

1. account payable	(n.) the amounts in a company's accounts that show money that it owes, for example to suppliers (= companies that have sold them things) _____s _____ were \$676 million lower as of the middle of this year compared to a year ago.	12. debit card	(n.) a small plastic card that can be used as a method of payment, the money being taken from your bank account automatically I paid with my _____.
2. accrue	(v.) to increase in number or amount over a period of time; accumulate Little benefit will _____ to the city (= it will receive little benefit) from the new transport links. Interest will _____ on the account at a rate of seven percent	13. deposit slip	A slip of paper kept by the bank to show how much money you put into your account Never fill out a _____ in pencil.
3. alarming	(adj.) causing worry or fear There has been an _____ rise in the rate of inflation.	14. deterrent	(n.) something that deters people from doing something a nuclear _____ Tougher prison sentences may act/serve as a _____ to other would-be offenders.
4. alternate	(v.) to make something happen or exist one after the other repeatedly He _____ed working in the office with long tours overseas.	15. direct deposit	(n.) an arrangement in which money is moved electronically into a bank account I get paid by _____.
5. awfully	(adv.) very or extremely, when used before an adjective or adverb It's an _____ long time since we last saw each other. England played _____ throughout the game.	16. forge	(v.) to make an illegal copy of something in order to deceive A number of _____ed works of art have been sold as genuine.
6. bank teller	(n.) a person whose job is to pay out and take in money in a bank A _____ is an employee of a bank who deals directly with customers.	17. forgery	(n.) an illegal copy of a document, painting, etc. or the crime of making such illegal copies He increased his income by _____. These banknotes are _____s.
7. be amazed at	extremely surprised She was _____ how calm she felt after the accident	18. for the sake of	in order to help or bring advantage to someone Their parents only stayed together _____ the children.
8. be caught in	to stick somewhere, or to make something stick somewhere Her hair got _____ her hairdryer.	19. fortnight	(n.) a period of two weeks How much would it cost to hire a car for a _____?
9. belatedly	(adv.) in a way that comes later than expected The company _____ launched an e-commerce venture.	20. make a withdrawal	the act of taking money out of an account, or the amount of money taken The savings account only allows you to _____ three _____s a year.
10. cluster	(n.) a group of similar things that are close together, sometimes surrounding something There was a _____ of fans around him, asking for autographs. Have a look at the _____ of galaxies in this photograph.	21. midtown	(n.) the part of a city near the center Her company is in a suite of _____ offices overlooking Park Avenue.
11. contender	(n.) someone who competes with other people to try to win something Now aged 42, he is no longer considered a serious _____ for the title.	22. on standby	When a person or a thing is _____, they are ready to be used if necessary Hospitals are _____ ready to deal with casualties from the crash.
		23. overdrawn	(adj.) having taken more money out of your bank account than the account contained, or (of a bank account) having had more money taken from it than was originally in it They were _____ by £150, so they couldn't write any cheques.
		24. public holiday	(n.) a day when almost everyone in a particular country does not have to go to work or school New Year's Day is a _____ in many countries.

25. redemption	(n.) the act of exchanging bonds, shares, etc. for money For _____s of \$50,000 or more, you must include a signature guarantee for each owner.
26. remit	(v.) to send money to someone He worked as a builder in Chicago and _____ed half his monthly wage to his family in the Philippines.
27. scrutinize	(v.) to examine something very carefully in order to discover information He _____ed the men's faces carefully/closely, trying to work out who was lying. All new products are _____ed by the laboratory.
28. secured	(adj.) to make certain that money that has been lent will be paid back, by giving the person who lends the money the right to own property belonging to the person who borrows it, if the money is not paid back Her bank loan is _____ against/by/on her house.
29. spurious	(adj.) based on false reasoning or information that is not true, and therefore not to be trusted; fake They made _____ claims of personal injury.
30. sustain	(v.) to cause or allow something to continue for a period of time (v.) to keep alive The economy looks set to _____ its growth into next year. The soil in this part of the world is not rich enough to _____ a large population.
31. take out a loan	an amount of money that is borrowed, often from a bank, and has to be paid back, usually together with an extra amount of money that you have to pay as a charge for borrowing We could _____ to buy a car.
32. take out insurance	an agreement in which you pay a company money and they pay your costs if you have an accident, injury, etc. I'll need to _____ extra car _____ for another driver.
33. trust company	(n.) a company that manages money or property for other people or organizations A _____ is a corporation that acts as a fiduciary, trustee or agent of trusts and agencies.
34. twofold	(adj.) twice as big or as much (adv.) by two times a _____ increase in the price of natural gas The sport saw its popularity increase _____.

35. wire transfer	a method of sending money quickly from one bank account to another, by phone or computer Payment will be by _____(telegraphic) _____.
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