## 地位

ちい, (social) position, status, standing, position (in a company, organization, etc.), post, rank

## 進歩

しんぽ, progress, advance, improvement, development

## 完了

かんりょう, completion, conclusion, perfect (tense, form, aspect), ワンラ, end, completion

## 追求

ついきゅう, pursuit (of a goal, ideal, etc.), search, chase, seeking after

## 和

なぎ, calm (at sea), lull, わ, sum, harmony, peace, Japan, Japanese-style, やわ, ヤワ, soft, fragile, weak, poorly built, insubstantial, のど, tranquil, calm, quiet, peaceful

## 欄

らん, section (e.g. in a newspaper), column, page, field (in a form, web page, etc.), blank, handrail, railing, banister, balustrade, おぼしま, handrail, railing, banister, balustrade

## カ月

かげつ, counter for months

## こん

the current ..., this, today's ..., navy blue, deep blue, thing, matter, incident, occurrence, event, something serious, trouble, crisis, circumstances, situation, state of affairs, work, business, affair, after an inflectable word, creates a noun phrase indicating something the speaker does not feel close to, nominalizing suffix, pretending to ..., playing make-believe ..., alias, also known as, otherwise known as, or, necessity, need, you should ..., I advise that you ..., it's important to ..., this, last (couple of years, etc.), these, past, this, you (as in "you liar"), kun (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: earth, southwest), gen (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: mountain, northeast), Yang energy, spirit, stick-to-itiveness, perseverance, persistence, radical (esp. one that tends to ionize easily), root, indriya (faculty of the body having a specific function, i.e. the sensory organs), fish, counter for fish, kun (in Chinese mythology, giant fish said to be able to turn into a bird), with a bump, with a clunk, yelp (e.g. of a fox), bark, howl, (traffic) congestion, heavy traffic, scar (e.g. from operation, injection), trace, mark (e.g. skid marks), this, marriage

## 燃料

ねんりょう, fuel

## 悩ん

## ご存知

ごぞんじ, knowing, being aware (of), (an) acquaintance

## 載せ

## 排除

はいじょ, exclusion, removal, elimination, clearing away, getting rid of

## 解除

かいじょ, termination (of a contract), cancellation, rescinding, rescission, lifting (of a ban, sanctions, etc.), removal, release (from obligations), cancellation (of a warning, alert, etc.), calling off (e.g. a strike), releasing (a lock)

## ポスト

postbox, mailbox, mail box, pillar box, post, position, post (e.g. goalpost), post- (e.g. post-Cold War)

## 加入

かにゅう, joining (a club, organization, etc.), becoming a member, entry, admission, subscription, affiliation, signing (e.g. a treaty), taking out (insurance)

## 側面

そくめん, side, flank, profile, sidelight, lateral, aspect, dimension

## 無かつ

## 開設

かいせつ, establishment, opening, setting up, inauguration

## 在庫

ざいこ, stock, inventory

## 離婚

りこん, divorce

## 回収

かいしゅう, collection, recovery, withdrawal, retrieval

## っけ

remind me, I forget, was it?, was that what happened?

## あちこち

here and there, various places, all around, all over, everywhere, throughout, muddled, confused, in the wrong order, back to front

## ドライブ

drive, trip by car, driving, to (go for a) drive, to go on a trip by car, to drive (e.g. a car), to drive (innovation, change, etc.), to propel, drive

## 鏡

かがみ, mirror, looking-glass, barrel head, page added at the beginning of a document mentioning its purpose, date, author, etc., mirror-shaped mochi

## 当該

とうがい, appropriate (e.g. authorities), concerned, relevant, said, aforementioned, competent, applicable, respective

## 移転

いてん, moving, relocation, change of address, transfer (of deeds, property, etc.), demise

## 全般

ぜんぱん, (the) whole, as a whole, in general, at large

## ウイルス

virus

## 全面

ぜんめん, whole surface, entire

## 非難

ひなん, criticism, blame, censure, attack, reproach

## 修理

しゅうり, しゅり, すり, repair, mending, fixing, servicing

## 集合

しゅうごう, meeting up, gathering, assembly, set

## 考えれ

## 興味深い

きょうみぶかい, very interesting, of great interest

## 面白

おもしろ, amusing, funny, interesting

## 音声

おんせい, おんじょう, voice, speech, sound of a voice, sound (e.g. of a TV)

## 赤い

あかい, red, crimson, scarlet, vermilion, vermillion, Red, communist, beautiful

## 施行

しこう, せこう, しぎょう, putting in force (a law), putting into operation, putting into effect, enforcement, carrying out (a plan, policy, etc.), execution, せぎょう, giving alms (to monks or the poor), almsgiving

## 向い

むかい, facing, opposite, across the street, other side

## 共に

ともに, together, jointly, at the same time, with, as ..., including, along with, both

## カウンター

counter, counting device, (service) counter (at a bank, store, etc.), counter (at a bar, cafe, etc.), bar, counter-attack (in soccer), counter (in boxing), counterpunch, automatically responding with an upload slot to someone who allows you to download (e.g. in P2P systems)

## 文明

ぶんめい, civilization, civilisation, culture, Bunmei era (1469.4.28-1487.7.20)

## 見かけ

みかけ, outward appearance, apparent

## 流行

りゅうこう, fashion, trend, vogue, craze, fad, popularity, prevalence (of a disease), epidemic, はやり, fashion, fad, vogue, craze, prevalence (e.g. of a disease)

## ジャパン

Japan

## 美術

びじゅつ, art, fine arts

## 三つ

みつ, みつ, three, three years of age

## 不良

ふりょう, bad, poor, inferior, defective, delinquent, hoodlum, hooligan

## 田

た, rice field

## 変動

へんどう, change, fluctuation

## 都道府県

とどうふけん, prefectures (of Japan), largest administrative divisions of Japan: Tokyo-to, Osaka-fu, Kyoto-fu, Hokkaido and the remaining prefectures

## 名誉

めいよ, honor, honour, credit, glory, fame, distinction, prestige, dignity, reputation, honor, good name, honorary (e.g. president, doctorate)

## ちょっとした

slight, minor, trifling, trivial, petty, considerable, proper, decent, respectable, quite (a)

## 逆に

ぎゃくに, conversely, on the contrary

## ケーキ

cake

## 受講

じゅこう, taking a lecture, attending a class, taking a course

## 商店

しょうてん, shop, small store, business, firm

## プレイ

play, recreation, play (theatre), performance, staging, praying, play ball, starting a match

## 過ぎる

すぎる, to pass through, to pass by, to go beyond, to pass (of time), to elapse, to have expired, to have ended, to be over, to exceed, to surpass, to be above, to be no more than ..., to be excessive, to be too much, to be too ..., よぎる, to go by, to cross, to pass by, to flash across

## 伝説

でんせつ, legend, folklore, tradition

## 遠い

とおい, far, distant, far away, a long way off, in the distance, distant (past), remote (in time), remote, far-removed (in time), distant (relationship or kinship), having little to do (with someone), far (from something else in quality, degree, etc.), not similar, way off, hard (of hearing), nearsighted

## う

## 関わる

かかわる, to be affected, to be influenced, to be concerned with, to have to do with, to stick to (opinions)

## 言

げん, こと, word, remark, statement

## 堂

どう, temple, shrine, chapel, hall, company, front room

## よ

## マイクロソフト

Microsoft

## 再開

さいかい, reopening, resumption, restarting

## 狭い

せまい, narrow, confined, small, cramped, limited, narrow-minded, confining

## 休憩

きゅうけい, rest, break, recess, intermission

## 松本

## 階級

かいきゅう, (social) class, rank, grade

## 公的

こうてき, public, official

## 無し

なし, without, unacceptable, not alright, unsatisfactory

## 江戸

えど, Edo (shogunate capital, now Tokyo), Yedo

## キャリア

career, occupation, personal history, professional experience, government employee who has passed the highest national civil service exam, carrier, carrier (of a disease-causing agent), carrier (wave), carrier, mobile network operator, pannier rack (on a bicycle), roof rack (on a car), (bicycle) carrier, hand truck, platform truck, trolley, dolly

## 転職

てんしよく, change of occupation, career change

## ライト

light, right, right field, right fielder

## 先進

せんしん, advanced, developed, seniority, senior, superior, elder

## 走り

はしり, running, gliding, first (harvest) of the season, beginning, start, kitchen sink

## 農家

のうか, farmer, farming family, farmhouse, School of Agrarianism (China), School of Agronomists

## 遺伝子

いでんし, gene, genetic

## 総務

そうむ, general affairs, general business, manager, director, adjutant general

## 雲

くも, cloud

## 税込

ぜいこみ, including tax (of a price), pretax (income or profits), before tax

## 油

あぶら, oil

## ないし

emperor's secret orders, from ... to, between ... and, or, maid of honor, maid of honour, unofficial announcement

## あくまでも

to the last, persistency, thoroughness

## アプローチ

approach (to a problem, issue, etc.), approach (of a long jump, aircraft's flight, etc.), inrun (of a ski jump), approach (to a building, mountain, etc.), approach shot

## ワールド

world

## お父さん

おとうさん, おとっさん, father, dad, papa, pa, pop, daddy, dada, husband, you, he, him

## 小林

## 広がっ

## 太

ふと, fat, fatty, grand, magnificent, excellent

## ス

## 辛い

からい, spicy, hot, salty, harsh (criticism), severe (punishment), strict, painful, bitter, difficult, tough, つらい, painful, bitter, heart-breaking, difficult (emotionally), tough, difficult, hard (usu. of situations), cruel, harsh, cold, づらい, ずらい, difficult to ..., hard to ...

## デビュー

debut, doing something for the first time, starting anew, starting afresh

## 紛争

ふんそう, dispute, conflict, trouble, strife

## もたらす

to bring (news, knowledge, etc.), to introduce, to bring about, to cause, to produce (e.g. results)

## ステップ

step (of a staircase, etc.), running board (of a bus, train), step (movement), pace, (dance) step, step (in a process), stage, steppe

## 決意

けつい, decision, determination, resolution

## オン

(switched) on, being on the green (of one's ball)

## なれる

to get used to, to grow accustomed to, to become familiar with, to become skilled in, to become experienced at, to become tame, to become domesticated, to get used to doing, to get too familiar with, to become too familiar with, to mature (esp. by fermentation), to ripen (e.g. wine, cheese), to be properly aged, to become seasoned, to rot

## ロード

road, load, lord

## ダンス

dance

## 損

そん, loss, damage, harm, unprofitable, disadvantage, handicap, drawback, unfavorable

## 育児

いくじ, childcare, child-rearing, nursing, upbringing

## 懸念

けねん, worry, fear, anxiety, concern

## 快適

かいてき, pleasant, agreeable, comfortable

## パパ

dad, daddy, papa, sugar daddy

## 一杯

いっぱい, one cup (of), one glass (of), one bowl (of), cupful, glassful, bowlful, spoonful, one drink (of alcohol), full, filled (with), brimming (with), crowded, packed, fully, to capacity, to the maximum, as much as possible, a lot, much, many, all of ..., the entire ..., one (squid, octopus, crab, etc.), one (boat)

## ザ

the, quintessential, definitive, representative, typical, classic

## 伊藤

## 施策

しさく, policy, measure

## 男子

だんし, boy, man, male

## 買収

ばいしゅう, acquisition (esp. corporate), buy-out, takeover, purchase, bribery, buying off, corruption

## まち

town, block, neighbourhood, neighborhood, downtown, main street, street, road, waiting, waiting time, wait tile, tile which would complete one's hand, gusset

## 畑

はたけ, はた, field (for growing wheat, fruit, vegetables, etc.), cultivated land, vegetable plot, kitchen garden, plantation, field (of specialization), sphere, area, line, womb, birth, birthplace

## 移民

いみん, immigration, emigration, immigrant, emigrant

## プロフィール

profile

## 被

ひ, indicates the target of an activity, -ee (e.g. employee, examinee, trustee)

## 甘い

あまい, sweet-tasting, sweet, sugary, sugared, fragrant (smelling), sweet (music), lightly salted, light in salt, not spicy, naive, overly optimistic, soft on, generous, indulgent, easy-going, lenient, half-hearted, not finished properly, insufficient, not satisfactory, inadequate, loose, mild, tempting, enticing, luring, うまい, skillful, skilful, skilled, good, expert, clever (expression, trick, etc.), apt, appropriate, delicious, tasty, good, nice, good (deal, idea, etc.), profitable, promising, lucky, fortunate, successful, satisfactory, splendid

## ボク

## 不幸

ふこう, unhappiness, sorrow, misfortune, disaster, accident, death (usu. of a relative), bereavement

## 柱

はしら, pillar, post, support, prop, mainstay, counter for buddhas, gods, nobles, etc., ちゅう, じ, bridge (of a koto, etc.), cylinder, prism, じゅう, fret (of a biwa)

## 軸

じく, axis, shaft, axle, center, centre, focal point, key point, stalk, stem, hanging scroll

## ローマ

Rome

## 毎週

まいしゅう, every week

## 階段

かいだん, stairs, stairway, staircase

## 渋谷

しぶや, Shibuya City (special ward of Tokyo), Shibuya

## 学部

がくぶ, department of a university, undergraduate (course, program, etc.)

## 知恵

ちえ, wisdom, wit, sagacity, sense, intelligence, prajna (insight leading to enlightenment)

## ファッション

fashion

## 新しく

あたらしく, newly, new, anew

## 行事

ぎょうじ, event, function

## うーん

um, er, well, nuh-uh, no, oof

## 金曜日

きんようび, Friday

## サイン

autograph, signature, sign, signal, indication, sine

## 考察

こうさつ, consideration, inquiry, enquiry, investigation, study

## 引い

たかめ, high (e.g. ball in baseball), highish, on the high side, on the expensive side, comparatively expensive, wait tile which produces a winning hand with a higher score

## リズム

rhythm

## ドメイン

domain, domain name

## 体調

たいちょう, physical condition, state of health

## 手数料

てすうりょう, (handling) fee, charge (e.g. for a cancellation), commission, brokerage

## 例外

れいがい, exception

## 兵器

へいき, arms, weapon, ordnance

## 弱

じゃく, a little less than, a little under, slightly fewer than, weakness, the weak, low (setting), -lower (seismic intensity)

## 眼

め, eye, eyeball, eyesight, sight, vision, look, stare, gaze, glance, notice, attention, observation, eyes (of the world, public, etc.), an experience, viewpoint, discrimination, discernment, judgement, eye (e.g. for quality), (an) appearance, chance (of success), possibility (of a good result), spacing (between crossed strands of a net, mesh, etc.), opening, stitch, texture, weave, grain (of wood), eye (of a storm, needle, etc.), intersection (on a go board), square (on a chessboard), dot (on a dice), pip, rolled number, graduation, division (of a scale), tooth (of a saw, comb, etc.), ordinal number suffix, somewhat, -ish, point (e.g. of change), まなこ, eye, eyeball, pupil and (dark) iris of the eye, insight, perceptivity, power of observation, look, field of vision, core, center, centre, essence, がん, eye, insight, vision, power of observation, gist, main point, hole

## 知り合い

しりあい, acquaintance

## 中止

ちゅうし, interruption, discontinuance, suspension, stoppage, cancellation (of a planned event), calling off

## 債権

さいけん, credit, claim

## 主婦

しゅふ, housewife, mistress (of the house), homemaker

## 証

しるし, mark, sign, symbol, emblem, badge, crest, flag, evidence, proof, token (of gratitude, affection, etc.), あかし, しょう, proof, evidence, sign, testimony, vindication, certificate, license, membership card, to testify (usu. Christian religious context), enlightenment, symptoms (in Chinese medicine), patient's condition

## 賠償

ばいしょう, compensation, reparations, indemnity, damages

## 融資

ゆうし, financing, loan

## カップ

cup (drinking vessel, measure, brassiere, prize, etc.)

## 奥さん

おくさん, wife, your wife, his wife, married lady, madam

## 発射

はっしゃ, firing (esp. a rocket or missile), launching, shooting, discharge, catapult, ejaculation

## 理念

りねん, (Platonic) ideal (of how things ought to be, e.g. human rights), foundational principle, idea, conception (e.g. of the university), doctrine, ideology

## 公正

こうせい, justice, fairness, impartiality

## マネジメント

management

## 給料

きゅうりょう, salary, wages, pay

## ほんと

truth, reality, actuality, fact, proper, right, correct, official, genuine, authentic, real, natural, veritable

## 言い方

いいかた, way of saying (something), way of putting it, wording, phrasing, language, expression

## マイル

mile

## 参り

まいり, visit (to a religious site, e.g. shrine, temple, grave)

## 前日

ぜんじつ, まえび, previous day, day before, eve, prior day, preceding day

## 焼き

やき, cooking, esp. frying or stir-frying, heating, tempering, -ware

## 洗濯

せんたく, せんだく, washing, laundry, relaxing, taking a break

## 暇

ひま, いとま, ヒマ, spare time, free time, leisure, time (e.g. time it takes to do something), time off, day off, vacation, holiday, leave, quitting (one's job), firing someone, divorcing (one's spouse), (being) inactive, (of one's business) slow, leaving, departing

## 直し

なおし, correction, rectification, mending, repair

## 晴れ

はれ, clear weather, fine weather, formal, ceremonial, public, cleared of suspicion

## アイテム

item, must-have, must-have item

## よろしい

good, OK, all right, fine, very well, will do, may, can

## 商売

しょうばい, trade, business, commerce, occupation, calling, profession, job

## グローバル

global

## 暑い

あつい, あづい, あぢい, あぢー, あぢい, hot, warm, sultry, heated, passionate, impassioned, burning (desire, etc.), on everybody's mind, on the radar, du jour, interested (gaze, etc.)

## 恐らく

おそらく, probably, (most) likely, in all likelihood, I suspect, I dare say, I'm afraid

## 科目

かもく, (school) subject, curriculum, course, item, heading, entry

## 短期

たんき, short-term

## 連

れん, two reams (of paper), 1000 sheets (of paper), stanza, verse, tribe (in taxonomy), forecast (bet), party, company, group, set, things strung in a line, e.g. pearls, dried fish, spans of a bridge, etc., falcon, むらじ, Muraji (hereditary title; orig. one of the two highest such titles, later demoted to seventh highest of eight)

## 特性

とくせい, special characteristic, special quality, trait, idiosyncrasy, peculiarity

## 面白かつ

ふっき, return, reversion, comeback, reinstatement, carriage return

## 付近

ふきん, neighborhood, neighbourhood, vicinity, environs, surrounding area, district

## 廃棄

はいき, disposal, abandonment, scrapping, discarding, abolition, annulment, cancellation, abrogation, repeal

## 門

と, door (esp. Japanese-style), shutter, window shutter, entrance (to a home), narrows, もん, かど, gate, branch of learning based on the teachings of a single master, division, phylum, counter for cannons

## 素人

しろウト, しろと, しらびと, しらひと, amateur, layman, ordinary person, novice, respectable woman (i.e. not a prostitute, hostess, geisha), unlicensed prostitute

## 申し込み

もうしこみ, application, entry, request, subscription, offer, proposal, overture, challenge

## 犯人

はんんにん, offender, criminal, culprit

## なる

## 盤

さら, plate, dish, platter, disc, serving, helping, course, kanji radical 108 (at the bottom), ばん, board (in shogi, go, chess, etc.), (phonograph) record, disc, disk, board, panel, plate

## 北京

ペキン, ペイチン, Beijing (China), Peking, ほっきょう, the northern capital, Kyoto (as opposed to Nara)

## がら

pattern, design, body build, figure, physique, essential qualities, character, nature, appropriate to, fitting of, suitable for, chicken bones (e.g. for soup), chicken carcass, poor-quality coke (coal), left-overs, remnants, sudden fall in stock prices, stock market crash

## 永遠

えいえん, eternity, perpetuity, permanence, immortality

## ブーム

boom, rage, fad, boom, cross-arm

## 念

ねん, sense, idea, thought, feeling, desire, concern, attention, care

## 疑い

うたがひ, doubt, question, uncertainty, skepticism, scepticism, suspicion, distrust

## 尊重

そんちょう, respect, esteem, regard

## ブルー

blue, sad, down (in the dumps)

## 古代

こだい, ancient times, distant past, antiquity

## 帝国

ていこく, empire, imperial

## 冒頭

ぼうとう, beginning, opening, start, outset

## つながっ

## 遅い

おそい, slow, time-consuming, sluggish, late (in the day), towards the end (of the day or night), until a time far into the day or night, later (than expected or usual), late, behind schedule, behind time, tardy, overdue, unpunctual, too late, having missed the boat, dull, stupid

## 至っ

## マスター

to master (a skill), proprietor, manager, owner, barkeeper, leader, chief, head, master (of arts, science, etc.), master (recording), master (device)

## 郵政

ゆうせい, postal system

## 体重

たいじゅう, (body) weight

## おけ

bucket, pail, tub, OK

## 切り

きり, end, finish, place to stop, bound, limit, end, delivery date (of a futures contract), finale (of a noh song), end of an act (in jōruri or kabuki), final performance of the day (in vaudeville), trump card, king (court card; in mekuri karuta and unsun karuta), counter for slices (esp. thick slices), counter for cuts (of fish, meat, etc.), only, just, (ever) since, after, continuously, remaining (in a particular state)

## 随分

ずいぶん, very, extremely, surprisingly, considerably, awfully, terribly, terrible, horrid, contemptible, reprehensible, remarkable, extraordinary

## 本件

ほんけん, this matter, this case

## 有

ゆう, existence, possession, having, limited company, う, bhava (becoming, existence)

## 通貨

つうか, currency

## 木村

## 動画

どうが, video (esp. digital), video clip, clip, animation, animated cartoon, in-betweens (animation)

## 見せる

みせる, to show, to display, to make (something or someone) look ..., to present an appearance of ..., to make (something) worth watching, to be entertaining, to make a show of (doing), to do in a conspicuous manner, to do in view of others, to resolve to do, to do at any cost, to show others that one will ...

## バブル

bubble, bubble economy

## 龍

りゅう, たつ, りょう, dragon (esp. a Chinese dragon), naga, promoted rook

## 明るい

あかるい, light, well-lit, well-lighted, bright (of a colour), brightly-coloured, brightly-colored, cheerful, bright, spirited, sunny (e.g. disposition), encouraging (for the future of a project, etc.), promising, of fair prospects, familiar (with), knowledgeable (about), well versed (in), fair (e.g. politics), clean, impartial

## ルート

route, path, channel (e.g. sales, distribution), root, square root, root (directory), root (of a chord), loot

## かり

lower official, temporary, provisional, interim, fictitious, assumed (name), alias, hypothetical, theoretical, cut, clip, shear, reap, trim, prune, borrowing, debt, loan, hunting, harvesting (e.g. berries, fruit), picking, gathering, wild goose, glans, head of a penis

## フ

## 上海

シャンハイ, Shanghai (China)

## 経っ

## 財

ざい, fortune, riches, goods, incorporated foundation, たから, treasure

## 祭り

まつり, festival, feast, harassment by an Internet pitchfork mob, online shaming, flaming, galore (as in "goals galore"), frenzy, mania

## 人工

じんこう, artificial, man-made, human work, human skill, artificiality

## 適正

てきせい, reasonable, suitable

## 気温

きおん, air temperature

## 扱う

あつかう, to deal with (a person), to treat, to handle, to take care of, to entertain, to deal with (a problem), to handle, to manage, to operate (e.g. a machine), to handle, to work, to deal in, to sell, to cover (a topic), to treat, to discuss, to take up, to treat A as B, to mediate (an argument), to be too much for one, to find unmanageable, to gossip

## 新潟

にいがた, Niigata (city, prefecture)

## エン

## 抗議

こうぎ, protest, objection

## パフォーマンス

performance (e.g. music, dance, drama), something done (just) for show, theatre, theater, showy action, (empty) gesture, playing to the gallery, performance (of a computer, car, investment, etc.)

## 広場

ひろば, public square, square, plaza, piazza, forum, open space, clearing

## 台風

たいふう, typhoon, hurricane

## 話し合い

はなしあい, discussion, talk, tête-à-tête, conference

## 徐々に

じょじょに, gradually, steadily, slowly, little by little, step by step, by degrees

## 受付

うけつけ, reception (desk), information desk, receptionist, information clerk, receipt, acceptance

## 苦笑

くしょう, bitter smile, wry smile, strained laugh, sarcastic laugh

## ショッピング

shopping

## 育っ

## ダム

dam, dumb

## 生涯

しょうがい, life, lifetime, career, for life, all one's life, throughout one's life, as long as one lives

## 自覚

じかく, self-consciousness, self-awareness

## 妙

みょう, strange, weird, odd, curious, wonder, mystery, miracle, excellence, cleverness, adroitness, knack, skill

## 聴く

きく, to hear, to listen (e.g. to music), to ask, to enquire, to query, to hear about, to hear of, to learn of, to follow (advice, order, etc.), to obey, to listen to, to comply with, to hear (e.g. a plea), to grant (a request), to accept (e.g. an argument), to give consideration to, to smell (esp. incense), to sample (a fragrance), to taste (alcohol), to try

## きっ

## 茲

ここ, here, this place, this point, here, now, these past ... (e.g. three years), these last ..., the next ... (e.g. few days), these next ...

## 楽し

## 比率

ひりつ, ratio, proportion, percentage

## 拉致

らち, らっち, taking captive, carrying away, kidnapping, kidnaping, abduction

## 上映

じょうえい, screening (a movie), showing

## ジャズ

jazz

## 答える

こたえる, to answer, to reply

## 仏

ぶつ, France, French (language), ぶつ, Buddha, Buddhism, ほとけ, Buddha, Shakyamuni, Buddhist image, figure of Buddha, the dead, dead person, departed soul, merciful person

## 再度

さいど, a second time, again, once more, twice

## 可愛い

かわいい, かわゆい, カワイイ, カワイイ, cute, adorable, charming, lovely, pretty, dear, precious, darling, pet, innocent, childlike, childish, lovable, dainty, little, tiny

## 観測

かんそく, observation, survey, measurement, opinion, prediction, thinking

## ミニ

mini-, miniskirt, mini-skirt

## 純粹

じゅんすい, pure, true, genuine, unmixed

## 兄

あに, older brother, elder brother, けい, you, Mr, Mister, older brother, elder brother, にい, older brother, elder brother, このかみ, eldest son, older brother, older sister, older person, head of a clan, head of a region, skilled craftsman

## 拍手

はくしゅ, clapping hands, applause, がしわで, はくしゅ, clapping one's hands in prayer (at a shrine)

## 生まれる

うまれる, to be born

## 要件

ようけん, important matter, requirement, requisite, necessary condition, sine qua non

## 赤ちゃん

あかちゃん, baby, infant

## 売る

うる, to sell

## どころ

the place for, the time for, the level of, restaurant, specialist

## 札幌

さっぽろ, Sapporo (city in Hokkaido)

## 爆

ばく, burst of laughter, roar of laughter

## あわせ

lined kimono, joint together, opposite, facing

## 数値

すうち, numerical value, numerics, reading (on a meter, etc.)

## 基

もと, origin, source, base, basis, foundation, root, cause, ingredient, material, base, mix, stock, (someone's) side, (someone's) location, original cost (or capital, principal, etc.), (plant) root, (tree) trunk, first section of a waka, counter for blades of grass, tree trunks, etc., and for falcons (in falconry), handle (chopsticks, brush, etc.), grip, き, group, (free) radical, counter for installed or mounted objects (e.g. stone lanterns, gravestones, satellites), もとい, basis, foundation, cause

## 鼻

はな, nose

## 保守

ほしゅ, maintenance, conservatism, conservativeness, conservation

## どおり

in accordance with, following, roughly, about, Street, Avenue

## ヨ

l, me

## 覚悟

かくご, readiness, preparedness, resolution, resignation

## にわたって

throughout, over a period of ..., over a span of ...

## 寝る

ねる, to sleep (lying down), to go to bed, to lie in bed, to lie down, to sleep (with someone, i.e. have intercourse), to lie flat (e.g. of hair), to lie idle (of funds, stock, etc.), to ferment (of soy sauce, miso, etc.)

## 生き方

いきかた, way of life, how to live

## お腹

おなか, belly, abdomen, stomach

## 財源

ざいげん, source of funds, resources, finances

## 書け

## われ

## 吉田

## オーナー

owner (esp. of a business)

## 駄目

だめ, ダメ, no good, not serving its purpose, useless, broken, hopeless, wasted, in vain, purposeless, cannot, must not, not allowed, neutral point, intersection owned by neither player at the end of a game, no!, stop!

## 支出

ししゅつ, expenditure, disbursement, expenses

## 対話

たいわ, dialogue, conversation, talk, discussion, communication

## 残さ

しんごう, signal, signalling, signaling, traffic light, traffic signal

## 借金

しゃっきん, debt, loan, liabilities, borrowing money, number of games under the .500 mark

## 広報

こうほう, public relations, PR, publicity, public information, publicizing

## 優しい

やさしい, tender, kind, gentle, graceful, affectionate, amiable

## まさか

by no means, never!, well, I never!, you don't say!, certainly (not), something unexpected, emergency, currently, for the time being, presently, for now, indeed, really, truly, unexpectedly

## ジャ

## 長年

ながねん, えいねん, long time, many years

## ソニー

## クライアント

client

## エントリー

entry (in an event, competition, etc.), applying for entry, registering to participate, entry (blog, database, etc.), post

## 経緯

いきさつ, けいゐ, たてぬき, たてよこ, details, particulars, whole story, sequence of events, chronology, circumstances, how it started, how things got this way, longitude and latitude, warp and weft, warp and woof

## 鬼

おに, き, ogre, demon, oni, spirit of a deceased person, ogre-like person (i.e. fierce, relentless, merciless, etc.), it (in a game of tag, hide-and-seek, etc.), Chinese "ghost" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), very, extremely, super-, しこ, ugly, repulsive, detestable, contemptible, unworthy, insignificant, humble, strong and frightening thing

## たん

liver, innards, courage, spirit, pluck, guts, crux, essential point, key, variable measure of fabric (28.8 cm in width), for kimonos: at least 10 m in length, for haori: at least 7.27 m in length, for other clothes: at least 6.06 m in length, 300 tsubo (991.74 meters square, 0.24506 acres), six ken (10.91 m), phlegm, sputum, coveting, raga (desire), sigh, grief, lamentation, diminutive used with names, etc., diminutive adjective ending, single, simple, singles (tennis, badminton, etc.), win bet (bet which predicts the winner of a race), fault, defect, weak point, minor, 5-point card, short, origin, beginning, variable measure of fabric (28.8 cm in width), for kimonos: at least 10 m in length, for haori: at least 7.27 m in length, for other clothes: at least 6.06 m in length, tip, extremity, story, tale

## 毎回

まいかい, every time, each round

## 返信

へんしん, reply (e.g. email, fax, letter), answer

## タバコ

tobacco, cigarette, cigaret, cigar, tobacco plant (Nicotiana tabacum)

## ティー

tea, T, t, ton, tonne, (airport) terminal, T-shirt, tee shirt, nth year in the Taishō era (1912.7.30-1926.12.25), tee, teeing ground

## 后

のち, later, afterwards, future, after one's death, descendant, きさき, きさい, empress, queen

## べ

word used at sentence-end (like a particle) to indicate speculation, volition or invitation, familiar suffix used after a personal name, surrounding area, shore (of the sea), suffix used as a rough indicator of location, direction, time, etc., hereditary occupational group (Yamato period)

## 入り口

いりぐち, いりくち, はいりぐち, はいりぐち, entrance, entry, gate, approach, mouth

## 会談

かいだん, talks (i.e. formal discussions), conference, meeting

## 監査

かんさ, inspection, audit, judgement, judgment

## 選択肢

せんたくし, choices, alternatives, options

## 過剰

かじょう, excess, surplus, superabundance, overabundance

## おめでとう

congratulations!, well done!, best wishes!, all the best!, Japanese sweets made with glutinous rice and azuki bean paste

## 谷

たに, valley

## 商業

しょうぎょう, commerce, trade, business

## 極端

きよくたん, extreme, extremity

## イラン

Iran, castor oil plant (Ricinus communis)

## だらけ

full of (e.g. mistakes), riddled with, covered all over with (blood, mud, etc.)

## 気味

きみ, きび, sensation, feeling, tendency, propensity, きみ, -like, -looking, -looked, tending to ..., きあじ, market sentiment (stock market), market tone

## たっぷり

plentifully, amply, abundantly, copiously, generously, fully, a lot, loosely, with room to spare, with enough space, (large) enough, a good (e.g. two weeks, ten kilometres), a full, at least, no less than

## 大半

たいはん, majority, more than half, most (of), mostly, largely, mainly, predominately, nearly

## 社内

しゃない, within a company, in-house, within a shrine, shrine precincts

## コレ

## 旦那

だんな, master (of a house, shop, etc.), husband, sir, boss, master, governor, patron of a mistress, geisha, bar or nightclub hostess, sugar daddy, alms, almsgiving, almsgiver

## 起きる

おきる, to get up, to rise, to blaze up (fire), to wake up, to be awake, to stay awake, to occur (usu. of unfavourable incidents), to happen, to take place

## 失わ

## 調達

ちょうたつ, supply, provision, raising, procurement

## 辞典

じてん, dictionary, lexicon, ことばてん, dictionary, lexicon

## 正義

せいぎ, justice, right, righteousness, correct meaning, correct explanation

## ペット

pet, trumpet, polyethylene terephthalate, PET, positron emission tomography, PET

## 世帯

せたい, しゃたい, household, home, family, housekeeping

## 完璧

かんぺき, かんべき, perfect, complete, flawless

## 上がり

あがり, rise, increase, ascent, income, takings, earnings, proceeds, (crop) yield, return, profit, completion, end, finish, end result (e.g. of crafts), how something comes out, finish, finishing (in a board or card game, etc.), green tea (esp. in a sushi restaurant), after (rain, illness, etc.), ex- (e.g. ex-bureaucrat), former

## そうそう

so much, so often, so long, particularly, especially, oh, yes!, that's it, I remember, that's right, quite, indeed, funeral, burial rites, attendance at a funeral, hurry, rush, flurry, simple, brief, quick, rough, crude, careless, inadequate, yours sincerely, yours in haste, as soon as..., just after..., immediately after..., hurriedly, in haste, quickly, promptly, early, beginning, inauguration, eminent, prominent, distinguished, first-rate, leading, ringing (of metal), resonant (of a musical instrument), facies, busy, hurried, rushed, yours sincerely, yours in haste, simple, brief, quick, moving unsteadily, staggeringly, gathering, swarming, gurgling, babbling, murmuring (stream, brook, etc...), lively, active, energetic, enthusiastic, tinkling (of metal, jewels, etc.), ringing brightly, crying (of a Chinese phoenix), blue (sky, ocean, etc.), fresh and green (of vegetation), verdant, lush, greying (hair), aged

## 審判

しんぱん, しんぱん, judgement, judgment, decision, verdict, sentence, refereeing, umpiring, judging, judgement (of God), referee, umpire, judge

## 大戦

たいせん, great war, great battle, world war

## 教材

きょうざい, teaching materials

## 送ら

## 後に

のちに, later on, subsequently, by and by, after a while

## 阪神

はんしん, Osaka-Kobe, Hanshin (company name: railway, dept. store, baseball team, etc.)

## 祈り

いのり, prayer, supplication

## 上手く

うまく, skilfully, skillfully, well, aptly, cleverly, successfully, smoothly, deliciously

## 外務省

がいむしょう, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

## スキー

skiing, ski, skis

## 見つける

みつける, みつける, to discover, to find (e.g. an error in a book), to come across, to detect, to spot, to locate, to find (e.g. something missing), to find fault, to be used to seeing, to be familiar with

## ヒト

person, someone, somebody, human beings, mankind, man, people, humans, human (Homo sapiens), (other) people, others, character, personality, nature, capable person, competent person, suitable person, right person, adult, grown-up, I, me, one

## 制定

せいてい, enactment, establishment, creation

## 才能

さいのう, talent, ability

## 発明

はつめい, invention, intelligent, clever, smart, making sense (of something), understanding

## そのうち

before very long, soon, someday, one of these days, sooner or later, of the previously mentioned, of that number, among them, among others

## 振り

ぶり, swing, shake, wave, swinging, appearance, behaviour, pretence (pretense), show, pretending (to), going to restaurant, hotel etc. without a reservation or introduction, move (dance), postures, lead in (e.g. to a running joke, asking a question), lead up, unsewn part of a hanging sleeve on a traditional Japanese woman's garment, counter for swords, blades, etc., not wearing underwear or pants, ぶり, style, manner, way, after (period of time) again (e.g. meeting again after a year), for the first time in (period of time)

## ノー

no, no, without, not needed, not allowed

## 幸福

こうふく, happiness, well-being, joy, welfare, blessedness

## 通知

つうち, notice, notification, report, posting, notification (on a smartphone, PC, etc.)

## 汚染

おせん, pollution, contamination

## そりゃ

very, extremely, that is

## 体力

たいりよく, stamina, endurance, physical strength, resilience, resistance to disease, strength of an organization (e.g. profitability, productivity, economic clout, stability, growth potential)

## クリア

clear, transparent, clearing (a high-jump bar, hurdle, etc.), overcoming, getting through, getting past, completing, solving, settling, meeting (e.g. a standard), clearing (the ball; in soccer), clearing (e.g. a checked box)

## 耐え

## 邪魔

じゃま, hindrance, obstacle, nuisance, disturbance, interruption, interference, to visit (someone's home), demon who hinders Buddhist training, demon who obstructs sentient beings from maintaining moral behaviour

## 冷静

れいせい, calmness, composure, coolness, serenity, presence of mind

## 血液

けつえき, blood

## ゆう

to do up (hair), to dress, to arrange, to tie, to bind, to fasten, to make (a fence), Excellent (grade), A, superiority, excellence, gentle, graceful, elegant, skillful, bravery, courage, heroism, existence, possession, having, limited company, glaze, overglaze, enamel, to say, to utter, to declare, to name, to call, to go (e.g. "the alarm went ping"), to make a noise, yuzu (Citrus ichangensis x C. reticulata), string made of cut steamed, soaked mulberry bark fibers, superb, outstanding, evening, male, man, excellence, greatness, best (of), great person, leading figure, quiet, calm, leisurely, composed, distant, far-off, boundless, endless, eternal, friend, affection (for siblings)

## サラリーマン

office worker, company employee, company man, salaryman (stereotypical Japanese office worker)

## 地上

ちじょう, above ground, on the ground, earth's surface, this world, this earth

## 落ち着い

## 比べる

くらべる, to compare, to make a comparison, to compete, to vie

## 通勤

つうきん, commuting to work

## 反論

はんろん, objection, refutation, rebuttal, counterargument

## キャンプ

camp, camping

## 当て

あて, aim, object, purpose, end, expectations, prospects, hopes, something that can be relied upon, snack served with alcoholic drink, pad, guard, blow, strike, addressed to, per

## 気軽

きがる, carefree, buoyant, lighthearted, sprightly, ease

## コンビニ

convenience store

## オリンピック

Olympics, Olympic Games

## 高める

たかめる, to raise, to lift, to boost, to enhance

## 人格

じんかく, personality, character, individuality, personhood

## 正常

せいじょう, normalcy, normality, normal

## 有り

あり, existing (at the present moment), alright, acceptable, passable, to be (usu. of inanimate objects), to have

## 独特

どくとく, peculiarity, uniqueness, characteristic, understood only by oneself

## 意欲

いよく, will, desire, eagerness, interest, drive, motivation, urge, ambition

## 向き

むき, direction, orientation, aspect, exposure, suited to, suitable for, designed for, tendency, inclination, nature (of a request or desire), person

## パーティ

party (social gathering), party (group of people participating in an activity, esp. mountain climbing), (political) party

## 語り

かたり, talk, recital, narration, topic

## 開放

かいほう, opening (a door, window, etc.), leaving open, opening up (e.g. to the public), allowing (public) access

## 中国人

ちゅうごくじん, Chinese person

## 面積

めんせき, area (measurement), square measure, size (of land), floor space

## 打っ

ぶっ, プッ, strongly, violently, quickly, suddenly

## 熱心

ねっしん, zealous, enthusiastic, ardent, fervent, keen, eager

## 聴き

きき, hearing, audible sound, rumour, rumor, hearsay, reputation, tasting (alcohol, tea, etc.)

## 早

はや, already, now, by this time, quick, early, fast, rapid, はよ, early, quickly, soon, early morning, early hour, early in the day

## オプション

option, selecting an option, optional extra, individual item, separate item, service supplied on its own, without accompanying services, option

## 原子力

げんしりょく, atomic energy, nuclear power

## サーバ

server, (cake) server, (water) dispenser, server (tennis, volleyball, etc.)

## 分離

ぶんり, separation, partition, detachment, segregation, isolation

## 呼吸

こきゅう, breathing, respiration, knack, trick, secret (of doing something), harmony, balance, synchronization, accord, short interval, short pause

## 段

たん, variable measure of fabric (28.8 cm in width), for kimonos: at least 10 m in length, for haori: at least 7.27 m in length, for other clothes: at least 6.06 m in length, 300 tsubo (991.74 meters square, 0.24506 acres), six ken (10.91 m), だん, step, stair, rung, (flight of) steps, shelf, layer, tier, grade, level, class, dan (degree of advanced proficiency in martial arts, go, shogi, etc.), rank, paragraph, passage, column (of print), act (in kabuki, joruri, etc.), section, scene, row of the multiplication table (e.g. five times table), stage (in a process), phase, occasion, time, moment, situation, matter, occasion, degree, extent, counter for breaks in written language or speech

## 日程

にっけい, schedule, program, programme, agenda

## 最悪

さいあく, worst, horrible, horrid, awful, terrible, in the worst case, if worst comes to worst

## 友

とも, friend, companion, comrade, pal, accompaniment, companion (e.g. book), complement, accessory, ゆう, friend, affection (for siblings)

## 数多く

かずおおく, in great numbers

## さあ

come (on), come now, come along, here, all right, right, okay, now, here goes, well, hmm, uh, let's see, I'm not sure, here, now, there (we go), ah, oh, about that, ..., actually, ...

## 演技

えんぎ, acting, performance

## ポール

pole, poll

## いらっしゃい

come, go, stay, welcome

## 放置

ほうち, leaving as is, leaving alone, leaving to chance, neglecting, abandoning

## 我

われ, わ, あれ, あ, わぬ, わろ, I, me, oneself, you, prefix indicating familiarity or contempt, わが, my, our, one's own, が, obstinacy, atman, the self, the ego

## やっぱ

too, also, likewise, either, still, as before, even so, either way, nonetheless, in any event, all the same, as expected

## イヤ

disagreeable, detestable, unpleasant, reluctant, ear, year, why, oh, no!, quit it!, stop!

## 保健

ほけん, preservation of health, hygiene, sanitation

## 伝わっ

かいりょう, improvement, reform

## 改良

しっぴつ, writing, authoring

## 集会

しゅうかい, meeting, assembly, gathering, congregation, convention, rally

## なんとも

really, very, extremely, terribly, awfully, (not) anything, (not) at all, (not) a bit

## 店員

てんいん, ていいん, employee (of a store), shop assistant, clerk, salesperson

## 毎月

まいつき, まいげつ, every month, each month, monthly

## 男の子

おとこのこ, boy, son, baby boy, young man, おのこ, man, boy

## 開示

かいじ, release (e.g. information), disclosure (legal), show, indication, display

## アクション

action

## 診療

しんりょう, diagnosis and treatment, medical care

## たしかに

surely, certainly

## 進み

すすみ, progress

## 悪化

あつか, deterioration, getting worse, worsening, aggravation, degeneration, corruption

## 両者

りょうしゃ, pair, the two, both persons, both things

## 返し

かえし, reversal, return, return gift, return favour (favor), barb (on a fishing hook), mixture of soy sauce, sugar and mirin

## フィルム

film

## 拡張

かくちょう, expansion, extension, enlargement, escape, ESC

## みな

everyone, everybody, all, everything, all, name of God (esp. in Christian contexts), name of Christ

## 在住

ざいじゅう, residing, living, dwelling

## ピン

pin (e.g. hairpin, safety pin), (bowling) pin, pin, flagstick, ping, counter for dot tiles, (a) one (on dice or Japanese playing cards), first, top, best, number one, rake-off, cut, kickback

## 面白く

## 動か

## 選

せん, selection, choice, choosing, picking, election

## 幼稚園

ようちえん, kindergarten, nursery school, preschool

## 目次

もくじ, table of contents, contents

## 看板

かんばん, signboard, sign, billboard, hoarding, doorplate, draw, attraction, feature, highlight, spokesman, figurehead, reputation (of a shop), name, appearance, look, show, closing (for the day, esp. of a restaurant or bar), closing time

## ほ

sail, shop, store, step, stride, counter for steps, ear (of a cereal plant), head, spike, point (of a brush, spear, etc.), tip, (pointed) head, crest (of a wave), scion (in grafting), mu (Chinese measure of land area, formerly approx. 600 m.sq., currently approx. 667 m.sq.), assistant ..., probationary ..., holding food in one's mouth, food held in one's mouth

## 仏教

ぶつぎょう, Buddhism

## セックス

sex, sexual intercourse, (one's) sex, gender

## 引退

いんたい, retirement

## 名称

めいしょう, name, title

## 上位

じょうい, superior (in rank), top, ranking, higher order (e.g. byte), host computer (of connected device)

## 姉

あね, older sister, elder sister, し, honorific suffix used after the name of a woman of equal or higher status, ねえ, older sister

## 無線

むせん, radio (communication), wireless, not using wires

## 路

みち, road, path, street, lane, passage, route, way, distance, journey, road (e.g. to victory), course, way (of living, proper conduct, etc.), moral principles, teachings (esp. Confucian or Buddhist), dogma, field (e.g. of medicine), subject, speciality, means, way, method, じ, route, road, distance travelled in a day, one's ... (age, e.g. 40s, 60s), ち, ち, way, road, way to ..., road to ...

## 近年

きんねん, recent years

## 山田

## 幾つ

いくつ, how many, how old

## 文献

ぶんけん, literature, books (reference), document

## いつか

sometime, someday, one day, some time or other, the other day, in due course, in time, 5th day of the month, five days

## 珍しい

めずらしい, unusual, rare, curious, new, novel, fine (e.g. gift)

## 不要

ふよう, unnecessary, unneeded

## 並べ

## 果たして

はたして, as was expected, just as one thought, sure enough, really, actually, ever

## かつ

very

## 椅子

いす, イス, chair, stool, post, office, position, いし, traditional square chair with armrests and a torii-shaped back (used by the emperor, etc. during ceremonies)

## 就任

しゅうにん, assumption (of office), taking up (a post), inauguration, installation

## 有利

ゆうり, advantageous, favourable, better, stronger, profitable, lucrative, gainful, paying

## 出現

しゅつげん, appearance, arrival, make one's appearance

## おじさん

uncle, old man, mister, manybar goatfish (*Parupeneus multifasciatus*)

## 感心

かんしん, admiration, being impressed, admirable, praiseworthy, astonishment, being appalled

## 流れる

ながれる, to stream, to flow (liquid, time, etc.), to run (ink), to be washed away, to be carried, to drift, to float (e.g. clouds), to wander, to stray, to sweep (e.g. rumour, fire), to spread, to circulate, to be heard (e.g. music), to be played, to lapse (e.g. into indolence, despair), to pass, to elapse, to be transmitted, to be called off, to be forfeited, to disappear, to be removed

## 回り

まわり, rotation, making the rounds, spreading, effect, efficacy, by way of, via, round, turn, size, 12-year period, 12-year age difference

## 連中

れんちゅう, れんじゅう, れんぢゅう, company, lot, bunch, gang, pack, those guys, group, troupe, company (of musicians)

## 隠し

かくし, hiding, concealing, being hidden, being concealed, pocket

## 投げ

なげ, a throw, a fall

## 庁

ちょう, government office, agency, board

## 打ち

## 心から

こころから, しんから, from the bottom of one's heart, heartily, sincerely

## 魔法

まほう, magic, witchcraft, sorcery, spell

## 渡し

わたし, ferry (crossing), ferry(boat), delivery

## 網

あみ, net, netting, web, もう, network

## 出産

しゅっさん, childbirth, (giving) birth, delivery, parturition, confinement, production (of goods)

## 家具

かぐ, furniture

## 集まり

あつまり, gathering, meeting, assembly, collection, attendance

## 課税

かぜい, taxation

## 関東

かんとう, Kantō, Kantō

## しょう

way, method, means, resource, remedy, (technical) specification, use, application, employment, utilization, utilisation, personal use, private use, private business, personal business, trial, experimental use, branches and leaves, foliage, unimportant details, nonessentials, side issue, digression, breeding, raising, cotyledon, seed leaf, of paramount importance, extremely important, essential, sublation (philosophy), outline of history, essentials of history, appearance, features, looks, shape, form

## 中田

## イスラム

Islam

## 楽しめる

## 業績

ぎょうせき, achievement, performance, results, work, contribution

## スイス

Switzerland

## 車両

しゃりょう, rolling stock, railroad cars, wheeled vehicles

## 亡くなっ

## 当たる

あたる, to be hit, to strike, to touch, to be in contact, to be affixed, to be equivalent to, to be applicable, to apply to, to be right on the money (of a prediction, criticism, etc.), to be selected (in a lottery, etc.), to win, to be successful, to go well, to be a hit, to face, to confront, to lie (in the direction of), to undertake, to be assigned, to be stricken (by food poisoning, heat, etc.), to be afflicted, to be called on (e.g. by a teacher), to treat (esp. harshly), to lash out at, to be unnecessary, to be hitting well, to be on a hitting streak, to feel a bite (in fishing), (of fruit, etc.) to be bruised, to spoil, to feel (something) out, to probe into, to check (i.e. by comparison), to shave, to be a relative of a person, to be a ... in relation to ..., to stand in a relationship

## 低く

## 鍙

しころ, series of articulated plates attached to the back and sides of a Japanese helmet

## 不可欠

ふかけつ, indispensable, essential

## 関与

かんよ, participation, taking part in, participating in, being concerned in

## 月曜日

げつようび, Monday

## ッ

## 神奈川

かながわ, Kanagawa (prefecture)

## 役立つ

やくだつ, to be useful, to be helpful, to serve the purpose

## 当たっ

## プレイヤー

player

## 中学生

ちゅうがくせい, junior high school student, middle school pupil

## 筋肉

きんにく, muscle, すじにく, sinewy meat

## アパート

apartment building, apartment block, apartment house, apartment

## サイ

psi (parapsychological phenomena), rhinoceros

## 西洋

せいよう, the West, the Occident,  
Western countries

## 傷

きず, キズ, wound, injury, cut, gash,  
bruise, scratch, scrape, scar, chip,  
crack, scratch, nick, flaw, defect,  
weakness, weak point, stain (on  
one's reputation), disgrace,  
dishonor, dishonour, (emotional)  
hurt, hurt feelings

## 霊

れい, soul, spirit, departed soul,  
ghost, たましい, だまし, たま, soul,  
spirit, ちみ, すだま, mountain demon,  
み, soul, spirit, divine spirit, りよう,  
ろう, vengeful spirit, revengeful  
ghost

## 思わず

おもわず, unconsciously,  
involuntarily, instinctively,  
reflexively, spontaneously,  
unintentionally, in spite of oneself

## ブロック

blocking (e.g. the way), obstructing,  
block (lump of something (usu.  
square), area of town, etc.), block,  
physical record (e.g. on magnetic  
tape), concrete block, blocking  
(from view, esp. of websites, on  
social media, etc.), blocking (a  
blow), bloc, association, group,  
region

## 大勢

おおぜい, たいぜい, crowd of people,  
great number of people, in great  
numbers, たいせい, general  
situation, general trend, general  
tendency, way things are moving,  
current (of the times), tide (e.g. of  
public opinion)

## 同僚

どうりよう, coworker, co-worker,  
colleague, associate

## 乗せ

## 広げ

## まして

still more, to say nothing of, not to  
mention, still less

## 同時

どうじ, simultaneous, concurrent,  
same time, synchronous, together

## じゃん

ta-dah!, ta-da!, voilà!, clash,  
bang, isn't it?, don't you think?,  
right?, surely, come on

## 衛生

えいせい, hygiene, sanitation, health

## ゲスト

guest

## 起こり

おこり, source, origin, cause,  
beginning, genesis

## 愛情

あいじよう, love, affection

## 満ち

## 厳しく

## 真面目

しんめんもく, しんめんぼく, one's true  
character, one's true self, one's true  
worth, serious, earnest, まじめ, マジ  
メ, serious, earnest, sober, grave,  
honest, sincere

## 黒い

くろい, black, dark, blackish, sun-  
tanned (skin), suspicious, criminal,  
illicit, darkened and dirty, sooty,  
covered in dirt, evil, wicked, black-  
hearted, inauspicious, ill-boding,  
unlucky

## 渡辺

## まとも

the front, honest, upright, decent,  
proper, respectable, straight,  
serious, sensible

## コム

computer output microfilm system,  
COM

## バラ

rose, loose articles (not packaged  
with other things), bulk items,  
individual items, coins, small  
change, boneless rib (esp. of pork or  
beef), boned rib

## 殺さ

## 九州

きゅうしゅう, Kyūshū (southernmost  
of the four main islands of Japan)

## スタジオ

studio

## 学科

がっか, study subject, course of  
study, department (university, etc.)

## 中学校

ちゅうがっこう, junior high school,  
middle school, lower secondary  
school

## 債務

さいむ, debt, liabilities, obligation to  
a person or party (usu. legal or  
contractual)

## めぐる

to go around, to make a circle  
around, to surround, to circle, to  
enclose, to come around (of a  
season, anniversary, turn, etc.), to  
return, to repeat, to circulate (of  
blood, money, etc.), to travel  
around, to make a tour of, to  
concern (a matter), to surround

## 壊れ

## 余計

よけい, extra, more, too much, too many, excessive, superfluous, spare, surplus, unnecessary, needless, uncalled-for, unwanted, uninvited, all the more, even more

## 一見

いっけん, look, glimpse, glance, apparently, seemingly, at first glance, on the face of it, first meeting, いちげん, first visit to inn, restaurant, etc. without an introduction

## ひたすら

intently, single-mindedly, devotedly, solely, earnestly, with all one's heart

## 署名

しよめい, signature

## 古

いこしえ, antiquity, ancient times, ふる, used item, secondhand item, old, used, previous

## 興奮

こうふん, excitement, stimulation, agitation, arousal

## 平等

びようどう, equality, impartiality, evenness

## ベンチャー

venture

## エピソード

episode, anecdote, vignette

## ワタ

cotton plant (*Gossypium* spp.), batting, wadding, padding

## 日銀

にちぎん, Bank of Japan, BOJ, BoJ

## アリ

ant

## 金持ち

かねもち, rich person

## たて

mansion, palace, manor house, castle, nobleman, noblewoman, dignitary, cabin (on a boat, carriage, etc.), sword fight (in a film, play, etc.), stage combat, fight scene, the vertical, height, front-to-back, length, north-to-south, vertical (relationship), hierarchy, (weaving) warp, shield, buckler, escutcheon, pretext, central, main, leading, head, chief, just (done), counter for consecutive losses, contract, commitment

## イ

1st (in a sequence denoted by the iroha system), A (note), soft rush (*Juncus effusus* var. *decipiens*), common rush

## ほんとに

really, truly

## 泣い

## 生じる

しょうじる, to produce, to yield, to cause, to result from, to arise, to be generated

## 少数

しょうすう, small number, few, minority

## 任せ

まかせ, leaving everything up to someone else

## 弁当

べんとう, bento

## 格好

かっこう, かっこ, カッコ, shape, form, figure, posture, pose, appearance, state, situation, suitable, fit, reasonable, about

## 打ち合わせ

うちあわせ, advance arrangements, preparatory meeting, briefing session, overlap (of a coat, etc.), making something match exactly

## 決断

けつだん, decision, determination

## 起動

きどう, startup, booting up, activation, starting (e.g. engine, computer), launch

## 電源

でんげん, source of electricity, electrical power, power (button on TV, etc.)

## プレ

pre-

## 回避

かいひ, evasion, avoidance

## センス

taste (in fashion, music, etc.), sense (e.g. of humour), flair

## ペース

pace

## パスワード

password

## 通し

とおし, continuing from beginning to end, continuous run, consecutive run, appetizer, starter, hors d'oeuvre, performance of an entire play, どおし, keep on (doing), (doing) the whole time, (doing) all the time, (doing) all the way, (doing) non-stop

## 対抗

たいこう, opposition, rivalry, competition, antagonism

## 球

まり, ball (for sport, games, etc.), kemari, type of football played by courtiers in ancient Japan, きゅう, sphere, globe, ball, bulb, ball, sphere, counter for pitches, たま, ball, sphere, globe, orb, bead (of sweat, dew, etc.), drop, droplet, ball (in sports), pile (of noodles, etc.), bullet, bulb (i.e. a light bulb), lens (of glasses, etc.), bead (of an abacus), ball (i.e. a testicle), gem, jewel (esp. spherical; sometimes used figuratively), pearl, female entertainer (e.g. a geisha), person (when commenting on their nature), character, item, funds or person used as part of a plot, egg, okonomiyaki, coin, precious, beautiful, excellent

## 行使

こうし, use, exercise (of one's right, authority, power, etc.)

## 抑制

よくせい, control, restraint, suppression, constraint, curtailment, inhibition, check, curb

## インドネシア

Indonesia

## きり

paulownia (Paulownia tomentosa), empress tree, foxglove tree, drill, gimlet, awl, auger, end, finish, place to stop, bound, limit, end, delivery date (of a futures contract), finale (of a noh song), end of an act (in jōruri or kabuki), final performance of the day (in vaudeville), trump card, king (court card; in mekuri karuta and unsun karuta), counter for slices (esp. thick slices), counter for cuts (of fish, meat, etc.), only, just, (ever) since, after, continuously, remaining (in a particular state), texture (e.g. skin, fabric), grain (e.g. wood), detail, fog, mist, spray, unexpected benefit, sudden profit

## 占い

うらない, fortune-telling, divination

## 踊り

おどり, dance

## 該当

がいとう, corresponding to, being applicable to, being relevant to, coming under, falling under, fulfilling (requirements), meeting (conditions), qualifying for

## 認知

にんち, acknowledgement, acknowledgment, recognition, cognition

## 一連

いちれん, series, chain, sequence, two reams (i.e. 1000 sheets of paper), verse, stanza

## 関わり

## 衛星

えいせい, (natural) satellite, moon, (artificial) satellite

## 要

かなめ, pivot, vital point, cornerstone, keystone, Japanese photinia, よう, cornerstone, main point, keystone, requirement, need, necessary, required

## 表し

## 証人

しょうにん, witness

## 今や

いまや, now (esp. in contrast to the past), now at last, at present, right now

## 願っ

## 虫

むし, insect, bug, cricket, moth, worm, roundworm, thing inside one's body believed to influence one's thoughts and feelings, (one's) unconscious, nervousness, fretfulness, person devoted to one thing, single-minded person, valve core, mushi (type of game played with a stripped deck)

## チャレンジ

taking on (a challenge), attempt, try, tackling, challenging (someone to a contest)

## テープ

tape

## 夏休み

なつやすみ, summer vacation,  
summer holiday

## 通過

つうか, passing through (a tunnel,  
station, town, etc.), passing by (e.g.  
of a typhoon), transit, passage (of a  
bill, e.g. through parliament),  
carriage, passing (an examination,  
inspection, etc.), clearing, getting  
through (a preliminary round),  
qualification

## 付き合い

つきあい, association, socializing,  
socialising, fellowship

## 現金

げんきん, cash, ready money, money  
on hand, currency, mercenary, self-  
interested, calculating

## 平

ひら, ヒラ, something broad and flat,  
common, ordinary, plain, rank-and-  
file, low-ranking employee,  
freshman, novice, private, へい, nth  
year in the Heisei era  
(1989.1.8-2019.4.30), だいら, plain,  
plateau, tableland

## 他者

たしや, another person, others

## エッセイ

essay

## 経由

けいゆ, けいゆう, going through,  
going via, going by way of

## パーティー

party (social gathering), party  
(group of people participating in an  
activity, esp. mountain climbing),  
(political) party

## レイ

lei (garland of flowers), lei (plural of  
lei; currency of Rumania and  
Moldova)

## 透明

とうめい, transparent, clear

## 支部

しぶ, branch, subdivision

## 脅威

きょうい, threat, menace

## つた

ivy (esp. Boston ivy, Parthenocissus  
tricuspidata)

## デスク

desk, copy editor

## 自社

じしゃ, one's company, company  
one works for, in-house, belonging  
to the company

## にや

if not ..., unless ..., have to (do), to,  
for, on, in, at

## 児

こ, child, kid, teenager, youngster,  
young (non-adult) person, (one's)  
child, offspring, young woman,  
young (animal), offshoot, interest,  
new share, player who is not a  
dealer, young geisha, young  
prostitute, bird egg, -er (often of  
young women), じ, child, boy, I, me,  
やや, ややこ, baby, child

## ばっ

## 熱い

あつい, hot (to the touch),  
passionate (feelings, etc.), ardent,  
hot (e.g. gaze), hot (e.g. temper),  
zealous, enthusiastic, fired up,  
intense, severe, extreme, hot  
(topic), of interest

## 一層

いっそう, even more, still more, all  
the more, more than ever, one  
layer, lowest floor (of a building),  
rather, sooner, preferably

## 親子

おやこ, しんし, parent and child

## 期限

きげん, term, period, time frame,  
time limit, deadline, cutoff (date)

## 新鮮

しんせん, fresh

## 農民

のうみん, farmer, peasant

## かん

perception, intuition, the sixth sense, can, tin, canned food, warship, look, appearance, spectacle, sight, observation meditation, outlook on ..., view of ..., shin, shinbone, traditional cap worn by Shinto clergy and courtiers, crown, diadem, coronet, top kanji radical, first verse of a haikai, etc., best, peerless, first, name, title, named sponsorship of a program, event, team, etc., (tree) trunk, (arrow) shaft, (tool) handle, backbone, base, pipe, tube, (large) building, public building, hall, midwinter, cold season, coldest days of the year, volume (of book), reel (of film), scroll (of books or paintings), roll (paper, etc.), feeling, sensation, emotion, admiration, impression, interjection, coffin, casket, kan (obs. unit of weight, approx. 3.75 kg, 8.3 lb), kan (obs. unit of currency, equiv. to 1000 mon in the Edo period; col. 10 mon in the Meiji period), counter for pieces of sushi, 10 points, 12 points, temper, nerves, government service, the bureaucracy, China, Han dynasty (of China; 202 BCE-220 CE), Han (majority Chinese ethnic group), man, The End, Finis, completion, conclusion, end, providing fully, interval, period of time, among, between, inter-, good opportunity, chance, estrangement, discord, alienation, spy, secret agent, joy, enjoyment, delight, pleasure, simplicity, brevity, letter, note, correspondence, bamboo writing strip (in ancient China), simplified Chinese character, ring, link, open spirals of heavy metal wire twisted into a kettle and used to lift it (tea ceremony), ding, chime (sound of a bell or a small gong),  $10^{36}$ , undecillion, pit, hole, kan (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: water, north), ring, band, rim, ring, circum-, treble range (in Japanese music), high note, director (highest of the four administrative positions of the ritsuryō system), chief, culm (hollow stem of a grass), khan (medieval ruler of a Tatar tribe), cunning and wickedness, cunning and wicked person, lenient, gentle, warming up sake, warmed sake, counter for poles, rods, etc., spare time, free time, leisure, infantile neurosis characterized by crying at night and convulsions, temper, nerves, publication, edition (e.g. morning, evening, special), published in (year), publication frequency (e.g. daily, monthly), title, heading, article, benevolence, friendly feeling, divine, godly, barrier, gate, seam, seal (e.g. envelope), writing on the seal of an envelope

## 違和感

いわかん, uncomfortable feeling, feeling out of place, sense of discomfort, malaise, physical unease

## 輪

りん, counter for wheels and flowers, わ, ring, circle, loop, hoop, wheel, circle (e.g. of friends), planetary ring

## やる気

やるき, will (to do something), drive, motivation, enthusiasm, eagerness

## 買わ

## 警告

けいこく, warning, advice

## 鉄

てつ, iron (Fe), strong and hard (as iron), railway, railway enthusiast, くるがね, iron

## 宿

しゆく, , やど, lodging, inn, hotel, house, home, dwelling, home of a servant's parents (or guarantor, etc.), しゆく, lodging, relay station, post town, constellation, mansion (in Chinese astronomy)

## 地下鉄

ちかてつ, subway, metro, underground (railway)

## 抜き

ぬき, leaving out, omitting, skipping, dispensing with, (beating) in succession, in a row

## 呼び

よび, call, invitation

## 軽い

かるい, かるい, light (i.e. not heavy), feeling light (i.e. offering little resistance, moving easily), light (i.e. of foot), effortless, nimble, agile, non-serious, minor, unimportant, trivial, slight, small, gentle, soft, easy, lighthearted (e.g. joke), easy, simple, indiscriminate

## 通訳

つうやく, interpretation (i.e. oral translation), interpreter

## 世論

よろん, せろん, せいろん, public opinion, popular voice, public sentiment, consensus

## 下がっ

## 想い

おもい, thought, imagination, mind, heart, desire, wish, hope, expectation, love, affection, feelings, emotion, sentiment, experience

## 意

い, feelings, thoughts, meaning

## 守っ

## 送り

おくり, seeing off, sending off, funeral, escapement

## 尋ね

たずね, question, inquiry, asking

## 指数

しすう, index, index number, exponent (e.g. in floating-point representation), characteristic

## パッケージ

package

## 野

の, や, ぬ, plain, field, hidden (structural) member, wild, lacking a political post

## 問い

とい, question, query

## 近づい

## おこ

(someone else's) child, foolish thing, stupid thing, absurdity, anger, being angry, being mad

## 楽しかつ

## 出せ

## び

## 机

つくえ, つき, desk

## 了承

りょうしょう, acknowledgement, acknowledgment, understanding, approval, consent

## 以後

いご, after this, from now on, hereafter, thereafter, since (then), after

## 吸収

きゅうしゅう, absorption, suction, attraction

## お待ち

## 柄

え, handle, grip, stalk (of a mushroom, leaf, etc.), がら, pattern, design, body build, figure, physique, essential qualities, character, nature, appropriate to, fitting of, suitable for, つか, hilt (of a sword), haft (of a dagger), handle, handgrip, から, trunk, stem, stalk, shaft (of an arrow), handle

## 数々

しばしば, often, again and again, frequently, repeatedly, かずかず, many, numerous, various, large number of

## IT

アイティー, information technology, IT

## 収穫

しゅうかく, harvest, crop, ingathering, fruits (of one's labors), gain, result, returns

## 置き

おき, every ..., every other ..., at intervals of ..., with ... in between, ... apart

## プール

(swimming) pool, pool (billiards), pool (together)

## 捉え

## 自

じ, ころ, self, from ..., this ... (in contrast to some other ...), aforementioned

## ですが

but, however, (and) yet, nevertheless, still, for all that

## 上場

じょうじょう, listing (on the stock exchange, etc.), taking (a company public, performance (of a play, opera, etc.), staging, presentation

## 肉体

にくたい, the body, the flesh, the outer man, one's physique

## 機種

きしゆ, model (of machine, device), model of aircraft, type of aircraft

## 奇跡

きせき, miracle, wonder, marvel

## 投入

とうにゆう, throwing in, inserting, depositing (e.g. a ballot), investment, commitment (of funds, personnel, etc.), injection, infusion, launching (a product into the market), introduction, submitting (a job to a computer), issuing (a command)

## 一貫

いっかん, consistency, coherence, integration, one kan (approx. 3.75 kg), one piece of sushi

## 勝つ

かつ, to win, to gain victory

## 俳優

はいゆう, actor, actress, player, performer

## 信じる

しんじる, to believe, to believe in, to place trust in, to confide in, to have faith in

## 先頭

せんとう, head (of a line, group, etc.), front, lead, forefront, vanguard

## のんびり

at leisure, in a relaxed manner, in a carefree manner, quietly, peacefully

## パートナー

(dance) partner, (work) partner, partner, spouse

## パート

part, part-timer, part-time (work)

## 協

## 背中

せなか, back (of the body)

## 次元

じげん, dimension, perspective, point of reference, level (of something)

## ルーム

room

## 化粧

けしょう, けわい, けそう, make-up, makeup, cosmetics, decoration, dressing, veneer

## 皮

かわ, skin, hide, pelt, fur, rind, peel, husk, bark, shell, sheath, wrapping, mask (hiding one's true nature), seeming

## 入

いり, entering, setting (of the Sun), containing, content, audience, income, beginning, しお, counter for soakings (of fabric in a dye)

## 商

しょう, quotient, business, merchant, dealer, second degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), Shang dynasty (of China; approx. 1600-1046 BCE), Yin dynasty

## ついでに

incidentally, taking the opportunity, while one is at it, in passing, on the occasion

## いかなる

any kind of, every, whatsoever, whatever

## 異

い, difference (of opinion), strange, odd, unusual, different, こと, け, difference (from one another), different thing, other, unusual, extraordinary

## 物事

ものごと, things, everything

## 装備

そうび, equipment

## 山口

やまぐち, Yamaguchi (city, prefecture)

## 楽天

らくてん, optimism

## 速

そく, gear, speed (e.g. 4-speed transmission)

## 毛

け, hair, fur, wool, down, plumage, feathers, もう, one-thousandth, 0.03 mm (one-thousandth of a sun), 0.01 percent (one-thousandth of a wari), 3.75 milligrams (one-thousandth of a monme), old monetary unit (0.0001 yen)

## トーク

talk (esp. by a talk-show host, or by a stage musician to the audience between songs), banter, chat, talk show, toque

## だいぶ

lengthy (of a book, etc.), voluminous, most (e.g. most part), greater, fairly, a good deal, much, considerably, greatly, a lot, high steward, grand master

## 過ごす

過ごす, to pass (time), to spend, to overdo (esp. of one's alcohol consumption), to drink (alcohol), to take care of, to support, to overdo, to do too much, to ... without acting on it

## 語ら

ふる, used item, secondhand item, old, used, previous, こ, the late, the deceased, ゆえ, reason, cause, circumstances, ことさら, intentionally, deliberately, designedly, on purpose, especially, particularly, もと, former, ex-, past, one-time, earlier times, the past, previous state, formerly, previously, originally, before

## テクノロジー

technology

## 同盟

どうめい, alliance, union, league

## 扉

とびら, door, gate, opening, title page

## 玄関

げんかん, entrance, front door, entryway, entranceway, entry hall, vestibule, porch, foyer, mud room

## 許し

ゆるし, pardon, forgiveness, exemption, permission, ばかし, ばっかし, approximately, about, only, nothing but, just (finished, etc.)

## 兵士

へいし, soldier

## ドン

Don (Spanish honorific), bang, bam, boom, thud, thump, crash, noontime signal gun (carried out early Meiji to Taishō), noon gun, noontime gun, last round in a game of 12 rounds, precisely, exactly, plumb, totally, very, Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms., -san, dong (Vietnamese currency)

## 委託

いたく, entrusting (something to a person), consignment (of goods), putting in someone's charge, trust, commission

## 泣き

なき, weeping, lamenting

## 閲覧

えつらん, inspection, reading, perusal, browsing (the web)

## 僕ら

ぼくら, we

## 等々

とうとう, etc., et cetera, and so on

## 昼食

ちゅうしょく, ちゅうじき, ひるげ, lunch, midday meal, food served at a tea party (tea ceremony)

## 激しく

## 光景

こうけい, scene, spectacle, sight, view

## カン

can, tin, canned food, forming a four-of-a-kind, declaring a kong

## 救済

きゅうさい, relief, aid, help, rescue, (religious) salvation, (Christian) grace, くさい, ぐさい, salvation (from suffering based on Buddha's teachings)

## カテゴリ

category

## 入場

にゅうじょう, entrance, admission, entering

## 記入

きにゅう, entry (in a form, register, diary, etc.), filling in, filling out

## タン

tongue (beef, pork, etc.), tongue (of a shoe), soup, tan (colour)

## 望む

のぞむ, to desire, to want, to wish for, to hope for, to expect (of someone), to hope for, to look forward to, to see, to command (a view of), to overlook

## 参拝

さんぱい, going and worshipping (at a shrine or temple), visit (to a shrine or temple to worship)

## 補償

ほしょう, compensation, reparation

## 国籍

こくせき, nationality, citizenship, nationality (ship, airplane, etc.), registration, flag

## 絵本

えほん, picture book

## 共感

きょうかん, sympathy, empathy, response, identification (with someone)

## び

beauty, Chinese "Tail" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), counter for fish, shrimp, etc., minuteness, one millionth

## 居る

いる, to be (of animate objects), to exist, to stay, to be ...-ing, to have been ...-ing, おる, to be (animate), to be, to exist, to be ..-ing, to (have the audacity to) do

## 日曜

にちよう, Sunday

## この世

このよ, this world, this life, world of the living

## 何人

なんにん, how many people, a number of people, なにびと, なんびと, なんびと, anyone, any person, whoever, なにじん, what nationality

占め

ありがたい

アルバイト

国境

grateful, thankful, welcome, appreciated, evoking gratitude

part-time job, side job, part-time worker, albite

こっきょう, くにざかい, border (between countries), national border

回し

異なっ

工学

住まい

まわし, mawashi, belt, loincloth, mantle, cape, gang rape

こうがく, engineering

すまい, dwelling, house, residence, address, living, life

手元

ケア

しまえ

芸能

てもと, at hand, on hand, nearby, close at hand, way of moving one's arms, skill, money at hand, pocket money, grip, handle

care, kea (Nestor notabilis)

げいのう, public entertainment, performing arts, accomplishments, attainments

およそ

そちら

典型

双方

about, roughly, approximately, generally, on the whole, as a rule, completely, quite, entirely, altogether, totally, not at all (with neg. verb), outline, gist

that way, that direction, there, that (one), you, your family, your company, that person

てんけい, type, pattern, model, epitome, exemplar, archetype, perfect example

そうほう, both parties, both sides

マジ

ともに

後者

観戦

serious, not joking, straight, cannot, should not, will not, must not

together, jointly, at the same time, with, as ..., including, along with, both

こうしゃ, the latter

かんせん, watching a (sports) game, spectating, observing (military operations)

在日

静岡

養成

現役

ざいにち, resident in Japan (of a foreigner), situated in Japan (e.g. of an embassy), Zainichi, Zainichi Korean

しずおか, Shizuoka (city, prefecture)

ようせい, training, education, development, cultivation

げんえき, active duty, active service, student taking (university) entrance exams while still enrolled in school, student who passed their university entrance exams on the first try

沖

再現

心臓

えっ

おき, open sea, Okinawa

さいげん, reappearance, reemergence, return, revival, reproduction, reenactment, recreation

しんそう, heart, guts, nerve, cheek, gall, spine, heart (of something), central part

huh?, what's up?

占める

尊敬

難しく

女優

しめる, to occupy, to hold, to account for, to make up, to take up

そんけい, respect, esteem, reverence, honour, honor

じょゆう, actress, female actor

ホワイト

お話し

武

宮崎

white, correction fluid, white-out

おはなし, story, tale, talk, discussion

ぶ, the art of war, martial arts, military arts, military force, the sword, valor, bravery, military officer, military man

みやざき, Miyazaki (city, prefecture)

権威

メールアドレス

テクニック

保育

けんい, authority, power, influence, prestige, (an) authority (on), expert

email address

technique

ほいく, nurturing, rearing, childcare, day care, nursing, suckling

掲げ

センチ

税制

扱っ

centimeter, centimetre, centi-, 10^-2, sentimental

ぜいせい, tax system

## 本社

ほんしゃ, ほんじゃ, head office, main office, headquarters, parent company, main shrine, this company, this shrine

## ラスト

last, final, end, conclusion, last one, rust

## 実用

じつよう, practical use, utility

## 制約

せいやく, limitation, restriction, condition, constraints

## オブ

of

## 演劇

えんげき, drama, theatre, theater, play

## 人種

じんしゅ, race (of people), type of person

## 条例

じょうれい, regulations, rules, (local) regulation, ordinance, bylaw, law

## 分かれ

わかれ, offshoot, branch, fork

## 審

## 判定

はんでい, judgement, judgment, decision, ruling, finding, adjudication, verdict, call

## 有料

ゆうりょう, fee-charging, paid, not free, toll road

## 瓦

グラム, gram, gramme, かわら, roof tile

## 順位

じゅんい, order, rank, position (e.g. in a race), precedence

## 急速

きゅうそく, rapid (e.g. progress)

## インフレ

inflation

## フォーラム

forum

## 可

か, acceptable, satisfactory, allowed, permitted, approval, being in favour, (a) vote in favour, aye, Pass (grade), Fair, C, D

## ヘッド

head

## 詐欺

さぎ, fraud, swindle, graft, cheating, trick, scam, saying you're going to do something but in the end not doing it, making promises without keeping them

## 朝食

ちょうしょく, あさげ, あさけ, breakfast

## 独占

どくせん, monopoly, monopolization, exclusivity, hogging, keeping to oneself

## 頼ん

## シナリオ

script, screenplay, scenario

## 輸送

ゆそう, transport, transportation

## DVD

ディーブイディー, digital versatile disc, DVD

## 貸し

かし, loan, lending, hire, rental, lease, favor, favour, debt, obligation, creditor, method of lending, credit side

## 高等

こうとう, high class, high grade

## 推測

すいそく, guess, conjecture

## 払う

はらう, to pay (e.g. money, bill), to brush off, to wipe away, to clear away, to dust off, to cut off (e.g. branches), to drive away (e.g. one's competitors), to sell off (something unneeded), to dispose of, to pay (e.g. attention), to show (e.g. respect, concern), to make (e.g. effort, sacrifice), to expend, to exert, to move out (of one's own place), to vacate, to sweep (e.g. one's legs), to knock aside, to make a sweeping stroke (in Japanese calligraphy), to reset (an abacus)

## 天然

てんねん, nature, spontaneity, natural airhead

## 込め

## 下手

したて, したで, humble position, inferior, underarm grip on opponent's belt, しもて, lower part, foot, lower direction, left part of the stage (audience's or camera's POV), stage right (actor's POV), へた, へた, unskillful, poor, awkward, imprudent, untactful

## 知人

ちじん, friend, acquaintance

## 頻繁

ひんぱん, frequent, incessant

## っす

be, is

## 思い出す

おもいだす, to recall, to remember, to recollect

## 間違え

まちがえ, mistake, error, blunder, accident, mishap, trouble, improper conduct (e.g. between man and woman), indiscretion

## 姫

ひめ, young lady of noble birth, princess (esp. in Western contexts, tales, etc.), girl, small, cute, lesser (in names of species), prostitute

## 恐ろしい

おそろしい, terrible, dreadful, terrifying, frightening, surprising, startling, tremendous, amazing

## 闇

やみ, darkness, the dark, bewilderment, despair, hopelessness, hidden place, secrecy, oblivion, black market, shady trading, underhand transactions, illegal channels

## 言及

げんきゅう, reference, allusion

## ぼ

5th in rank, fifth sign of the Chinese calendar

## 睡眠

すいみん, sleep

## 大学生

だいがくせい, university student, college student

## 提言

ていげん, proposal, motion, recommendation

## 釣り

つり, fishing, angling, change (for a purchase), clickbaiting, trolling, writing deliberately inflammatory posts online

## 人形

にんぎょう, doll, puppet, marionette, puppet (person under the control of another), straw man, yes-man, ひとがた, human figure, human form

## 早め

はやめ, early, a little earlier than usual, a little faster than usual, slightly quicker

## 自慢

じまん, pride, boast

## 鍋

なべ, pan, pot, saucepan, stew, hot pot

## 銀

ぎん, しろかね, しろかね, silver (Ag), silver coin, money, silver medal, silver colour, silver color, bank, silver general

## 不当

ふとう, injustice, impropriety, unreasonableness, undeserved, unfair, invalid

## 毎

ごと, each, every, まい, every (usu. with events, e.g. every weekend), each

## 降っ

## 展望

てんぼう, view, outlook, prospect

## グッズ

goods, promotional items

## 郡

ぐん, こおり, district, county, district (of 2-20 50-home neighbourhoods or townships, in the ritsuryō period), commandery (in China)

## どうせ

anyhow, in any case, at any rate, after all, at all, no matter what, at best, at most

## 国語

こくご, national language, Japanese language (esp. as a school subject in Japan), one's native language, mother tongue, native Japanese words (as opposed to loanwords and Chinese-derived words)

## 職人

しょくにん, craftsman, artisan, tradesman, worker, workman

## 焦点

しょうてん, focus, focal point, focus (of attention, a discussion, etc.), point at issue, central point, focus

## おまえ

you, presence (of a god, nobleman, etc.)

## 総額

そうがく, sum total, total amount

## 銃

じゅう, gun, rifle, small arms

## 食料

しょくりょう, food

## 井上

## フォーム

form, foam

## あなた

you

## 略

ほぼ, almost, roughly, approximately, りゃく, abbreviation, omission, outline, gist, plan, strategy, scheme

## 古典

こてん, classic (work, esp. book), the classics

## この辺

このへん, this area, around here, this point, this much, this extent

## テニス

tennis

## 増大

そうだい, enlargement, increase

## じっくり

(slowly and) carefully, without haste, thoroughly, deliberately, closely, meticulously

## 闘争

とうそう, fight, battle, combat, conflict, struggle (for rights, higher wages, etc.), strife, (labor) dispute, strike

## そん

that, the, part (as in "part two"), um ..., er ..., uh ..., zun (ancient Chinese wine vessel, usu. made of bronze), honorific prefix referring to the listener, counter for buddhas, loss, damage, harm, unprofitable, disadvantage, handicap, drawback, unfavorable, village, xun (one of the trigrams of the I Ching: wind, southeast), descendant (usu. of a certain generation), lineage, pedigree, grandchild

## 追記

つき, PS, postscript, appending, addition (esp. of data, information)

## ランチ

lunch, (Western-style) single-plate lunch set, plate lunch, lunch set, launch (boat), ranch

## キーボード

keyboard

## タグ

tag, label, game of tag, tag-team match, working together as a team

## ざ

seat, place, position, status, gathering, party, company, atmosphere (of a gathering), stand, pedestal, platform, trade guild, attaches to the names of constellations, attaches to the names of theatres, cinemas and theatrical troupes, counter for theatres, deities, Buddhist images, tall mountains, and satokagura songs, if it is not ..., if it does not ...

## 特

## アピール

appeal (e.g. for peace), plea, request, appeal (of something), attractiveness, allure, appeal (to the referee), emphasizing, calling attention to, making a display of, showing off, playing up, touting, using as a selling point, pitch

## 池田

## 当選

とうせん, being elected, being selected (for a prize, etc.), winning

## 預金

よきん, deposit, bank account

## 防ぐ

ふせぐ, to defend against, to protect against, to prevent, to avert, to avoid

## 相対

あいたい, involving only the parties concerned, tete-a-tete, そうたい, relativity, relative, facing (e.g. a problem), confronting

## 日中

にっちゅう, ひなか, daytime, during the day, Japan and China

## オタク

otaku, geek, nerd, enthusiast

## 金属

きんぞく, metal

## かく

beautiful passage of literature, stroke (of a kanji, etc.), each, every, all, status, position, rank, method, way, style, rule, regulation, law, case, figure (form of a syllogism), stone (of a fruit), pit, pip, core (of an organization, team, etc.), nucleus, heart, nuclear weapons, nucleus (of an atom), nucleus (of a cell), condensation nucleus, (planetary) core, ring (in a cyclic compound), kernel, core, nucleus (of a cultured pearl), angle, square, cube, bishop, third degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), Chinese "horn" constellation (one of the 28 mansions), jiao (monetary unit of China; one-tenth of a yuan), guest, visitor, customer, client, shopper, spectator, audience, tourist, sightseer, passenger, counter for containers used to entertain guests, to chip, to nick, to break, to crack, to lack, to write, to compose, to pen, to draw, to paint, to scratch, to perspire, to shovel, to paddle, to draw, to paint, to sketch, to depict, to describe, to picture in one's mind, to imagine, to form a certain shape (e.g. path of an action, appearance of an object, etc.), district, quarter, enclosure, area enclosed by earthwork, red-light district, wide and empty, every other, second, alternate, like this, such, thus, in this way, certain, definite, shell (e.g. electron shell), diaphragm, vicinity of the diaphragm, to carry on one's shoulders (esp. of two or more people carrying a palanquin, etc.)

## 買え

## 評判

ひょうばん, reputation, (public) estimation, popularity, rumour, rumor, talk (e.g. of the town), fame, notoriety

## 有する

ゆうする, to have, to possess, to own, to be endowed with

## 演じ

## レッド

red

## 共産党

きょうさんとう, Communist Party

## 頑張り

がんばり, tenacity, endurance

## 見つめ

## 主演

しゅえん, starring (in a film, play, etc.), playing the leading part

## 前年

ぜんねん, the preceding year, the previous year, last year

## 給付

きゅうふ, provision (of money or goods), furnishing, conferral, payment, delivery, benefit

## いかにも

indeed, really, truly, just (like), very, extremely, totally, terribly, absolutely, certainly, for sure

## 編成

へんせい, composition, formation, organization, organisation, compilation

## 証言

しょうげん, testimony, (verbal) evidence

## カップル

couple

## 誇り

ほこり, pride, boast, credit (to)

## 提起

ていき, raising (a question), posing (a problem), bringing up (an issue), presenting, instituting (a lawsuit), lodging, filing (a claim), submitting (a case), lifting up

## 調べる

しらべる, to examine, to look up, to investigate, to check up, to sense, to study, to inquire, to search

## 実務

じつむ, (practical) business, business practice, business affairs, (actual) work

## 提携

ていけい, cooperation, tie-up, joint business, partnership, alliance, sponsorship

## 損失

そんしつ, loss (of assets, profit, etc.)

## 早期

そうき, early stage

## ポジション

position

## 手当

てあて, salary, pay, compensation, allowance (e.g. housing allowance), benefit, bonus, medical care, treatment, advance preparation

## 埼玉

さいたま, Saitama (city, prefecture)

## 暗い

くらい, dark, gloomy, murky, depressed, dispirited, down in the dumps, dark (mood), dark (in colour), dull, ill-boding, dark (e.g. past), suspicious, unlikely (to succeed), hopeless, unpromising, unfamiliar (with), ignorant (of)

## コーチ

coach

## スコア

score

## 栄養

えいよう, nutrition, nourishment

## 分割

ぶんかつ, partition, division, separation, segmenting, splitting, ぶんわり, rate, ratio, percentage, commission, poundage, percentage

## 薙

## 判明

はんめい, establishing, proving, ascertaining, identifying, confirming

## 健全

けんぜん, healthy, sound, wholesome

## 半ば

なかば, middle, halfway, midway, half (of), one half, half (e.g. done, jokingly), partly, in part, partially, mostly, almost, nearly

## イラスト

illustration, picture, sketch, drawing, figure

## 好

よしみ, ぎ, よしび, friendship, friendly relations, connection, relation, intimacy, こう, good

## 持続

じぞく, continuation, persisting, lasting, sustaining, enduring

## 結婚式

けっこんしき, marriage ceremony, wedding, nuptials

## 異なり

けなり, ことなり, unlike, unique, unusual

## 妥当

だとう, valid, proper, right, appropriate, reasonable

## 弁護

べんご, defense, defence, pleading, advocacy

## まっ

## ション

## 之

これ, this, this one, this person, now, this point (in time), here, used to stress the subject of a sentence, l, me, の, 's, of, belonging to

## 豆

まめ, マメ, legume (esp. edible legumes or their seeds, e.g. beans, peas, pulses), bean, pea, soya bean (Glycine max), soybean, soy, female genitalia (esp. the clitoris), kidney, small, miniature, baby, midget, small-scale, child

## 仲

なか, relation, relationship, すあい, すわい, broker, brokerage, brokerage fee

## ケータイ

carrying (on one's person or in the hand), mobile phone, cell phone

## 宮

みや, shrine, palace, imperial residence, Imperial prince, Imperial princess, headboard with built-in shelves, drawers, etc., temple, きゅう, palace, tonic (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale), ancient Chinese punishment (castration for men, or confinement for women), zodiacal sign

## 鑑賞

かんしょう, appreciation (of art, music, poetry, etc.)

## オペラ

opera

## 教

## メキシコ

Mexico

## 評論

ひょうろん, criticism, critique

## わが

my, our, one's own

## 後で

あとで, later (on), afterwards

## 剣

けん, つるぎ, sword (esp. a large, double-edged one), blade, bayonet, swordsmanship, stinger, ovipositor, dart

## 臨時

りんじ, temporary, provisional, interim, special, extraordinary, extra

## 含ん

## 恵まれ

## 拠点

きよてん, position, location, base,  
point, site

## 宿泊

しゆくはく, accommodation, lodging

## 起こす

おこす, to raise, to raise up, to set  
up, to pick up, to wake, to wake up,  
to waken, to awaken, to cause, to  
bring about, to lead to, to trigger,  
to give rise to, to create, to generate  
(e.g. heat, electricity), to produce,  
to start, to begin, to launch, to  
establish, to found, to set up, to  
open, to plough, to plow, to till, to  
fall ill with, to transcribe, to write  
down (what is spoken), to turn over  
(a card)

## 旨

むね, principle, aim, main purpose,  
central part, pillar, purport, gist,  
drift, meaning, instructions, orders,  
intention, wishes

## ディスク

disk, disc, disk (storage), disc

## 狙っ

## 繊維

せんい, fibre, fiber, textile

## ボード

board

## 会合

かいごう, meeting, assembly,  
gathering, association, conjunction

## ふたり

two persons, two people, pair,  
couple

## 見出し

みだし, heading, headline, title,  
caption, index, headword

## ジャーナリスト

journalist

## 閉鎖

へいさ, closing, closure, shutdown,  
lockout

## 論議

ろんぎ, discussion, argument,  
debate

## お昼

おひる, lunch, noon, midday,  
daytime, waking up, getting up,  
rising

## 座長

ざちょう, chairman, leader of a  
troupe, proprietor of a theatrical  
company

## 天才

てんさい, genius, prodigy, natural  
gift

## サンプル

sample, example, specimen, display  
model (e.g. plastic food models  
used by restaurants)

## 切る

きる, to cut, to cut through, to  
perform (surgery), to sever  
(connections, ties), to turn off (e.g.  
the light), to terminate (e.g. a  
conversation), to hang up (the  
phone), to disconnect, to punch (a  
ticket), to tear off (a stub), to open  
(something sealed), to start, to set  
(a limit), to do (something) in less or  
within a certain time, to issue  
(cheques, vouchers, etc.), to  
reduce, to decrease, to discount, to  
shake off (water, etc.), to let drip-  
dry, to let drain, to cross, to  
traverse, to criticize sharply, to act  
decisively, to do (something  
noticeable), to go first, to make  
(certain facial expressions, in  
kabuki), to turn (vehicle, steering  
wheel, etc.), to curl (a ball), to bend,  
to cut, to shuffle (cards), to discard  
a tile, to dismiss, to sack, to let go,  
to expulse, to excommunicate, to  
dig (a groove), to cut (a stencil, on a  
mimeograph), to trump, to cut (the  
connection between two groups), to  
start a fire (with wood-wood friction  
or by striking a metal against  
stone), to draw (a shape) in the air  
(with a sword, etc.), to do  
completely

## 取り組む

とりくむ, to grapple with, to wrestle  
with, to engage in a bout, to be  
matched against, to tackle (e.g. a  
problem), to come to grips with, to  
work hard on

## 沿っ

## いざ

now, come (now), well

## オー

O, o, oh!, good heavens!, ugh!, oh  
no!, ah!, the penny drops!, yes!,  
okay!

## 動機

どうき, motive, incentive, motif

## 抑え

おさえ, weight (e.g. paperweight), pressing down, keeping control, exercising authority, having self-control, exercising self-discipline, defense, guard, deterrence

## がん

cancer, face, visage, look, expression, countenance, honor, honour, face, influence, notoriety, niche for a Buddhist image, alcove, miniature shrine for a Buddhist image, portable shrine used to move a deceased person from their house to the graveyard (in Okinawa), wild goose, glans, head of a penis, prayer, wish, vow, with a thump, with a thud, with a bang, hard (hit, scold, etc.), severely, marking (on a card or tile for the purpose of cheating), card marking, tile marking, alteration, fishball, meatball, pill, eye, insight, vision, power of observation, gist, main point, hole

## 妄想

もうそう, ぼうそう, delusion, wild idea, (wild) fancy, (ridiculous) fantasy

## せめて

at least, at most, (even) just, offense, offence, method of attack

## 長野

ながの, Nagano (city, prefecture)

## 行なう

おこなう, to perform, to do, to conduct oneself, to carry out

## こだわり

obsession, fixation, hangup, determination, fastidiousness, pickiness about (trait, style, etc.), complaining, criticizing, speciality (e.g. of a restaurant)

## 堀江

ほりえ, canal

## 加盟

かめい, joining (an association, agreement, etc.), participation, affiliation, accession

## スープ

(Western) soup

## マップ

map

## 倒れ

たおれ, collapse, collapsing, death, bad debt, だおれ, doing ... until one goes bankrupt, doing ... until one goes broke, falling short of (one's reputation), failing to live up to (one's appearance), falling through (e.g. of a plan)

## 帳

ちょう, book, register, とばり, curtain, hanging, bunting

## 美容

びよう, beauty, good figure, (beautiful) appearance, (beautiful) features, beautification, beauty treatment, beauty culture, cosmetics

## 晩

ばん, evening, night, dinner, evening meal, counter for nights

## キング

king

## 草

くさ, grass, weed, herb, thatch, ninja, not genuine, substandard, LOL, haha, そう, draft, rough copy, highly cursive style (of writing Chinese characters), grass style

## 保全

ほぜん, preservation, integrity, conservation, maintenance

## 何処

どこ, いく, いく, いく, いく, いく, where, what place, how much (long, far), what extent

## 演説

えんぜつ, speech, address

## 控え

ひかえ, reserve, spare, backup, note, memorandum, duplicate, copy, stub (of a ticket, etc.), receipt, waiting one's turn

## パネル

panel

## 衆議院

しゅうぎいん, House of Representatives (lower house of the National Diet of Japan)

## 中国語

ちゅうごくご, Chinese (language)

## 実情

じつじょう, real condition, actual circumstances, actual state of affairs

## プレス

pressing, stamping, printing, press (machine), the press, news media, military press (weight lifting)

## 増やし

ふやし, increase

## チャンネル

channel

空い

文字数

もじすう, もじかず, number of characters, number of letters, word count

狙い

ねらい, aim

兵

いくさ, war, battle, campaign, fight, troops, forces, へい, (common) soldier, rank and file, army, troops, warfare, strategy, つわもの, warrior, soldier, courageous person, strong person, ひょう, pawn

行なっ

飽き

あき, weariness, boredom, tedium, tiresomeness

東大

雑感

ざっかん, miscellaneous thoughts (on), miscellaneous impressions

元々

もともと, originally, from the start, from the beginning, from the outset, by nature, none the worse (for), (coming out) even, in the same position (as before)

抱い

ブログランキング  
グ

ああ

ah!, oh!, alas!, yes, indeed, that is correct, aah, gah, argh, hey!, yo!, uh huh, yeah yeah, right, gotcha

運転手

うんてんしゆ, driver, chauffeur

辞め

動かし

フィールド

field

匂い

におい, odour, odor, scent, smell, stench, aura, whiff, smacks of ..., sense, flavour, flavor

とりわけ

especially, above all, inter alia, among others

タル

徹底的

てっていき, thorough, exhaustive, complete

もたらし

明るく

あれこれ

this and that, this or that, one thing or another, this way and that, around, about, round about, roughly, nearly, almost

仕掛け

しかけ, device, contrivance, mechanism, gadget, trick, trap, calculated manipulation, gambit, (small) scale, half finished, commencement, initiation, set up, laying out, preparation, challenge, attack

合い

あい, between-season wear, spring and autumn clothing, spring and fall clothing, together, condition, situation, state, -ish

窓口

まどぐち, counter, window, teller window, ticket window, contact person, point of contact

清

しん, Qing dynasty (of China; 1644-1912), Ch'ing dynasty, Manchu dynasty, さや, clearly, brightly, cleanly, purely

取り入れ

とりいれ, taking in, harvesting

背

せい, height, stature, せ, back, reverse, rear side, back (e.g. of a chair), spine (of a book), height, stature, ridge (of a mountain), そびら, back (of the body)

にあたって

on the occasion of, at the time of

立法

りっぽう, legislation, lawmaking

お菓子

おかし, confections, sweets, candy, cake

購読

こうどく, buying and reading (book, magazine, etc.), subscribing (incl. free subscriptions), taking (e.g. newspaper)

だら

得点

とくてん, scoring, score, points made, marks obtained, goals, runs

ペン

pen

真ん中

まんなか, middle, centre, center, midpoint, heart

否

ひ, no, the noes, いいえ, いいえ, いえ, いな, いや, no, nay, well, er, why, you're welcome, not at all, don't mention it

成分

せいぶん, ingredient, component, composition

厚

あつ, thickness

## 合わ

## ウェブ

Web, World Wide Web

## ものすごく

## 国債

こくさい, national debt, national securities, government bonds, government securities

## タ

## コート

coat, coating, court (e.g. tennis, basketball, volleyball)

## 推薦

すいせん, recommendation, referral, endorsement

## 求人

きゅうじん, recruiting, job offer, job vacancy

## 本文

ほんぶん,ほんもん, text (of a book, document, etc.), body (of a letter), this passage, this sentence

## 愛する

あいする, to love

## 手順

てじゆん, process, procedure, sequence, protocol, instruction

## お礼

おれい, おんれい, thanks, gratitude, manners, etiquette, bow, reward, gift, ceremony, ritual

## 屋根

やね, roof

## ケーブル

cable

## 財務

ざいむ, financial affairs

## サー

Sir

## 根

ね, root (of a plant), root (of a tooth, hair, etc.), center (of a pimple, etc.), root (of all evil, etc.), source, origin, cause, basis, one's true nature, (fishing) reef, こん, stick-to-itiveness, perseverance, persistence, radical (esp. one that tends to ionize easily), root, indriya (faculty of the body having a specific function, i.e. the sensory organs)

## 薄い

うすい, thin, pale, light, faint, watery, thin, dilute, weak (taste, etc.), little (affection, etc.) not much (of a presence), slim (probability, etc.), small, sparse, patchy, scattered

## 寺

てら, temple (Buddhist), じ, counter for temples

## 反発

はんぱつ, opposition, rebellion, revolt, resistance, backlash, refusal, rebounding, recoiling, repulsion, rally (e.g. in stock prices), recovery

## ヒント

hint, clue

## 管

かん, くだ, pipe, tube

## 届く

とどく, to reach, to touch, to get to, to carry (of sound), to be delivered, to arrive, to be attentive, to be scrupulous, to be thorough, to be realized (of a desire), to be fulfilled, to get through (to someone), to be appreciated, to make an impression

## 端

そば, そく, はた, near, close, beside, vicinity, proximity, besides, while, third person, はし, はじ, はな, end (e.g. of street), tip, point, edge, margin, beginning, start, first, odds and ends, scrap, odd bit, least, はした, fraction, odd sum, odd money, small change, low class female servant, つま, edge, tip, end, gable wall, gable, たん, origin, beginning, variable measure of fabric (28.8 cm in width), for kimonos: at least 10 m in length, for haori: at least 7.27 m in length, for other clothes: at least 6.06 m in length, tip, extremity

## 増し

まし, マシ, better, preferable, less objectionable, least-worst, more, increase, extra, increase, growth

## 福井

ふくい, Fukui (city, prefecture)

## 放映

ほうえい, televising, broadcasting, airing

## 豚

ぶた, ブタ, pig (Sus scrofa domesticus), pork, fatso, fatty, とん, pig, pork

## ブル

bull, bull, bulldog, bulldozer, bourgeois, bourgeoisie

## 支給

しきゅう, provision, supply, payment, allowance, grant

## プレーヤー

player

## あらかじめ

beforehand, in advance, previously

## 遺産

いさん, inheritance, bequest, legacy, heritage

## 招待

しょうたい, しょうだい, invitation

## に従って

にしたがって, in accordance with, according to, as X, then Y (e.g. as we age we gain wisdom, as wine matures it becomes more valuable, etc.)

## 第三者

だいさんしゃ, third party, third person, outsider, disinterested person

## 視線

しせん, one's line of sight, one's gaze, one's eyes (looking), glance, gaze, look

## 神話

しんわ, myth, legend

## 四月

しがつ, April, fourth month in the lunar calendar, よつき, four months

## 売り上げ

うりあげ, amount sold, sales, proceeds, takings, turnover

## 予選

よせん, preliminary contest, qualifying round, trial, heat, primary

## 説明

かいめい, elucidation, explication, explaining, unravelling, clarification, understanding

## 収支

しゅうし, income and expenditure

## なき

weeping, lamenting, the late, the deceased, -less, lacking, non-existing

## ツッコミ

thrust, charge, penetration, digging into (a matter), depth, straight man (of a comedy duo), quip, gibe, jab, dig, retort, riposte, comeback, putting everything together, including everything, (penetrative) sex, intercourse

## スライド

slide (for projection), transparency, (microscope) slide, to slide, to slip, to shift (e.g. a group of items in a schedule), to move, to change (with a sliding scale), to index (to), to peg

## 迎える

むかえる, to go out to meet, to receive, to welcome, to greet, to salute, to hail, to call for, to summon, to invite, to accept (e.g. as a member of a group or family), to take (e.g. a wife), to reach (a certain time, a point in one's life, etc.), to enter (a new phase, new era, etc.), to approach (e.g. death)

## 望ん

## 前向き

まえむき, front-facing, forward-looking, positive, constructive

## グルメ

fine food, high-quality food, gourmet, epicure, gastronome

## 今夜

こんや, this evening, tonight

## だからこそ

for this reason

## 乾燥

かんそう, dryness, aridity, drying (e.g. clothes), dehydration, desiccation, insipidity

## 適宜

てきぎ, suitable, appropriate, fitting, proper, appropriately, accordingly, as required, at one's discretion

## 向かい

むかい, facing, opposite, across the street, other side

## 活発

かつぱつ, lively, active, vigorous, animated, brisk

## いっしょ

together, at the same time, same, identical, one letter, one book, one place, the same place, one person, together, lost book

## 容量

ようりょう, capacity, volume, capacitance

## 基金

ききん, fund, foundation

## 湖

みずうみ, lake, こ, lake (in place names)

## 修行

しゅぎょう, すぎょう, training, practice, discipline, study, ascetic practices

## 売却

ばいきゃく, selling off, disposal by sale, sale

## 飛行

ひこう, aviation, flight, flying, to fly, to take a flight, ひぎょう, flying without hindrance

## とらえ

## 警備

けいび, defense, defence, guard, policing, security

## サークル

group with a common interest (e.g. students), club (e.g. company sports club), circle, circle (shape)

## 余地

よち, place, room, margin, scope

## 付ける

つける, to attach, to join, to add, to append, to affix, to stick, to glue, to fasten, to sew on, to apply (ointment), to furnish (a house with), to wear, to put on, to keep a diary, to make an entry, to appraise, to set (a price), to allot, to budget, to assign, to bring alongside, to place (under guard or doctor), to follow (someone), to shadow, to tail, to stalk, to load, to give (courage to), to keep (an eye on), to establish (relations or understanding), to turn on (a light), to produce flowers (of a plant), to produce fruit, to do intensely, to do fiercely, to do strongly, to be used to (doing), to be accustomed to

## 膨大

ぼうだい, huge, vast, enormous, colossal, extensive, large, swelling, expansion

## 発送

はっそう, sending, forwarding, shipping

## 諦め

あきらめ, resignation, acceptance, consolation

## 不安定

ふあんてい, instability, insecurity, crankiness

## 送料

そうりょう, postage, carriage, shipping charge

## リード

lied (German song, usually for solo voice and piano), lead, leading, taking the lead, lead (from a base), lead (of an article), lede, lead (wire), leash, lead, (sales) lead, prospective client, reed (of a musical instrument), reading

## 民事

みんじ, civil affairs, civil case

## トップページ

home page (of a website)

## 恥ずかしい

はずかしい, embarrassing, embarrassed, ashamed, humiliated, shy, disgraceful, shameful

## 渡っ

## 潜在

せんざい, potentiality, dormancy, latency

## 規格

きかく, standard, norm

## 景色

けしき, けいしょく, scenery, scene, landscape

## 脇

わき, armpit, under one's arm, side, flank, beside, close to, near, by, aside, to the side, away, out of the way, off-track, off-topic, deuteragonist, supporting role, second verse (in a linked series of poems), かたわら, side, edge, beside, besides, nearby, while (doing), in addition to, at the same time

## 弊社

へいしや, our company, our firm

## 配分

はいぶん, distribution, allotment

## さっそく

at once, immediately, without delay, promptly

## 避ける

さける, よける, to avoid (physical contact with), to avoid (situation), to ward off, to avert, to put aside, to move out of the way

## 店長

てんちょう, shop manager

## 長崎

ながさき, ナガサキ, Nagasaki (city, prefecture)

## 国土

こくど, くにつち, country, territory, domain, realm

## ごめんなさい

I'm sorry, my apologies, excuse me, pardon me

## パック

pack, packet, carton, to pack, to package, to wrap, (cosmetic) face pack, face mask, facial mask, facial, package (tour, holiday, etc.), puck

## もち

mochi, birdlime, Nepal holly (Ilex integra), having, holding, possessing, owning, using, holder, owner, user, wear, durability, life, charge, expense, draw (in go, poetry contest, etc.), tie, mochi (glutinous rice or other grain, sticky enough to make mochi rice cakes), full moon, 15th day of the lunar month, of course, for sure, definitely

## コンサルタント

consultant

## 生かし

## 擁護

ようご, protection, defence, support, safeguarding, championship, vindication, おうご, the Buddha's help (aid, succour)

## 定める

さだめる, to decide, to determine, to establish, to lay down, to prescribe, to provide, to stipulate, to bring peace (to), to make peaceful

## 突破

とっぱ, breaking through, breakthrough, penetration, surmounting (a difficulty), overcoming, getting over, accomplishing (an aim), reaching (a goal), exceeding, passing, rising above

## ルー

roux (mixture of butter and flour used to make sauces), sauce made from such a mixture, (Japanese) curry powder, curry sauce made from this powder

## 終わら

## 自動的

じどうてき, automatic

## 都会

とかい, city, Tokyo Metropolitan Assembly

## ニュー

new, nu, GNU (project, operating system, etc.)

## なので

because, as, since

## 歌う

うたう, to sing, to sing of (love, beauty, etc.) in a poem, to express in the form of a poem, to recite (a poem)

## オブジェクト

object

## 青い

あおい, blue, azure, green, pale, gray, grey, unripe, inexperienced

## 表す

あらわす, to represent, to signify, to stand for, to reveal, to show, to display, to express, to make widely known, ひょうす, to express, to show

## 伸ばし

## 仙台

せんだい, Sendai (city in Miyagi)

## 現れる

あらわれる, to appear, to come in sight, to become visible, to come out, to embody, to materialize, to materialise, to be expressed (e.g. emotions), to become apparent (e.g. trends, effects)

## 豪華

ごうか, extravagant, lavish, opulent, luxurious, magnificent, splendid, fancy, gorgeous

## やたら

indiscriminately, blindly, at random, recklessly, thoughtlessly, excessively, profusely, indiscriminate, random, excessive

## 繰り返す

くりかえす, to repeat, to do something over again

## 交代

こうたい, alternation, change, relief, relay, shift, substitution (sports, etc.), taking turns

## 下落

げらく, depreciation, decline, fall, slump

## 花火

はなび, fireworks

## 回数

かいすう, number of times, frequency, count

## 訂正

ていせい, correction, revision, amendment

## ビックリ

to be surprised, to be amazed, to be frightened, to be astonished, to get startled, to jump, surprise (e.g. surprise party)

## ブラック

black, black (coffee), without cream or milk, exploitative (esp. of employees), overly harsh, immoral, boldface, blackface, heavy-faced type

## 度目

どめ, the Nth time

## 基づき

## ミーティング

meeting

## 墓

はか, gravesite, tomb

## 講習

こうしゅう, short course, training

## 寄付

きふ, contribution, donation

## マネージャー

manager (e.g. of a business, an idol, etc.), in a sports team (esp. at school) someone who does the routine drudge work

## あきらめ

resignation, acceptance, consolation

## 先行

せんこう, going ahead, going first, preceding, coming before, being ahead (e.g. of the times), occurring first, happening prior, scoring first, getting off to a lead, stalker

## 表紙

ひょうし, cover (of a book, magazine, etc.), binding, to appear on the cover of a magazine

## 泉

いずみ, spring, fountain

## 決まり

きまり, rule, regulation, settlement, conclusion, end, agreement, arrangement, habit, custom, habitual way, countenance in front of another person, face, love relationship between a customer and a prostitute

## 冒険

ぼうけん, adventure, venture, venture which is unlikely to succeed, risky attempt, danger, hazard, risk

## 汚れ

けがれ, uncleanness, impurity, defilement, disgrace, shame, stain, blot, corruption, depravity, uncleanness from contact with death, pregnancy, menstruation, etc., よごれ, dirt, filth, stain, blot, spot

## 中継

ちゅうけい, relay, hook-up, relay broadcasting, なかつぎ, joining, joint, intermediation, acting as an intermediary, relaying, taking over, middle relief pitcher, middle reliever, pole-shaped item with a join in the middle, tea container with a lid that is the same size as the body

## 視覚

しかく, sense of sight, vision

## 保持

ほじ, retention, maintenance, preservation

## コンセプト

concept, general idea, notion, intention, aim, design, philosophy, plan, plot, theme

## 詰め

つめ, づめ, stuffing, packing, end (esp. the foot of a bridge), lowest-ranking guest at tea ceremony, tea master, endgame (esp. in shogi or used figuratively), sweet eel sauce, middle-aged woman, appointment to a particular workplace, using as the sole ground of judgement (judgment), continuing, keep doing for period of time

## 工作

こうさく, handicraft, work, construction, manufacturing, maneuvering, manoeuvring

関わっ

地獄

じごく, hell

覆い

おおい, cover, mantle, shroud, hood

フレーム

frame, flame (abusive or threatening message)

大陸

たいりく, continent, continental Asia (esp. mainland China), continental Europe

看護

かんご, nursing, (army) nurse

気がつい

もうすぐ  
soon, shortly, before long, nearly, almost

デジカメ

digital camera

がたい

body build, blastema, difficult to ..., hard to ...

かわり

an exchange transaction, change, alteration, difference, distinction, something wrong, abnormality, unusual event, accident, incident, substitute, replacement, substituting, replacing, stand-in, proxy, alternate, deputy, relief, successor, compensation, exchange, return, another helping, second helping, seconds, refill, upcoming program, upcoming programme

ピーター

控訴

こうそ, appeal to a higher court, intermediate appeal

角度

かくど, angle

勘違い

かんちがい, misunderstanding, mistaken idea, wrong guess

端末

たんまつ, terminal, computer terminal, information access device (smartphone, tablet, book-reader, etc.), end (e.g. of a roll of film)

寒

かん, midwinter, cold season, coldest days of the year, さむ, さぶ, cold

定着

ていちゃく, sticking (in one place, position, etc.), settling, fixing, adherence, becoming established (of a custom, system, etc.), taking hold, taking root, fixation, fixing

栽培

さいばい, cultivation

必然

ひつぜん, inevitable, necessary, certain, sure, inevitability, necessity

ライセンス

license, licence

争い

あらし, dispute, strife, quarrel, dissension, conflict, rivalry, contest

守り

もり, babysitting, babysitter, protecting, keeping, keeper, まもり, protection, defense, defence, providence, amulet, charm, talisman

出力

しゅつりょく, output (electrical, signal, etc.)

後悔

こうかい, regret, repentance, remorse

指標

しひょう, index, indices, indicator

見た目

みため, appearance, look

オークション

auktion

隠れ

かくれ, hidden, concealed, unknown, crypto-, passing away, dying, death

脚本

きゃくほん, script, screenplay, scenario

ランド

land, rand (currency of South Africa)

順番

じゅんばん, turn (in line), order of things, sequential order

応答

おうとう, reply, answer, response

望ましい

のぞましい, desirable, hoped for, preferable, advisable

疑惑

ぎわく, doubt, misgivings, distrust, suspicion

語学

ごがく, study of foreign languages, linguistics

育てる

そだてる, to raise, to rear, to bring up, to train, to teach, to educate, to promote the growth of, to nurture, to foster, to develop

妊娠

にんしん, pregnancy, conception, gestation

拘束

こうそく, restriction, restraint, binding, constraint

クラシック

classical music, classic, classical, classic (work), the classics

## 録画

ろくが, (video) recording

## 残す

のこす, to leave (behind), to leave (undone), to not finish, to save, to set aside, to reserve, to leave (to someone, esp. after one's death), to bequeath, to stay (in the ring), to hold on

## ゆき

snow, snowfall, the way there, outbound leg, outbound trip, departing leg, bound for ..., outbound ticket, distance from the seam in the back of a kimono to the end of the sleeve, quiver (of arrows; box-shaped)

## 改行

かいぎょう, new line, new paragraph, newline, line break, line feed

## 愛知

あいち, Aichi (prefecture)

## ベル

bell, bel, B

## ポー

## タウン

town

## 記号

きごう, symbol, code, sign, notation

## 鶺鴒

## 再建

さいけん, rebuilding, reconstruction, rehabilitation, protoform reconstruction, さいこん, (temple or shrine) rebuilding

## 池

いけ, pond

## 奈良

なら, Nara (city, prefecture)

## 代替

だいたい, だいがえ, substitution, alternative, substitute, だいがわり, taking over (e.g. store or family's headship), subrogation, substitution of one person for another (usu. a creditor)

## 幼児

ようじ, young child, toddler, child over 1 but not yet of school age

## 電波

でんぱ, デムパ, デンパ, radio wave, reception, signal, saying strange things

## 転載

てんさい, reprinting, reproduction

## たいてい

mostly, ordinarily, usually, generally, probably, most, almost all, ordinary, proper, appropriate, moderate, leaving a court, great emperor, ... the Great

## フィリピン

Philippines

## 意外と

## 接触

せつしょく, touch, contact, touching

## 生成

せいせい, creation, generation, formation, derivation, きなり, unbleached cloth, unbleached colour (color), unbleached, undyed

## 時には

ときには, at times, occasionally

## トルコ

Turkey, Türkiye, turquoise

## 大分

だいぶん, だいぶん, considerably, greatly, a lot, おおいた, Ōita (city, prefecture)

## 新人

しんじん, new face, newcomer, rookie, fresh recruit, modern humans (from Cro-Magnon man onwards)

## 表記

ひょうき, expression in writing, written representation, notation, transcription, orthography, writing on the surface (e.g. an address on an envelope), inscribing on the face

## 情熱

じょうねつ, passion, enthusiasm, zeal

## 昨夜

ゆうべ, さくや, ゆんべ, evening, last night, yesterday evening

## 消し

せいかい, correct answer, right solution, correct interpretation, right decision, right choice, appropriate judgement

## 私的

してき, private, personal, わたしてき, my personal (e.g. opinion)

## 申込

もうしこみ, application, entry, request, subscription, offer, proposal, overture, challenge

## 支える

ささえる, to support, to prop, to sustain, to underlay, to hold up, to defend, to hold at bay, to stem, to check, つかえる, つっかえる, to stick, to get stuck, to get caught, to get jammed, to clog, to be unavailable, to be busy, to be occupied, to be full, to be piled up (e.g. of work), to halt (in one's speech), to stumble (over one's words), to stutter, to stammer, to feel blocked (of one's chest or throat, due to grief, anxiety, illness, etc.), to feel pressure, to feel pain

## 響き

どよめき, commotion, stir, ひびき, echo, reverberation, sound (esp. the distinctive sound of an object or activity, e.g. rain, gun, gallop, drum), noise, quality of a sound (e.g. a fine phrase, clear voice, resonant bell), feeling of a sound, emotion or feeling inspired by something heard or read

## 次第に

しだいに, gradually (progress into a state), in sequence, in order, in turn

## 殺害

さつがい, せつがい, せちがい, killing, murder

## 何だか

なんだか, (a) little, somewhat, somehow

## カ国

かこく, counter for countries

## 親切

しんせつ, kind, gentle, considerate, generous, friendly, nice

## 冗談

じょうだん, ぎだん, げだん, joke, jest, funny story

## 気づか

## 昼間

ひるま, ちゅうかん, daytime, during the day, time from sunrise until sunset, diurnal period

## バン

bun (hairstyle), value-added network, VAN, moorhen (Gallinula chloropus), waterhen, gallinule, van, truck, delivery van, bang, (with a) bang, ban (of an online account)

## 絵画

かいが, painting, picture

## 落ちる

おちる, to fall, to drop, to come down, to crash, to collapse, to cave in, to give way, to set (of the sun or moon), to sink, to dip, to go down, to decrease (of popularity, quality, speed, sales, etc.), to fall, to drop, to go down, to decline, to deteriorate, to abate (of wind), to be inferior (to), to be not as good (as), to fall short (of), to come off (of dirt, paint, makeup, etc.), to come out (of a stain), to fade (of colour), to be removed (of an illness, possessing spirit, etc.), to disappear (of excess fat), to become thinner, to become leaner, to be left out, to be omitted, to be missing, to fail (an exam), to lose (a contest, election, etc.), to be unsuccessful, to decline (of morals, character, etc.), to become vulgar (e.g. of a conversation), to stoop (to), to sink (so low), to be ruined, to go under, to fall (into hell), to fall (in love, asleep, etc.), to fall (into someone's hands), to be accepted (of a bid), to be won (of a tender), to be honoured (of a bill), to fall into (a trap), to fall for (a trick), to give in, to confess, to own up, to come to (a conclusion, topic, etc.), to arrive at (in the end), to leave (a city, castle, etc.), to (be defeated and) flee, to sink in, to be accepted (in one's heart), to fall (to the enemy), to be defeated, to come in (of money), to fall (upon; of light, a shadow, one's gaze, etc.), to pass out (in judo), to fall unconscious, to go down (of a website, server, etc.), to crash, to log out (of an online game, chat room, etc.), to drop out, to leave, to go offline, to move to deeper water (of a fish in cold weather), to die (of an animal)

## 稽古

けいこ, practice, practising, training, study

## 対戦

たいせん, fighting (against), taking on (an opponent), facing, confronting, competing (with), battle, fight, contest, match

## 来日

らいにち, arrival in Japan, coming to Japan, visit to Japan, らいじつ, future day, later date

## 循環

じゅんかん, circulation, rotation, cycle, loop

## 小型

こがた, small-sized, small-scale, miniature, small, little, tiny

## 蓄積

ちくせき, accumulation, accumulate, store

## クロ

## オーディオ

audio, audio equipment (esp. high-end)

## 悪魔

あくま, devil, demon, fiend, Satan, the Devil, Māra

## モー

mho (unit of conductance)

## 海岸

かいがん, coast, beach

## 視野

しや, field of vision, view, one's outlook (e.g. on life), one's horizons

## 天井

てんじょう, ceiling, ceiling price, (price) ceiling

## 戸

と, door (esp. Japanese-style), shutter, window shutter, entrance (to a home), narrows, こ, counter for houses, households, apartments, etc.

## 与党

よとう, ruling party, government party, party in power, government

## 縦

たて, タテ, the vertical, height, front-to-back, length, north-to-south, vertical (relationship), hierarchy, (weaving) warp, ほしいまま, selfish, self-indulgent, arbitrary, よし, even if

## 通販

つうはん, online shopping, e-commerce, mail order

## 中華

ちゅうか, China, Chinese food

## トレード

trade

## ウチ

## ワシントン

Washington, D.C. (United States), Washington (US state)

## 治安

ちあん, public order, public peace, public security, law and order, じあん, Jian era (1021.2.2-1024.7.13)

## 認証

にんしょう, certification, attestation, authentication, confirmation, Imperial attestation

## 広がり

ひろがり, spread, span, expanse, extent

## 申告

しんこく, report, return (e.g. tax), statement, declaration, notification, filing

## 論点

ろんてん, point in question (at issue)

## 泊

はく, counter for nights of a stay, overnight stay, lodging

## 止まっ

## 三月

さんがつ, March, third month of the lunar calendar, みつき, three months

## 労働省

ろうどうしょう, Ministry of Labour (now Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare)

## 触れる

ふれる, to touch, to feel, to touch (with), to experience, to come in contact with, to perceive, to touch on (a subject), to allude to, to refer to, to mention, to bring up, to be in conflict with, to violate (law, copyright, etc.), to infringe, to proclaim, to make known, to spread (e.g. a rumour)

## 出荷

しゅっか, shipping, shipment, forwarding, sending (goods), delivery

## ジョージ

## 順調

じゅんちょう, favourable, favorable, doing well, OK, all right

## エジプト

Egypt

## 官房

かんぼう, government secretariat

## 苦しみ

くるしみ, pain, anguish, distress, suffering, hardship

## レンタル

rental

## 観る

みる, to see, to look, to watch, to view, to observe, to examine, to look over, to assess, to check, to judge, to look after, to attend to, to take care of, to keep an eye on, to experience, to meet with (misfortune, success, etc.), to try ..., to have a go at ..., to give ... a try, to see (that) ..., to find (that) ...

## ジーコ

## 役に立つ

やくにたつ, to be helpful, to be useful

## 広がる

ひろがる, to spread (out), to extend, to stretch, to reach to, to get around, to fill (e.g. a space)

## デザイナー

designer

## 貴方

きほう, your home, your residence, you (referring to one's equal; epistolary style), あなた, you, dear, honey, あんた, you

## かえって

on the contrary, rather, instead, all the more

## まくっ

## おかしく

## 広

## シン

thin, shin, syn-

## 小売

こうり, retail

## 撤退

てつたい, evacuation, withdrawal, revocation, repeal, retreat

## 補足

ほそく, supplement, complement

## 並びに

ならびに, and (also), both ... and, as well as

## 関数

かんすう, function, function (programming)

## グリーン

green (colour), green (energy, car, etc.), environmentally friendly, greenland, green space, lawn, green, putting green

## 描き

## 当面

とうめん, current, urgent, pressing, impending, to confront (an issue), to face (up to something), for the meantime, at present

## 創設

そうせつ, establishment, founding, organization, organisation

## やりとり

giving and taking, exchange (of letters), arguing back and forth, (conversational) exchange

## 到達

とうたつ, reaching, attaining, arrival

## 貧困

ひんこん, poverty, penury, need, destitution, shortage, lack, want

## 筈

たけのこ, たかんな, たかむな, たこうな, bamboo shoot, inexperienced doctor, quack

## 勧告

かんこく, advice, counsel, remonstrance, recommendation

## 軍隊

ぐんたい, armed forces, military, troops

## もしも

if, in case, supposing

## 死者

ししや, dead person, (the) deceased, (the) dead, casualties

## アイドル

performer (usu. in a boy band or girl group) with an image cultivated to foster a dedicated fan following, Japanese idol, (cultural) icon, idol, star, celebrity, person who is greatly admired, idol (object of worship), image, idle

## 健

## 満載

まんさい, full load, being fully loaded (with), being loaded to capacity (with), carrying a full load (of), being full of (articles, photos, etc.; of a newspaper or magazine), being packed with (e.g. fun, excitement)

## コト

## 動かす

うごかす, to move, to shift, to stir, to budge, to change position, to inspire, to rouse, to move (e.g. feeling), to influence, to change, to alter, to deny, to operate, to set in motion, to get going, to mobilize (e.g. troops), to mobilise, to deploy, to manage (e.g. funds)

## 鬚

ひげ, ヒゲ, moustache, beard, whiskers, whiskers (on a cat, etc.), feelers (on an insect, etc.), (chin) tuft, shadow (on a candlestick chart)

## スポット

spot, dot, mark, place, location, site, (airport) apron, spot advertisement, spot advertising, spot news, spotlight

## 寿司

すし, sushi, anything made with vinegared rice (may also contain vegetables, spices, fish, or other delicacies)

## 討論

とうろん, debate, discussion

## 英会話

えいかいわ, English conversation, school for English conversation

## グレード

grade

## 聞け

## 放棄

ほうき, abandonment, renouncement, renunciation, resignation, abdication, surrender, relinquishing, waiving, giving up

## ごめん

I'm sorry, my apologies, excuse me, pardon me, may I come in?, permission, leave, license, dismissal, discharge, not wanting, objecting to, being fed up with, wishing to avoid

## 歌詞

かし, song lyrics, words of a song, libretto, うたことば, word mainly used in tanka, poetical word

## 引き上げ

ひきあげ, pulling up, drawing up, salvage, re-floatation, raising, increase, upward revision, repatriation, evacuation

## プリント

print, printing, (printed) copy, handout, flyer

## 受け取っ

## 手間

てま, time, labour, labor

## いちばん

number one, first, first place, best, most, game, round, bout, as a test, as an experiment, by way of experiment, by way of trial, tentatively, song (e.g. in noh), piece

## 究極

きゅうきょく, ultimate, final, last, eventual

## 組ん

## スーツ

suit (clothing), suit (playing cards)

## 人民

じんみん, the people, citizens, the populace, おおみたから, imperial subjects, the people

## 強烈

きょうれつ, strong, intense, severe

## シングル

single, single bed, hotel room with a single bed, single-breasted, single-cuffed, single width (of cloth; usu. 0.71 meters), singles (tennis, badminton, etc.), single, single-figure handicap, shingle (wooden tile)

## 訪れる

おとづれる, おとづれる, to visit, to call on, to arrive (season, time, situation, etc.), to come, to appear, to make a sound, to send a letter, to inquire about a letter

## 仮

け, lacking substance and existing in name only, something without substance, かり, temporary, provisional, interim, fictitious, assumed (name), alias, hypothetical, theoretical

## ア

ah, oh, hey!

## 本番

ほんばん, performance (as opposed to practice), going before an audience or on-air, take, game, match, high of the season, height (of summer, etc.), actual event (or celebration, etc.), real deal, penetrative vaginal sex (with a prostitute), unsimulated sex (in an adult movie)

## 有る

ある, to be, to exist, to live, to have, to be located, to be equipped with, to happen, to come about

## 迅速

じんそく, quick, fast, rapid, swift, prompt, streamlined, expedited, expeditious

## 体質

たいしつ, constitution (physical), physical make-up, predisposition (to disease), disposition, tendency, character (of a group, organization, etc.), innate characteristics, make-up, nature, culture

## 正面

しょうめん, front, frontage, facade, main, まとも, the front, honest, upright, decent, proper, respectable, straight, serious, sensible

## 地帯

ちたい, zone, area, belt, region

## 塔

とう, tower, steeple, spire, stupa, pagoda, dagoba

## 新幹線

しんかんせん, Shinkansen, bullet train

## 懐かしい

なつかしい, dear (old), fondly-remembered, beloved, missed, nostalgic

## 売ら

## 南部

なんぶ, southern part, the south (of a region)

## 張っ

## 天使

てんし, angel

## ゲット

getting, obtaining, winning, scoring (in ice hockey, basketball, etc.)

## ポルトガル

Portugal

## チョコレート

chocolate

## メモリ

memory, memory, recollection, remembrance

## 役所

やくしょ, government office, public office, やくどころ, assigned role, duty, position, suitable role, best-suited job

## 定価

ていか, list price, regular price, established price

## 本屋

ほんおく, principal residence, ほんや, bookstore, bookshop, publisher, main building

## 描写

びょうしゃ, depiction, description, portrayal

## 橋本

ポンド (unit of weight), pound (currency), pound sterling, pond

## 休暇

きゅうか, holiday, day off, furlough, absence (from work)

## 深

み, august, beautiful, ふけ, growing late, latening

## 行方

ゆくえ, (one's) whereabouts, destination, where one is headed, outcome, course (of events), development, direction, tide, future, journey ahead, いきかた, ゆきかた, way (of going), route, way (of doing), method, ゆきがた, いきがた, (one's) whereabouts

## 土産

みやげ, local specialty or souvenir bought as a gift while travelling, present brought by a visitor, something unpleasant that one is given (e.g. an illness while on vacation), unwelcome gift, disservice, ござん, とざん, product of the land, present, souvenir

## 奇妙

きみょう, strange, odd, peculiar, queer, curious

## こいつ

he, she, this fellow, this guy, this person, this, this one, this thing, hey, you!, you bastard!, damn you!

## 下さっ

## くださる

to give, to confer, to bestow, to kindly do for one, to oblige, to favour, to favor

## 減

げん, reduction, decrease, subtraction, reduction of penalty (under the ritsuryō codes)

## 批評

ひひょう, criticism, critique, review, commentary

## 果たす

はたす, to accomplish, to achieve, to carry out, to fulfill, to fulfil, to realize, to execute, to perform, to do, to do ... completely, to do ... entirely

## 美し

## 羽

はね, は, feather, plume, down, wing, blade (of a fan, propeller, etc.), shuttlecock (in badminton), shuttlecock (in hanetsuki), arrow feathers, わ, ば, ば, counter for birds, rabbits, etc., う, fifth degree (of the Japanese and Chinese pentatonic scale)

## 論争

ろんそう, dispute, controversy, debate, argument, taking issue

## 徒歩

とほ, walking, going on foot, かし, foot soldier (Edo period), samurai on foot, going on foot, walking

## あいだ

space (between), gap, interval, distance, stretch, period of time (during, while), duration, interval, between (two parties or things), among (a group), relations (between), relationship, midpoint, average, halfway, middle ground, due to, because of

## 図書

としよ, ずしよ, books

## 披露

ひろう, announcement, presentation, demonstration, displaying, showing, introducing, unveiling, revealing, performing

## コレクション

collection (of art, stamps, etc.), collecting, collection (i.e. a range of new clothes), fashion show

## 関

せき, セキ, barrier, gate, seki, mutual life, ぜき, honorific added to names of makuuchi and juryo division wrestlers, かん, barrier, gate

## シェア

sharing, share (on social media), market share

## ターゲット

target

## 何故か

なぜか, somehow, for some reason, without knowing why

## 植民

しよくみん, colonization, colonisation

## 忙しく

## 何となく

なんとなく, なにとなく, somehow or other, for some reason or another, without knowing why

## 冷たい

つめたい, つべたい, cold (to the touch), chilly, icy, freezing, (emotionally) cold, coldhearted, unfeeling, indifferent, unfriendly, distant

## にもかかわらず

in spite of, nevertheless, although, despite, no matter the, regardless of

## オレンジ

orange (fruit, colour)

## 未満

みまん, less than, under, below

## 長男

ちやうなん, eldest son (may be the only son), first-born son

## あて

I, me, aim, object, purpose, end, expectations, prospects, hopes, something that can be relied upon, snack served with alcoholic drink, pad, guard, blow, strike, addressed to, per, father

## 松

まつ, マツ, pine tree (Pinus spp.), highest (of a three-tier ranking system)

## 気付い

こうひょう, favorable reception, good reputation, popularity

## ライ

lie, all right (e.g. when guiding a driver), keep coming, OK, rye, rai (Algerian music style)

## ボーナス

bonus

## 参入

さんにゅう, entering (the marketplace), introducing (something) to the market, access, visiting a high-class or noble individual

## 幻想

げんそう, fantasy, illusion, vision, dream

## した

below, down, under, younger (e.g. daughter), bottom, beneath, underneath, just after, right after, inferiority, one's inferior (i.e. one's junior), trade-in, preliminary, preparatory, tongue, tongue-like object, clapper (of a bell), talon (of a lock), reed (of a musical instrument), reed (of a musical instrument)

## 務め

つとめ, service, duty, business, responsibility, task, Buddhist religious services

## 学年

がくねん, academic year, school year, year in school, grade in school

## セッション

session, jam session, jam

## 侵略

しんりやく, invasion (e.g. of a country), raid, aggression

## 用品

ようひん, articles, supplies (e.g. office supplies), things (for), utensils, goods, equipment

## 缶

かん, カン, can, tin, canned food, かま, boiler, ほとぎ, fat-bodied, small-mouthed earthenware jar for carrying water, water vessel used for a baby's first bath

## プライバシー

privacy

## 砂

すな, いさご, sand, grit

## 李

すもも, スモモ, Japanese plum (Prunus salicina), Chinese plum

## ポスター

poster

## 革新

かくしん, reform, innovation

## 衝突

しょうとつ, collision, crash, impact, running into, clash, skirmish, conflict, discord, quarrel, brush

## 匿名

とくめい, anonymity, using an assumed name

## ヤツ

ぜんかく, em, em quad (printing), full-width character

## トー

toe, toe (of a golf club)

## フランス語

フランスご, French (language)

## おお

large, big, great, major, important, serious, heavy, loud, older, senior, final, ultimate, rough, broad, general, oh!, good heavens!, ugh!, oh no!, ah!, the penny drops!, yes!, okay!

## 偉大

いだい, great, grand, magnificent, outstanding, mighty

## 黙っ

## 出資

しゅつし, investment, contribution, financing

## 何より

なにより, above anything else, above all, more than anything, best, greatest, excellent, wonderful, most important

## チップ

tip, gratuity, foul tip, tip (of a ballpoint pen), chip, microchip, chip (in poker, roulette, etc.), casino token, chip (shot), (wood) chip, (potato) chip, crisp

## 覚える

おぼえる, to memorize, to memorise, to commit to memory, to learn by heart, to bear in mind, to remember, to learn, to pick up, to acquire, to feel, to think, to regard

## 迷っ

## シュート

shooting (a ball), shot (on basket, at goal, etc.), shuuto (type of pitch commonly used in Japan), shootball, shoot (of a tree or plant), chute

## 拝見

はいけん, seeing, looking at

## 居住

きょじゅう, residence, abode, dwelling

## 抽象

ちゅうしょう, abstraction

## 著書

ちよしょ, (written) work, book, writings

## 孫

まご, grandchild, そん, descendant (usu. of a certain generation), lineage, pedigree, grandchild

## 集まる

あつまる, to gather, to collect, to assemble

## 楽しめ

## スクリーン

screen

## 理

り, reason, principle, logic, general principle (as opposed to individual concrete phenomenon), the underlying principles of the cosmos (in neo-Confucianism), ことわり, reason, logic, sense, natural way of things

## マッチ

match (for lighting a fire), match (contest), matching (with), going well (with)

## 逆転

ぎゃくてん, reversal (of a situation), turnaround, turnabout, turning the tables, sudden change, reversal (of direction of rotation)

## まえ

in front (of), before (e.g. a building), before, earlier, previously, prior, ago, (minutes) to (the hour), (the) front, frontal part, fore, head (e.g. of a line), forward, ahead, (in the) presence (of), in front (of someone), previous (e.g. page), prior (e.g. engagement), first (e.g. half), former (e.g. example), portion, helping, front (of one's body or clothing), breast (of a coat, kimono, etc.), privates, private parts, criminal record, previous conviction, (a) prior

## 諸君

しよくん, you (people), gentlemen, ladies and gentlemen, my friends, everyone

## 了解

りようかい, comprehension, consent, understanding, agreement, OK, roger

## スイッチ

switch

## ボックス

box, box (in theatre), booth (in restaurant, etc.), small rectangular building (e.g. telephone box), rectangular field area (batter's box, catcher's box), box (calfskin), central 4x4 area (othello)

## クルマ

car, automobile, vehicle, wheel, castor, caster

## 共和

きょうわ, republicanism, cooperation, working together