

6. Not straight; as an *irregular* line or course.

7. Not uniform; as *irregular* motion.

8. In *grammar*, an *irregular* noun or verb is one which deviates from the common rules in its inflections.

**IRREGULAR**, *n.* A soldier not in regular service. *Kent.*

**IRREGULARITY**, *n.* [Fr. *irrégularité*.] 1. Deviation from a straight line or from any common or established rule; deviation from method or order; as the *irregularity* of proceedings.

2. Deviation from law, human or divine, or from moral rectitude; inordinate practice; vice. It is a favorable symptom when a profligate man becomes ashamed of his *irregularities*.

**IRREGULARLY**, *adv.* Without rule, method or order.

**IRREGULATE**, *v. t.* To make irregular; to disorder. [Not in use.] *Brown.*

**IRRELATIVE**, *a.* [in and relative.] Not relative; unconnected.

*Irrelative chords*, in music, have no common sound.

**IRRELATIVELY**, *adv.* Unconnectedly. *Boyle.*

**IRRELEVANCY**, *n.* [from *irrelevant*.] Inapplicability; the quality of not being applicable, or of not serving to aid and support; as the *irrelevancy* of an argument or of testimony to a case in question.

**IRRELEVANT**, *a.* [in and Fr. *relever*, to raise, from *elever*, *lever*, L. *elevo*, *levo*, to raise.]

Not relevant; not applicable or pertinent; not serving to support. We call evidence, testimony and arguments *irrelevant* to a cause, when they are inapplicable to it, or do not serve to support it.

**IRRELEVANTLY**, *adv.* Without being to the purpose.

**IRRELIEVABLE**, *a.* Not admitting relief. *Hargrave.*

**IRRELIGION**, *n.* [Fr.; in and religion.] Want of religion, or contempt of it; impiety. *Dryden.*

**IRRELIGIONIST**, *n.* One who is destitute of religious principles; a despiser of religion. *Notl.*

**IRRELIGIOUS**, *a.* [Fr. *irreligieux*.] Destitute of religious principles; contemning religion; impious; ungodly.

Shame and reproach are generally the portion of the impious and *irreligious*. *South.*

2. Contrary to religion; profane; impious; wicked; as an *irreligious* speech; *irreligious* conduct.

**IRRELIGIOUSLY**, *adv.* With impiety; wickedly.

**IRRELIGIOUSNESS**, *n.* Want of religious principles or practices; ungodliness.

**IRREMEABLE**, *a.* [L. *irremediabilis*; in and *remeo*, to return; *re* and *meo*, to pass.] Admitting no return; as an *irremediable* way. *Dryden.*

**IRREMEDABLE**, *a.* [Fr.; in and *remediable*, from *remedy*.] 1. Not to be remedied; that cannot be cured; as an *irremediable* disease or evil.

2. Not to be corrected or redressed; as *irremediable* error or mischief.

**IRREMEDIALNESS**, *n.* State of being irremediable.

**IRREME/DIABLY**, *adv.* In a manner or degree that precludes remedy, cure or correction. *Bp. Taylor.*

**IRREMIS/SIBLE**, *a.* [Fr.; in and *remissible*.] L. *remitto*. See *Remit*.]

Not to be pardoned; that cannot be forgiven or remitted. *Whiston.*

**IRREMIS/SIBLENESS**, *n.* The quality of being unpardonable. *Hammond.*

**IRREMIS/SIBLY**, *adv.* So as not to be pardoned. *Sherrwood.*

**IRREMÖVABILITY**, *n.* [See *Irremovable*.] The quality or state of being irremovable, or not removable from office.

**IRREMÖVABLE**, *a.* [in and *removable*.] 1. That cannot be moved or changed. *Shak.*

2. That cannot be legally or constitutionally removed from office.

**IRREMUNERABLE**, *a.* [in and *remunerable*.] That cannot be rewarded.

**IRRENOWN'ED**, *a.* Not renowned; not celebrated. *Spenser.*

**IRREPARABILITY**, *n.* [See *Irreparable*.] The quality or state of being irreparable, or beyond repair or recovery. *Sterne.*

**IRREPARABLE**, *a.* [Fr. from L. *irreparabilis*. See *Repair*.]

1. That cannot be repaired or mended; as an *irreparable* breach.

2. That cannot be recovered or regained; as an *irreparable* loss. *Milton. Addison.*

**IRREPARABLY**, *adv.* In a manner or degree that precludes recovery or repair.

**IRREPEALABILITY**, *n.* [from *irrepealable*.] The quality of being irrepealable.

**IRREPEALABLE**, *a.* [in and *repealable*.] See *Repeal*.]

That cannot be legally repealed or annulled. *Sullivan.*

**IRREPEALABLENESS**, *n.* Irrepealability.

**IRREPEALABLY**, *adv.* Beyond the power of repeal.

**IRREPENT'ANCE**, *n.* Want of repentance; impentence. *Moutagne.*

**IRREPLEVABLE**, *a.* [in and *replevable*.] That cannot be replevied.

**IRREPLEVISABLE**, *a.* [in and *replevisable*.] That cannot be replevied.

**IRREPREHENSIBLE**, *a.* [in and *reprehensible*.]

Not reprehensible; not to be blamed or censured; free from fault. *Vattel. Trans.*

**IRREPREHENSIBLENESS**, *n.* The quality of being irreprehensible.

**IRREPREHENSIBLY**, *adv.* In a manner not to incur blame; without blame. *Sherrwood.*

**IRREPRESENTABLE**, *a.* [in and *representent*.]

Not to be represented; that cannot be figured or represented by any image. *Stillingfleet.*

**IRREPRESSIBLE**, *a.* [in and *repressible*.]

That cannot be repressed.

**IRREPROACHABLE**, *a.* [in and *reproachable*.]

That cannot be justly reproached; free from blame; upright; innocent. An *irreproachable* life is the highest honor of a rational being.

**IRREPROACHABLENESS**, *n.* The quality or state of being not reproachable.

**IRREPROACHABLY**, *adv.* In a manner not to deserve reproach; blamelessly; as deportment *irreproachably* upright.

**IRREPROVABLE**, *a.* [in and *reprovable*.] That cannot be justly reproved; blameless; upright.

**IRREPROVABLY**, *adv.* So as not to be liable to reproof or blame. *Weever.*

**IRRESIST'ANCE**, *n.* *s* as *z.* [in and *resistance*.]

Forbearance to resist; non-resistance; passive submission. *Paley.*

**IRRESISTIBILITY**, *n.* [from *irresistible*.] *n. lte.*

**IRRESISTIBLENESS**, *n.* [from *irresistible*.] The quality of being irresistible; power or force beyond resistance or opposition. *Hammond.*

**IRRESISTIBLE**, *a.* [Fr.; in and *resistible*. See *Resist*.]

That cannot be successfully resisted or opposed; superior to opposition.

An *irresistible* law of our nature impels us to seek happiness. *J. M. Mason.*

**IRRESISTIBLY**, *adv.* With a power that cannot be successfully resisted or opposed. *Dryden.*

**IRRESOLUBLE**, *a.* *s* as *z.* [L. in and *resolvo*.]

Not to be dissolved; incapable of dissolution. *Boyle.*

**IRRESOLUBLENESS**, *n.* The quality of being indissoluble; resistance to separation of parts by heat. *Boyle.*

**IRRESOLUTELY**, *a.* *s* as *z.* [in and *resolute*.] Not firm or constant in purpose; not decided; not determined; wavering; given to doubt. *Irresolute* men either resolve not at all, or resolve and re-resolve.

**IRRESOLUTELY**, *adv.* Without firmness of mind; without decision.

**IRRESOLUTENESS**, *n.* Want of firm determination or purpose; vacillation of mind.

**IRRESOLUTION**, *n.* [Fr.; in and *resolution*.]

Want of resolution; want of decision in purpose; a fluctuation of mind, as in doubt, or between hope and fear. *Addison.*

**IRRESOLVEDLY**, *adv.* *s* as *z.* [in and *resolved*.]

Without settled determination. [Little used.] *Boyle.*

**IRRESPECTIVE**, *a.* [in and *respective*.] Not regarding circumstances.

According to this doctrine, it must be resolved wholly into the absolute, *irrespective* will of God. *Rogers.*

**IRRESPECTIVELY**, *adv.* Without regard to circumstances, or not taking them into consideration. *Hammond.*

**IRRESPIRABLE**, *a.* [in and *respirable*.] Unfit for respiration; not having the qualities which support animal life; as *irrespirable* air.

**IRRESPONSIBILITY**, *n.* Want of responsibility.

**IRRESPONSIBLE**, *a.* [in and *responsible*.] Not responsible; not liable or able to answer for consequences; not answerable.

**IRRETENTIVE**, *a.* Not retentive or apt to retain. *Skelton.*

**IRRETREIVABLE**, *a.* [in and *retrievable*, from *retrieve*.]

Not to be recovered or repaired; irrecoverable; irreparable; as an *irretrievable* loss.

**IRRETREIVABLENESS**, *n.* The state of being irretrievable.