

vile

coda

ad-lib

dynamic

windy

antagonize

coda

1. 终曲

- ▶ *a song includes prelude, loud song and coda.*

vile

1. 丑陋的
2. 卑鄙的

dynamic

1. 有活力的，生动的
 - ▶ *a dynamic speech*

ad-lib

1. 即兴的 adj.

- ▶ *an ad-lib comedy routine* 即兴的喜剧表演

antagonize

1. 反对、敌对

- ▶ *antagonize a bill* 反对一项议案

2. 激怒 **provoke the hostility of**

- ▶ *his remark antagonized his friends*

windy

1. 啰嗦的，冗长的 verbose
 - ▶ *a windy salesman*

tenuous

forage

adhere

tenable

conjure

varnish

1. 寻找

tenuous

1. 没有实际内容的，空洞的
 - ▶ *a tenuous argument*

tenable

1. 有据可依的，无懈可击的
 - ▶ *a tenable theory* 站得住脚的理论

adhere

1. 坚定地支持 (坚信)v.

- ▶ *Our coach adheres the belief that we can win the game.*

2. 遵从，服从 v.

- ▶ *adhere to the rule*

3. 依附，黏着（在表面）

- ▶ *adhere to the surface*

varnish

1. 上清漆，使得有光泽
2. 粉饰（令人不悦的东西）
 - ▶ *she tried to varnish her mistakes* 她试图粉饰她的错误

conjure

1. 请求 plea

- ▶ *I conjure you to hear my voice*

2. 在脑海中浮现，想起

- ▶ *conjure up memories of our honeymoon*

compose

turbid

barter

apoplectic

assuage

welter

turbid

1. (水等) 浑浊的
 - ▶ *a turbid stream*

compose

1. 使镇定 calm

- ▶ *she took a deep breath and composed herself*

2. 组成，构成 constitute

apoplectic

1. 极度愤怒的 extremely angry
 - ▶ *he become apoplectic about the waste of government spending*

barter

1. 以物换物 to trade without the exchange of money
 - ▶ *barter wheat for cotton*

welter

1. 动乱，混乱

- ▶ *the troop withdraw would plunge the country into a welter of anarchy and endless civil war*

assuage

1. 减轻，缓和
2. 平息，抚慰 appease, pacify
3. 使满足 satisfying
 - ▶ *assuage his thirst* 解渴
 - ▶ that meal certainly assuaged my hunger 那顿大餐满足了我的口腹之欲

vex

sweltering

avowal

terror

vicissitude

domineer

sweltering

1. 炎热的，酷热的

- ▶ *the air conditon is broken,
and it was sweltering in the
room*

1. 使烦恼，使懊恼

- ▶ *she was vexed by her son*

terror

1. 极度恐惧的

- ▶ *many civilians fled in terror*

1. 承认，公开宣布

domineer

1. 专制统治，作威作福，专横跋扈

vicissitude

1. 沧桑变换，自然兴衰

- *vicissitude of daily life*

crest

backslide

overwrought

tenacious

virtuous

coop

backslide

1. 倒退 revert to a worse condition

crest

1. 顶部

- ▶ *on the crest of wave* 如日中天

tenacious

1. 顽固的，不屈不挠的

- ▶ *a tenacious advocate of civil rights* 公民权利的坚定捍卫者

2. 黏着的

overwrought

1. 情绪激动的，十分不安的

- ▶ *she become overwrought when hearing her child is missing*

2. (辞藻) 过分华丽的

coop

1. 监禁，困于... 之中 to confine
in a restricted area

virtuous

1. 品德高尚的，正直的

vociferous

combustible

amorphous

adumbrate

figment

disinter

combustible

1. 可燃的

- ▶ *combustible gas* 可燃气体

2. 容易激动的

vociferous

1. 喧闹的，大叫大嚷的

- ▶ *vociferous opponents of the bill protest*

adumbrate

1. 有保留的揭露（类似于 disclose, 程度没有那么深）
 - ▶ *adumbrate a plan* 透露了一个计划
2. 预示

amorphous

1. 无固定形状的 shapeless
2. 不可归类的 unclassifiable
 - ▶ *an amorphous segment of society* 不可归类的社会阶段

disinter

1. (从墓地里) 掘出 **unearth**

figment

1. 虚构的事物，幻觉

untenable

bustle

anonymous

waylay

reverberate

dapper

bustle

1. 混乱，喧闹

- ▶ *the hustle and bustle of the big city* 熙熙攘攘的大城市

2. (快速的) 行走，奔忙

- ▶ *the hostess bustled about, taking care of last-minute preparations for the party*

untenable

1. 站不住脚的，防守不住的
 - ▶ *an untenable position*

1. 伏击，埋伏

anonymous

1. 匿名的
2. 无特色的

- ▶ *anonymous face in the crowd*
人群之中的大众脸

dapper

1. 有斑点的，花的

- *a dappled fawn* 一只小花鹿

2. 色彩斑斓的

reverberate

1. (声音) 回响

blast

anemic

fad

antediluvian

bedeck

turpitude

anemic

1. 缺乏活力的，疲软的

- ▶ *stock's anemic performance*
股市低迷的表现

blast

1. 爆炸

- ▶ *blast wind of a nuclear bomb*
原子弹的冲击波

2. 一阵猛烈的风

- ▶ *blasts of bleak air* 阵阵阴风

3. 巨响

- ▶ *a sharp blast of the horn*
startled the other driver 尖锐
刺耳的喇叭声惊吓到了另一
名司机

4. 炸裂，爆破

- ▶ *blast a hill in order to put a*

antediluvian

1. 非常古老的，过时的
2. 保守的人

fad

1. 风尚，时尚

- ▶ *fad for that kind of music*

turpitude

1. 卑鄙，可耻

bedeck

1. 点缀，装饰

- *bedeck with jewels* 用珠宝装饰

voyeur

applicable

supine

apprehensio

delegate

trite

applicable

1. 可用的，可行的

- *is this law applicable in this case?*

2. 相关的，切题的 german, relevant

- *his comment is applicable to our discussion*

3. 合适的，恰当的

- *applicable words*

voyeur

1. 偷窥狂

apprehension

1. 忧虑，恐惧

- ▶ *she had a strong apprehension of her sister's health*

2. 逮捕

- ▶ *the apprehension of the thief*

3. 理解

- ▶ *a good apprehension of how computer systems work.*

supine

1. 懒散的

- ▶ *supine government officers*

1. 陈腐的，陈词滥调的

delegate

1. 代表
2. (把责任) 移交, consign
 - *delegate authorities to subordinates*

thick-
skinned

svelte

deplorable

vanquish

anesthetic

veritable

svelte

1. (女人) 体态苗条的，优雅的
 - *svelte dancer*

thick-skinned

1. 冷漠无情的，不考虑他人感受的

vanquish

1. 征服，击败

- ▶ *he vanquished his inner heart*
他征服了自己的内心

deplorable

1. 可耻的，可鄙的

- *deplorable behaviors* 可耻的行为

2. 悲惨的，可悲的

- *the workers are under deplorable condition*

veritable

1. 真正的，确实的

- ▶ *a veritable manuscript*

anesthetic

1. 止痛剂
2. 无感觉的，麻木的
 - ▶ *be anesthetic to their feelings*

aseptic

pragmatic

foreground

crow

stigmatize

crook

pragmatic

1. 实用主义的

aseptic

1. 消毒的
2. 缺乏活力的 inactive
3. 冷漠的 lacking emotion

crow

1. 感到高兴

- ▶ *have a high GPA is a thing
have to crow about*

2. 自鸣得意

foreground

1. 强调, 重视 emphasize

- ▶ *he foreground his experience of coding*

crook

1. 使弯曲

- ▶ *crook your finger to pull the trigger* 弯曲手指来扣动扳机

stigmatize

1. 使蒙上污名

crave

fabulous

croon

valiant

yokel

canvass

fabulous

1. 传说中的

- ▶ *Phoenix is a fabulous bird*

2. 幻想中的，不真实的

- ▶ *a story of fabulous land* 世外桃源

3. 令人称道、令人称奇的

4. 极好的 extremely pleasing and successful

crave

1. 热望, 渴望 have a intense desire for
 - *crave alcohols and cigarettes*
渴望烟酒

valiant

1. 勇敢的，英勇的

- ▶ *a valiant and moral knight*

croon

1. 低声说话或唱歌 speak or sing in a gentle murmuring manner
 - ▶ *croon mellow tunes* 低声唱柔和的曲子

canvass

1. 仔细检查

- ▶ *the evidence has been repeated canvassed in American courts.*

2. 游说，拉票

- ▶ *canvass voters* 拉选票

1. 乡下人

ravenous

tether

windbag

decadence

acrimonious

gawky

tether

1. (用绳子、铁链) 系、栓住

▶ *tether the horse in the shade*

2. 能力或忍耐力的极限

ravenous

1. 贪婪的，食欲大的
 - ▶ *ravenous for power*

decadence

1. 衰落，颓废

- ▶ *The book condemns the decadence of modern society.*

1. 健谈的人

gawky

1. 笨拙的

acrimonious

1. 刻薄的，充满仇恨的

- ▶ *the acrimonious debate
between the two candidates*

voluptuous

disinclination

volatile

sunder

blur

agrandize

disinclination

1. 不喜欢，厌恶，不情愿

voluptuous

1. 骄奢淫逸的，沉溺酒色的

- ▶ *they spent a long and voluptuous holiday in Roma*

sunder

1. 分裂，分离

- ▶ *a city sundered by racial conflicts*

volatile

1. 多变的

- ▶ *a boss of volatile mood* 性情多变的老板

aggrandize

1. 提高（身份，社会声誉等） v.
 - ▶ *exploit the situation to aggrandize himself.*

blur

1. (使) 变得朦胧，(使) 含混不清

- ▶ *sorrowful tears blurred her eyes*

2. 使不易理解

- ▶ *An article for the layman that blurs the distinction between the two kinds of cholesterol.* 一篇针对普通读者的文章，对两种胆固醇的表述含混不清。

zesty

appeal

plush

turmoil

taut

efficacious

appeal

1. 申请
2. 起诉 charge with a crime,
accuse

1. 刺激的，开胃的
 - ▶ *a zesty sauce*

turmoil

1. 丧乱，混乱

- ▶ *his mind is in a turmoil*

plush

1. 味道浓郁的

- ▶ *a plush, ripe wine* (味道浓郁香醇的酒)

2. 奢侈豪华的

- ▶ *a plush castle* (奢华的城堡)

efficacious

1. 有效的

- ▶ *efficacious ways to learning new stuff.*

taut

1. 拉紧的，紧绷的，肌肉结实的
 - *taut muscles*
2. 整洁的

feisty

contemplate

unremitting

decipher

abnegate

adulterate

contemplate

1. 沉思，仔细考虑

- ▶ *contemplate the problem for several hours*

1. 好斗的，好争论的

decipher

1. 破译
2. 对... 有清晰的想法，解读 to have a clear idea of

unremitting

1. 不停歇的

- ▶ *unremitting rains*

adulterate

1. 掺杂，加入低等成分

- ▶ *adulterate its product with cheap additives*

abnegate

1. 否认 deny, renounce
2. 投降，放弃
 - ▶ *abnegate his power* 交出她的权力

convert

connoisseur

taper

disavow

credit

cogent

connoisseur

1. 鉴赏家
2. 专家

convert

1. 改变宗教信仰的人
2. 使改变宗教信仰
3. 改变，转化
 - ▶ *convert water into ice*

disavow

1. 拒绝承认，否定

taper

1. (使) 逐渐变细

- ▶ *taper to a point*

2. 逐渐减少, 减弱

- ▶ *the storm finally tapered off*

cogent

1. 令人信服的 **convicing**
2. 相关的 **pertinent, relevant**

credit

1. 信任
2. 表扬

▶ *she deserves all the credits*

arable

boo

churl

anarchist

menial

whimsical

boo

1. 嘘 (表示不满或者嘲笑)

- ▶ *boo the actor off the stage* 把演员嘘下台

arable

1. 适合耕种的 (土地)

anarchist

1. 反抗权威的人 rebels agaist all kinds of authorities

churl

1. 粗野的人 a rude, boorish person
2. 吝嗇鬼

whimsical

1. 反复无常的，变化无常的

- ▶ *it's hard to make a plan with such a whimsical friends*

menial

1. 仆人

2. 卑微的

- ▶ *menial jobs* 卑微、下贱的工作

abominate

dissolute

careworn

apprehensiv

clout

vim

dissolute

1. 放荡的，无节制的
 - ▶ *lead a dissolute life*

abominate

1. 憎恶

- ▶ *I abominate jokes that make fun of people who have physical disabilities.*

apprehensive

1. 知晓，理解的

- ▶ *I'm fully apprehensive of the theory*

2. 恐惧的，害怕的

careworn

1. 忧心忡忡的，焦虑的 **anxious**
 - ▶ *a careworn face*

vim

1. 活力，精力

- ▶ *a little rest would give me back some of my vim*

clout

1. 权力，影响力

- ▶ *the queen may have privilege but she has no real political clout.* 女王拥有特权，但是没有实质上的政治影响力。

elude

remnant

atrocious

circumvent

ungainly

abiding

remnant

1. 残余物 (同 left over)

elude

1. 躲闪，躲避

- ▶ *successfully elude capture* 逃避追捕

2. 难住了，使困惑

- ▶ *a math problme elude them*
给数学题难住了

circumvent

1. 躲避，不遵从

- ▶ *he found a way to circumvent the law.* 他发现了一个逃避法律的方法

atrocious

1. 极坏的，极其残忍的

- ▶ *murder is an atrocious crime*

2. 让人极为不满意的 extremely unsatisfactory

- ▶ *the service on plane was atrocious*

abiding

1. 永久的 adj.

- ▶ *an abiding love of Espanol*

ungainly

1. 笨拙的

captivate

beleaguer

pedagogical

unctuous

coalesce

suppplicate

beleaguer

1. 包围，围攻

- ▶ *beleaguer the castle for months* 围攻城堡长达数月

2. 使困扰，使烦恼，使消沉

- ▶ *we are still beleaguered by the very problem*

captivate

1. 吸引 attract

- ▶ *I was captivated by her mind.*

unctuous

1. 油嘴滑舌的，谄媚的
2. 夸张的，做作的

pedagogical

1. 教师的，教学的

suppplicate

1. 恳求，请求

- ▶ *god is not just someone to be supplicated in times of trouble*

coalesce

1. 合并，融合，联合

- ▶ *different units coalesced into one army*

agreeable

swagger

balky

ballad

bombast

diurnal

swagger

1. 大摇大摆的走

- *swagger across the classroom*

2. 吹嘘，自夸 boast

agreeable

1. 愉悦的

2. 随和的

▸ *an agreeable teacher*

3. 相一致的

▸ *this new security measures are not agreeable with our core concepts of personal freedom.* 新的安全规定与我们所信仰的个人自由的规定不相一致。

ballad

1. 民歌

balky

1. 不服管束的，倔强的

diurnal

1. 白天的
2. 每天的
3. 期刊 a publication that appears at a regular interval

bombast

1. 夸大其词

tightfisted

warp

tangle

beholden

cunning

debark

warp

1. 使偏向

2. 歪曲，变形

▶ *the heat cause the wood to warp*

3. 曲解

▶ *the faulty English translation really warps the meaning of the original Chinese text.*

tightfisted

1. 吝啬的 stingy

beholden

1. 欠他人人情的

tangle

1. 困惑

▸ *be in a tangle*

2. 缠绕, 困扰

debark

1. 下船，下车，卸货，卸客等

cunning

1. 狡猾的

- ▶ *cunning tactics* 狡猾的战术

2. (手工) 灵巧的 skillful with the hands

- ▶ *cunning cabinetmaker* 手工灵巧、技艺高唱的家具工

3. 欺骗，欺诈 n.

splutter

cherubic

daft

caveat

abandon

dissolve

cherubic

1. 天使般可爱的，向小孩一样天真无邪的

splutter

1. 急切而不清楚地说

caveat

1. 警告，告诫

- *a final caveat* 最后的告诫

daft

1. 神经错乱的

- ▶ *the king was clearly daft, talking to trees and rocks*

2. 不明智的

- ▶ *it's truly a daft plan*

dissolve

1. 溶解，融化

- *sugar dissolve in water* 糖在水中溶解

2. 解散

3. 驱散

- *the mist dissolved in the morning sun* 雾消失在朝阳中

4. 废除，撤销

- *the king dissolved parliament*
国王解散了议会

abandon

1. 放纵 n.

- ▶ *add spices to the stew with complete abandon* 向炖菜里面肆无忌惮地加酱料

2. 放纵 v.

- ▶ *abandon oneself to emotion*
- ▶ *abandon herself to a life of complete idleness*

vaunt

claim

proprietary

dandy

conspire

atone

claim

1. 要求 (权利)
2. 断言 assert, allege
3. 剥夺生命

- ▶ *cancers claims hundreds of thousands of Americans each year.* 癌症每年剥夺千万美国人的生命

4. 权利

- ▶ *a shareholder has a claim in business* 股东在企业中有权利

vaunt

1. 吹噓 boast

dandy

1. 纨绔子弟
2. 最佳的，最好的 very best kind
 - ▶ *that's a dandy new racing bike.* 那是一辆最好的比赛用自行车

proprietary

1. 所有权 (同 ownership)

2. 私营的

- ▶ *a proprietary hospital* (私营医院)

atone

1. 赎罪，弥补

- ▶ *blood must atone for blood* 血
债血偿

conspire

1. 共谋，合谋

fanciful

wizen

cultivate

trumpet

restitution

bigot

1. 凋谢，枯萎 v. & adj.

fanciful

1. 幻想中的，不真实的 fabulous
 - ▶ *a fanciful tale of a monster in the wood*
2. 不切实际的，荒谬的
 - ▶ *a fanciful notion* 不切实际的空想

trumpet

1. 小号

2. 大声说出、宣布

- ▶ *trumping allegation of election fraud* 鼓吹选举作弊

cultivate

1. 提升，加强 improve by labor, care or study
 - *cultivate the mind* 开化心智
2. 种植，培养
 - *cultivate vegetables* 种植蔬菜

1. 固执己见的人，有偏见的人

restitution

1. 补偿，赔偿

court

bathetic

awkward

tamper

meretricious

volition

bathetic

1. 平凡的，陈腐的 trite,
commonplace

court

1. 追求

- ▶ *court the young lady by bring her flowers every day.*

tamper

1. 篡改，损害

- ▶ *tamper with tradition* 破坏了传统

2. 玩弄

- ▶ *do not tamper my feelings* 不要玩弄我的感情

awkward

1. 缺乏灵活性和技巧的
2. (处理问题) 缺乏手段和智谋的
3. 臃肿笨拙的，不雅的
4. 令人尴尬的
 - ▶ *the awkward situation of having to listen as your host and hostess quarrel loudly in the next room.*
5. (因为过大或过重) 难以操作的

volition

1. 意志，自由选择的行为
 - ▶ *beyond his volition and control*

meretricious

1. 俗气的，艳俗的 (同 flamboyant)

cling

cloying

blase

cavil

vorschafe

din

cloying

1. (感情) 甜的发腻的，感情用事的

cling

1. 粘结，粘合
2. 坚持
 - ▶ *cling to the old idea*

cavil

1. 挑剔，吹毛求疵 carp

blase

1. (放纵之后) 厌倦享乐的，腻烦的

- *years of extravagance has made him totally blase*

din

1. 喧闹声

- ▶ *the din of engines* 引擎的嘈杂声

2. 重复，使人厌烦的反复灌输 to say or state again

- ▶ *safety lessons dinned into us over and over* 我们一遍又一遍的接受安全教育

vorchsafe

1. 给予, 给予 (同 grant)
 - ▶ *vorchsafe an explanation*

surrogate

lag

vicious

accessory

explicate

lax

lag

1. 最终的

- *lag end of the project* (项目的最后)

2. 疲惫的行走，缓慢的行走

- *the tired dog is lagging the rest of the pack*

3. 萎靡，失去活力

- *during the forth quarter, the team seems to lag.*

surrogate

1. 替代品

accessory

1. 帮凶 n.

- ▶ *two accessories in the robbery case.*

2. 附属的，辅助的 adj.

vicious

1. 恶毒的

2. 猛烈的

▶ *a vicious storm*

lax

1. 松弛的，(要求) 宽松的，不严格的。
2. 懈怠

explicate

1. 解释, 说明 give a detailed explanation

bluff

coagulate

authentic

ambivalent

complacent

contrived

coagulate

1. (使) 凝结, (使) 变稠

- ▶ *the blood coagulate to stop wounds bleeding* 血液会凝结以防止伤口流血

bluff

1. (说话) 坦率的, 直接了当的

2. 欺骗

- ▶ *I successfully bluffed the interviewee as I'm an expert of Spark.*

ambivalent

1. (情感、态度等) 矛盾的

- ▶ *he maintained an ambivalent attitude towards religions throughout his life.* 他的一生都对宗教有矛盾的态度。

authentic

1. 真实的，非仿造的
2. 准确的 following an original exactly
 - *an authentic reconstruction of the Parthenon* 帕台农神殿的准确复制

contrived

1. 不自然的，刻意的，做作的
 - *contrived applause*

complacent

1. 自满的，自负的，自鸣得意的
2. 无所谓，不关心的
 - ▶ *we cannot be complacent about others' sufferings.*

trickle

scourge

idiosyncrasy

convolve

blunder

cascade

1. 祸害

trickle

1. 一滴一滴地流，缓缓地流
 - ▶ *tears trickles down his cheeks*

convoke

1. 召开会议

- *convoke Parliament* 召开国会

idiosyncrasy

1. 独特而奇怪的习惯，特质

cascade

1. 小瀑布

blunder

1. 过失，犯错误，糟蹋 v. & n.

2. 蹒跚

- ▶ *without my glass, I blundered into the wrong room*

dread

alloy

crumple

understate

untold

cellular

alloy

1. 合金
2. 掺杂, (降低纯度)
 - ▶ *idealism that was alloyed with political skills*

dread

1. 恐惧

- ▶ *we were filled with dread
when ...*

understate

1. 保守陈述

- ▶ *understate a problem*

crumple

1. 弄皱

- *crumple a piece of paper*

2. (因外力挤压而) 垮塌 to fall down

- *the box crumpled when I accidentally dropped a brick on it.* 我不小心扔了一块石头到那个盒子上面，它就倒塌了。

cellular

1. 多孔的

untold

1. 数不清的
 - ▶ *untold wealth*

forfeit

disarm

bewitching

charade

alacrity

dawdle

disarm

1. 解除武装
2. 使平息 **appease**
3. 使无害
 - ▶ *disarm a bomb* 拆除炸弹

forfeit

1. 罚金 penalty, punishment

charade

1. 装模做样

- ▶ *his concern was a charade* 他的关心只是装模作样

2. 动作字谜

bewitching

1. 迷人的，让人着迷的
 - ▶ *a bewitching women*

dawdle

1. 虚度光阴 dally

- *dawdle the day away* 虚度了一整天

2. 拖拖拉拉

- *If you continue to dawdle, we'll be late for sure.*

alacrity

1. 欣然同意，乐意 n.

- ▶ *accept the invitation with alacrity*

beset

committed

toady

carnal

accrete

vilify

committed

1. 忠诚的，忠实的

- ▶ *remain committed to one's youthful ideal*

beset

1. 苦恼，困扰

2. 攻击，袭击

- ▶ *the settlers are beset by savages.* 居住者收到土人的袭击

carnal

1. 肉体的

- *seen with carnal eyes* 用肉眼
看
- carnal remains 遗体

2. 世俗的 worldly

- *a carnal mind* 凡心

toady

1. 马屁精，拍马屁的 adj. & n.

1. 辱骂，诽谤

accrete

1. 逐渐增长

- ▶ *silt accrete at the mouth of the river* 泥沙在河口淤积

pointer

unwonted

despotic

acknowledge

temporal

dispose

unwonted

1. 不习惯的，不寻常的

pointer

1. 建议, 忠告 (同 advise)
2. 指针

acknowledge

1. 承认 admit

despotic

1. 专制的，独裁的

- *a despotic tyrant* 专制的暴君

dispose

1. 使倾向于 to give a tendency
to, incline
2. 处理掉 get rid of
3. 有序的布置
 - *dispose the surgical instruments in the exact order.*

temporal

1. 尘世的，世俗的

comprehend

blatant

compelling

misapprehen

infraction

carve

blatant

1. 喧闹的 **noisy**
2. (令人生厌的) 惹人注目的
 - *a blatant error in simple addition* 简单加法运算中的明显错误

comprehend

1. 理解
2. 包含, contain

misapprehension

1. 错误的理解，误判

compelling

1. 极具说服力的

- ▶ *a compelling argument*

2. 迫切的，紧迫的

- ▶ *compelling needs* 迫切的需求

carve

1. 雕刻

2. (通过长期的努力) 开创、开拓

- ▶ *carve out a niche* 开创了自己的天地
- ▶ *carve out a way through the enemy* 从敌营中杀出一条血路

infraction

1. 违背，违犯，违法

clamor

tonic

conservatory

trenchant

amenable

detour

tonic

1. 滋补的，有益健康的
 - *tonic medicine*

clamor

1. 喧闹，噪声

trenchant

1. 锐利的

- *trenchant sword* 锋利的剑

2. (言论) 一针见血的，精辟的

- *trenchant criticisms*

conservatory

1. 温室 greenhouse
2. 艺术学院

detour

1. 偏离正常标准

- *a brief detour on your road*

2. 改变方向或路线，绕道

- *detour for a few miles* 绕道几英里

amenable

1. 顺从的，服从的

- ▶ *she is not a amenable girl*

bound

consign

contumaciou

dishearten

compound

transparent

consign

1. 转交, 转移给他人

- *consign packages to my neighbors*

bound

1. 界限
2. 给... 设置界限
3. 投入的

dishearten

1. 使沮丧，使失去信心

- ▶ *we are all disheartened when hearing grandmother is seriously ill.*

contumacious

1. 不服从的，倔强的
disobedient, rebellious

transparent

1. 透明的
2. 清楚的，没有歧义的 obvious, clear
 - ▶ *his meaning is transparent*

compound

1. 混合物，混合的，混合 v. & n. & adj.
2. 增大，增多 to make greater in size and number
 - ▶ *we compounded our error* 我们增大了我们的错误
3. 和解，私了
 - ▶ *compounded a felony* 私了案件

crass

viscid

accommoda

cronyism

debut

sybarite

viscid

1. 有粘性的

- ▶ *viscid tree resin*

1. 粗俗的，愚钝的

cronyism

1. 任人唯亲

accommodate

1. 提供所需 (服务、贷款、食宿等)

- ▶ *the cruise ship was big enough to accommodate over 600 people*

2. 改变以适应新状况

- ▶ *accommodate the lectern to the height of the guest speaker.*

3. 使和谐 to bring to a state free of conflicts

1. 沉溺酒色之徒，骄奢淫逸之徒

debut

1. 初次登台演出 a first public appearance

- ▶ *made her single debut* 完成了她的处女秀

valediction

dingy

virulent

unletterd

veracious

consolidate

dingy

1. 昏暗的，肮脏的 darkened
and dirty

valediction

1. 告别 farewell, good-bye
2. 告别辞
 - ▶ *a valediction given by the college president*

unletterd

1. 未受教育的，文盲的

virulent

1. 有毒的

- ▶ *virulent bacteria*

2. 凶残的

- ▶ *a virulent look on his face*

consolidate

1. 使联合，使统一

- ▶ *consolidate several small school districts* 合并了几个校区

2. 加固，使安全

- ▶ *consolidate the defense line*
加固防线

veracious

1. 诚实的

- ▶ *a veracious witness*

2. 精确的

- ▶ *presents a fairly veracious picture*

surfeit

tepid

contiguous

tatty

covetous

waffle

tepid

1. 不太热心的，不关心的

- ▶ *a tepid response* 冷漠的回应

surfeit

1. 过量，过度 v. & n.

- ▶ *he surfeited himself with chocolate* 他吃了过量的巧克力

tatty

1. 破旧的，衣衫褴褛的
 - ▶ *a tatty shirt*

contiguous

1. 接壤的，相邻的

- ▶ *contiguous country at war*

waffle

1. 胡扯

- ▶ *the lecturer will waffle on for hours*

covetous

1. 贪婪的，渴求财富的
avaricious, avid

constitute

supplant

belabor

abridge

talisman

truant

supplant

1. 排挤，篡夺... 的低位 usurp the place of

- ▶ *old traditions were fading away and being supplanted by modern ways*

constitute

1. 指派, 任命 appoint

- ▶ *he was constituted manager*
他被任命为经理

2. 构成 compose, make up

- ▶ *water constitute the great part of human body*

abridge

1. 缩短（距离）

- ▶ *The modern transportation abridge distance.*

2. 缩减（文章篇幅）

belabor

1. (当众) 严厉批评

- ▶ *it's not wise to belabor other's flaws when you're hardly perfect yourself*

2. 喋喋不休，就... 做过度的说明

- ▶ *belabor the obvious*

truant

1. 逃避责任，逃避责任的人 v. & n.
 - ▶ *play truant* 逃学

1. 护身符

array

acquisitive

contend

vertigo

concur

clandestine

acquisitive

1. 贪婪的

- *acquisitive developers* 贪婪的
开发商

array

1. 排列，摆放

2. 装饰，修饰

- *a door arrayed for the anniversary*

vertigo

1. 眩晕 dizzy

contend

1. 竞争，斗争

- ▶ *contend for the championship*

2. 主张，声称

- ▶ *He contended that his opponent was wrong.*

clandestine

1. 隐藏的，秘密的

concur

1. 同意

- ▶ *concur with an excellent idea*

2. 同时发生的

3. 团队合作

- ▶ *all people concur to pass the reform legislation* 所有人团结起来使改革法案获得通过

vehement

understudy

urbane

condole

vitiate

unkempt

understudy

1. 替补演员

- ▶ *be an understudy to do sth* 作为某人的替补

vehement

1. (情感) 强烈的，热情的

condole

1. 表达同情

- ▶ *we condole with him on the dearth of his father*

urbane

1. 彬彬有礼的, 文雅的
 - ▶ *an urbane gentleman*

unkempt

1. 混乱的，凌乱的，无序的
 - ▶ *unkempt hotel room*

vitiate

1. 削弱

- ▶ *too many grammatical errors can vitiate the soundness of your writing.*

2. (道德上) 堕落、降低

palaver

turgid

maneuver

ascendant

whiff

veto

turgid

1. 浮夸的，过分装饰的

- *turgid prose* 浮夸的文风

palaver

1. 闲聊，空谈

ascendant

1. 有影响力的，主宰的

- ▶ *this idea was in the ascendant*
处于主导地位的思想

2. 上升的 arising

maneuver

1. 巧妙地操纵

- ▶ *they maneuver him into signing the contract* (操作诱使他签署合同)

veto

1. 投票否决

- ▶ *the president vetoed the bill*

whiff

1. 微风

▸ *a whiff of fresh air*

2. 轻微的信号，痕迹

plodder

carp

waddle

dodder

dashing

cement

carp

1. 对小事挑剔的，吹毛求疵的 cavil

- *carp about the order of names on the wedding invitations*

1. 行走缓慢的人

1. 蹣跚而行

waddle

1. 摇摇摆摆地走

- ▶ *the duck waddle back into the water*

cement

1. 粘合，粘合剂 n. & v.

- ▶ *justice is the cement that holds a political community together.* 正义是让政治团体团结的粘合剂

dashing

1. 大胆的，爱冒险的
 - ▶ *a dashing hero*

dire

hobble

superimpose

baroque

bash

vestige

hobble

1. 蹣跚而行
2. 阻碍

dire

1. 挽歌
2. 可怕的，恐惧的 fear
3. 迫切的 urgent
4. 悲惨的
 - *dire days* 悲惨的日子

baroque

1. 装饰华丽的，过分雕琢的，复杂的
 - ▶ *a baroque prose* 辞藻华丽的散文
2. (程度上) 过分的 exorbitant, extravagant

superimpose

1. 增加 (声、色), 使得形象更加清楚、生动

- ▶ *she superimposed her own interpretation into the story when she retold the story*

vestige

1. 微小的遗迹，小痕迹

- ▶ *vestige of the lost civilization*

bash

1. 猛击 n. & v.
 - *bash on his head*
2. 抨击，严厉批评

automatic

clarion

caprice

desultory

consequence

unflappable

clarion

1. 响亮的 loud and clear

- ▶ *clarion call for democracy* 对民主的高声呼吁
- ▶ the internationale is a clarion call to the labouring people in the world 国际歌是唤醒全世界劳动人民的响亮号角

automatic

1. 自动的
2. 自发的，情不自禁的，不经意的

▸ *carl's automatic use of brake averted a collion* 卡尔不经意的刹车避免的车祸

desultory

1. 无计划、无目的的

- *a desultory search of something interesting on TV*

2. 令人失望的

caprice

1. 一时的冲动

- ▶ *an out-of-character caprice led him to take the day off from work to go to the beach*

2. 反复无常，善变 inclination to change one's mind impulsively.

unflappable

1. 镇定的，从容不迫的

consequence

1. 结果
2. 重要性，价值 importance,
moment
 - ▶ *a mistake of no consequence*
不重要的错误

corrugated

ticklist

distal

petulant

peculiarity

affliction

ticklist

1. 易怒的 easily offended
2. 棘手的
 - *ticklist tasks*

corrugated

1. 皱褶的

- ▶ *a corrugated paper* 有皱褶的纸

petulant

1. 易怒的

- ▶ *a petulant person*

distal

1. 远离中心的, (神经) 末梢的
 - ▶ *the distal end of nerve* 神经末梢

affliction

1. 痛苦，苦难，折磨

- ▶ *she was with great affliction
when hearing daughters'
sufferings*

peculiarity

1. 特征，特点

bland

demote

clarity

adventitious

discompose

toy

demote

1. 降职

bland

1. 味道平淡的，清淡的，不刺激的
‣ *bland diet* 清单温和的食物
2. 无趣的 **dull, boring**
‣ *a bland story*
3. 温和的，和蔼的
‣ *a bland smile*

adventitious

1. 后天的，（后天通过努力习得的），非内在的
 - ▶ *Moral considerations are adventitious to the study of art.*

clarity

1. 清楚 lucidity

2. 清澈透明

- ▶ *mountain streams with water of incredible clarity* 难以置信的清澈透明的山涧

1. 敷衍，草率而不认真地对待
 - ▶ *do not toy with the microscope*

discompose

1. 使不安
2. 使混乱

debase

categorical

vulgar

palpitation

compromise

dissipate

categorical

1. 没有例外的，绝对的 **absolute**
 - ▶ *a categorical denial* 完全的否定

debase

1. 降低, 贬损 `demean`

palpitation

1. (有节奏的) 舒张收缩

- *palpitation of blood vessels*

vulgar

1. 粗俗的

- ▶ *a vulgar man*

2. 口语的，口头的，非正式的

- ▶ *Latin was once the language of scholars, and English the vulgar languages used by common people*

dissipate

1. 驱散

- ▶ *the wind finally dissipate the smoke*

2. 浪费 squander

3. 放纵 indulge

compromise

1. 妥协
2. 使危险 to place in danger
 - ▶ *this statement would compromise our national security* 这个言论可能会威胁国家安全

convene

analgesic

daunt

bumble

agility

travail

analgesic

1. 镇痛剂

- ▶ *aspirin is a kind of analgesic*

convene

1. 召集

- ▶ *convene members of the council for an emergency session*

2. 聚集

- ▶ *the students are convene in the hall for the principal's address*

bumble

1. 含混不清、毫无逻辑地说
 - *bumble through the speech*
2. 笨拙地行动

daunt

1. 使胆怯，吓到

- ▶ *She was not at all daunted by the size of the problem.*

travail

1. 辛苦劳作

- ▶ *Labor Day is the day on which we recognize those men and women who daily travail with little appreciation or compensation*

agility

1. 灵敏, 敏捷

blazon

discombobu

convention

disengage

nirvana

tangy

discombobulate

1. 使不安、使混乱 **confuse**

blazon

1. 使知名 make known openly and publicly
 - ▶ *their very public canoodling has pretty much blazoned the fact that they have an affair*
2. 装饰，装扮 bedeck

disengage

1. 分开，使脱离 to set free from entanglement or difficulty

- ▶ *seek to disengage myself from the embarrassing situation.*

试图把我自己从尴尬的氛围中解救出来

convention

1. 习俗，习惯

- ▶ *by convention, north is the top of most maps*

2. 公约，协议

- ▶ *Geneva convention* 日内瓦公约

3. 大会，集会 assembly, council

1. (味道等) 刺激的 pungent
 - ▶ *a tangy sauce* 味道刺激的酱料

nirvana

1. 彻底放松

- ▶ *he was in a week of nirvana after the finals*

2. 极乐世界，天堂

vouch

adulate

dissemble

antic

venal

consonant

adulate

1. 极度谄媚的 praise too much

vouch

1. 担保，声称为真

- *vouch for her integrity* 担保她的人格

antic

1. 滑稽可笑的

- ▶ *the clown came on with so many antic gestures*

dissemble

1. 掩饰

- ▶ *dissemble fear with a smile*

consonant

1. 和谐一致的 being in agreement

- ▶ *his performance was rarely consonant with his reputation*
他名不副实

1. 贪污受贿的

- ▶ *a judge who is know for being venal and easily bought* 一个因为贪污受贿，容易被收买而闻名的法官

commiserate

alienate

premeditate

dank

exercice

threadbare

alienate

1. 疏远
2. 转让，让渡（权利、所有权等）
 - ▶ *a landowner has a right to alienate his right of ownership.*

commiserate

1. 同情

- ▶ *he commiserate over their failure*

dank

1. 阴湿的 wet

- *vegetables tended to go bad quickly in the dank cellar.* 蔬菜在潮湿的地下室很容易变坏

premeditate

1. 预谋

threadbare

1. 陈腐的

- ▶ *a novel filled with nothing but threadbare cliché* 充满陈词滥调的小说

2. 贫穷的

- ▶ *she has so many threadbare relatives* 有很多穷亲戚

3. 破烂的

- ▶ *a threadbare shirt*

exorcise

1. 去除, get rid of

- ▶ *please exorcise those offensive words from your dictionary*

coronation

discretionary

coltish

swerve

aspersion

temporize

discretionary

1. 自主决定的

- ▶ *In many restaurants, discretionary tipping is being replaced by a standard service charge.* 在很多的饭店，标准的服务价格取代了随意支付的小费。

coronation

1. 加冕，加冕礼

swerve

1. 突然改变方向

- ▶ *the car swerve sharply*

1. 不守纪律的
2. 爱开玩笑的

temporize

1. 躲躲闪闪的，躲避争论 **act evasively**

aspersion

1. 诽谤，中伤

decadent

sancrosanct

cognizant

dictate

vigorous

catholic

1. 神圣不可侵犯的

decadent

1. 堕落的，腐败的
2. 堕落腐败的人

dictate

1. 指令, 命令
2. 下令

cognizant

1. 意识到，知道的 aware

- ▶ *we are cognizant of the problem* 我们意识到了这个问题。

catholic

1. 普遍的，包容的

- ▶ *a catholic taste in music* 对音乐兼容并包的口味

vigorous

1. 精力旺盛的
2. 强健的

wholesome

abysmal

alibi

uncouth

commotion

divulge

abysmal

1. 卑微可怜的 adj.

- ▶ *abysmal living condition*

2. 极端的 adj. extreme

- ▶ *abysmal ignorance* 极端的无知
- ▶ *abysmal cliff* 深不见底

wholesome

1. 有益身心健康的
 - *a wholesome diet*

uncouth

1. 粗俗的，没有品位的

- *uncouth humor* 恶俗的幽默

alibi

1. 托词，借口，不在场证明 n.
 - ▶ *He always has a very creative alibi for undone homework.*

divulge

1. 泄露 (秘密)

- ▶ *refuse to divulge details of the neogotiations* 拒绝透露谈判细节

commotion

1. 骚乱

incentive

onset

acumen

unavailing

willful

tactile

onset

1. 进攻 (同 attack)
2. 开始, 开端

incentive

1. 刺激，诱因，使人去做某事的动力

unavailing

1. 徒劳的

- ▶ *an unavailing effort to avert a war*

acumen

1. 不同寻常的洞察力 (商业眼光等)n.
 - ▶ *the bussiness acumen*

tactile

1. 有触觉的，能感触到的

- ▶ *teh thick brushshrokes give the painting a tactile quality*

willful

1. 固执的，倔强的

- ▶ *willful child*

2. 故意的

- ▶ *a willful attempt*

blunt

channel

chary

sequel

axiomatic

disgorge

channel

1. 水渠

2. 海峡

3. 投入 (精力等)

- ▶ *he channeled all of his energy into sports*

blunt

1. 使边钝
2. 减弱 (力度等) to reduce or weaken
 - ▶ *the abrupt music blunted the effort of the movie's final tragic scene*
3. 直率的

1. 结果

chary

1. 非常谨慎 very cautious

disgorge

1. 呕吐出
2. 被迫放弃 to give up on request or under pressure

axiomatic

1. 公理的
2. 不言自明的 self-evident
 - ▶ *an axiomatic truth*

debonair

confluence

venial

cipher

fervent

apposite

confluence

1. 合并，汇合

debonair

1. 无忧无虑的，满不在乎的
 - *debonair manner*
2. 风度翩翩的
 - *a debonair gentleman*

cipher

1. 无价值、无影响的人

- *the intern is mere cipher in the company* 实习生在这间公司里面无足轻重。

2. 计算 (价值)

- *we were surprised by how much we had spent on the cruise after we had ciphered out the grand total.* 当我们计算出乘船游览的总花费的时候，我们都给震惊了

venial

1. 可宽恕的 forgivable, excusable

- ▶ *a venial offense* 可宽恕的罪行

apposite

1. 相关的，合适的 highly pertinent, appropriate

fervent

1. 充满情感的，热情洋溢的
 - ▶ *a fervent speech*

divestiture

vernacular

suture

barren

despise

bait

vernacular

1. 方言
2. 口语的，非正式的
 - ▶ *write eassy in a very easy-to-read, vernacular sytle*

divestiture

1. 剥夺

- *divestiture of neutrality* 缺乏中立

barren

1. 不孕不育的

▸ *a poor, barren woman*

2. 没有结果的，无效的

producing no results

3. 贫瘠的

▸ *barren desert and wasteland*

4. 极度缺乏的 utterly lacking something needed

suture

1. 缝合

- ▶ *the doctor cleaned, sutured, and bandaged the wound.* 医生将伤口清洗、缝合、包扎

bait

1. 逗弄，激怒

2. 引诱

3. 诱饵

- ▶ *the squad leader had finally realize that his team was a bait*

despise

1. 极其不喜欢的 **dislike strongly**

wiretap

exterminate

commensens

affix

supposition

trespass

exterminate

1. 根除，消灭

wiretap

1. 偷听，监听

affix

1. 粘合

- ▶ *affix a stamp to the letter*

commensensical

1. 符合常识的，有依据的。

trespass

1. 非法入侵，违反，冒犯 offense

- ▶ *he trespassed all of us* 他冒犯了我们所有人

supposition

1. 猜想，推测

chord

diminish

telling

boggle

abreast

aggravate

diminish

1. 使减小，使削弱
2. 轻视，贬低

chord

1. 与... 和谐一致, 符合 to be in accord, agree

- ▶ *the revised system chords perfectly with the original goals.* 新版的系统非常符合最初的目标

boggle

1. (因为怀疑、恐惧) 犹豫

hesitate

▸ *boggle at the dilemma*

2. 笨拙地做

telling

1. 有效的，显著的 effective,
expressive
 - ▶ *the most telling evidence* 有
力的证据

aggravate

1. 使恼火（同 annoy） v.

- ▶ *Their behavior really aggravate me.*

2. 加重，恶化 v.

abreast

1. 并排的

2. 熟悉的，熟知的

- ▶ *she tries to keep abreast of the latest fashion of fashion trends*

cavort

abjure

turncoat

debunk

bliss

travesty

abjure

1. 发誓放弃

- *abjure one's belief*

2. 抵制，避免

- *abjure extravagance* 抵制浪费

cavort

1. 雀跃，欢快地奔走或跳跃

- ▶ *children are cavorting in the sand*

debunk

1. 揭穿... 的真面目 reveal the true nature of
2. 证明... 为假 to prove to be false

turncoat

1. 叛徒

travesty

1. 拙劣、嘲弄性的模仿

- ▶ *a travesty of his classmate's manner*

bliss

1. 极度快乐

2. 极乐世界

- ▶ *road to the etrnal bliss* 通往永恒乐土的道路

credulous

artight

antithetical

agape

babble

toysy-
turvy

artight

1. 无瑕疵的 adj.

- ▶ *an artight argument* 无懈可击的陈述

2. 密封的，不透气的

credulous

1. 轻信的，易受骗的 gullible

agape

1. 惊讶的，目瞪口呆
2. (嘴巴) 大张的

antithetical

1. 对立的，完全相反的

- ▶ *spiritual ideas seem to antithetical to the materialism*

toysy-turvy

1. 混乱的，不整洁的

- ▶ *the office is toysy-turvy*

babble

1. 发出含糊而没有意义的嘟囔声
utter meaningless words or sounds
 - ▶ *babbies babble before they can talk.*
2. 闲聊
 - ▶ *the little girls babbled for the whole ride home*

baffle

congruent

bootless

syllogism

badinage

beseech

congruent

1. 和谐一致的

- *a theory that congruent with known facts*

2. 全等的

- *congruent triangles* 全等三角形

baffle

1. 挫败，阻挠

- ▶ *baffled by the language barriers* 因语言障碍受阻

2. 是困惑，为难

- ▶ *I was baffled by many scientific terms in this article*

syllogism

1. 演绎，由一般到特殊的推理
reasoning from general to
specific, deduction

bootless

1. 无用的 futile, useless

beseech

1. (急切地) 恳求 beg

- ▶ *they besought the military to act immediately*

badinage

1. 打趣，善意的玩笑 banter

fallible

contagious

tumult

succumb

compliment

disjunctive

contagious

1. 传染性的

- *contagious disease*

2. (情感、情绪等) 能引起共鸣的

- *the enthusiasm of the new club member was contagious*
俱乐部新成员的热情很有感染力

fallible

1. 可能出错的

succumb

1. 屈服

- *She refused to succumb to her fears*

2. 死亡

tumult

1. 骚动, 暴动

- ▶ *his mind is in a tumult*

disjunctive

1. 分离的

- ▶ *a disjunctive narrative sequence* 分散的叙述顺序

compliment

1. 称赞，恭维 praise, commend
2. 敬意，免费赠送的礼物
 - ▶ *how about a delicious dessert then, with our compliment?*
要不要给您点上甜点，算是我们的小小敬意。

cachet

unwitting

disparage

courteous

conform

brim

unwitting

1. 不经意的，未察觉的

- ▶ *please forgive me unwitting interruption of your conversation*

2. 偶然的，并非有意的

- ▶ *unwitting mistakes*

cachet

1. 名望，威望

- ▶ *federal courts have a certain cachet which state courts lack.*

courteous

1. 有礼貌的

- ▶ *courteous responses*

disparage

1. 贬低，轻蔑地说

- ▶ *use the past to disparage the present* 借古讽今

brim

1. 边缘

- *brim of the teacup.*

2. 充满

- *eyes brimming with tears* 眼
含热泪

3. 加满，倒满 (水等)

- *he brimed the glass with milk.*

conform

1. 协调，调和

- ▶ *conform the new rules to the existing policies*
- ▶ conform my behaviour to the society

2. 遵照，尊崇的

- ▶ *conform to others wishes*

wrest

chaperone

groggy

turbulent

bargain

approximation

chaperone

1. 同行，护送 escort

wrest

1. 拧 (瓶盖之类的)

2. 辛苦的获得

- ▶ *the farmer wrests a living from the barren land.*

turbulent

1. 动荡的 marked by sudden or violent disturbance
 - ▶ *a turbulent period of history*
历史上的动荡时期
2. 水流湍急的，汹涌的

groggy

1. 虚弱的

- ▶ *she looks groggy.*

2. 头脑不清醒的

- ▶ *the medicine sometimes make patients groggy.*

approbation

1. 同意

- ▶ *the proposal met her approbation* 这项建议得到了她的同意

bargain

1. 协议 agreement

- ▶ *they made a bargain that one should help other the next week.*

2. 讨价还价

venerate

barb

backfire

staunch

tender

fitfull

1. 尖利地批评

venerate

1. 尊敬 respect

- ▶ *she is venerated by the public*

staunch

1. 忠诚的，坚定的

- ▶ *staunch believer of democratic system*

backfire

1. 事与愿违

fitfull

1. 无规律的，混乱的
 - *fitfull sleep*

tender

1. 正式提出

- ▶ *tender a letter of resignation*
提交辞职信

2. 考虑周到的，关心同情的

- ▶ *an especially tender teacher*

asperity

bifurcate

accede

blurt

brandish

timeworn

bifurcate

1. (使) 分成两支

- ▶ *their visions of the company's futurn slowly begun to bifurcate* 他们关于公司未来的构想渐渐出现了分歧

asperity

1. (举止、性情) 粗暴 roughness
 - ▶ *she responded with such asperity*
2. (环境) 艰苦 rigor, severity
 - ▶ *he has encountered more than his share of asperities on the road to success.*

blurt

1. 脱口而出

- ▶ *blurut out the secret*

accede

1. 就任，就职 v.
 - *accede to the throne*
2. 同意 v.

timeworn

1. 陈腐的

- ▶ *timeworn jokes*

brandish

1. 有威胁的挥动 shake or wave
menacingly
 - ▶ *the suspect was brandishing a knife.*

implicit

arcane

abrade

distraught

forsake

retentive

arcane

1. 晦涩难懂的 ambiguous
2. 深奥的 abstruse

implicit

1. 心照不宣的，不言而喻的

- *implicit agreement* (心照不宣的约定)

2. 没有疑问的

- *implicit trust* (百分之百的信任)

distraught

1. 精神错乱的，极其疯狂的

abrade

1. 磨损，精神上折磨

- ▶ *my skin was abraded*

retentive

1. 记性好的

forsake

1. 彻底放弃，抛弃

- ▶ *forsake most of their possessions*

accord

felony

screen

grumble

tacit

countenance

felony

1. 重罪

accord

1. 一致的

- *dresses in accord with status*

2. 相符合，相一致

- *a theory that accords with the known facts*

3. 授予，给予 grant

- *women were finally accorded rights to vote in 1920*

grumble

1. 抱怨、埋怨 (complain)

screen

1. 保护、庇护
2. 屏风，遮盖物
3. 掩护、遮掩

countenance

1. 容忍

- ▶ *the college administration will not countenance with cheating*

2. 赞成，推崇

- ▶ *I don't countenance such behavior in children of any age.*

tacit

1. 暗示的 implied or indicated
but not actually expressed

concentrate

animus

aggrieve

baleful

dally

cleave

animus

1. 敌意

concentrate

1. 集中
2. 浓缩

▶ *concentrate the sap* 浓缩汁液

3. 聚集

baleful

1. 有害的
2. 凶兆的，凶恶的
 - ▶ *a baleful look* 面露凶色
3. 致命的
 - ▶ *a medicine that is beneficial in small doses but baleful in large*

aggrieve

1. 使痛苦，使悲痛 agnoize

cleave

1. 紧贴，坚持

- ▶ *you should cleave to the facts in your report.*

2. 割裂，劈开 split

dally

1. 虚度光阴

- ▶ *I kept dally at my desk for the whole afternoon.*

2. 玩乐

- ▶ *He spent his college years dallying.* 他在大学里面不学习

3. 慢吞吞，磨磨蹭蹭

- ▶ *Don't dally on the way to interview.* 别在去采访的路上慢慢吞吞。

asunder

tractable

COy

amble

diocesan

disseminate

tractable

1. 可控制的，易驾驭的，温顺的
docile
 - ▶ *a tractable horse*

asunder

1. 分离的

- ▶ *broken asunder* 打碎
- ▶ a quiet conscience sleeps in thunder, but rest and guilt live far asunder. 平静的良心能在雷声中入睡，而宁静和负罪则无法毗邻。

amble

1. 漫步，闲逛

- ▶ *every night, they amble along the bank* 每天晚上，他们沿河岸边散步

coy

1. 故作羞涩，羞涩的

- ▶ *she acted very coy at the dance*

disseminate

1. 传播，散播 promulgate

1. 主教管辖区的

contract

timorous

diehard

careen

votary

discommode

timorous

1. 胆小的

- ▶ *be as timorous as a rabbit*

contract

1. 合同，契约

2. 收缩

▶ *contract muscle* 收缩肌肉

3. 感染疾病

▶ *he was contracted a severe cold* 他染上了重感冒

careen

1. 蹒跚而行，不稳地行走

- ▶ *he careened unsteadily to home*

2. 狂奔，快速运动

- ▶ *an ambulance careened through the intersection*

diehard

1. 顽固的，保守的人

discommode

1. 打扰，使不便

votary

1. 崇拜者，信徒

vault

tinge

devout

conflagration

allegiance

dispatch

tinge

1. 着上少量的色彩 color with a slight shade, tint

vault

1. 跳起，跃起

- ▶ *the horse vault over the obstacle with ease*

2. 一跃而至，一夜暴富

- ▶ *she vaulted into a position of wealth*

conflagration

1. 大火

2. 武装冲突，战争

- *a conflagration swept the continent* 席卷整个大陆的战争

devout

1. 忠诚的，虔诚的
 - ▶ *a devout Buddhist*

dispatch

1. 迅速

- *do something with dispatch*

2. 发送，派遣

3. 使死亡

- *dispatch a criminal* 处决罪犯

4. 获胜，胜过

- *They dispatch the other teams*

allegiance

1. 忠诚 n.

- ▶ *They swore their allegiance to the USA.*

condescendi

commend

dissuade

frosty

worldly

vessel

commend

1. 赞扬 praise
2. 委托保管 to entrust for care or preservation
 - ▶ *I commend my fate into your hands*
3. 推荐 recommend

condescending

1. 摆出高人一等的姿态

- ▶ *treat sb. in a condescending manner*

frosty

1. 寒冷的

- ▶ *a frosty autumn is a sign of brutal winter*

2. 无感情的，冷淡的

dissuade

1. 劝阻，反对

- ▶ *dissuade sb. from doing sth.*

vessel

1. 管

▶ *blood vessel* 血管

2. 船，舰

worldly

1. 世俗的 material, mundane
2. 老练的 seasoned
 - ▶ *my little sister was sophisticated and worldly.*

twig

truss

barrage

tint

wobble

tantalize

truss

1. 系紧，扎紧
 - ▶ *truss the bag*

1. 了解 have a clear idea of
 - ▶ *it takes me a while to twig the true nature of the relationship between the two women*

tint

1. 涂浅色，微染

- ▶ *tint with only one color*

barrage

1. 弹幕
2. 有倾倒之势的、集中的倾斜
(如言语等)
 - ▶ *the announcement was met with a barrage of criticism and protests.* 此公告一出, 批评和抗议的声音四起。

tantalize

1. 挑逗，激起兴趣

- ▶ *he was tantalized by the possibility of earning lots of money quickly*

wobble

1. 摇晃，颤抖

- ▶ *the drunk stood up, wobble for a while, and fell forward*

2. 犹豫不决 hesitate

concede

milieu

advert

chivalrous

dependable

veneer

milieu

1. 环境，氛围

- ▶ *a historical milieu conducive to democracy* (有助于民主的历史背景)
- ▶ freewheeling milieu that a big city offers (大城市提供的自由氛围)

concede

1. 承认 grand

2. 停止抵抗

- ▶ *he conceded as soon as it becomes clear that his could not win*

chivalrous

1. 有骑士风度的，对女士彬彬有理的

advert

1. 提到，引起注意 v.

- ▶ *He adverted this problem in the opening paragraph.*

veneer

1. 薄木板
2. 粉饰 (不好的东西)varnish

dependable

1. 可靠的，值得信赖的

- ▶ *dependable source of income*
可靠的收入

torpor

wheelde

champion

plebeian

suppress

chorale

wheedle

1. (用花言巧语) 诱惑, 哄骗

torpor

1. 缺乏兴趣
2. (肉体或精神上的) 懒散

plebeian

1. 平民的，社会下层的

- ▶ *a man who rose to greatness but never forget his plebeian past.*

champion

1. 支持 support

- ▶ *champion the cause of civil rights* 支持民权事业

chorale

1. 赞美诗
2. 合唱班

suppress

1. 抑制

- ▶ *suppress a smile* 强忍微笑

2. 用暴力制止，镇压

- ▶ *nothing can suppress the rising tide of protest* 没有人能阻止越来越激烈的抗议活动

deter

disgruntle

dramatic

waft

surreptitious

abject

disgruntle

1. 使发怒，使不满意

▸ *be disgruntled with sb.*

2. 使疏远，使不友好 alinate

deter

1. 震懾

- ▶ *We would not detered by threats*

waft

1. 飘荡，漂浮

- ▶ *aromas wafted from the kitchen* 香气从厨房中飘出

dramatic

1. 显著的

- ▶ *a dramatic drop of temperature*

abject

1. 无精打采的 adj.

- ▶ *a man made abject by suffering*

2. 悲惨凄凉的 adj.

3. 卑躬屈膝的 adj.

- ▶ *abject flattery*
- ▶ *an abject apology*

surreptitious

1. 鬼鬼祟祟的，偷偷摸摸的

- ▶ *he took a surreptitious glance at her bottom*

diffuse

wily

vapid

wilt

align

disdain

1. 狡猾的

diffuse

1. 啰嗦的，冗长的
 - *a diffuse report*
2. 不集中的，散光的
 - *diffuse lighting*
3. 扩散，展开 scatter, extend

wilt

1. (花) 凋谢的

2. 精神萎靡的

- ▶ *She had wilted a bit after walking around the hot and humid city.*

vapid

1. 无趣的，乏味的

- ▶ *a song with vapid lyrics*

disdain

1. 轻视，鄙视

align

1. 使排列成一行
2. 校准，调准 `adjust`
 - *align the wheels of the truck*
调整卡车的轮子

vivacious

crutch

cast

apocryphal

convalesce

imposter

crutch

1. 支撑，支柱

- ▶ *a crutch for local economy*

vivacious

1. 活泼、快活的

- ▶ *a vivacious girl*

apocryphal

1. 假的

- ▶ *a apocryphal story about the president's childhood*

cast

1. 演员

2. (选派) 演员 assign

▶ *he was cast in the leading role*

3. 提出

▶ *cast a doubt on their reliability* 质疑他们的可靠性

4. 抛弃 get rid of

▶ *once she become rich and don't need them anymore, she cast off all her old friends like so much a junk.* 当 she 有钱了不需要朋友了的时候; 她像

imposter

1. 骗子

convalesce

1. 渐渐康复，痊愈

- *convalesce after an operation*

certitude

amenity

concerted

discrepancy

confound

sectarianism

amenity

1. （环境、设备等）舒适、人性化 n.

- ▶ *the amenity of the new surroudings.*

2. 融洽，和谐 n.

- ▶ *a discussion conducted in perfect amenity.* 在和谐融洽的氛围中进行的讨论。

certitude

1. 确信无疑的

- ▶ *he believe with certitude that he is the best candidate for the job.*

discrepancy

1. 差异，矛盾

- ▶ *a large discrepancy between the ideal image and the reality* 理想和现实的巨大差异

concerted

1. 共同完成的

- ▶ *a victory results from a concerted effort of the whole team* 胜利来自于整个团队的努力

sectarianism

1. 顽固
2. 宗派主义

confound

1. 使迷惑
2. 无法区分，混淆
 - *I think you must have confounded astrology with astronomy*
3. 证明为假，证伪
 - *new discoveries confound many of what scientists believed*

chasm

athropy

surcharge

conflate

madcap

dilate

athropy

1. 衰退，萎缩

- ▶ *the town athropied following the close of the last textile mill.* 随着最后一家纺织厂的关闭，这个镇的经济开始衰退。

1. 分歧，(意见、利益等上的) 明显差异 pronounced difference

conflate

1. 混合 mix

surcharge

1. 收费过高

- ▶ *the airline has added 30 dollars fuel surcharge on all international flights.* 该航空公司对所有国际航线上涨了30美元的燃油附加费

dilate

1. 使膨胀，扩大

- ▶ *The cat dilate its eyes in darkness*

2. 详细表达

- ▶ *He refused to dialate upon his plan*

1. 爱冒险的人
2. 大胆鲁莽的

untoward

decant

surveillance

discredit

incumbent

blight

decant

1. 轻轻倒出 to pour off (wine, for example) without disturbing the sediment

untoward

1. 倒霉的，不吉利的

- ▶ *an untoward incident*

2. 难以驾驭的，难以驯服的

- ▶ *untoward teenagers* 任性的、桀骜不驯的年轻人

discredit

1. 羞辱，使丧失名誉

- ▶ *discredit his opponents* 羞辱他的对手

2. 怀疑，不相信

- ▶ *I discredit the story that his house is haunted.*

surveillance

1. 监视，监控

blight

1. 枯萎的

2. 损害 impair

- ▶ *illness blight his career* 伤病
毀了他的职业生涯

incumbent

1. 义不容辞的 (为了祖国的利益献身等等)
2. 在职的

monarch

shifty

contravene

balm

balk

vestigial

1. 狡诈的，欺诈的

monarch

1. 君主，帝王
2. 大亨

balm

1. 止痛药，安慰物

- ▶ *friendship is the finest balm in need.* 为难关头，友情是最好的慰藉

2. 香气

contravene

1. 违反，反对 contradict, violate

- ▶ *contravene the proposal with no reservation* 毫无保留地反对这个提案

vestigial

1. 退化的，发育不完全的

- ▶ *a snake that has vestigial limbs* 蛇有退化的四肢

balk

1. 阻碍 thwart, circumvent
2. 不愿接受，拒绝
 - ▶ *she balked at every idea of compromise* 她固执的拒绝了妥协的想法

chauvinistic

damn

teeter

banter

dexterous

dike

damn

1. 指责
2. 非常的 extremely
 - ▶ *a damn good party*

chauvinistic

1. 盲目爱国的，沙文主义的

banter

1. 打趣 badinage

- ▶ *banter with someone* 和某人打趣

teeter

1. 步履蹒跚的，不稳地行走
 - ▶ *she teetered down the street*
2. 犹豫不决 hesitate

dike

1. 水坝
2. 水渠

dexterous

1. 动作灵活的

- ▶ *a dexterous surgeon* 技术娴熟的外科医生

2. 头脑灵活的

appreciable

teetotalism

chromatic

compendium

trudge

glower

teetotalism

1. 禁酒令

appreciable

1. 可感知的，明显的 perceptible

- ▶ *the appreciable changes in temperature*
- ▶ appreciable difference

compendium

1. 摘要 a brief summary

- ▶ *a compendium of information*
资料概要

2. 目录，各种项目的集合

- ▶ *compendium of materia medica* 本草纲目

chromatic

1. 彩色的

glower

1. 怒目而视

- ▶ *he just glowered without speaking*

trudge

1. 吃力地行走

- ▶ *trudge over the hill* 翻山越岭

enamored

taint

concrete

synopsis

backhanded

bonhomie

taint

1. 使 (品质) 污损

- ▶ *scandals taint the athlete's status*

enamored

1. 迷恋的，喜欢的

synopsis

1. 摘要，概要

concrete

1. 具体的
2. 明晰的，确凿的
 - ▶ *concrete evidence* 确凿的证据

bonhomie

1. 温和，和蔼 geniality

backhanded

1. 间接的，含沙射影的，虚情假意的 indirect

clog

vindictive

poach

truculent

agog

ludicrous

vindictive

1. 复仇的，有寻仇倾向的

clog

1. 障碍物
2. 阻碍
3. 堵塞

▶ *within few years, the pipe
begun to clog up* 没几年，水管就开始堵塞了

truculent

1. 尖酸刻薄

- *truculent reviews of a theater critice* 话剧评论家的尖酸刻薄的评价

2. 好斗的, bellicose, belligerent

poach

1. 水煮

- *poach an egg* (水煮鸡蛋)

ludicrous

1. 荒唐可笑的

agog

1. 极度感兴趣 adj.

- ▶ *Children were agog over new toys.*

disconcert

apprise

clot

vigilant

perilous

distend

apprise

1. 通知 inform

- ▶ *apprise her of the danger she might encounter*

disconcert

1. 使不安

vigilant

1. 警惕的，警醒的

- ▶ *the police warn the public to be vigiland and report anything suspicious.*

clot

1. 密集的一群

2. 堵塞

3. 凝结

- *scabs form over cuts when your blood starts to clot* 当血液开始凝结的时候，伤口处就形成血茄

distend

1. 膨胀 swell out or expand

perilous

1. 危险的

willy-nilly

console

observant

arrest

verse

transgress

console

1. 安慰，慰藉

- ▶ *only her child could console her when her husband died*

willy-nilly

1. whether desired or not,
have to do
 - ▶ *she willy-nilly found herself directing that project*
2. 无序的，混乱的

arrest

1. 抑制，使不活跃

- ▶ *arrest the growth of tumor*

2. 停止

- ▶ *science cannot yet arrest the process of aging* 科学不能抑制衰老

3. 逮捕

4. 吸引别人的注意力

- ▶ *the behaviours of the daredevil arrested pedestrians*
冒失鬼的行为吸引了路人的注意

observant

1. 警惕的，警觉的

- ▶ *good reporters are observant of everything around them.*

2. 严格遵守（规章制度、教规等）的

- ▶ *observant of speed limit* 严格遵守限速规定

transgress

1. 违背，犯错

- ▶ *don't't transgress the drug law*

verse

1. 精通
2. 诗歌

affinity

defray

scrimp

valuable

cordon

grit

defray

1. 支払

affinity

1. 喜爱，某种倾向 n.

- ▶ *She always has an affinity for living things.*

2. 相似性 n.

- ▶ *A study shows an affinity between obesity and socioeconomic status.*

valuable

1. 健谈的

scrimp

1. 节约

1. 毅力 (面对困难时所表现出来的毅力)

- ▶ *she was an athlete with true grit, continuing her training despite bad weather and injuries.*

cordon

1. 警戒线

- ▶ *a cordon of police* 警察围成的警戒线

2. 围城一道防线 to form a protective cordon around

vindicate

susceptibilit

testy

taunt

dart

auspicious

susceptibility

1. 易受感染的性质或状态

- ▶ *a weak immune system causes increased susceptibility to disease.*

vindicate

1. 辩护，为... 平反，为... 辩护
 - ▶ *the evidence would completely vindicate him*
2. 证明，证实

taunt

1. 嘲弄，挑衅，奚落，讽刺
 - ▶ *the boys taunt each other*

testy

1. 易怒的，暴躁的 irritable

auspicious

1. 好兆头的

- ▶ *an auspicious win for the coming season* 胜利给新赛季带来好兆头

dart

1. 突然移动，猛冲，狂奔

- ▶ *The dog darted across the street.* 那只狗飞奔过马路

2. 公开羞辱

redeem

discreet

apt

detract

scruple

translucent

discreet

1. 谨慎的
2. 不易察觉的
 - ▶ *discreet gesture*

redeem

1. 履行承诺

- ▶ *the coach redeem his promise*

2. 改过自新

- ▶ *redeem himself*

3. 赎回，救赎

detract

1. 贬低，降低价值

- ▶ *It's wrong to detract the achievements of other people in the same field.* 贬低同行是不对的

2. 使分心

apt

1. 恰当的, 合适的 appropriate, suitable
2. 有... 的倾向 have a ... tendency, likely to do ...
 - ▶ *he is apt to fly out in rage.*
他容易发脾气
3. 聪明的 intelligent
 - ▶ *an apt pupil* 聪明的小学生

translucent

1. 透明的

scruple

1. (良心上的) 不安

clan

acute

swill

virtuperate

cozen

unrequited

acute

1. 急性的，严重的 adj.

- ▶ *acute appendicitis* 急性阑尾炎

2. 程度极强的（同 extreme）adj.

- ▶ *She was experiencing acute distress over the misunderstanding with her best friend.*

3. 敏锐的 adj.

clan

1. (有共同爱好的) 小团体, 帮派
 - ▶ *the clan of football fans*

virtuperate

1. 谩骂，指责

swill

1. 痛饮，大口地吃 to drink something quickly

unrequited

1. 无报答的，无报酬的

1. 诱骗

consensus

rigmarole

undergrid

diaphanous

augur

adversity

rigmarole

1. 混乱而无意义的话

consensus

1. 一致同意

- ▶ *the board had finally reach a consensus*

diaphanous

1. 模糊的，非实在的

- ▶ *only a diaphanous hope of success* 只有成功的一线希望

2. 几乎透明的 transparent

undergrid

1. 加强，加固... 的底部

- ▶ *facts and statistics undergrid
his remarks*

adversity

1. 厄运，逆境

- ▶ *the fire is the test of gold,
adversity of strong man*

augur

1. 预言家

- ▶ *the ancient Roman augurs predicted the futurn by reading the flights of birds.*

2. 出现好兆头

- ▶ *this augur well for us.* 这是一个好兆头

3. 预言 to tell or describe beforehand.

therapeutic

awash

debilitate

authority

absolve

catalyze

awash

1. 被淹没的

- ▶ *the streets were awash from the heavy rains*

2. (如洪水般) 泛滥的

- ▶ *the program is currently awash in submissions* 这个项目被申爆了。

therapeutic

1. 治疗的，有效地

authority

1. 权威人士

2. 管辖权

- ▶ *the sheriff had authority over the whole country* 郡守对整个郡都有管辖权

3. (管束他人的) 权利

4. 根据，理由

- ▶ *On what authority do you make such a claim.* 你的指控有何理由？

debilitate

1. 使虚弱 impair the strength of

- ▶ *The virus debilitates the body's immune system*

catalyze

1. 成为... 的导火索，导致

- ▶ *a reinstitutions of the draft would catalyze protests around the country.*

absolve

1. 使无罪，解除责任

- ▶ *absolve somebody from blame*
使某人免受责备

circumscribe

animate

archetype

theatrical

supple

annex

animate

1. 活的

- ▶ *animate object* 生命体

2. 有活力的

- ▶ *animate dance* 热舞

3. 使得有活力，支持 give spirit and support to

- ▶ *the writer's humor animates the novel* 作家的幽默使得小说富有生命力

4. 使行动，驱使

- ▶ *a crime animated by greed* 贪婪驱使的犯罪。

circumscribe

1. 限制 limit
2. 包围 surround
 - ▶ *fields circumscribed by tall trees*

theatrical

1. 做作的，夸张的
 - ▶ *a theatrical pose*

archetype

1. 典范，榜样

- ▶ *an archetype of successful entrepreneur*

2. 鼻祖，先驱

3. 原型

annex

1. 裙楼，副楼

2. 添加，合并

- ▶ *plan to annex supply room to make the classroom bigger*

3. 吞并，侵占 (土地等)

- ▶ *Roma annexed the Nabatean kingdom in xx AD.*

supple

1. 易弯曲的，柔软的

- *supple limbs* 柔软的四肢
- a supple mind 灵活的头脑

belie

corrosive

discretion

bogus

ethos

germinate

corrosive

1. 腐蚀性的
2. 讽刺性的

belie

1. 错误的描述 **misrepresent**
 - *the report belied the real severity of the aftermath*
2. 证明为假
 - *practical experience belies this theory*
3. 掩饰
4. 与... 对立, 与... 相矛盾
contradict

bogus

1. 伪造的，虚假的
2. 虚伪的，做作的 affected

discretion

1. 谨慎 the quality of being discretion

2. 自制，节制

▶ *In that job, you'll be expected to show discretion and act like a professional all times*

那项工作要求你时刻保持自律，表现的像一个专业人士

germinate

1. 发芽

- ▶ *some seeds germinate very quick*

2. 出现

- ▶ *a truly marvelous proof of this theorem is germinated in his mind* 他的脑海之中产生了一个绝妙的证明 (产生了萌芽)

ethos

1. 道德准则的

- ▶ *ethos of ancient Spartans* 古代斯巴达人的道德准则

apocalyptic

peel

wayward

blackmail

conversant

voracious

peel

1. (水果等) 去皮

- *peel apples*

2. 脱去 (衣服等)

- *peel off the wet clothes*

apocalyptic

1. 预言的，启示的

- *apocalyptic prediction*

2. 重要的，转折点的 **being a major turning point**

- *the apocalyptic battle of Stalingrad led the ultimate defeat of the Nazi Germany.*

具有转折意义的斯大林格勒战役导致的纳粹德国的崩溃。

3. 夸大的 **grandiose**

- *apocalyptic tone* 夸大的语气

blackmail

1. 欺诈，勒索

1. 刚愎自用的

voracious

1. 食量大的，贪吃的
 - ▶ *he has a voracious appetite*
2. 贪婪的，如饥似渴的
 - ▶ *a voracious reader*

conversant

1. 熟悉的

- ▶ *conversant with the accounting system*

squeamish

tinker

yoke

throng

chaff

disjointed

tinker

1. 乱修，乱调整

- ▶ *tinker with the engine* 胡乱修发动机

squeamish

1. 感到恶心的
2. 晕船的

1. 大量聚集

yoke

1. 连接 to become joined or linked
 - *yoke several ideas together*

disjointed

1. 机能失调的
2. 不连贯的
 - ▶ *a disjointed speech*

1. 开玩笑 make jokes

ordeal

complaisance

blithe

swear

beige

bluster

complaisance

1. 顺从，讨好，彬彬有礼

- ▶ *she speak with complaisance*

ordeal

1. 严峻的考验

swear

1. 咒骂

- ▶ *no one is allowed to swear in this house* 没人能在这里说脏话

2. 发誓

blithe

1. 愉快高兴的

2. 无忧无虑的

- ▶ *he has a blithe attitude towards futurn*

bluster

1. 狂妄自大的说
2. 大声吹嘘，恐吓
3. 喧闹的状态

beige

1. 缺乏特征的，平庸的 lacking distinction

anterior

abet

tout

crescendo

tiff

sparing

1. 教唆，帮助，怂恿
2. 鼓励 encourage

anterior

1. 前面的，提前

- ▶ *finish the job anterior to the schedule* 提前完成任务

crescendo

1. (声音) 渐渐增强
2. (渐强之后达到的) 顶峰
 - *reach a crescendo*

tout

1. 极力赞扬

- ▶ *tout victory in the war* 鼓吹战果

sparing

1. 勤俭节约的
2. 不足的

1. 小争吵

commitment

assess

chronic

appropriate

abrogate

convulsion

assess

1. 评估，评价

2. 征收费用（如罚款）

- ▶ *the company would assess a fee if your payment is late* 如果你付款晚了，公司会罚款

commitment

1. 投入，致力于

- ▶ *a commitment to a cause* 投身于某项事业

2. 确信

- ▶ *conviction*

3. 承诺，表态

- ▶ *he made a commitment to pay the rent on time* 他承诺按时交房租

appropriate

1. 私自挪用

- ▶ *appropriate private property*
挪用私人财务
- ▶ corrupt officials who appropriate the country's resources for their own use 腐败的政府官员挪用国家资产占为己用

2. 适当的 suitable

- ▶ *red wine is the most appropriate choice for a meal*

chronic

1. 长期的，慢性的

- *chronic disease* 慢性病

2. 习惯性的，不可能改变的

- *chronic smoker* 老烟民

convulsion

1. 痉挛 (强烈的、无法控制的肌肉收缩)
2. 骚乱 a violent disturbance
 - *a regime in convulsion* 动荡中的政权

abrogate

1. 无视某事的存在

- ▶ *They abrogate their responsibility.*

2. 废除（法律等）

wan

vaporize

wag

heckle

corporeal

tame

vaporize

1. 使液体蒸发 gasify

2. 彻底消灭

- ▶ *the entire fleet vaporied* 整个舰队都被消灭了

wan

1. 苍白的，病态的

- ▶ *she looks a little wan after the tiring work*

heckle

1. 起哄

- ▶ *a singler who is always heckled by her fans*

wag

1. 诙谐幽默的人

2. 摆动

▸ *the dog wags its tail*

tame

1. 驯服的，听话的

2. 无聊乏味的

▸ *the movie is so tame*

3. 控制

▸ *try to tame your language*
(注意控制一下你的措辞)

corporeal

1. 肉体的

- *corporeal suffering* 肉体上的折磨

2. 有形的，实体的 tangible, material, substantial

decode

replicate

viscous

lurid

blueprint

carouse

replicate

1. 复制
2. 重复

decode

1. 解码
2. 对... 有清晰的想法，解读 to have a clear idea of

lurid

1. 恐怖的

- ▶ *the lurid scense of the crash*

2. 面色苍白的，病态的

- ▶ *patient's lurid complexion*
(*complextion*: 面色, 肤色)

1. 粘稠的，有粘性的

carouse

1. 畅饮，寻欢作乐

- ▶ *stay at home instead of going out and carouse with friends*

blueprint

1. 蓝图

2. 事先计划

- ▶ *blueprint the schedule of the event*

tycoon

verbatim

amity

grudge

contort

admonish

verbatim

1. 逐字逐句地

- ▶ *you cannot just copy the article verbatim in the wikipedia for your final report*

1. 大亨，巨头

grudge

1. 不情愿的

2. 仇恨、怨恨

- ▶ *there has been a grudge between that two families for years.*

amity

1. 友好关系，亲善和睦（与邻居之间）
 - ▶ *living in amity with neighbors.*
 - ▶ They parted in amity. 和平分手

admonish

1. 建议 v.

- ▶ *admonish the patient to eat more healthy foods*

2. 责备 v.

- ▶ *admonish her for littering.*

contort

1. 扭曲

- ▶ *a contorted version of truth*
扭曲的真相

archaic

usurp

wince

antiquated

assail

surrender

usurp

1. 篡夺，篡位

- ▶ *usurp the throne* 篡夺王位

archaic

1. 过时的，久远的

antiquated

1. 古老的，过时的

wince

1. 畏缩，退缩 shrink back
 - ▶ *wince at the horrible corpses*

surrender

1. 投降，放弃

2. 使沉溺于

- ▶ *he surrendered himself to grief* 沉浸于悲痛之中

assail

1. 抨击，指责
2. 攻击，猛攻（实际上的攻击，而不只是言语上的）

▶ *he was assailed by a young man with a knife*

considerable

versatile

discomfit

vagary

tantrum

bellwether

versatile

1. 多才多艺的
2. 易改变的，多变的
 - ▶ *a versatile decomposition* 多变的性格

considerable

1. 数量大的

- ▶ *a considerable amount of money*

2. 值得考虑的，重要的

- ▶ *a considerable artist* 一位举足轻重的艺术家

vagary

1. 不可预测的思想或行为

- ▶ *recently he had been prone to strange vagaries* 最近他逐渐变得行为古怪起来了

discomfit

1. 使尴尬

- ▶ *He was discomfit by the awkward situation of having his ex-girlfriend meet his current one.*

2. 阻碍

1. 领导人，带头人

tantrum

1. 勃然大怒，发脾气

- ▶ *have a tantrum* 大发脾气

condign

distract

wastrel

unanimous

synergic

aversion

distract

1. 转移注意力，使分心

2. 使焦虑，使不安

- ▶ *The students are easily distracted before the exam.*

学生们考试前焦虑

3. 疯狂的 insane

condign

1. 应得的，恰当的 deserved,
appropriate
 - ▶ *condign punishment* 应得的
惩罚

unanimous

1. 一致同意的

- ▶ *a unanimous vote*

1. 肆意挥霍的人，败家子

aversion

1. 非常讨厌，极其厌恶

- ▶ *a nature aversion towards insects*

2. 令人生厌的事物

- ▶ *cliche should be the aversion of every good writer*

synergic

1. 合作的，协同的

- *synergic muscles* 协同肌肉

skittish

affection

curt

surly

covert

abstract

affection

1. 伪造，做作

- ▶ *his affection irritates her*

skittish

1. 容易收到惊吓的
2. 容易激动的
3. 多变的、善变的

surly

1. 脾气不好的

curt

1. 言辞简略的，直接（甚至显得有点粗鲁）

- ▶ *his curt reply* 他简单而略显粗鲁的回答

2. 言简意赅的

- ▶ *she e-mailed to her commander curt reports on the situation*
她每天向她的长官做简报

abstract

1. 使分心（同 distract）

- ▶ *Personal problems abstract him.*

2. 文章摘要

covert

1. 秘密的

- ▶ *a covert alliance* 秘密联盟

2. 隐蔽掩护所

coquette

apropos

crease

check

surmise

oaf

apropos

1. 相关的 relevant adj. & prep.

- ▶ *make a number of telling observations apropos the current political situations* 做了很多关于时局的有力观察

coquette

1. 调情的女子
2. 调情，不认真对待
 - ▶ *he is interested in coquette her, not marrying her.* 他只是想和她保持暧昧关系，却不结婚

check

1. 突然停止，阻止

- ▶ *a tree finally check the skidding car.* 一辆滑行的车终于被大树挡住了

2. 同意，一致 to be in agreemrnt on every point

- ▶ *their story of what happened checks with the report of the witness* 他的说法与目击证人的一致

crease

1. 折痕

- *flatten the creases of the map*
抚平地图上的折痕

1. 愚笨的人

surmise

1. 假定
2. 推测

favoritism

dilatory

canonize

boor

prerogative

detain

dilatory

1. 拖延的，磨磨蹭蹭的

favoritism

1. 偏爱，偏袒

- ▶ *favoritism blind the administrator*

1. 粗鲁的人

canonize

1. 过分宠爱，过分崇拜

- ▶ *a singler was canonized by her fans.*

2. 使崇高，使神圣

- ▶ *the movie canonize the communism party*

detain

1. 拘留，扣留

- ▶ *detain by the police for questioning*

prerogative

1. 特权，权利

- ▶ *it is your prerogative to do ...*
([同] *it is your right to do ...*)

commingle

forebode

cramped

congeal

disenchant

boon

forebode

1. 预示，预兆

- ▶ *that police car parked outside the house doesn't forebode well*

commingle

1. 充分混合

- ▶ *fact and fiction commingle in the story*

congeal

1. 凝固，固化，凝结

- ▶ *the blood had started to congeal*

cramped

1. 狭小的，狭窄的

boon

1. 恩惠，福利
2. 喜欢集体行动的

disenchant

1. 使清醒

- ▶ *if you think that you can pass the final without any effort, let me be the first to disenchant you.*

confine

superfluous

tardy

victimize

accidental

wanderlust

superfluous

1. 多余的，过剩的

- ▶ *superfluous information* 信息过剩

confine

1. 监禁 imprison

- ▶ *the thief was confined in a prison*

2. 限制 limit

- ▶ *please confine yourself to the subject* 请不要离题

victimize

1. 使受骗

- *victimized by a man* 被一个男人骗了

tardy

1. 缓慢的，迟缓的

- ▶ *he was tardy to work* 他做事
拖拖拉拉

2. 延后的，迟的

- ▶ *a tardy arrival* 迟到

wanderlust

1. 旅行癖

accidental

1. 附帶的，不重要的

- ▶ *Its commercial value is accidental.*

2. 意外的，偶然的

vignette

baffling

trepidation

unexception

drab

tackle

baffling

1. 令人疑惑的，难以理解的

vignette

1. 短文，介绍文

- ▶ *the general's memoirs are filled with revealing vignettes of some of the war's compelling personalities*

unexceptionable

1. 无懈可击的 unassailable

trepidation

1. 战栗，恐惧

- ▶ *trepidation about the coming affairs*

tackle

1. 着手处理

- ▶ *once I cleaned the kitchen, I will tackle the bathroom.* 清理完厨房之后，我将收拾浴室。

drab

1. 单调乏味的

discharge

disension

dabble

consternatic

verve

variegated

dissension

1. 意见不合 disagreement

discharge

1. 解雇

2. 释放 to set free

- ▶ *discharge the prisoners* 释放囚犯

3. 不承担责任

- ▶ *a full discharge of responsibility for the accident*
对事故完全不负责任

consternation

1. 恐惧

- ▶ *the two girls stared at each other with consternation without any idea about what to do.*

dabble

1. 涉猎，浅尝辄止

- ▶ *dabble in art* 对艺术稍有涉猎

variegated

1. 杂色的，斑驳的 different colors

1. 活力，精力

- ▶ *instrumentalists play with skill and verve* 演奏者有着高超的技艺和饱满的热情