

French Glossary

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First, I must remark that, I have never learned French formally in any way. That is, I have no ability at all to listen, to speak, to write, or to read without a dictionary. However, since there are great mathematical articles and books written in French by great mathematicians, I'm forced to look up the vocabularies in dictionaries and guess what's going on in the words, and the following glossary is the outcome of my elaboration.

Second, I have no intention to make the glossary mathematical. That seems to be totally pointless, because most mathematical terms are self-explanatory from the context.

Third, I have no intention to avoid redundancy. There are instances where the meanings seem clear from either the spellings or word structures. However, there does not exist a simple rule to verify such a situation, and I cannot see why people have to refrain from recording such instances.

Finally there's no warranty for the correctness of the explanations (and even the spelling). One should always be aware that this list is only for my personal use.

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A

- a** has
á to, at, in
abélien, ne abelian
abéloïd, e abeloid
abord *m* access
(**tout**) **d'**— first (of all), in the first place
—**s** *mpl* surrounding area; outskirts
aborder to land, to approach, to collide with
abouti, e successful; accomplished
aboutir to end at/in; to be successful; (for spectral sequences) to abut to
aboutissement *m* culmination, outcome; abutment (for spectral sequences)
abrégé *m* summary, synopsis
abréger to shorten
abrupt abrupt, steep; rugged
absent, e absent
absenter (s') to absent oneself
absolu, e absolute
absolument absolutely
absolution *f* absolution; pardon
absorber to absorb; to engross
absorption *f* absorption
abstenir (s') to abstain
abstinence *f* abstinence; fasting

abstraire to abstract
abstrait, e abstract; abstruse; obscure
absurde absurd
abus *m* abuse; misuse
abuser to deceive; to go too far
 s'— to be mistaken
abusif, ve excessive; wrong; unfair
académie *f* academy
académique academic
accent *m* accent; tone; stress
acceptation *f* acceptance
accepter to accept
acception *f* meaning (of word)
accès *m* access (**à**, to)
accessoire *m* detail; perk; *pl* properties; accessories
accident *m* accident; mishap
accidenté, e eventful; uneven; victim (of accident); injured
acclamer to acclaim
accommoder to suit; to do up (food)
 s'— **à** to adapt oneself to
 s'— **de** to put up with
accompagner to accompany
accompli accomplished; thorough
accomplir to carry out; to fulfil
 s'— to take place; to happen; to be fulfilled
accomplissement *m* completion; fulfilment
accord *m* agreement; consent; tuning
 d'— agreed
accorder to accord; to grant; to tune; to reconcile
 s'— to agree
accoupler to couple, to yoke, to pair
accouplement *m* mating, coupling;
 (*MATH*) pairing
accoutumé, e usual
 comme à l'—e as usual
accoutumer to get used to
accréditer to substantiate
accroître to increase
accroissement *m* increase, growth
accueil *m* reception, welcome
accueillant, e friendly, welcoming
accueillir to receive, to welcome; to take care of, to cater for
accumuler to store up, to accumulate
 s'— to pile up; to accrue
achèvement *m* completion
achever to finish
acquérir to acquire
acquis acquired; *m* knowledge, experience
acte *m* act; action; deed; certificate
actif, ve active
action *f* action; act; deed; (*JUR*) action, lawsuit; (*FIN*) share
activer to urge on; to activate
activité *f* activity
actualité *f* reality; event
 les —s the news; newsreel
actuel, le present, real
 à l'heure —le at the present time
actuellement currently; at the present time
acyclique acyclic
acyclicité *f* acyclicity
adapter to adapt; to fit; to apply
 s'— to be suitable (**à**, for)
additif, ve additive
addition *f* addition; (*restaurant*) bill
additionnel, le additional
adélique adelic
adepte adept
adhérence *f* (*MATH*) closure
adhérer to adhere
 s'— to join (party)
adieu *m* farewell; good-bye, farewell

adjacent, e adjoining, adjacent
adjectif adjective
adjoindre to add to; to adjoin
 s'— to appoint, to take on
adjoint, e deputy, assistant; (*MATH*) ad-
 joint
adjonction *f* adjunction; adjoining
admet *see* **admettre**
admettre to admit, to allow
admissible admissible
affaiblir to weaken
 s'— to get weaker
affaire *f* affair; matter; case; business; deal
affairé, e busy
affecter to feign, to set apart
affirmati-f, ve affirmative
affirmer to assert; to maintain
affront *m* insult, affront
affronter to confront
affubler
 être **affublé de** to be got up in
 s'— **de qqch.** to get oneself up in sth.
affûter to sharpen
afin
 — **de** in order to
 — **que** in order that
âge *m* age; old age
âgé, e elderly
agile nimble, quick
agir to act; to do; to work
 il s'agit de ... the matter, thing, or
 question is (about, to) ...
agiter to agitate; (*MATH*) act
 s'— to move about, to fidget; to stir; to
 get restless
aide *f* help; assistance; *mf* helper; assistant
aider to assist, to help
aigu, ë sharp; pointed; acute; shrill
aile *f* wing, sail, aisle, flank (of army or fleet)
ailleurs elsewhere
 d'— moreover, besides
 par — moreover, furthermore
aimable amiable; lovable; kind; pleasing
aimant loving; affectionate
aimer to love; to like; to be fond of; to enjoy
 s'— to love each other
ainsi like this; this, so
 et — de suite and so on
 pour — dire so to speak, as it were
 — **que** as well as; as
air *m* air; wind; look; appearance; likeness;
 tune
aise *f* pleasure
aisé, e easy; well-off
aisément easily
ait *see* **avoir**
ajourner to postpone; to put off; to defer;
 to summon
 s'— to adjourn
ajouter to add
 s'— to be added
ajuster to adjust; to fit; to arrange; to rec-
 oncile; to aim at
 s'— to be adjusted; adapted; to adapt one-
 self; to fit
algébrisable algebraizable
algébrisation *f* algebraization
algébriser to algebraize
algébrique algebraic
algébriste *m* algebraist
algèbre *f* algebra
alinéa *m* indent; paragraph
allant *m* drive, bounce
allant, e active, lively
allée *f* going, alley, passage, lane, path
Allemagne *f* Germany

allemand *m* German
allemand, e German
Allemand, e *mf* German
aller to go, to get on, to become, to fit, to suit
allusion *f* allusion
faire — **à** to allude to
alors then, at that time
d'— at that time
jusqu'— until then
— **que** while, when; even though
alourdir to weigh down; to increase
alphabet *m* alphabet
alterné, e (*MATH*) alternating
altituede *f* altitude; height
amalgame *m* mixture; hotchpotch; hodge-podge; amalgam
amalgamer to lump together; to blend, to amalgamate
amant *m* lover
amateur *m* amateur
— **de** lover of
d'— amateur; amateurish
ambiance *f* atmosphere
ambient, e surroundings, ambient
ambigu, ë ambiguous
ambiguïté *f* ambiguity
ambitieu-x, se ambitious; *mf* ambitious person
ambition *f* ambitiousness; ambition
améliorer to improve, to make better
s'— to get better
amende *f* fine; penalty; costs
amendement *m* amendment; improvement
amender to improve
amener to bring, to introduce, to bring in/on/about
ami, e *mf* friend
amiable amicable
amical, e friendly; kind
amour *m* love; passion
amourette *f* ferry love affair; passing fancy
amoureux, se in love; enamored
ample ample; spacious; large; copious
ampleur *f* ampleness; largeness; fullness
amplifier to enlarge upon
amplitude *f* amplitude
amuser to amuse; to entertain; to deceive
s'— to enjoy oneself
an *m* year
jour de l'— New Year's Day
analogue analogous
analyse *f* analysis; (*MATH*) calculus
analyser to analyze; to parse; to criticize
analytique analytic
ancien *m* elder; senior
ancien, ne ancient, old, past, former, retired
anéantir to destroy; to annihilate; to overwhelm
ange *m* angel
anglais English (language); *m* English
angle *m* angle; corner
Angleterre *f* England
animal animal; sensual; brutal
animer to animate; to enliven; to cheer; to excite; to jazz up
s'— to become excited, warm, angry; to encourage each other
anneau *m* ring
année *f* year, crop, vintage
annelé, e ringed
annihilation *f* annihilation
anniversaire *m* anniversary; birthday; anniversary
annonce *f* announcement; advertisement

annoncer to announce; to foretell
s'— bien to look promising
annoter to annotate
annulateur *m* annihilator
annulation *f* canceling
théorème d'— *m* vanishing theorem
annuler to annul, to canceling
anodin, e minor; harmless; insignificant
anonyme anonymous
anormal, e abnormal
antérieur, e former; past; front
antériorité *f* priority
antilinéaire antilinear
antisymétrique antisymmetric
août *m* August
aperçu *m* glance, summary, view
apparaître to appear
appareil *m* preparation; display; apparatus;
appliance
apparemment apparently
apparence *f* appearance
apparent, e apparent
apparenté, e (à, r)elated to; similar to; af-
filiated to
apparition *f* appearance; publication;
ghost
appartement *m* suite of rooms; flat
appartenir to belong to; to be a member of;
to concern
appartien- *see* **appartenir**
appar-u, û *see* **apparaître**
appel *m* call; appeal; muster
appeler to call; to appeal; to name
s'— to be called
appendice *m* appendix; appendage
application *f* application; attention; dili-
gence; appropriation; (*MATH*) mapping
appliqué, e applied; studios; diligent

appliquer to apply, to lay on, to adapt, to
devote
s'— to be applied; to be applicable to; to
apply oneself
apporter to bring
appréciable appreciable
appréciation *f* appreciation
apprécier to appreciate; to assess
s'— to like one other
appréhender to arrest
appréhension *f* apprehension
apprenais *see* **apprendre**
apprendre to learn; to hear of, to learn of
apprenne *see* **apprendre**
apprenti, e *mf* apprentice; beginner
apprentissage *m* apprenticeship; learning
apprêter to prepare
appris, e *pp* of **apprendre**
approbation *f* approval
approchant, e near; like; approximate;
thereabout
approche *f* approach; access
approcher to approach; to bring near
s'— to come near
approximati-f, ve approximate, rough
appuyer to support, to prop, to insist
s'— to lean, to rely (**sur**, on)
après after; afterwards
d'— from, according to
et —? what then?
après-midi *mf* afternoon
apte capable, qualified
arabe Arab; Arabic
Arabe *mf* Arab
arc *m* bow; arc; arch
arcanes *mpl* mysteries
arc-en-ciel *m* rainbow
archimédien, ne archimedean

archives *fpl* archives; records; recording of-
fice
argent *m* silver; money; cash
argenté, e silvered; silver-white
argenter to plate
argument *m* argument; reasoning; plea;
summary
argumenter to argue; to infer (**de**, from)
arithmétique *f* arithmetic
armer to arm (**de**, with); to set against
(**contre**); to cock; to equip
s'— to arm oneself (**de**, with); to summon
up
arrangement *m* arrangement; preparation;
adjustment; accommodation
arranger to arrange; to settle; to repair; to
suit; to trim up
s'— to make shift (**de**, with); to come to
an arrangement (**avec**, with)
arrêt *m* decree, stop, catch
arrêt-é, e *m* decision, order, decree
arrêter to stop, to detain, to restrain, to ar-
rest, to fix, to resolve, to book, to en-
gage, to conclude, ...
arriver to arrive
art *m* art
article *m* article; subject; thing; paragraph;
item; goods
articulation *f* articulation; joint
articulé, e articulated
articuler to utter; to pronounce; to set forth
artificiel, le artificial
artificieu-x, se artful
artinien, ne artinian
ascendance *f* ascending line; ascendancy
ascendant *m* ascendancy; *pl* fore-fathers
ascendant, e ascending
aspect *m* aspect; view; appearance
assemblée *f* assembly; congregation; party;
meeting
assembler to collect; to convoke; to join to-
gether
s'— to meet
assertion *f* assertion
assez enough, fairly, rather
assistance *f* assistance; audience; help
assistant, e *mf* person present; helper; *pl*
those present
assister to attend; to be present; to help
associati-f, ve associative
association *f* association; partnership
associé, e *mf* associate; partner
associer to associate
s'— to join (**à, avec**, with); to enter into
partnership; to share (**à**, in)
assujettir to subjugate; to subdue
— **à** subject to
assumer to assume
assurance *f* assurance; reliance; boldness;
insurance
assuré, e assured; insured; secured; confi-
dent
assurément certainly; assuredly
assurer to assure; to insure; to secure; to
assert
s'— to make sure (**de**, of) (**que**, that)
astérisque *m* asterisk
astiquer to polish
astral, e stellar; astral
astreindre to subject; to compel
— **qn. à qch.** to force sth. on sb.
— **qn. à faire** to force sb. to do
atringent, e astringent
astral, e stellar; astral
astrer *m* star
astuce *f* smartness; trick; wisecrack

— **unitaire** *f* unitary trick
astucieu-x, se smart, clever
asymptotique asymptotic
atelier *m* workshop; office; studio; gang
atmosphère *f* atmosphere
attabler to sit down at a table
attachant attractive; engaging
attache *f* tie; bond; fastening; leash
attaché attached
attacher to attach; to fasten; to bind; to interest; to endear
 s'— to cling; to fasten
 s'— à to devote oneself to
attaque *f* attack; fit; stroke
attaquer to attack; to begin; to sue
 s'— à to attack
atteindre to reach; to attain; to strike; to injure
attendant, e adjoining
attendant (en) meanwhile
attendre to wait for; to expect; to look forward to
 s'— à to expect; to rely upon
attendu, e expected; considering
attenti-f, ve attentive
attention *f* attention; care; kindness
atrance *f* attraction
attirant, e attractive
attirer to attract; to draw sb. to/towards one
attiser to poke; to stir up
attitré, e usual; by appointment; accredited
attitude *f* attitude; posture
attract-if, ive magnetic; attractive
attraction *f* attraction
attrait *m* appeal; attraction
attribuer to assign or allocate (sth. to sb.)
 s'— to appropriate; to claim
attribut *m* attribute; complement
attribution *f* awarding, award; allocation, assignment; bestowing
au *see* à + le
aucun, e any, no, none; anyone, no one
au-dessous below
au-dessus above
augmentation *f* increase; rise
augmenter to increase, to raise
 s'— to increase
aujourd'hui today, nowadays
auquel *see* à + lequel
aura, aurai, aurez *see* avoir
aurore *f* dawn
aussi also, likewise, so, as, as much; therefore, consequently
 — **bien que** as well as
aussitôt immediately
autant as much, as many, so much, so many
auteur *m* author
auto *f* car
auto- self-
 —**adjoit** self-adjoit
automorphisme *m* automorphism
autorise to authorize
autorité *f* authority; power
autour around
tout — all around
 — **de** around
autre another; other, different
 —**chose/part** something/somewhere
d'— part on the other hand; moreover, besides
d'—s (some) others
l'— the other
les —s the others; others
l'un l'— each other

l'un et l'autre — both of them
entre —s among other things
autrefois formerly
autrement otherwise
aux *see* à + les
auxiliaire auxiliary; *mf* assistant; auxiliary
auxquels *see* à + lesquels
avance *f* advance; money advanced
d'— beforehand
avancement *m* progress; rise
avancer to advance; to promote; to hasten;
to hold forth; to proceed; to progress;
(*clock*) to be fast
s'— to come forward
avant far; deep; forward; before; *m* forepart;
bow
en — in front
— **de/que** before
— **-goût** *m* foretaste
— **-hier** the day before yesterday
— **-première** *f* preview
— **-propos** *m* foreword
avantage *m* advantage
avantageu-x, se advantageous
avatar *m* metamorphosis; reincarnation
avec with, by
avenir *m* future, prospects, posterity
aventure *f* adventure; affair
aventureu-x, se adventurous; risky
avéré, e recognized, confirmed, proven
avérer
s'— to prove (to be)
avertir to warn; to inform
avertissement *m* warning, notice, preface
avez *see* avoir
avis *m* opinion; advice; caution; news
avisé, e advised; far-seeing; circumspect
aviser to perceive; to advise; to see to it

s'— to take it into one's head (**de**, to)
avoir to have, to get, to be
avouer to confess (to); to admit; to avow
s'— to admit (to being)
avril *m* April
axe *m* axis; axle
axiome *m* axiom
axiomatique axiomatic
ayant *see* avoir

B

bagage *m* luggage
plier — to pack up, to make off
baleine *f* whale
ballade *f* ballad; ballade
barbarant, e barbaric?
barbare barbaric; *mf* barbarian
baroque odd; quaint; (*style*) baroque
bas low down; *m* bottom; stocking
bas, se low, mean, base
base *f* base; basis
baser to base, to ground
beau *m* beautiful; beauty; best; fine weather
beau, belle beautiful, handsome; fine fair
bel *see* beau (before vowel or a mute *h*)
beaucoup much, many, a great deal
beauté *f* beauty
bébé *m* baby
bémol *m* (*MUS*) flat
besoin *m* need, want, necessity
bête stupid; *f* animal
bêtise *f* stupidity; stupid thing
beurre *m* butter
compter pour du — to count for nothing
faire son — to make one's pile

mettre du — dans les épinards to make life a little more comfortable
beurré, e buttered; plastered
biais slant; bias; angle; expedient
biaiser to dodge the issue
bibliographie *f* bibliography
bien well, quite, very, okay; good, property
 ...
 — **entendu** of course
 — **que** although, though
 — **sûr** of course, certainly
bien-être *m* wellbeing; comfort
bienfaisance *f* charity
bienfaisant, e beneficial
bienfait *m* benefit; kindness
bientôt soon; shortly
bienveillance *f* kindness; good will
bienveillant, e kind; benevolent
bienvenu, e welcome
bienvenue *f* welcome
bière *f* beer; coffin; bier
biextension *f* biextension
bilinéaire bilinear
bimultiplicati-f, ve bimultiplicative
biographie *f* biography
bis encore; *m* encore
biunivoque bijective
blâme *m* blame; censure
blâmer to blame; to find fault with
blanc *m* white; blank; white (man)
blanche *f* white (woman)
blan-c, che white; clean; pale
blanchir to whiten; to bleach; to grow white
boire to drink; to soak up (paper, etc)
bon *m* good; good quality; bond; order; cheque
bon, ne good; kind; advisable; right
bond *m* bound; leap; jump
bondir to bound; to spring; to skip
bonhomme *m* good-natured man; old man; fellow
bonjour good morning
bonsoir good evening; good night
bord *m* edge; bank; (*MATH*) boundary (in homology)
border to border; to edge; to hem; to tuck up
borne *f* boundary; milestone; terminal
borné, e limited, narrow, short-witted
borner to bound, to limit, to confine
bon good
bouquet *m* bunch; nosegay; aromas; crown-ing piece; prawn
bourg *m* market town; borough
bourgeois, e *mf* citizen; middle class man or woman; bourgeois; middle-class; common
les petits — the lower middle class; master
branche *f* branch; bough; division
brancher to branch; to plug in; to connect; to put through; to roost, to perch
brave brave; honest; good; smart
bref briefly
en — in short
br-ef, ève brief; short
budget *m* budget
but *m* mark, aim, goal, end, purpose

C

cache *m* mask; *f* hiding place
cacher to hide, to conceal
se — to hide; to be hidden
cadre *m* frame, plan, managerial staff, staff

café *m* coffee; café
cafétéria *f* cafeteria
calcul *m* calculation; arithmetic; calculus; stone (bladder, etc)
calculer to calculate; to reckon; to compute
calendrier *m* calendar
calque *m* tracing
 (**papier**) — tracing paper; exact copy
calquer to trace; to copy
 — **qch. sur** model sth. on
camarade *mf* friend
canonique canonical
canular *m* hoax
canularisque ??? *see* **canular**
car for, because, as
caractère *m* character; nature
caractériser to characterize
caractéristique *f* characteristic; character-istic
carré *m* square; square, straight
carrer to square
carte *f* card; pass; map; chart; menu
 — (**locale**) *f* (*MATH*) (local) chart, coordinate
cartésien Cartesian
cas *m* case, matter, event
catégorie *f* category; class; group
catégorique adamant; categoric
cause *f* cause; motive; case; trial
 à — **de** on account of
causer to cause; to chat
ce, cet, cette this, that
ceci this, this thing
cela that
celle *see* **celui**
celui, celle he, she, him, her, the one, that
cent one hundred; hundred
central, e central
centraliser to centralize
centralisateur *m* (*MATH*) centralizer
centre *m* center
centrer to center
cependant meanwhile; yet, however
certain, e certain, sure; *pl* (before a noun) some
certes most certainly
certificat *m* certificate; testimonial
certifier to certify; to testify
certitude *f* certitude; certainty; assurance
cesser to cease; to come to an end
c'est-à-dire that is to say
ceux *see* **celui**
chacun, e each; everyone, everybody
champ *m* field, ground, subject, scope; (*MATH*) stack
chance *f* chance; luck
change *m* change; exchange
changant, e changeable; fickle
changement *m* change; alteration
changer to change; to alter; to exchange; to shift
chanson *f* song; ballad
chapitre *m* chapter; heading; chapter-house
chaque each, every
charge *f* load, burden, expense, office, charge
chargé, e full, laden, heavy (of stomach)
 — **d'affaires**
chargement *m* loading, cargo
charger to load, to charge, to entrust (**de**, with)
se — to take upon oneself
chemin *m* path; way; road
chèque *m* cheque
cher dear; at a high price
ch-er, ère dear; beloved; costly

chercher to seek, to look for
chercheur *m* seeker, inquirer
chérir to cherish; to love
cheveu *m* (a single) hair
les —**x** the hair
chien *m* dog
se regarder en —**s de faïence** to stare grimly at each other
chiffre *m* figure, number, total, cipher
en —**s connus** in plain figures
— **d'affaires** turnover
chiffrer to cipher; to reckon
choc *m* impact; shock; clash
chocolat *m* chocolate
chocolaté, e chocolate (flavored)
chœur *m* choir; chorus
choir to fail sth
choisir to choose, to select
choix *m* choice, selection, election
choquant, e shocking
choquer to shock; to shake up
choral, e choral
choral, s *m* choral
chorale *f* choir
chose *f* thing, matter, affair
chronique *f* chronicle; chronic
chronologique chronological
ci here, this
ci-contre opposite
ci-dessous below
ci-dessus above
ciel *m* heaven; sky; climate
cinéma *m* cinema
cinq five
cinquante fifty
circonférence circumference
circonscire to circumscribe; to contain; to define
se — to be centered on or around
circonstance *f* occasion; circumstance
circonstancié, e detailed
circuit *m* route; tour; circuit; (*ECON*) network
circulaire circular
circulation *f* circulation; traffic
circuler to circulate; to move (along); to run; to spread
cire *f* wax; polish
ciré, e polished
cirer to polish
citation *f* quotation; subpoena
 cité *f* city; town
citer to quote; to mention; to summon; to subpoena
clair *m*
— **de lune** moonlight
clair, e clear; bright; light
clairvoyant, e perceptive
clamer to proclaim
clarifier to clarify
clarinette *f* clarinet
clarté *f* clearness; light; brightness
classe *f* order; rank; form; school; classroom
classement *m* classification; filing
classification *f* classification
classifier to classify
classique *m* classic; classical
clavier *m* keyboard
clé *see* **clef**
clef *f* key, wrench, lever, keystone
clique *f* click
cliquer to click
clivage *m* divide
clore to close; to conclude
clos, e closed
clôture *f* hedge; fence; closing, closure; end,

conclusion
 — **algébrique** *f* (*MATH*) algebraic closure
 — **séparable** *f* (*MATH*) separable closure
clôturer to enclose; to close, to conclude
cobord *m* (*MATH*) coboundary
cocycle *m* (*MATH*) cocycle
code *m* code
coder to code
coefficient *m* coefficient
cœur *m* heart, soul, love, courage, core
cohérence *f* coherence; consistency
cohérent, *e* coherent
cohésion *f* cohesion
cohomologie *f* cohomology
cohomologique cohomological
coin *m* corner; spot; wedge
coïncidence *f* coincidence
coïncider to coincide; to be similar (*avec*,
 with)
collabora-teur, trice *mf* collaborator; as-
 sistant; contributor
collaboration *f* collaboration; contribution
collaborer to work together
collage *m* sticking; pasting; gluing
collant sticking, tight
coller to stick, to glue, to adhere
collonne *f* column
combien how much; how many how
 — **de temps** how long?
combinaison *f* combination; petticoat; slip;
 contrivance
combine *f* scheme; arrangement; fiddle
combiner to combine; contrive
comble *m* (measure) heaped; summit;
 acme; *pl* attic; loft
de fond en — from top to bottom
pour — **de** to crown; to complete
comble crowded; full; heaped up
comblé to fill, to heap, to cover, to over-
 whelm, to fulfil
comédie *f* comedy; play; theater
comète *f* comet
comité *m* board; committee
comme as, like, as if
commençant, e *mf* beginner
commencement *m* beginning
commencer to begin
comment how; why! what!
 — **donc!** to be sure!
commentaire commentary, comment, re-
 mark
commenter to comment; to criticize; to
 pass remarks
commettre to commit; to entrust; to ap-
 point; to make (a mistake)
commode *f* chest of drawers; convenient,
 suitable, handy
commodité *f* convenience
commun *m* generality, commonplace, lower
 class, menials *pl* domestic offices
commun, e common, ordinary, trivial, vul-
 gar
communiquer to communicate; to impart;
 to infuse
communisme *m* communism
communiste *mf* communist
commutateur *m* switch; (*MATH*) commu-
 tator
commutati-f, ve commutative
commutation *f* commutation; switching
commuter to commute
comorphisme *m* comorphism
compact *m* compact disc, CD; (*MATH*)
 compact (set)

compact, e compact; dense
compagnie *f* company; society; companionship
compagnon *m* companion; partner; mate; playmate
comparable comparable
comparaison *f* comparison
comparaître to appear (in court)
comparer to compare
compartiment *m* compartment; division
compas *m* compass; compasses
compasser to measure; to regulate; to lay out
compassion *f* compassion
compatible compatible
compatir to sympathize (**à**, with)
compatissant compassionate
compatriote *f* compatriot
compenser to compensate
compétence *f* competence; jurisdiction; sphere
compétent, e competent
compétition *f* competition; rivalry; contest
compiler to compile
complément *m* complement
complémentaire supplementary; complementary; *m* complement
complet *m* full number; suit (of clothes)
compl-et, ète complete; full; utter
complété *m* completion
compléter to complete; to make complete
complexe complex; complicated; *m* complex
complexion *f* constitution; disposition
complexité *f* complexity
complication *f* complication
compliment *m* compliment; *pl* congratulations
complimenter to congratulate
compliqué, e complicated
compliquer to complicate
comportement *m* behavior
comporter to permit, to admit, to comprise
composant *m* component
composant, e constituent, component
composante *f* component
composé *m* compound
composé, e composed, compound
composer to compose; to compound; to settle; to dial (a number)
composite assorted, of various types; heterogeneous; composite; *m* composite
composi-teur, trice *m* composer; compositor
composition *f* composition; agreement; examination; essay
compréhensible understandable
compréhensi-f, ve comprehensive
compréhension *f* comprehension
comprendre to understand, to include
compression *f* compression
comprimé compressed
comprimer to compress; to condense; to restrain
compris, e understood, included
y — including
non — excluding
compromettant, e compromising
compromettre to compromise; to imperil
compromis *m* compromise
compte *m* account, reckoning, amount, right number
— **tenu de** considering; taking into account that
compter to count, to reckon, to intend, to rely

conoyau *m* cokernel
concentration *f* concentration
concentré *m* extract; concentration
concentrer to concentrate
concept *m* concept
conception *f* conception; thought
conceptuel, le conceptual
concernant relating to
concerner to concern; to belong to
concevoir to conceive; to understand; to imagine
concis, e concise; brief
concluant, e conclusive
conclure to conclude; to close; to infer; to prove; to move
conclusi-f, ve conclusive
conclusion *f* conclusion; inference; motion; verdict
concre-t, ète concrete
conçoit *see* **concevoir**
concourir to compete
— **à** to contribute toward
concours *m* competition; competitive examination; help; combination
concr-et, ète concrete
concurrence *f* competition
concurrencer to compete with
condamnation *f* condemnation; sentence; conviction
condamnè condemned, convict
condamner to condemn; to convict; to sentence; to block up
condition *f* condition; position; term
conditionnel, le conditional
conditionner to condition
conduc-teur, trice *f* driver; conductor; leader; guide; conducting; leading
conduire to conduct, to lead, to guide, to drive, to steer, to carry, to manage
se — to behave
conduit *m* pipe, tube, way
conduite *f* conduct; behavior; management; care; driving; channel
cône *m* cone
conférence *f* lecture, conference
conférencier *m* lecturer
conformation *f* conformation
conforme in accordance; conformable, consistent
conformément in accordance
conformer to conform
se — to comply (**à**, with)
confort *m* comfort, ease
confortable comfortable; easy
conforter to comfort; to strengthen
confrère *m* colleague; fellow member; brother; (*newspaper*) contemporary
confronter to confront; to compare
confus confused; embarrassed; overwhelmed
confusion *f* confusion; disorder; trouble; shame
congrès *m* congress
congruence *f* congruence
congruent, e congruent
conique conical
conjugaison *f* uniting; conjugation
conjugué ? conjugate
conjuguer to conjugate, to combine
connaissance *f* knowledge, acquaintance, senses, learning
connaisseur *m* connoisseur
connaître to know, to be acquainted with, to be aware of
connexe connected
connexion *f* connection
connu, e *pp* of **connaître** known

bien — well known	sign
consacrer to consecrate, to devote	constitution <i>f</i> constitution
consécration <i>f</i> consecration; dedication	construction <i>f</i> construction
consécutif, ve consecutive	construire to construct
conseil <i>m</i> piece of advice, advice; consultant; council	consulter to consult
conseiller to advice; to recommend; to advise, to counsel	contact <i>m</i> contact; touch; connection
conseiller, ère <i>mf</i> counsellor; councillor	contemplation <i>f</i> contemplation; meditation
consensus <i>m</i> consensus	contempler to contemplate; to meditate
consentement <i>m</i> consent	contemporain, e contemporary
consentir to grant; to consent	contenir to hold, to contain, to restrain
conséquence <i>f</i> consequence; inference; importance	content contented; satisfied; pleased
conséquent, e consequent; consistent	contentement <i>m</i> satisfaction
conservation <i>f</i> preservation; guardianship; (<i>mortgages</i>) registration	contenter to satisfy; to please
conservatoire <i>m</i> conservatoire; museum; academy of music	contenu <i>m</i> contents, subject
conserve <i>f</i> preserve; pickled food; tinned food	contin-, contîn... <i>see</i> contenir
conserver to preserve; to conserve (food); take care of; to retain	continent <i>m</i> continent
considérable considerable	continental, e continental
considération <i>f</i> consideration; regard; esteem	continu, e continued; continuous
considérer to consider; to examine; to value; to regard	continûment continuously
consister to consist (à, dans , in, of)	continuel, le continual
constance <i>f</i> perseverance	continuer to continue
constant, e constant	continuité <i>f</i> continuity
constante <i>f</i> constant	contour <i>m</i> outline; bend
constater to ascertain, to prove, to state, to report	contourner to bypass, to get around
constellation <i>f</i> (<i>ASTRON</i>) constellation	contracter to contract; to incur; to tense; to take out
constituant <i>m</i> constituent	se — to contract
constituant, e constituent	contradictoire contradictory; open
constituer to constitute; to appoint; to as-	contraignant, e restricting
	contragrédiente <i>f</i> contragradient
	contraindre to force, to compel (à faire , to do)
	contrainte <i>f</i> compulsion, restraint
	contraire contrary, reverse
	contre against, versus, near
	par — on the other hand
	tout — close by

contredire to contradict
contredit (sans) unquestionably
contrepartie *f* equivalent; compensation
contre-pied *m* opposite
contribuer to contribute; to be conducive
contribution *f* contribution; tax; rate; part
contrôler to inspect; to verify; to monitor
se — to control oneself
convaincant convincing
convaincre to convince, to convict
convaincu, e convinced; convicted
convenable proper, fit, suitable
convenir to agree, to acknowledge, to suit,
to be expedient
convention *f* convention; agreement; condi-
tion
conventionnel, le conventional
convergent, e convergent
converger to converge
conversation *f* conversation
convertir to convert; to turn
se — to become converted (**à**, to)
convexe convex
convien- *see* **convenir**
coopérati-f, ve cooperative
coopération *f* cooperation
coopérer to cooperate (**à**, in)
coordina-teur, trice coordinating; *mf* co-
ordinator
coordination *f* coordination
coordonnée coordinate clause; (*MATH*) co-
ordinate
—s coordinates; address and phone num-
ber, details
coordonner to coordinate
copier to copy
corollaire *m* corollary
corps *m* body; frame; corps; corpse; sub-
stance; (*MATH*) field
— **dual** *m* reflex field
correct, e correct; accurate; proper; polite;
reasonable, decent; adequate; fair
correcteur *m* proofreader
correction *f* correction; accuracy; correct-
ness; punishment
corrélati-f, ve correlative
correspondance *f* correspondence; connec-
tion (between trains)
correspondant, e *mf* correspondent; pen
friend; guardian; corresponding
correspondre to communicate; (**à/avec**,
t)o correspond to/with
corrigé *m* corrected copy; key to a book
corriger to correct; to mark (exercise, etc);
to chastise
cote *f* mark; share; quota
côte *f* rib; hill; coast; shore
— **à** — side by side
côté *m* side, way, part, direction
à — nearby; next door
à — **de** beside, next to; beside, compared
to
de — sideways; aside
mettre/laisser qqch. de — to
put/leave sth. aside
coup *m* blow, stroke, hit, kick, knock, beat,
clap, ...
coupant cutting, sharp
coupe *f* cut, cup, section
couper to cut, to mix, to dilute, to cut off
couple *m* couple; pair
couplé *m* double
couplé, e doubled
coupler to couple
couramment fluently, generally
courant current; stream; course

courbe *f* curve; bend; curb
courbé courved; bent; crooked
courbure *f* curvature; bend
courir to run; to go about; to pursue; to hunt; to flow
courrier *m* courier; mail; post; messenger
cours *m* course; flow; vent; currency; market price; course of lessons; lectures
course *f* running; run; race; drive; ramble; errand; *pl* shopping
court, e short
à — de short of
courtois, e courteous
courtoisie *f* courtesy
coûter to cost
coutume *f* custom
couvert *m* place setting; cover charge (in restaurant); cover; shelter
couvert covered; (*weather*) overcast; clad
couverture *f* cover, blanket, rug, security
couvrir to cover (**de**, with); to conceal; to screen
se — to put one's hat on; to clothe oneself
craindre to be afraid of; to fear; to be easily damaged by
crainte *f* fear (**pour**, for)
cran *m* notch; nick; wave
création *f* creation; production
créature *f* creature
crédit *m* credit; trust; loan; influence; esteem
créditer to credit (**de**, with)
credo *m* creed; belief
créer to create; to invent; to establish
crible *m* sieve, riddle
crystal *m* crystal; cut-glass
cristallin, e crystalline; crystal; crystal clear
cristalliser to crystallize
critèr-e, ium *m* criterion
critique *m* critic; *f* criticism; censure; critical
critiquer to criticize
crochet *m* hook; picklock; clasp; bend; crochet
crocheter to pick (a lock)
crochu, e hooked; crooked
croire to believe; to think
croiser to cross; to fold; to pass; to cross, to cut across; to interbreed; to cruise
se — to cross, to intersect; to pass; to cross; to meet
croisement *m* crossing
croissance *f* growth, development
croissant *m* crescent, croissant
croissant, e increasing, growing
croître to grow, to increase, to lengthen
croix *f* cross
crû *see* **croître**
crucial, e crucial
cruel, le cruel
crypter to encrypt
cube cubic; *m* cube
cubique cubic
cubiste cubic
cup-produit *m* cup product
cultivé, e educated, cultured
cultiver to cultivate; to grow
se — to cultivate; to improve one's mind
culture *f* cultivation, farming; culture, knowledge; culture
culturel, le cultural
curer to clean out
curieu-x, se curious; inquisitive; strange, curious; *mf* busybody
curiosité *f* curiosity

curseur *m* cursor
cuspidal, e cuspidal
cycle *m* cycle; series
cyclique cyclic, cyclical
cylindre *m* cylinder; roller
cylindrique cylindrical
cynique cynical; *mf* cynic
cynisme *m* cynicism
cyrillique Cyrillic

D

d'accord all right! OK!
danger *m* danger
dangereu-x, se dangerous
dans in, into, within, according to
danse *f* dancing; dance
danser to dance; to bob; to flicker
date *f* date
dater to date
davantage more; any longer
de of, from
dé dice, die; dice, cube; thimble
débarrasser to clear up; to clear
se — **de** to get rid of
débat *m* debate
débattre to debate; to discuss
se — to struggle
débouché *m* end; outlet; prospect, opening
déboucher to open; to unblock
 — **sur** to open out into; to lead to, to achieve
début *m* beginning, first appearance, lead
débutant, e *mf* beginner, performer, appearing for the first time
débiter to begin, to make one's first appearance

décalage *m* gap; gulf, discrepancy; (*MATH*) Verschiebung
décaler to bring forward; to move back; to move forward
déceler to reveal; to detect
décélération *f* deceleration
décembre *m* December
décence *f* decency; propriety
décent, e decent; becoming; proper
décennie *f* decade
décent, e decent
déchiffrer to decipher; to unravel; (*MUS*) to sight-read
décidé decided; determined
décider to decide; to determine; to persuade
se — to make up one's mind; to be decided, to be settled
décimal *f* decimal (fraction)
décimal, e decimal
décimale *f* decimal
décisi-f, ve decisive
décision *f* decision; resolution
déclamer to declaim; to recite
déclaration *f* declaration; affidavit; verdict
déclarer to declare; to proclaim; to certify
déclinaison *f* declination (of compass, star, etc); declension
décliner to decline; to deviate
décoder to decode
décomposé, e decomposed; specface haggard; (*person*) in shock
décomposer to decompose; to break down into; to distort
décomposition *f* decomposition; discomposure; analyzing
déconnecter to disconnect
décorer to decorate
découpé, e lobed; indented

découper to cut up; to carve; to divide up; to cut out
découragement *m* discouragement; despondency
décourager to discourage; to deter
se — to lose heart
décourvert, e *pp* of **découvrir**; bare; exposed
découverte *f* discovery
découvrir to discover; to uncover; to reveal
se — to take off one's clothes, to undress; to take off one's hat; to clear; to discover
décret *m* decree
décrier to decry
décrire to describe
décroiser to unfold; to uncross
décrossant, e decreasing; diminishing
décroître to decrease; to diminish; to get shorter
décrypter to decipher
déduire to deduct
se — to result
défaut *m* defect, fault, defect
à — de for want of
défendre to defend; to forbid
défense *f* defence; prohibition; *pl* tusks
défini, e defined, definite, precise
définir to define
définissable definable
définiti-f, ve definitive; positive
en — ve finally
définition *f* definition; clue (of crossword)
définitivement for good; permanently
déformer to put out of shape; to distort
dégagé redeemed, free, easy, off hand, private
dégager to free; to clear; to find; to emit; to unblock
se — to free oneself/itself; to clear
dégénéré, e degenerate; *mf* degenerate
dégénérer to degenerate; (**en**) to degenerate into
dégénérescence *f* degeneration; degeneracy
degré *m* degree; step; stage
déguisement *m* disguise
déguiser to disguise; to conceal
dehors without; outside; *m* outside; exterior; appearance
déjà already, yet, then, before, as far back as, to begin with
déjeuner *m* lunch
petit — breakfast
déjeuner to breakfast; to lunch
demain tomorrow
demande *f* question; request; prayer; *pl* enquiries; orders
demander to ask; to claim; to want; to demand; to require
se — to wonder
démarche *f* walk, gait; step
demeure *f* residence
mettre en — de to order to
demeurer to live; to remain
demi, e half; *mf* half
démolir to demolish
démonstration *f* demonstration; show
démonter to take apart, to dismantle; to take down; to disconcert
se — to come apart
démontrer to demonstrate, to prove
dénominateur *m* denominator
dense dense
densité *f* density
départ *m* departure; leaving; start

au — to start with
département *m* department
dépasser to pass, to go beyond, to exceed, to outrun, to rise above
dépendance *f* dependence; dependency; *pl* outbuildings
dépendre to depend, to result, to belong to, ...
déplacé, e out of place; displaced
déplacement *m* moving; travelling
déplacer to move; to shift; to shift the emphasis of; to transfer
déplaisant, e unpleasant
déplaisir *m* displeasure
déployer to spread; to display; to deploy
déployé, e (*MATH*) split
dépourvu, e
— **de** without; lacking in
depuis since, ever since, from
déraison *f* madness
déraisonnable unrealistic; senseless; unreasonable
déraisonner to talk nonsense
dérive *f* drift; lee-way
dérivé *m* by-product; (*LING*) derivative
dérivé, e derived; (*LING*) derivative
dériver to drift; to be derived; to derive
derni-er, ère last; final, latest; *mf* last
ce — the latter
petit — baby of the family
en — last
derni'èrement lately
dès from; since; on; even; in
— **que** as soon as
descendance *f* descent; lineage
descendre to descend; to come or go down; to dismount; to alight; to stop or stay; to put up (at hotel, etc); to make a search
descente *f* descent; taking down; rupture; (*skiing*) run
description *f* description
désenchanter to disenchant; to disillusion
désignation *f* designation; indication; nomination
désigner to point out, to denote, to appoint
désir *m* desire; wish
désirer to desire; to wish
désireu-x, se anxious (**de faire**, to do)
désormais henceforth
dessus on, above, upon, upper part
destin *m* destiny; fate; lot
destination *f* destination
destinée *f* destiny; fate
destiner to destine; to intend; to fate
destituer to dismiss
destruction *f* destruction
detaché, e detached; unconnected; indifferent; disinterested
détachement *m* detachment; indifference
détacher to untie; to detach; to undo; to separate
se — to break away (**de**, from)
détail *m* detail; particular; trifle; retail
détailler to cut up; to retail; to relate in detail
déterminant *m* determiner; (*MATH*) determinant
déterminant, e decisive, determining
déterminantiel, le determinantal
détermination *f* determination
déterminé, e determined; resolute
déterminer to determine; to decide; to bring on
se — to resolve
détourné out of the way
détruire to destroy

deux two, both, second (the)
deuxième second
développable expandable
développement *m* unfolding; development; growth; extent
développer to unfold; to develop; to expand; to explain
se — to spread out
devenir to develop, to become
devien- *see* **devenir**
devier to deviate
devi- *see* **devenir**
deviner to guess
deviser to chat; to converse (**de**, about)
dévisage *m* reduction (to a simpler case/object/method)
dévisser to unscrew; to fall
se — to unscrew
devoir to owe, to be bound to, to have to; *m* duty, task, exercise *pl* homework
devr- *see* **devoir**
diable *m* devil; mischievous child
diagonal, e diagonal
diagonale *f* diagonal
dictionnaire *m* dictionary
différence *f* difference
différencier to distinguish
différend *m* difference; dispute
différent different; unlike
différente *f* different
différentiable differentiable
différentiel, le *mf* differential; differential
différer to defer; to postpone; to differ (**de**, from)
difficile difficult, particular; (*fam*) choosy
difficulté *f* difficulty, obstacle, objection
diffus, e diffuse; prolix
diffuser to diffuse; to broadcast
diffusion *f* diffusion; diffuseness
digestion *f* digestion
dilemme *m*
diligence *f* diligence; speed; stage-coach
dimanche *m* Sunday
dimension *f* dimension; size; measurement
diminuer to diminish; to lessen; to abate
diminution *f* decrease; abatement
dire to say, to tell, to speak, to mean
dire *m* saying, statement
direct, e direct, straight; through express (of train); live (of television)
direc-teur, trice *mf* director; manager; head teacher; amageress
direction *f* management; manager's office; steering; direction
diriger to direct, to manage, to run, to guide
dis- *see* **dire**
discerner to discern; to distinguish
discipline *f* discipline
discographie *f* discography
discontinu, e broken; intermittent; discontinuous
discontinuer to discontinue
discours *m* speech; lecture; talk
discr-et, ète discreet; quiet
discrétion *f* discretion
discriminant *m* discriminant
disperser to scatter; to disperse
disponible disposable; available; unengaged
dispos active, nimble, lively
frais et — fresh
disposé disposed; inclined; willing
disposer to arrange; to lead to do
— **de** to have available, to have at one's disposal; to have the use of; (*time*) to have free or available

vous pouvez — you may leave or go
se —à to prepare for
se —à faire to prepare to do
dispositif *m* device; mechanism
disposition *f* arrangement; frame of mind; tendency; aptitude
dispute *f* dispute; quarrel
disputer to dispute
se — to quarrel; to vie
disque *m* (*MUS*) record; disc; discus; disk
distant distant; remote
distinct, e distinct
distinction *f* distinction; refinement
distingué, e distinguished, refined
distinguer to distinguish, to perceive
distribuer to distribute
distributeur *m* deliverer; distributor
distribution *f* distribution; delivery; handling
dit *m* saying; told, agreed, alias
diverger to diverge
divers *mpl* sundries
divers, e different, various, several, varied
divisé, e divided
diviser to divide
diviseur *m* divisor
dix ten
dix-huit eighteen
dix-neuf nineteen
dix-sept seventeen
docteur *m* doctor
doctorat *m* doctorate
doctrine *f* doctrine
document *m* document
documentaire *m* documentary; documentary
documenter to document
doi- *see* **devoir**

doigt *m* finger
doit *m* debit
doit- *see* **devoir**
dominant, e dominant; ruling; prevailing
dominer to rule; to domineer; to govern; to overlook
domaine *m* domain; estate; property; province; department; sphere
dommage *m* damage; loss
c'est — it is a pity
don *m* gift; present; talent
donc then, therefore
donnée *f* notion; *pl* data
donner to give; to strike; to look; to shine; to yield (of trees, etc) to deal; to charge
sen — to enjoy oneself
dont whose, of whom, from whom, by whom, ...
dorénavant henceforth
dormir to sleep; to be formant
doter
— **de** to endow with; to equip with
double double; *m* duplicate; replica; double
doubler to double; to line (**de**, with); (*film*) to dub; to understudy; to overtake (on road)
douceur *f* sweetness; softness; charm; gentleness; *m* sweets; pleasant things
doute *m* doubt
douter to doubt
se — to suspect; to have some notion (**de/que**, of/that)
dou-x, ce sweet; soft; kind; gentle; smooth; mild
douzaine *f* dozen
douze twelve
droit *m* right, authority, law
droit, e right; straight

droite <i>f</i> right, right-hand side; (<i>MATH</i>) straight line	échappement <i>m</i> escape; leakage; exhaust
à — on the right	échapper to escape, to avoid, to slip s'— to stand away
droiti-er, ère right-handed; <i>mf</i> right-handed person	échéance <i>f</i> falling due; expiration; maturity
du <i>see de le</i>	échéant falling due, occurring
dû <i>m</i> due	le cas — should it so happen
dû, due <i>pp</i> of devoir ; due, owing	échec <i>m</i> check, failure, blow; <i>pl</i> chess, chessmen
dual <i>m</i> dual	échelon <i>m</i> rung; step; degree
dualisant, e dualizing	éclatant bright, brilliant, resounding, flagrant, loud
dualiser to dualize	éclatement <i>m</i> (<i>MATH</i>) blowup
dualité <i>f</i> duality	éclater to burst, to explode, to shine; (<i>MATH</i>) to blowup
dudit of or from the said	école <i>f</i> school
due <i>see dû</i>	économie <i>f</i> economy; saving; <i>pl</i> savings
duel <i>m</i> duel	économique economic(al)
dune <i>f</i> dune	économiser to economize; to save
duo <i>m</i> duet	économiste <i>m</i> economist
duper to dupe, to take sb in	écoute <i>f</i> listening; audience
duplicité <i>f</i> duplicity	écouter to listen to
dupliquer to duplicate	écran <i>m</i> screen; shield
duquel <i>see lequel</i>	écrier to exclaim
dur hard	écrire to write
dur, e hard; stiff; tough; harsh; <i>mf</i> tough nut	écrit, e <i>pp</i> of écrire ; written
durable lasting	écriteau <i>m</i> notice
durant during	écriture <i>f</i> writing
durée <i>f</i> duration	abus d'— (<i>MATH</i>) abuse of notation
durer to last, to hold out	ecstasy <i>m</i> ecstasy
dureté <i>f</i> hardness; harshness	écueil <i>m</i> reef; danger
du-s, t <i>see devoir</i>	édification <i>f</i> edification, building
	édifice <i>m</i> building; structure
	édifier to edify; to erect; to enlighten
	éditer to publish; to edit
	éditeur <i>m</i> publisher
	édition <i>f</i> edition; publishing
	éducation <i>f</i> education; breeding; upbringing; training

E

eau *f* water; rain

— **de vie** spirit; brandy

échange *m* exchange; barter

échanger to exchange

éduquer to educate; to bring up
effectif *m* effective strength
effecti-f, ve effective; actual
effectuer to carry out, to make
effet *m* effect, impression, bill
efficace efficacious; effective
effleurer to skim, to touch slightly, to glance
over
efforcer
s'— to force oneself; to strive; to endeavor
effort *f* effort; endeavor; strain; exertion
effrayant, e terrifying
effrayer to frighten, to scare
s'— to be frightened, to take fright
effroi *m* fear, dread
égal, e equal, even, like, same, level
également equally; alike; both; likewise;
also
égaler to equal; to match
égaliser to equalize; to level; to smooth
égalité *f* evenness; equality; uniformity;
(*tennis*) deuce
égard *m* consideration
à l'— **de** with regard to, towards
à **certain** —s in some respects
égaré, e lost; stray; distraught
égarement *m* wideness; aberration
égarer to mislay, to lose; to mislead; to lead
stray
s'— to get lost, to go astray, to lose one's
way
éjecter to eject; to chuck out
élaborer to elaborate; to work out
élaguer to prune
élan *m* run up; momentum; impetus; enthu-
siasm; impulse; elk
élancé slender, slim, graceful
élancer to dart
s'— to rush
élancement *m* throbbing pain; yearning
élargi, e enlarged; expanded
élargir to widen, to extend, to release
élastique elasticized; elastic; flexible
élastique *m* rubber band; elastic; bungee
cord
élection *f* (*POL*) election; choice
élégance *f* elegance
élégant, e elegant; generous
élément *m* element; unit (of furniture)
élémentaire elementary; rudimentary
élévation *f* raising; rise, mound; nobility
élevé, e high; noble
élève *mf* pupil; (*MIL*) cadet
élever to raise; to life; to put up, to erect; to
elevate; to improve; to bring up; to rear,
to bread
éligible eligible
élimination *f* elimination
éliminer to eliminate
elle she, her, it
éloigner to move away; to turn away; to dis-
miss
s'— to move or go away; to stray from the
point; to distance oneself
éloquence *f* eloquence; significance
éloquent, e eloquent; significant
élucider to clear up
éluder to evade
embrouillé entangled, intricate
embrouiller to tangle, to confuse
empêché to prevent, to hinder, to keep from
empêchement *m* impediment; hindrance;
obstacle
empêcher to prevent; to hinder; to keep
from
empereur *m* emperor

emphase *f* emphasis; bombast; pomposity
emphatique emphatic; bombastic
empire *m* empire; rule; control
emploi *m* employment; use; occupation; situation
employé *m* employee; clerk
employer to employ; to use
employeur *m* employer
emprunt *m* loan; borrowing
emprunté, e awkward; self-conscious
emprunter to borrow; to take
en some, of/from/about him/her/it; in, into, ...
enchanté enchanted; spellbound; delighted
enchantement *m* enchantment; spell; delight
enchanter to enchant; to delight; to charm
encore still, again; yet
pas — not yet
encouragement *m* encouragement
encourager to encourage
encyclopédie *f* encyclopedia
endroit *m* place; spot; part; right side
énergie *f* energy; force
énergique energetic
enfant *mf* child; infant
enfin at last, finally, in short, on the whole, after all
engagement *m* commitment; engagement; contract; agreement
engager to engage; to pawn; to invite; to advise
s'— to enlist; to undertake
engendré generated
engendrer to generate
engin *m* engine; machine; tackle; missile
englober to lump together, to unite
ennui *m* tediousness; boredom; annoyance; trouble
ennuyer to tire; to annoy; to bore
s'— to feel bored
ennuyeu-x, se boring; annoying
énoncer to state, to articulate
énoncé *m* statement
énorme enormous; huge
enseignant, e teaching; *mf* teacher
enseigne *f* sign; ensign
à telle — que so much so that
enseignement *m* teaching
enseigner to teach
ensemble *whole*; ensemble; mass; general appearance; harmony; (*MATH*) set; together; at the same time
ensembliste ???
ensuite afterwards, after, then, next
ensuivre (s') to follow; to ensue
entendement *m* understanding, sense, judgement
entendre to hear, to understand, to mean
entier *m* entirety, whole; (*MATH*) integers
enti-er, ère whole, perfect, full; (*MATH*) integral
entité *f* entity
entourage *m* entourage; surround
entouré, e surrounded; popular
entourer to surround; to rally round
s'—**de** to surround oneself with
entracte *m* interval; interlude
entraîn *m* drive
entraînement *m* drive; practice; training
entraîner to drive; to pull; to lead to; to coach; to take along; to influence
s'— to practice; to train
entraîneu-r, se *mf* trainer, coach
entraîneuse *f* hostess
entrant, e incoming

entre between, among, into, in
 — **autres** among others

entrée *f* entrance; admission; beginning; entry; *entrée*

entrelacement intertwining

entreprenant, e enterprising; forward

entrepreneur *m* contractor; firm manager

entreprendre to start on, to undertake; to buttonhole
 — **de faire** to undertake to do

entreprise *f* enterprize, undertaking, contract, attempt; firm, business, company

entrer to enter (**dans, en**, into); to begin; to bring in

entretemps meanwhile

entretenir to keep up; to maintain; to cherish
 s'— to converse; to keep fit

entretien *m* upkeep; maintenance; conversation; interview

entrevoir to make out; to see briefly; to glimpse

entrevue *f* interview; meeting

énumérer to enumerate

enveloppe *f* envelope; wrapper; cover

envelopper to envelop; to wrap up; to cover

envers toward(s), to; *m* wrong side
 à l'— upside down; back to front; inside out

envie *f* desire; envy
 avoir — **de** to feel like, to want
 avoir — **de faire** to want to do

envier to envy

environ about; *pl* environs; surroundings; outskirts; vicinity

environnement *m* (*ecological*) environment

environner to surround

envisager to consider; to look at, to face

envoi *m* sending, dispatch, consignment, goods, parcel, remittance

envoyer to send, to forward, to dispatch

épais, se thick; dull; deep; a lot, much

épaisseur *f* thickness; depths; substance; layer

épaissir to thicken; to broaden; to deepen; to put on wait

épaississement *m* thickening

épars, e scattered; disheveled

épice *f* spice

épicer to spice; to spice up

épier to spy on; to look for

épilogue epilog; outcome

épimorphe epimorphic

épimorphisme *m* epimorphism

épinards *mpl* spinach

épinglage *m* pinning? fastening?

épingle *f* pin

épingler to pin (up); to nab, to nick

épointé pointed; punctured

épreuve *f* ordeal; test; examination; proof

éprouver to feel; to have; to test; to distress; to hit

épuiser to exhaust

équation *f* equation

équilibre *m* balance; stability

équipage *m* crew

équipe *f* team

équipement *m* equipment; facilities

équiper to equip; to fit out
 s'— to equip oneself

équitable fair

équité *f* fairness

équivalent, e equivalent; *m* equivalent

équivaloir to be equivalent (**à**, to)

équivoque *f* ambiguity; equivocal; dubious

errer to stray, to err

erreur *f* error; mistake
erroné, e erroneous
érudit, e erudite, learned; *mf* learned person
érudition *f* learning, erudition
escamotage *m* retraction; cover-up; spiriting away
escamoter to make disappear; to retract; to cover up; to evade
escorter to escort; to convoy; to accompany
ésotérique esoteric
espace *m* space, room, infinity, vacancy
espacement *m* spacing; spacing out
espacer to space; to leave space between
espagnol, e *mf* Spanish; Spaniard; *m* Spanish
espèce *f* species, kind, sort, case
espérer to hope, to expect, to trust
espiègle mischievous
espoir *m* hope, expectation
esprit *m* spirit, soul, ghost, mind, intellect, wit, talent, feeling
esquisse *f* sketch, outline
esquisser to sketch; to outline
s'— (*solution*) to emerge
esquiver to avoid, to elude
essai *m* trial, attempt, essay, try
coup d'— first attempt
essayer to try, to try on, to attempt
s'— to try one's skill
essence *f* petrol; essence
essentiel *m* main thing
essentiel, le essential
esthétique aesthetic; aesthetically pleasing; graceful; *f* aesthetics; aesthetic quality; grace
esthétisme *m* aestheticism
estime *f* esteem; regard
estimer to estimate; to consider
établir to establish; to set; to draw up
s'— to settle; to set oneself up; to become established
étage *m* floor; story; stage; level
étager to arrange in tiers
s'— to be terraced
étale slack; (*water, sea*) the period between tides, when the water neither rises nor falls
étaler to display, to spread out
étant *see être*
étape stop over, stage
état *m* state; plight; profession; trade; list; statement; nation
état-major *m* staff; headquarter
étayer to prop up, to support
été *m* summer; *pp* of **être**
étendre to extend; to spread; to stretch; to expand; to lay down
s'— to stretch out; to stretch (plain, etc)
étendu, e extended; spread; extensive
étendue *f* extent
éternel, le eternal; unending
étirer to stretch
éttoffe *f* fabric, cloth; stuff, material
étoffer to expand, to develop
s'— to fill out; to put on weight
étoile *f* star; decoration; asterisk
étonnant astonishing; wonderful; surprising
étonner to astonish; to astound; to surprise
étrange strange
étrangement strangely
étran-er, ère foreign; unknown, unfamiliar; *mf* foreigner; stranger; outsider
étrangeté *f* strangeness
être to be, to exist, to belong
étroit, e narrow, tight, close, strict

à l'— cramped
étroitesse *f* narrowness; tightness; close-ness
étude *f* study, practice
étudiant *m* student
étudier to study, to observe
eu-, eû- *see avoir*
eulérien, ne Euler (as an adjective)
Europe *f* Europe
eux them; they
évaluer to value; to estimate
évanescent, e fleeting
cycle — *m* vanishing cycle
éventualité *f* possibility; eventuality
éventuel, le possible
éventuellement possibly
évidemment evidently; obviously
évidence *f* evidence
évident, e evident; clear
éviter to avoid, to dodge
évolution *f* evolution
exact, e exact; accurate; true; punctual
exaction *f* extortion
exactitude *f* exactness; accuracy; punctuality
exagérer to exaggerate; to go too far
exalté, e exalted; elated; enthusiastic; fanatic
exalter to extol; to praise
examen *m* examination; exam; scrutiny
examineur *m* examiner
examiner to examine; to inquire into
excédent *m* surplus; excess
excéder to exceed; to exasperate
excellamment excellently
excellent, e excellent
exceller to excel
excentrique eccentric
excepté except
excepter to except
exception *f* exception
excés *m* excess
excessi-f, ve excessive; exorbitant
excitant, e exciting; stimulating
excitation *f* excitement
exciter to excite; to rouse
exclamer to exclaim
exclu, e excluded; *mf* outsider
exclure to exclude
exclusi-f, ve exclusive
exclusivité *f* exclusiveness; sole rights
excuse *f* excuse; *pl* apology
excuser to excuse
s'— to apologize; to decline (offer, etc)
exécutant *m* performer
exécuter to execute; to perform; to carry out
s'— to make an effort; to yield
exécution *f* execution; performance
exemplaire *m* copy; exemplary
exemple *m* example; instance; copy
par — for instance; really!
exercer to exercise; to train up; to practise; to follow (a profession)
exercice *m* exercise; practice; financial year; drill
exigeant, e demanding
exigence *f* exigence, demand
exiger to exact, to demand, to insist upon
exil *m* exile
exiler to exile; to banish
existence *f* existence; life
exister to exist
exotique exotic
expansi-f, ve expansive; exuberant; effusive

expédier to post; to expedite; to despatch; to draw up
expéditi-f, ve expeditious
expédition *f* expedition; forwarding; consignment; copy
expérience *f* experience; experiment
expérimenter to experiment; to try; to test
expert *m* expert; specialist; valuer; surveyor; skilled
expertise *f* valuation; survey
expirer to expire; to breath out; to die
explicati-f, ve explanatory
explication *f* explanation
explicite explicit
expliciter to clarify; to explain
expliquer to explain, to construe, to account for
exploit *m* deed, feat
exploitation *f* working; cultivation; exploitation
exploiter to work; to cultivate; to turn to account; to take advantage of
explorer to explore
explorer to explode; to blow up
explisi-f, ve explosive
explosive *m* explosive
explosion *f* explosion; outbreak
exponentiel, le exponential
exportation *f* export
exporter to export
exposant *m* exhibitor; petitioner
exposé *m* statement, account
exposer to expose, to exhibit, to explain
exposition *f* exhibition; aspect; exposition
expr-ès, esse formal, express
exprès on purpose, deliberately
express *m* (*train*) express; (*coffee*) espresso
expressi-f, ve expressive
expression *f* expression
exprimer to express
s'— to express oneself
extase *f* ecstasy
extensi-f, ve extensive; wider; extended
extension *f* stretching; extension; expansion
extérieur *m* exterior; outside
extérieur, e external; outward; foreign
exterminer to destroy
externe external
extra *m* extra; first rate; wonderful
extrême extreme; utmost; *m* extreme limit
extrémité *f* extremity; end; last moments

F

face *f* face (of sth.); front; aspect; side
en — opposite
facile easy
facilité *f* ease; ability; readiness; *pl* easy terms
faciliter to facilitate; to make easier
façon *f* way, manner *pl* affectation
de — à so as to
de — que so that
de toute — anyway, in any case
sans — unpretentious; really, honestly; without fuss
façonner to shape, to form, to turn (on lathe)
facteur *m* (*MUS*) maker; (*MATH*) factor
fac-teur, trice *mf* postman, postwoman
faible weak; slight; low; *m* weakling; weakness
— d'esprit feeble-minded
faiblesse *f* weakness

faiblir to weaken
faïlle *f* fault; flaw; rift
faillir to err, to fail, to almost...
faim *f* hunger
avoir — to be hungry
faïence *f* earthenware
faire to make, to do, to arrange, to form
se — to take place; to be in; to get, to become
se — à to get used to
faisable feasible
faisceau *m* bundle, pile (*MATH*) sheaf
faisceautique (*MATH*) sheaf(-theoretic)
faisons *see* **faire**
fait *m* fact, act, deed, doing, making
fait, e made, done
falloir to be necessary, must
fallu *pp* of **falloir**
famé, e famed
fameu-x, se famous; first-rate
familiariser to familiarize
familier *m* intimate; conversant (*avec*, with)
famili-er, ère familiar; informal
famille *f* family; kind
fantaisie *f* fancy; imagination
fantasque odd; whimsical
fantastique fantastic
fantôme *m* phantom; specter; ghost
fasse(-) *see* **faire**
fastidieu-x, se tedious
fatal, e inevitable; fatal
fatigant, e tiring; tiresome
fatigue *f* fatigue, tiredness
fatigué, e tired
fatiguer to tire; to strain; to labor
se — to get tired (**de**, of)
fausser to distort, to buckler, to be out of

fortune
faut *see* **falloir**
faute *f* fault; error; mistake; lack
— **de** for want of; for lack of
sans — without fail; faultless
fauti-f, ve faulty; guilty
faux *m* falsehood; imitation; forgery
fau-x, sse false; sham; base; bad; imitated;
out of tune
fer- *see* **faire**
ferme firmly, hard; firm, steady, strong,
stiff; *f* farm, farm-house, farming
fermé *m* (*MATH*) closed (set)
fermé, e closed
fermer to shut, to close
fermeté *f* firmness
février *m* February
fiancé, e *mf* fiancé; fiancée
fiancer (se) to become engaged
fibre *f* fiber; feeling; constitution
fibré fibred; *m* (*MATH*) bundle
— **en droites** *m* line bundle
— **principal homogène** *m* principal homogeneous bundle
fidèle faithful, true, exact; *m* believer
fidèlement faithfully
fidélité *f* fidelity; loyalty
figurant, e *mf* (*cinema*) walk on actor, extra
n'être qu'un to have a taken role
figurati-f, ve figurative; representational
figure *f* figure; form; face; countenance
figuré, e figurative
figurer to figure; to represent
se — to imagine
fil *m* thread, yarn, wire, edge, grain, current
— **d'Ariane** (*MYTHOL*) Ariadne's

thread; (*FIG*) vital clue; (Ariadne: a daughter of Minos who helps Theseus escape from the labyrinth)

file *f* line; lane

fille *f* girl, maid, daughter, servant

film *m* film, movie; course, sequence

fil *m* son

filtrant, e filter; filtering

filtre *m* filter

filtrer to filter; to screen; to filter through; to leak out

fin *f* end; close; aim; purpose

fin, e fine; thin; refined; sly; sharp (*financier*)

final, e final

finalement finally; lastly; at last

financé *see* **financer**

financer to lay out money

fini *m* finish

fini, e finished; consummate; finite

finir to finish; to put an end to

fit *see* **faire**

fixation *f* fixing; fixation

fixe steady; firm; regular; fixed

fixer to determine, to set, to finalize

flèche *f* arrow, beam, spire

fléchir to bend, to give away, to bow, to appease

fleur *f* flower, blossom, prime

fois *f* time, occasion

une — once

une — **pour toutes** once and for all

foncteur *m* (*MATH*) functor

fonction *f* function; *pl* office; duties

fonctionnaire *f* official; civil servant

fonctionner to work; to be going; to function

fonctorialité *f* functoriality

fond *m* bottom; foundation; depth; ground; substance; amount

à — thoroughly

fondamental, e fundamental

fondation *f* foundation

fondé, e founded; justified

fondement *m* foundation; ground

fonder to found; to build; to establish

se — to be based on; to rely

fondre to melt, to cast, to disappear, to pounce

fonds *m* land; property; fund; funds; cash; *pl* securities

fontaine *f* fountain; spring; cistern

fonte *f* melting; casting; cast-iron; holster

fondue melted, molten, dissolved *pp* of **fondre**

forain foreign; travelling (of theater, fair, etc)

force a plenty of; *f* strength; power; ability

forcé, e forced; affected

forcément forcibly; necessarily

forcer to break open; to compel

forge *f* forge; ironworks

forger to forge; to hammer; to make up; to form

se — to imagine; to build up

formalité *f* formality; ceremony

format *m* size

formation *f* training, formation, structure

forme *f* form

formel, le formal, express

former to form

formidable fearsome; tremendous; super

formulaire *m* form

formule *f* formula; prescription; form

formuler to draw up, to express, to prescribe

fort very, extremely; *m* strongest part, thickest, height, fort, forte
fort, e strong, stout, great, clever, thick, loud, severe, hard
fortifier to strengthen; to fortify
fortuit, e accidental; fortuitous
fortune *f* fortune; chance; luck
fortuné fortunate; well-off
foo (fol), folle mad; crazy; wild; stray; *mf* madman/madwoman
fournir to supply, to provide, to stock
fourrer to stuff, to cram, to line with fur
fraction *f* fraction
fractionner to divide into fractions
fractionnaire fractional
fracture *f* fracture; breaking
fragile fragile; brittle; frail
fragment *m* fragment; piece; scrap
franchement frankly; clearly; completely, downright
frappant striking
frappe *f* typing
frappé, e chilled
frapper to strike, to knock, to rap, to ice
se — to get flustered
fréquemment frequently
fréquence *f* frequency
fréquent, e frequent
fréquenter to frequent; to associate with
frère *m* brother; friar
Frobenius *m* Frobenius
frontière *f* frontier, border; (*MATH*) boundary (in geometry)
fructueu-x, se fruitful, profitable
fuser to ring out, to rocket, to stream out

G

gagnant, e winning; *mf* winner
gagner to win; to earn; to gain; to save; to win over; to reach, to get to; to spread to; to overcome; to encroach
ganeu-r, se *mf* winner
gai, e happy; cheerful; light-hearted; bright, cheerful; merry; gay
gain *m* earnings (pl); gain; saving
galoisien, ne Galois
gangue *die* gangue (the worthless rock or vein matter in which valuable metals or minerals occur)
garantie *f* guarantee; warranty; safeguard
garantir to guarantee; to secure; to protect
garçon *m* boy; lad; bachelor; waiter
garde *f* guard (service), care, watch
mettre en — warn
prendre — be careful (*à*, of)
garde-fou *m* puppet; safeguard
garder to keep; to keep on; to look after; to guard
se — to keep
se — **de faire** to be careful not to do
garnement *m* scamp, rascal
gauche *f* left side; left, clumsy
général, e general; *mf* general
généralité *f* general point
générateur *m* generator
générat-eur, rice generating
génération *f* generation
génératrice *f* generator
générer to generate
généreu-x, se generous
générique generic
générosité *f* generosity
généraliser to generalize

genre *m* kind; species; gender; manner; form
gentil, le nice; kind; good
gentilhomme *m* nobleman; gentleman
gentillesse *f* kindness
gentiment nicely
géographie *f* geography
géométrie *f* geometry
gerbe *f* bouquet; spray; sheaf
germe *m* germ; shoot; seed
globe *m* globe; ball; orb
global, e overall
gloire *f* glory, fame
glorieu-x, euse glorious
glorifier to glorify
glose *f* gloss
glossaire *m* glossary
gondoler to warp; to curl
 se — to warp
gonflable inflatable
gonflement *m* (*MATH*) blow-up??
gonfler to blow up, to inflate; to swell; to blow out; to exaggerate
 se — to swell; to be filled (**de**, with)
goût *m* taste; liking
goûter to taste; to enjoy; to have tea; *m* tea, snack
gouverner to govern
grâce *f* grace, mercy, thanks, charm
gracier to pardon
gracieu-x, se gracious; kind; courteous; pleasant; grateful
grade *m* grade; rank; degree
gradué, e graduated, graded
grand *m* greatness, grown-up
grand, e great, big, tall, grown up, much
grassmannien, ne Grassmannian
grassmannienne *f* Grassmannian
gratifiant, e gratifying, rewarding
gratifier to favor; to reward (**de**, with)
gratis free
grave serious; grave; deep
gré *m* will; taste
 à son — as one likes
grec, que Greek
Grec, que *mf* Greek
gros *m* main part; bulk; wholesale
gros, se big; large; fat; coarse; pregnant
grosueur *f* size; lump
grossi-er, ère coarse, rough, vulgar
grossir to enlarge; to put on weight
groupe *m* group, clump, cluster
guère hardly, not much
guerre *f* war; strife
guerri-er, ère *f* warrior; warlike; martial
guide *m* guide; guide-book; *f* rein
guider to guide
guillemet *m* inverted comma, quotation mark
guise *f* way; humor; fancy

H

habile skilful; clever
habiller to dress sb.; to provide with clothing; to cover
 s'— to dress, to get dressed; to dress up; to buy one's clothes
habit *m* suit
habuts *mpl* clothes
habitable habitable
habitant, e *mf* inhabitant; occupant
habitat *m* housing conditions; settlement; habitat
habitation *f* housing; house, home

habiter to live in; to dwell with; to live
habitude *f* habit; custom
habitué, e *mf* regular
habituel, le usual, customary; typical
habituellement usually
habituer to accustom, to inure
halte *f* stop
hanter to haunt
happer to snap up; to strike
harmonie *f* harmony; harmonics; agreement
harmonieu-x, se harmonious
hâte *f* haste
hâter to hasten; to bring forward
se — to hurry
hâti-f, ve hurried, hasty
haut high up; far back; loudly; *m* height; summit
haut, e high; lofty; tall; erect; great
hautbois *m* oboe
hauteur *f* height; eminence; haughtiness
hensélien, ne Henselian
hensélisé *m* Henselization
herbe *f* grass
héritage *m* inheritance; heritage
hériter to inherit; to get
hériti-er, ère *mf* heir; heiress
hermitien, ne Hermitian
héroïne *f* heroine; (*drug*) heroin
héroïque heroic
héroïsme *m* heroism
héros *m* hero
hésitation *f* hesitation
hésiter to hesitate
hétérogène heterogeneous
hétérogénéité heterogeneity
heure *f* hour; time; moment; o'clock
heureu-x, se happy, lucky, successful, favorable, blessed
histoire *f* history; story; tale; fib; trifle; important matter
historien *m* historian
historique historical
hiver *m* winter
holomorphe holomorphic
homme *m* man; mankind
homogène homogeneous
homogénéité *f* homogeneity
homographie *f* homography
homologie *f* homology
homologique homologic
homomorphisme *m* homomorphism
homothétie *f* homothety
homotopie *f* homotopy
homotopique homotopic
honnête *m* honesty; honest; decent; respectable
honnêteté *f* honesty; decency
honneur *m* honor; credit; respect
honorable honorable; respectable; proper; creditable
honoraire honorary
hôpital *m* hospital
hors
— **de** outside; out of
huit eight; *m* eight
huitième eighth; *m* eighth
humain, e human; humane
humains *mpl* mankind
humanité *f* humanity; human nature; *pl* humanities; humankind; mankind
humble humble; lowly
hypothèse *f* hypothesis

I

ici here

par — this way

ici-bas here below

icône *f* icon

icosaèdre *m?* icosahedron

icosaédrique icosahedral

idéal *m* ideal; ideal

idée *f* idea; notion; plan; outline; opinion

idem ditto

identification *f* identification

identifier to identify (**à**, with)

identique identical

identiquement identically

identité *f* identity

ignorant, e ignorant; *mf* ignoramus

ignoré, e unknown (**de**, to); ignored (**de**, by)

ignorer not to know; to ignore; not to feel

il he, it, there

île *f* island

illégal, e illegal

illuminé, e *mf* visionary; illuminated; enlightened

illusion *f* illusion; delusion

illusionner to delude

illusoire illusory

illustration *f* illustration

illustre illustrious

illustrer to illustrate (**de**, with)

s'— to distinguish oneself

image *f* picture; image; reflection

imagé, e full of imagery; colorful

imaginaire imaginary

imaginati-f, ve imaginative

imagination *f* imagination

imaginer to imagine; to conceive; to con-

trive

s'— to imagine

imiter to imitate; to mimic

immatériel, le immaterial; unreal; intangible

immédiat *m*

dans l'— for the time being

immédiat, e immediate

immédiatement immediately

immémorial, e ancient

immense immense

immersion *f* immersion

immoral, e immoral

impair, e odd; uneven

imparfait imperfect; *m* imperfect tense

imperfection *f* imperfection

implicite implicit

impliquer to implicate; to involve; to imply

importance *f* importance

important *m* main point

important, e important

importer to import; to matter (only used in 3rd person, infinitive and participles)

il importe de/que it is important to/that

qu'importe!, peu importe! it doesn't matter

n'importe quel any (at all)

n'importe qui anyone (at all)

n'importe quoi anything (at all)

n'importe où anywhere (at all)

n'importe quand at any time (at all)

n'importe comment anyhow

importun, e troublesome, tiresome, unwelcome, ill-timed, ill-chosen, awkward *mf* unwelcome visitor, tiresome individual

importuner to bother, to disturb

imposer to impose; to tax

impossible *m* impossibility; impossible
impression *f* impression; printing
impressionner to impress; (*feelings*) to move
imprimé *m* printed paper; *pl* printed matter
imprimer to impress; to print; to stamp
impropre incorrect
impropriété *f* incorrectness; error
inacceptable unacceptable
inaccessible inaccessible; unapproachable; unattainable; impossible
inaugurer to inaugurate
inauguration *f* opening, unveiling
incompl-*et*, *ête* incomplete
incompréhensible incomprehensive
incorporer to incorporate
incorrek incorrect
indéfini, e indefinite; vague
indéfiniment indefinitely
indépendamment independently
indépendant, e independent
indétermination *f* indeterminateness, indefiniteness
indéterminé, e indeterminate, indefinite; vague; undecided
index *m* index; forefinger
indicateur *m* indicator; timetable
indica-*teur*, *trice* indicating; indicatory
indice *m* indication, sign, clue; (*MATH*) index
indifféremment indifferently; indiscriminately
indifférent indifferent; immaterial
indiquer to indicate
indirect indirect
indiscernabilité *f* indistinguishability
indispensable indispensable

indisponible unavailable
individu *m* individual, person
individuel, le individual
induire to induce; to lead; to infer
induit, e *pp* of **induire**; resulting; induced
industrie *f* industry; skill; trade
inédit, e unpublished; novel, original
ineffaçable indelible
inégalé, e unequalled
inégalité *f* inequality; difference, disparity; unevenness; changeability
inertie *f* inertia
infini *m* infinity
à l'— (*MATH*) to infinity; ad infinitum, endlessly
infini, e infinite; endless; boundless
infiniment infinitely; extremely
infinitésimal (*MATH*) infinitesimal
infliger to inflict; to impose
influence *f* influence
influer to exert an influence
influent, e influential
influer to exert an influence
information *f* information; inquiry; *pl* news bulletin
informer to inform; to acquaint
s'— to inquire
ingrat, e *mf* ungrateful person; ungrateful, unprofitable, unpleasant
initial, e initial
initiale *f* initial
initia-*teur*, *trice* innovative; *mf* initiator; innovator
initiative *f* initiative
initier to initiate; to instruct; to admit
injecter to inject
inoffensi-*f*, *ve* harmless
inscription *f* inscription; registration

inscrire to write down; to register (for something); (*SPORT*) to score
inscrit, e *pp* of **inscrire**; registered; *mf* registered person
insensé, e insane; extraordinary
insérer to insert
insertion *f* insertion; integration
insignifiant, e insignificant
insister to insist
inspecter to inspect; to examine
inspec-teur, trice *mf* inspector; surveyor
inspiration *f* inspiration
inspirer to inspire; to breathe in
s'— **de** to be inspired by
instable unstable
installation *f* installation
instance *f* entreaty; immediacy; degree of jurisdiction; suit
instant *m* moment, instant
instinct *m* instinct
instincti-f, ve instinctive
instituer to institute; to establish; to appoint
institut *m* institute; institution; school
institution *f* institution; school
instruction *f* instruction; judicial investigation
instruire to instruct; to investigate; to teach
instruit, e instructed; learned
instrument *m* instrument; tool
instrumenter to draw (deeds, writs, etc)
insu unknown to
insuffisamment insufficiently
insuffisant, e insufficient
intègre upright, just, honest
intellectuel, le intellectual
intelligence *f* intelligence; knowledge; skill; harmony
intelligent, e intelligent; clever
intense intense
intensi-f, ve intensive
intention *f* intention; purpose
intégral, e in full; unabridged, complete
calcul — (*MATH*) integral calculus
intégrale *f* whole; (*MATH*) integral
dans son — in full
intéressant, e interesting
intéressé, e interested; selfish
intéresser to interest; to concern
intérêt *m* interest; profit; share; concern
intérieur *m* inside; home; interior
intérieur, e interior; inner
international, e international
interne *mf* boarder; house-surgeon; internal
interner to intern
interprète *m* interpreter
interpréter to interpret
interrogati-f, ve interrogative; inquiring
interrogation *f* interrogation; question
interroger to question; to interrogate; to examine
s'— to wonder about
interrompre to interrupt
s'— to stop
intersection *f* intersection
intervalle *m* interval
intervenir to intervene; to interfere; to occur
intervention *f* intervention
intrinsèque intrinsic
introduc-teur, trice *mf* introducer
introduction *f* introduction
introduire to introduce
s'— to get into
introuvable untraceable; that cannot be found; that is hard to come by; that is

impossible to get hold of
intuiti-f, ve intuitive; *mf* intuitive person
intuition *f* intuition
inutile useless; pointless
invalide invalid; infirm; *mf* army veteran; pensioner; disabled
invariable unchanging, invariable
invariant, e invariant
inventer to invent
invent-eur, trice *mf* inventor; discoverer; inventive
invention *f* invention; inventiveness
inverse inverse; *m* inverse
inverser to reverse
inversible invertible
inversion *f* inversion; reversal
investigation *f* investigation; inquiry
investir to invest
invité, e *mf* guest
inviter to invite, to urge, to request
involuti-f, ve involutive
involution *f* involution
invoquer to call upon, to invoke
invraisemblable improbable, unlikely; incredible
irrationnel, le irrational
irréductible irreducible
irréguli-er, ère irregular
irresponsable irresponsible
isobar, e isobaric
isogén isogenous
isogénie *f* isogeny
isolé, e isolated; lonely; detached
isolement *m* loneliness; seclusion
isoler to isolate; to put in solitary confinement; to soundproof; to insulate
isomorphe isomorphic
isomorphisme *m* isomorphism

isotopie *f* isotopy
isotrop, e isotropic
isotropie *f* isotropy
issu, e
être — **de** to emerge or stem from; to come from
issue *f* issue; outlet; end
Italie *f* Italy
italien, ne *mf* Italian
itérati-f, ve iterative, repeated; frequent
itéré *m* iteration
itéré, e iterated
itérer to iterate
itou too, also

J

jaillir to spout, to gush out, to spring forth
jamais ever, never
janvier *m* January
je I
jeter to throw, to fling
à — disposable
jett- *see jeter*
jeu *m* play, sport, gambling, set, acting
jeudi *m* Thursday
jeune young; junior; youthful
joie *f* delight, gladness
joignant adjoining; near to
joindre to join, to adjoin, to clasp, to get in touch
joint, e joined, united
joli, e pretty, nice, lovely
faire — to look nice, to look good
jonction *f* junction
jouer to play, to gamble, to stake, to act, to deceive

jouir to enjoy, to possess, to use
jour *m* day, daylight, gap
journal *m* paper; journal; diary; news
journali-er, ère daily
journalisme *m* journalism
joyeu-x, se cheerful, merry, joyful
judiciaire judicial; legal
judicieu-x, se judicious
juge *m* judge, magistrate
jugement *m* judgement, trial, sentence, opinion
juger to try, to sentence, to believe
juillet *m* July
juin *m* June
jusque to, as far as, until, up to, down to, even
juste *m* upright man; just, correct, fair, tight; just, right, exactly
justement just so; exactly
justice *f* justice; fairness; law
justifier to justify; to prove
juvénile youthful
juxtaposer to place side by side

K

kählérien, ne Kähler

L

là there, then
là-bas (over) there
labour *m* labor
laboratoire *m* laboratory
laborieusement laboriously
laborieu-x, se laborious; industrious

lac *m* lake
lacer to lace up
lacet *m* lace; bend; snare
lâche cowardly; loose; lax; *mf* coward
lâcher to let go of; to drop; to give up; to leave; to release; to fire; to come out with; to loosen; to give away
lacune *f* gap, blank
ladite *see* **ledit**
lagrangien, ne Lagrangian
laisser to leave, to bequeath, to allow, to give up
langage *m* language, speech, expression
langue *f* tongue; language; (*land*) narrow strip
large wide, broad; large; generous; on the generous side
largeur *f* width, breadth
larguer to drop
larme *f* tear; drop
larmoyant, e full of tears
laquelle who, whom, which, that
laver to wash
lec-teur, trice *mf* reader
lecture *f* reading
ledit, ladite, lesdits, lesdites the said, the aforementioned
légal, e legal
légendaire legendary
légende *f* legend; story; key; caption
léger, ère light, faint, fickle
lequel who, whom, which, that
lesdits, lesdites *see* **ledit**
leur to them; their
libre free, bold, disengaged
lié, e bound
être très — avec to be great friends with
lien *m* bond; bond, tie; connection, link

lier to bind, to tie, to join, to thicken
lieu *m* place, spot
 —**x** *mpl* scene, spot; premises
au — de instead of
avoir — take place
donner — **à** give rise to
en dernier — lastly
en premier — in the first place
s'il y a — if necessary
tenir — **de** serve as
ligne *f* line, row, rank; route
limite *f* limit; boundary; landmark
linéaire linear
lire to read
lis- *see* **lire**
lis-eur, euse *mf* reader
lisible legible
lisse smooth
lisser to smooth; to stroke; to smooth out
lissité *f* smoothness
liste *f* list; roll; schedule; catalogue
lit *see* **lire**; *m* bed
litterie *f* bedding
litière *f* litter
litre *m* liter
littéraire literary; *mf* person who is strong
 in arts subjects
littéral, e literal; written
littérature *f* literature; writing
liturgie *f* liturgy
livraison *f* delivery
livre *m* book; *f* pound; pound sterling
livrée *f* lively; servants
livrer to deliver; to betray
local *m* place; premises
local, e local
localement locally
localisé *m* localization

localiser to locate; to localize
location *f* renting; leasing; lease; property;
 booking
logique *f* logic; logical
loi *f* law; authority; act
loin far; distant
lointain, e distant; vague
loisible permissible
loisir *m* leisure, time
long *m* long
de — en large back and forth
(tout) le — de (all) along
long, ue long
longer to pass along, to walk along, to coast
longtemps long, a long while
longueur *f* length
lors then, at the time
dès — ever since
lorsque when
loyal, e honesty; true; faithful
lui he, him, to him, her, to her, it, to it
lumière *f* (*fig*) light
luminaire *m* light
lunaire lunar
lundi *m* Monday
lune *f* moon
luxe *m* luxury
luxueu-x, se luxurious
lyrique lyrical
lyrisme *m* lyricism

M

ma my
machinal, e mechanical
machine *f* machine; machinery; engine; lo-
 comotive

machiner to plot
magie *f* magic
magique magic; magical
mai *m* May
maint many, several
maintenant now
mais but
maison *f* house; home; firm
maisonnette *f* cottage; small house
maître *m* master; owner; teacher
maîtresse *f* teacher; mistress
maîtrise *f* mastery; self-control
majesté *f* majesty
majestueu-x, se majestic
majeur, e greater; major
major *m* major
majoration *f* increase; (*MATH*) upper bound
majorer to increase
majorité *f* majority; coming of age
majuscule *f* capital (letter)
mal ill, badly, amiss; *m* evil, mischief, misfortune
malgré in spite of, despite
malheur *m* unhappiness; misfortune; bad luck
malheureusement unfortunately
malheureu-x, se unhappy, wretched
mangeable edible
manger to eat, to squander; *m* food
manie *f* mania; craze
manier to handle; to manage; to govern
manière *f* manner; style; type; *pl* manners; airs
manifestation *f* manifestation; political demonstration
manifeste *m* manifesto; manifest; manifest; evident
manifester to manifest; to demonstrate
manipuler to manipulate; to handle
manœuvre *laborer*; *f* move; drill
manœvrer to handle; to work; to manoeuvre
manque *m* lack, deficiency, failure
manqué, é missed; defective; failed
manquement *m* omission; failure; oversight
manquer to fail; to want; to err; to miss; to be very near to (doing something)
maniabile easy to handel
manier to handel, to manage, to govern
manière manner, style, type
maniéré, e affected
manifeste obvious; *m* manifesto
manifester to show, to express; to demonstrate
manipulation *f* handling; manipulation
manipuler to handle; to falsify, to rig; to manipulate
manœuvrer to manoeuvre, to operate, to work; to manipulate
manquant, e missing
manque *m* lack, shortage; gap
manquer to be lacking, to be missing; to be absent from; to fail; to miss; to bungle, to botch
manuscript *m* manuscript
manuscript, e handwritten
marchand, e market; trade; *mf* merchant; storekeeper
marchandage *m* bargaining
marchander to haggle over; to begrudge; to bargain, to haggle
marchandise *f* merchandize, goods
marche *f* step; walking; walk; (*MUS*) march; running, working
marché *m* market; bargain, deal

marcher to walk; to step; to march; to work,
to run; to go well; to do well; to agree;
to go for
faire — **qch.** to get sth. to work
— (**bien**) to go well
— **mal** not to go well
mardi *m* Tuesday
marée *f* tide; wave, surge
marginal, e marginal; dropout; *mf*
dropout
mariage *m* marriage; wedding
marié, e married; *mf* groom, bridegroom
marier to marry; to blend
se — to get married; to blend
marque *f* mark
marquer to mark, to want, to err, to miss,
to be very near to (doing something), to
be conspicuous
mars *m* March
martial martial
masque *m* mask; pretence
masquer to mask; to disguise; to hide
masse *f* mass; heap; bulk; lot; pool
massif *m* thicket; clump of shrubs; chain of
mountains
massi-f, ve massive; heavy; solid
matériaux *mpl* materials
matériel *m* stock; plant
matériel, le material
matière *f* matter, material, subject, cause
mathématicien *m* mathematician
mathématique mathematical
mathématiques *fpl* mathematics
matin *m* morning
matrice *f* matrix; womb
matriciel, le matrical
mauvais, e evil; bad; ill; wrong
maximal, e maximal, maximum
maximaliser to maximize
maximiser to maximize
maximum *m* maximum
me me, to me, at me
mécanique *f* mechanics; machinery; me-
chanical
mécanisme *m* mechanism; machinery
méditer to meditate; to plan
meilleur, e better (**que**, than); best; *mf*
le —, **la** — **e** the best (one)
mél *m* e-mail
mélange *m* mixture; blend
mélanger to mix
se — to mix; to blend; to get mixed up
membre *f* penis; member; limb
même same, even, very, self
à —(**sur**) directly on
à — **de** in a position to
de — too; likewise
de — **que** just as
— **si** even if
mémoire *m* memorandum; bill; *pl* memoirs;
f memory; fame
pour — for the record
menaçant, e threatening
menace *f* menace, threat
menacer to threaten
ménage *m* housekeeping; cleaning; house-
hold; married couple
ménagement *m* regard; caution; tact
ménager to spare; to treat with tact
mener to lead, to head, to convey
mensuel *m* monthly (magazine)
mensuel, le monthly
mental, e mental
mentalité *f* frame of mind; mentality
mentionner to mention
menu *m* menu

mer *f* sea
merci *m* thanks; thank you; *f* mercy
mercredi *m* Wednesday
mère *f* mother; principal
mérite *m* merit; worth; talent
mériter to deserve; to be worth, to merit
merveille *f* marvel, wonder
merveilleusement marvellously, wonder-
fully
merveilleu-x, se marvellous, wonderful;
magic, magical
mes my
mess *m* mess
message *m* message
messag-er, ère *mf* messenger
messe *f* mass
mesure *f* measure; measurement; propor-
tion; step; propriety; (*MUS*) bar; time
mesuré, e regular; guarded
mesurer to measure; to consider; to propor-
tion
mésuser to misuse
met *see* **mettre**
métaphore *f* metaphor
métaphorique metaphorical
métaphysique metaphysical; *f* meta-
physics
méthode *f* method; way; system
méthodique methodical
méticuleu-x, se meticulous; particular
mètre *m* meter; rule
mètrer to survey; to measure out
métrique metric
mettre to put, to set, to wear
mi *m* (*MUS*) Mi; E
mi- half; mid; semi-
miel *m* honey
mieux better, best, more; *m* best thing
militaire military; *m* soldier
mille, mil thousand; *m* thousand; mile
milliard *m* billion
million *m* million
miméographiée ? mimeograph
mineur *m* miner; (*MUS*) minor; minor
mineur, e minor; under age
minimal, e minimal, minimum
minime very small; minimal; trifling
minimiser to minimize; to play down
minimum *m* minimum
minoration *f* undervaluation; underestima-
tion; reduction; (*MATH*) lower bound
minorer to reduce
minoritaire minority; *mf* member of a mi-
nority
minuit *m* midnight
minuscule *f* small letter; minute
minute *f* minute; instant
miracle *m* miracle; wonder
miraculeu-x, se miraculous; wonderful
mirage *m* mirage; delusion
miroir *m* mirror; looking glass
mis- *see* **mettre**
mise *see* **mettre**
mise *f* placing, dress, stake
mise- *see* **mettre**
misère *f* misery; poverty; trifle
mission *f* mission
missionnaire *n* missionary
mixage *m* sound mixing
mixer (*AUDIO*) to mix
mixte coeducational; mixed; open to both
sexes; dual
mixtion *f* mixture; compounding; blinding
mixture *f* concoction; mixture; mishmash
mobile mobile; loose; movable
mobile *m* motive; moving body; mobile

mobiliser to mobilize; to call up
moche ugly; ghastly; awful; dreadful; nasty
mode *m* mode, method
modèle *m* model; pattern; size
modeler to model; to shape; to mould
modération *f* moderation
modérer to moderate; to quiet
moderne *mf* modern style; modern
modeste modest; unassuming
modestie *f* modesty
modification *f* modification
modifier to modify
modulable adjustable; multi-purpose; flexible
modulaire modular
modulation *f* modulation; flexibility; adjustment
module *m* module; unit; (*MATH, PHYS*) modulus
moduler to modulate; to adjust; to adapt
moi me, to me, myself, ego
moindre lesser; *mfpl* the slightest, the least
moins less, fewer, least, under; minus
à — que unless
au — at least
mois *m* month
moitié *f* half
moitié-moitié half-and-half
moléculaire molecular
molécule *f* molecule
moment *m* moment; time; occasion
du — que since, as
momentané, e temporary
momentanément temporarily
mon my
monde *m* world, mankind, people, society
mondial, e worldwide; global
monique monic
monodromie *f* monodromy
monomorphisme *m* monomorphism
monotone monotonous
monsieur *m* gentleman, Mr, master, sir
monter to ascend, to rise, to ride, to set up, to mount (jewel)
se — to amount
montrer to show, to teach
moral *m* state of mind; morale; spirits
moral, e moral; mental
morale *f* morals; reprimand; moral (of story)
morceau *m* piece, bit, morsel, extract
morphisme *m* morphism
mort *f* death
mort, e *mf* dead person; dead; stagnant; spent
mortalité *f* mortality; death-rate
mortel, le mortal; deadly; tedious; lethal
mot *m* word, saying, meaning, hint
moteur *m* motor; engine; driving force
mo-teur, trice motive; moving
motif *m* motive; reason
motion *f* motion; proposal
motiver to state reason for; to motivate
motivique motivic
mouvant, e moving; shifting
mouvement *m* movement; motion; disturbance; traffic
mouvementé, e agitated; lively; eventful; fluctuating
mouvoir to move; to stir; to start
moyen *m* means, medium, power
au — de by means of
il n’y a pas — de it is not possible to
moyen, ne average; poor
moyennant on condition, for a consideration

moyenne *f* average; mean
multigraphiée ? multigraph?
multilinéaire multilinear
multiplicité *f* multiplicity
multiplier to multiply
multiplodoque multiple-doctrined? (having more than one established convention, etc)
multitude *f* multitude
muni *pp* of **munir**
munir to provide, to supply, to arm
musicien, ne *mf* musician; musical
musique *f* music; band
mystère *m* mystery
mystérieu-x, se mysterious
mystifier to mystify; to hoax
mystique mystic; mystical

N

naï-f, ve naïve; unaffected
naissance *f* birth
donner — à give birth to; give rise to
naître to be born; to arise (**de**, from)
faire — to give rise to
naïveté *f* artlessness; simplicity
nappage *m* coating
nappe *f* tablecloth, cloth; sheet, blanket; layer
napper to coat
nati-f, ve native
nation *f* nation
naturaliser to naturalize
nature *f* nature; kind; constitution; plain (of cooking)
naturel *m* nature; character; native
naturel, le natural; unaffected; illegitimate

navette *f* shuttle
navigation *f* navigation; shipping
naviguer to sail; to navigate; to browse
navire *m* ship
 — **de guerre** warship
 — **marchand** merchant ship
ne no, not
néanmoins nevertheless, for all that, however
nébuleuse *f* nebula
nébuleu-x, se nebulous; cloudy
nécessaire *m* the needful; necessities; outfit; necessary; needful
nécessité *f* necessity; need; *pl* necessities
nécessiter to necessitate; to compel
nécessiteu-x, se needy
négati-f, ve negative; *m* negative (photo)
négativité *f* negativity
négligé *m* negligee
négligé, e neglected; careless; slovenly
négligeable negligible
négligement carelessly
négligence *f* neglect; needlessness; oversight
négligent, e negligent; careless
négliger to neglect; to omit; to overlook; to disregard
négocié to negotiate; to deal; to trade
neige *f* snow
neiger to snow
nerf *m* nerve; sinew; energy
nerveu-x, se nervous; vigorous; highly-strung
net *m* fair copy; plainly, entirely, at once, flatly
net, te near, clean, clear, net (prices), sharp
netteté *f* cleanness, clearness, distinctness
nettoyage *m* cleaning
nettoyer to clean; to clear out; to clean up

neuf nine
neu-f, ve new
neutre neutral
nez *m* nose, face, scent
ni neither, nor
nilpotent ? nilpotent
niveau *m* level, standard
Noël *m* Christmas
noir *m* black (color)
noir, e *mf* black (person), Black; black, dark, gloomy, wicked
nom *m* name, fame, noun
nombre *m* number, quantity
nombreu-x, se numerous
non no; not
 — **moins** no less
nontraer to show, to teach
normal, e normal; standard
normalement normally, usually
normalement convergent, e uniformly? convergent
normalisation normalization; standardization
normalisateur *m* (*MATH*) normalizer
normaliser to normalize; to standardize
 se — to return to normal
normalité *f* normality
norme *f* standard, norm; criterion; (*MATH*) norm
nos our
notamment particularly
note *m* note; mark; bill; memorandum; memo
noter to note, to mark
notice *f* notice; instructions; account
notifier to notify
notion *f* notion; idea
notre our

nôtre ours
nous we
nouv-eau, elle new, novel, recent, fresh, additional, another
 à — again; afresh, anew
 de — again
nouvel *see* **nouveau**
nouvelle *f* news, tidings, short, story
novembre *m* November
noyau *m* kernel, nucleus
nuit *f* night; darkness
nul, le no; not any; nil, zero; of no force; void; worthless; nobody; no one
nullement by no means
nullité *f* nullity; incapacity; nonentity
numérateur *m* numerator
numérique numerical
numéro *m* number; size; ticket; (*programme*) item; (magazine, etc) issue
numéroter to number

O

obédience *f* persuasion
obéir to obey; to follow; to observe; to comply with; to respond (**à**, to)
obéissance *f* obedience (**à**, to)
objecter to object; to allege against
objectif *m* objective; lens; aim; target
objecti-f, ive objective
objection *f* objection
objet *m* object; subject; matter; thing
obligation *f* obligation; bond
obligatoire compulsory
obliger to compel; to force
oblique oblique
oblitérer to cancel

observa-teur, trice *mf* observer; obser-
 vant
observation *f* observation; observance; re-
 mark; reprimand
observatoire *m* observatory
observer to observe; to comply with
obsession *f* obsession
obstacle *m* obstacle; hindrance
obstiner to be obstinate, to persist
obstruction *f* obstruction; blockage
obstruer to obstruct; to block
obtenir to obtain
obtenu *pp* of **obtenir**
occasion *f* occasion; opportunity; bargain
 d'— second-hand
occasionnel, le occasional
occasionner to occasion; to cause
occupant, e occupier; occupying
occupation *f* occupation; work; profession;
 capture (of place)
occupé, e occupied (place); engaged; busy
occuper to occupy, to employ, to inhabit
occurrence *f* occurrence
octobre *m* October
œuvre *f* work; society; works
offensant, e offensive
offense *f* offense; trespass; contempt
offenser to offend; to injure; to shock
offensi-f, ve offensive
office *m* office; duty; worship; service; *f*
 pantry
officiel, le official
offrande *f* offering
offre *f* offer, tender, bid
offrir to propose, to present, to bid
oiseau *m* bird
olive olive, olive-green; *f* olive
ombre *f* shade; shadow; hint
omettre to omit, to leave out
omis *see* **omettre**
omission *f* omission
on one, someone, people
ont *see* **avoir**
onze eleven
opéra-teur, trice *mf* operator
opération *f* operation; transaction
opérer to operate; to operate on; to work
opiner to give one's opinion
opinion *f* opinion
opportun, e opportune; timely; seasonable
opportunité *f* opportuneness; seasonable-
 ness; opportunity
opérer to operate, to operate on, to work
opposé *m* opposite; reverse
opposé, e opposite; contrary; opposed
opposer to oppose
 s'— to be opposed; to object (**à**, to)
opposition *f* opposition; contract
oppresser to oppress
oppression *f* oppression
opprimer to oppress; to crush
optimal, e optimal
optimiser to optimize
optimisme *m* optimism
option *f* option
optionel, le optional
optique *f* optics; perspective; optical com-
 ponents; optical; optic
dans cette — from this perspective
or now, well; *m* gold
oral, e oral; verbal; oral examination
orbite *f* orbit; eye-socket
orchestre *m* orchestra; band; orchestra pit
orchestrer to orchestrate
ordinaire *m* the ordinary custom; ordinary;
 common; vulgar

d'— usually
ordonné, e tidy
ordonner to organize, to put in order; to order, to tell; to prescribe; to ordain; to arrange in order
ordre *m* order; tidiness, orderliness
organisation *f* organization
orientation *f* direction; leanings; aspect; orienteering
orienter to position; to direct
s'— to find one's bearings
s'— **vers** to turn towards
original, e original; eccentric; *m* original; *mf* eccentric
originalité originality; eccentricity
origine *f* origin
originel, le original
ornement *m* ornament
orner to decorate
orthogonal *m* orthogonal (subspace)
orthogonal, e orthogonal
ôter to take away, to relieve, to pull off
OTAN NATO
ou or, either, else
où where, when, in which, on which, at which
d'— from which; hence
d'—? where from?
par — through which
— **qu'il soit** wherever he may be
oubli *m* forgetfulness, forgetting, oblivion
oublier to forget, to overlook, to neglect
outil *m* tool, implement
outiller to equip
outrage *m* insult
outragé, e *pp* of **outrager**; outraged
outrageant, e offensive
outrager to offend

outré beyond, besides
en — moreover, besides
— **que** apart from the fact that
ouvert *m* (*MATH*) open (set)
ouvert, e opened, open, bare, frank
ouverture *f* opening; overture; inauguration; *pl* proposals
ouvrable workable
ouvrage *m* work, workmanship, piece of work
ouvrier-er, ère *mf* worker; laborer
ouvrir to open; to begin; to sharpen (*ap-petite*)
ovale oval; oviform; *m* oval
ovation *f* ovation

P

pacifique peaceful
page *m* (*boy*) page; *f* (*book*) page
pair, e even, equal
paire *f* pair; couple; brace
paisible peaceful; quiet; still
paître to graze, to feed on, to pasture
paix *f* peace; quite; rest
palais *m* palace; palate
panachage *m* mix
panaché, e multicolored; mixed
panacher to mix
papier *m* paper; form
papillon *m* butterfly
paquet *m* packet; pack; parcel
par through
parabolique parabolic
paragraphe *m* paragraph
paraître to appear
parallèle parallel; unofficial; *m* parallel; *f*

parallel (line)
paramètre *m* parameter
paramétrer to parameterize
paramétrique parametric
paramétriser to parameterize
parce que because
parcourir to travel over, to go through, to
 glance at
parfait, e perfect
parfois sometimes, now and then
parler to speak; *m* way of speaking
parmi among, amongst, amid, amidst
par-s, t *see* **partir**
part *f* portion; share; part
 à — aside, separately; exceptional; apart
 from
 d'autre — besides, moreover
 de — **en** — right through
 de — **et d'autre** on both sides
 d'une — . . . , **d'autre** — on the one
 hand . . . , on the other hand
parti *m* party, side, decision, profit
partial, e partial; biased
participation *f* participation; share
participe *m* participle
participer to share (**à**, in)
particularité *f* peculiarity
particule *f* particle
particulier *m* private individual
 en — in private; in particular, particu-
 larly; separately
particuli-er, ère private; particular, spe-
 cial; peculiar, characteristic; unusual,
 exceptional
particulièrement particularly; specifically
partie *f* part; party; match; outing; busi-
 ness; parcel; client; adversary
partiel, le partial
partiellement partially
partir to go, to leave; to start; to go off; to
 pop; to come out, to go
 à — **de** from
partition *f* partition; score (music)
partout everywhere
 — **où** wherever
paru(-) *see* **paraître**
parû(-) *see* **paraître**
parution *f* publication
parvenir to reach; to achieve
 — **à faire qqch.** to manage to do sth.
 fair — **qqch. à qqn.** to send sth. to sb.
pas *m* step; thread
 — **à** — step by step
pas not, not any
passage *m* crossing; visit; way, passage
passag-er, ère *mf* passenger; transitory
passé *f* pass
passer to pass; to exceed; to omit; to allow;
 to pass away; to fade; to cease; to spend
 (time)
 se — to happen, to take place; to go by
 se — **de** to go or do without
passi-f, ve passive
passion *f* passion
pathétique moving
patience *f* patience
patient, e patient; *mf* patient
patienter to wait
pause *f* break; pause
pauvre poor; *mf* poor person
pauvreté poverty
pavage *m* paving
paver to pave
payer to pay
peine *f* pain; punishment; difficulty; sorrow
peiner to grieve; to labor; to toil

p'elerinage *m* pilgrimage
pendant during; *m* counterpart, earring
pendre to hang, to hang up
pendule *m* pendulum; *f* clock
pénétrant, e penetrating; piercing; keen
pénétrer to penetrate; to enter
pénible painful, laborious
pense *see* **penser**
penser to think
pente *f* slope
perçant, e shrill; piercing
percer to pierce; to drill; to penetrate; to break through; to come through
percevoir to perceive; to collect
percolateur *m* coffee machine
perdant, e losing; *mf* loser
perdre to lose, to waste, to ruin, to corrupt
perdu *pp* of **perdre**
perdu, e lost; stray; non-returnable; wasted; dying; spoilt, ruined
père *m* father
perfection *f* perfection
perfectionner to perfect; to refine
se — to improve
perfide (*LITER*) perfidious, treacherous; *mf* (*LITER*) traitor; faithless lover
performance *f* performance
permanence *f* permanence; persistence
en — permanently; constantly
permanent, e permanent; standing; constant; *mf* permanent employee; permanent member
permet- *see* **permettre**
permettre to allow, to enable
permis *m* permit; licence; pass
permis, e *pp* of **permettre**; permitted
permutation *f* permutation; exchange of posts
permuter to switch around; to permute; to exchange posts
persistance *f* persistence
persistant, e persistent
persister to persist
personnage *m* figure; image; character, individual
personnaliser to personalize
personnalité *f* personality; (*JUR*) status
personne *f* person; anybody, anyone; nobody, no one
personnel, le personal; self-centered
personnel *m* staff, personnel
personnifier to personify
perspective *f* perspective; view; prospect
persuader to persuade; to convince
se — to persuade or convince oneself
persuasi-f, ve persuasive
persuasion *f* persuasion
perte *f* loss; waste; ruin
pertinence *f* pertinence, relevance
pertinent, e pertinent
perturba-teur, trice disruptive; *mf* troublemaker
perturbation *f* disruption
perturber to disrupt; to disturb
pervers, e perverted; unwanted; *mf* pervert
perversité *f* perversity
pervertir to pervert
se — to become perverted
pesant, e heavy; ponderous
pesanteur *f* (*PHYS*) gravity; heaviness
pesée *f* weighing; weight; pressure, force
peser to weigh; to be heavy; to press (**sur qqch**, on something)
se — to weight oneself
petit, e small, little; short; faint, slight; minor; petty; *mf* small man/woman; little

one, child
 — **à** — little by little, gradually
peu little; not much; *m* little; few; bit
peupler to populate; to inhabit; to fill
se — to become populated; to be filled
peur *f* fear
peut *see* **pouvoir**
peut-être perhaps, maybe
phase *f* phase; stage; turn
phénomène *m* phenomenon; freak
philosophe *m* philosopher; philosophical
philosophie philosophy
photocopie *f* photocopy
photographe *m* photographer
photographie *f* photograph; photography
phrase *f* sentence
piéd *m* foot, footing, leg, stalk
pis worse; *m* udder
pinceau *m* brush
place *f* place; spot; square; space; seat; situation; fortress
placement *m* placing; sale; investment
plaçant *see* **placer**
placer to place; to sell; to invest
se — to take up a position
plaine plain; *f* plain; flat open country
plaisamment pleasantly; humorously
plaisant, e pleasing; funny; droll
plaisanter to joke; to jest; to trifle (**avec**, with)
plaisir *m* pleasure; recreation
plan *m* plan; model; map; scheme
plan, e level; even; flat
planter to plant; to set; to fix
plaque *f* plate, slab, badge
plat, e flat; level; dull; straight (hair); *m* dish; course
platitude *f* flatness

plein full, whole, broad, (*animal*) pregnant
pleinement fully
plier to fold, to bend, to give way
plongement *m* immersion
plonger to plunge; to throw into; to dive; to jump in
se — to submerge; to immerse
plupart most, the greatest part, most people
plus more
le — the most
 — **de** more; more than
de — more; moreover
de — **en** — more and more
en — on top of that
en — **de** in addition to
ne — no longer, not any more
ne — **de** no more
plusieurs several
plutôt rather, sooner (**que**, than)
poète *m* poet
poétique *f* poetics; poetical
poids *m* weight, burden
point no; not; none; never
point *m* point; stop; stitch; dot; mark; full stop; degree
pointe *f* point; tip; touch; dawn
pointer to point; to prick; to aim; to soar
pointillé *m* pointed line
polarisation *f* polarization
polarisé, e polarized
pôle *m* pole
polycopie *f* duplicating
polycopié, e duplicate
polycopier to duplicate
polyèdre *m* polyhedron
polyédral, e polyhedral
polynôme *m* polynomial

punctuation *f* punctuation
ponctuel, le punctual
ponctuer to punctuate
pondéral, e weight
pondération *f* level-headedness; weighting
pondéré, e weighted
pondre to lay
pont *m* bridge; link, connection; deck
populaire popular; colloquial; working-class
popularité *f* popularity
population *f* population
portant *m* upright
portant, e load-bearing; carrying
bien — in good health
être mieux — to be in better health
porte *f* door, gate, doorway, threshold, pass
porter to bear; to carry; to wear; to induce; to tell
poser to place, to pose
positif, ve positive; matter-of-fact
position *f* position; status; posture
positivité *f* positivity
posséder to possess, to enjoy
possesseur *m* owner
possession *f* ownership; right; possession
possibilité *f* possibility
possible *m* utmost; possible
poste *m* post; station; position; *f* post office
poster to post; to station
postérieur, e subsequent; later; hind
postérité *f* posterity; issue
potentiel *m* potential
potentiel, le potential
pour for, in order to
pourquoi why, wherefore, what for; *m* reason
pour- *see* **pouvoir**

pourrir to rot
poursuite *f* chase; pursuit; continuation
poursuivre to pursue; to chase; to carry on with, to continue; to prosecute; to sue
pourtant nevertheless, even so
pousse *f* growth; shoot
poussé, e meticulous; souped-up
pousser to push; to drive hard; to carry on, to continue; to give; to push on; to overdo it
pouvoir to be able, to be allowed; *m* power, authority
pragmatique pragmatic
praticable practicable, feasible
pratique *f* practice; experience; practical; useful
pratiquer to practise; to use; to make; to associate with
préalable preliminary, prior; *m* precondition
au + — first of all
précédent *m* precedent
précédent, e previous
précéder to precede
précis *m* summary, précis
précis, e precise; exact; specific
préciser to state precisely, to specify
prédire to predict
préliminaire preliminary
prélude *m* prelude
prématuré, e premature
premier *m* chief; leader; first
premier, ère first, former; early; next; leading
prendre to take, to seize, to assume, to set to, . . .
prénom *m* first name; given name
préoccuper to preoccupy; to engross the

mind; to disturb
préparatif *m* preparation (used almost exclusively in the plural)
préparation *f* preparation
préparer to prepare; to get ready
près near, close by
de — closely
— **de** near; close to; nearly, almost
à peu — more or less, just about
à peu de chose(s) — more or less, approximately
à ceci — **que**, **à cela** — **que** except that, apart from the fact that
à ... — to within ...; up to difference of ...
présent, e present
présenter to present, to offer, to introduce
préserver to preserve
presque almost; nearly
pressant pressing; urgent
preste quick; nimble
prestige *m* prestige
présumer to presume, to assume
présupposer to presuppose
prêt, e ready, prepared, willing
prêt *m* loan
prétendre to claim; to intend; to maintain
prétentieu-x, se pretentious; conceited
prêter to lend; to ascribe; to give rise
prétexte *m* pretext; pretence
preuve *f* proof
prévaloir to prevail
prévenir to advise, to inform
prévoir to expect; to predict; to foresee, to anticipate; to plan
prévoyance *f* foresight, forethought
prévu *pp* of **prévoir**
primiti-f, ve primitive
principal *m* chief; main point
principal, e principal; main
principe *m* principle
printani-er, ère spring
printemps *m* spring; springtime
priorité *f* priority; right of way
pris taken, occupied, busy
prise *f* taking, hold, quarrel, catch
priser to value, to take snuff
privé, e *pp* of **priver**; deprived (**de**, of); private; unofficial
priver to deprive
privilege *m* privilege
prix *m* price, value, reward, prize
probabilité *f* probability
probable probable; likely
problème *m* problem
procédé *m* proceeding, behavior, method
procéder to proceed, to behave, to prosecute
procédure *f* proceedings; practice
procès *m* lawsuit; trial; litigation
processus *m* process; evolution
prochain *m* neighbor
prochain, e next, nearest
prochainement shortly
proche close; near *mpl* relations
prodige *m* prodigy; feat
prodigieu-x, se prodigious; wonderful
prodigue extravagant; wasteful
prodiguer to lavish; to make lots of; to give lots of; to give
produc-teur, trice *mf* producer; productive
production *f* production; product; output
produire to produce; to yield; to show
produit *m* produce; product; proceeds
professor to profess; to teach

profession *f* profession; business
profil *m* profile; section
profini, e profinite
profit *m* profit; gain; utility
profiter to profit (**de**, by); to take advantage (**de**, of)
profond, e deep; profound; sound
profondeur *f* depth
programme *m* programme; bill; platform
progrès *m* progress; improvement
prohiber to prohibit
projecteur *m* projector; headlight
projecti-f, ve projective
projectile *m* missile; missile
projectivité *f* projectivity
projection *f* projection
projet *m* project; scheme; rough draft
projeter to project; to plan
proliférer to proliferate
prolifération *f* proliferation
prolix verbose, prolix
prolongation *f* extension; prolongation
prolongement *m* extension; continuation
prolonger to prolong; to protract; to lengthen
se — to go on; to continue
promenade *f* walk; drive; ride; excursion
promener to take about; to walk
se — to take a walk
promesse *f* promise
promettre to promise; to look promising
prompt, e prompt; sudden; hasty
prononcé, e pronounced; decided
prononcer to pronounce; to utter
propension *f* propensity
proportion *f* proportion; (*MATH*) ratio
toutes —s **gardées** relatively speaking
proportionnel, le proportional; commen-

surate
propos *m* purpose, talk
à — at (just) the right time; by the way; opportune
à — **de** about
proposer to propose; to move
se — to intend; to mean
proposition *f* proposal; proposition; clause
propre own, proper, clean; (*MATH*) proper; *m* own characteristic
propreté *f* neatness; cleanliness; (*MATH*) properness
propriétaire *mf* proprietor; landlord
propriété *f* property; ownership; propriety
propulsion *f* propelling
prorevêtement *m* pro-covering
prose *f* prose
prospère prosperous
prosperer to prosper; to thrive
protégé, e *mf* protégé; dependent
protéger to protect; to shield
protester to protest
prouver to prove; to show
provenance *f* origin; source
provenir to proceed; to originate
— de to come from; to be due to, to be caused by
proverb *m* proverb
provien- *see* **provenir**
provision *f* provision; supply; retainer
provisoire provisional
provocant, e provoking; alluring
provoca-teur, trice *mf* aggressor; provoking
provoquer to provoke; to challenge; to cause
prudemment prudently
prudence *f* prudence

prudent prudent
pu *pp* of **pouvoir, paître**
pu-, pû- *see* **pouvoir**
public *m* public
publi-c, que public; common
publication *f* publication; publishing
publicitaire advertising; promotional; *mf*
 person in advertising
publicité *f* publicity; advertising
publier to publish
pué-ri-l, e childish
puis then, afterwards, next, besides
puiser to draw (water), to derive
puisque since
puissamment powerfully; mightily
puissance *f* power, force, influence
 —s **divisées** *fpl* divided powers
puissant, e powerful, mighty
pur, e pure; genuine; clean; mere
pureté *f* purity; chastity
purge *f* purge; clearing
purger to purge; to cleanse; (*JUR*) to serve
 (a sentence)
purifier to purify
pyramide *f* pyramid

Q

quadraticité *f* quadraticity
quadratique quadratic
qualification *f* title; description
qualifier to qualify; to call
qualité *f* quality; property; rank; qualifica-
 tion
quand when (at what moment); when (at
 the same time)
quant à as to, as for

quantité *f* quantity
quarante forty
quasi quasi; all but; almost
quatorze fourteen
quatorzième fourteenth
quatre four
quatre-vingt-dix ninety
quatre-vingt eighty
quatrième fourth
que that, if, when, ...
quel, le which, what
 — **que** whatever; whoever
quelconque whatever, any
quelque some, about; some, any, a few
quelquefois sometimes; occasionally
quelqu'un somebody, someone, anyone
quelques-uns, unes some, a few, any (pl.
 of **quelqu'un**)
question *f* question; matter
questionnaire *m* set of questions; question-
 naire
qui who, whom, ...
quinze fifteen
quitte quits (**envers**, with)
 à faire even if it means doing
quitter to leave; to give up; to take off
 ne quittez pas! (*telephone*) hold the line,
 please!
 se — to part
quoi what, which, that; (exclamation) what!
 how!
quoique although, though
quota *m* quota
quotient *m* quotient

R

racine *f* root, origin

radical *m* radical

radical, e radical

radicielle (*MATH*) radical

raffiné, e refined

raffinement *m* refinement

rafiner to refine

raison *f* reason; cause; satisfaction; right;
ratio

raisonnable reasonable; sensible

raisonnement *m* reasoning; argument

raisonner to reason

rajeunir to rejuvenate

rajouter to add

ramener to take back; to bring back; to put
back

se — à to come down to

ramifié, e (*MATH*) ramified

ramifier to branch out, to ramify

ramification *f* branch; ramification

rang *m* row, line, rank, range, rate;
(*MATH*) rank

ranger to line up; to tidy; to arrange; to
park

— **parmi** to rank among

se — to line up; to pull in; to step aside;
to settle down

se — à to go along with

se — à côté de to side with

râper to grate

rapetisser to shrink; to make things smaller

râpeu-x, se rough; rasping

rapide *f* fast train; fast

rappel *m* recall; call to arms; repeat

rappeler to call again; to remind

se — to remember

rapport *m* link, connection; report; return,
yield; (*MATH*) ratio

—**s** *mpl* relations

par — à in comparison to, compared with

rapporter to bring back, to report, to yield,
to tell tales

se — à to refer or relate to

rare rare; scarce; uncommon

rareté *f* scarcity; rare object

rassemblement *m* gathering; crowd

rassembler to reassemble; to gather

se — to meet

rationnel, le rational

ravi entranced, delighted

rayon *m* beam, ray; radiation; spoke; ra-
dius; shelf

rayonner to shine; to be influential; to radi-
ate; to tour around

réaction *f* reaction

réagir to react

réaliser to realize

réaliste realistic; streetwise

réalité *f* reality

rebutant, e unpleasant

rebuter to disgust; to repel; to put (sb.) off

récemment recently

récent, e recent

réception *f* reception; receipt

recette *f* recipe, takings; receipts, returns

recevoir to receive; to admit

rechange *m* replacement

de — spare

recherche *f* search, refinement, research

rechercher to search, to seek

réciprocité *f* reciprocity

réiproque reciprocal

réciter to recite; to relate

recoller to stick together again, to reseal

(envelope)	redescendre to take/bring/wind back down; to lower; to go/come/climb/drive back
récolte <i>f</i> harvest, crop	rediger to draw up, to edit
récommandable commendable	redire to say again; to find fault (à , with)
récommandation <i>f</i> recommendation	réducti-f, ve reductive
recommander to recommend; to advise; (letter) to register	réduction <i>f</i> reduction
recommencer to begin again; to do it again	réduire to reduce; to set; to put away se — to cut down; to come or boil down to
réconcilier to reconcile	se — en to be reduced to
reconnaissance <i>f</i> recognition; gratitude	réduit, e <i>pp</i> of réduire ; reduced
reconnaissant grateful	réduit <i>m</i> small room; recess
reconnaître to recognize; to acknowledge	réel <i>m</i>
reconnu, e <i>pp</i> of reconnaître ; well-known	le — reality
reconsidérer to reconsider	réel, le real
reconstruire to reconstruct, to rebuild	référence <i>f</i> reference
record <i>m</i> record	référendum <i>m</i> referendum
recouper to recut, to intersect, to remix, . . .	référer to refer
recouvrer to regain; to collect	reflet <i>m</i> reflection
recouvrir to recover; to cover	refléter to reflect
récréation <i>f</i> recreation; play-time	réflexion <i>m</i> reflection
reçu <i>m</i> receipt	refonte <i>f</i> overhaul; rewriting
reçu, e <i>pp</i> of recevoir	réforme <i>f</i> reform; reformation
récupérable reusable; which can be made good again; who can be rehabilitated	réformer to reform; to discharge
récupérer to get back, to recover; to fetch; to salvage; to reclaim; to save; to make up; to take over, to hijack; to appropri- ate; to rehabilitate	refrêner to restrain
récurer to scour	refus <i>m</i> refusal; denial
récurrence <i>f</i> recurrence; (<i>MATH</i>) recur- sion; induction	refuser to refuse; to decline
par — (<i>MATH</i>) by induction	réfuter to refute; to disprove
récurrent, e recurrent	régal <i>m</i> treat; pleasure
récuser to challenge; to reject	régaler to entertain
se — to decline to give an opinion	se — to enjoy oneself
rédac-teur, trice <i>mf</i> editor; journalist	regard <i>m</i> look; glance
rédaction <i>f</i> wording, editing, editorial staff, editorial office, essay	regarder to look at; to concern
rédactionnel, le editorial	règle <i>f</i> ruler; rule
	régulé, e regular, well-ordered; lined, rules
	régler to settle, to sort out; to adjust; to pay
	règne <i>m</i> reign; rule; kingdom

régner to rule, to reign
regret *m* regret; sorrow
regretter to regret, to be sorry
régularité *f* regularity
réguli-er, ère regular
rejet *m* rejection
rejeter to throw back; to reject
relater to relate
relati-f, ve relative
relation *f* relation; connection; *pl* inter-
course; dealings
relayer to take over from, to relieve; to relay
se — to take turns; to take over from each
other
relève *f* relief
relevé *m* (*bank*) statement, abstract
relevé, e raised, high, noble, spicy
relèvement *m* rebuilding; raising; increase;
(*MATH*) lift? splitting?
relever to raise up again, to relieve, to no-
tice, to dismiss
relief *m* relief; raised
religion *f* religion
rémanier to restructure; to reshuffle
remarquable remarkable
remarque *f* remark; observation
remarquer to remark; to observe
remercier to thank
remplaçant, e *mf* substitute
remplacer to replace, to succeed
remplir to fill; to fill in or out; to complete,
to fulfil
remployer, reemployer to re-use
rencontre *f* meeting, encounter
rencontrer to meet, to come across, to hit
upon
rendre to give back, to render, to yield, ...
renforcer to reinforce
renfort *m* reinforcement
renoncer
— **à** to give up; to renounce; to abandon
renouveler to renew; to repeat; to replace
se — to be renewed; to recur, to happen
again
renouvellement *m* renewal
renovation *f* renovation; reform
renseignement *m*
—(s) information
renseigner to inform, to give information to
se — to enquire, to make enquiries, to find
out
rentrée *f* return; income
rentrer to go/come back home, to return
home; to go/come in; to go/come back
in; to bring in; to draw in; to tuck in
renvoi *m* return; sending back; dismissal;
adjournment; reference
renvoyer to send back, to dismiss, to post-
pone
reparaître to reappear
réparation *f* repair; atonement
réparer to repair; to atone for
repartir to start again; to set off again; to
go back; to pick up again
répartir to distribute; to share out; to
spread
répartition *f* distribution
repasser to come/go back; to iron; to re-
take, resist; to show again
répertoire *m* repertoire; directory
répertorier to index
répéter to repeat; to go over; to learn; to
rehearse
répétiti-f, ve repetitive
répétition *f* repetition; (*MUS & THEAT*)
rehearsal

répliquer to reply; to rejoin
répondre to answer; to reply; to be security for
réponse *f* answer, reply
reporter to carry over
reposer to put back, to rest; to sit, to stand
se — to rest
se — **sur** to rely on
reppeler to recall, to remind
reprendre to take back, to repel, to shoot out again
représentant *m* representative
représentation *f* representation; performance
représenter to represent; to point out; to perform; to show well
réprimer to repress; to curb
reprise *f* resumption; repetition; darning
reprendre to mend; to darn
reproche *m* reproach
reprocher to reproach
reproduction *f* reproduction
reproduire to reproduce
se — to happen again
républicain *f* republic
répugnance *f* revulsion; reluctance
répugnant, e revolting; disgusting; loathsome
répugner to be repugnant to, to disgust
— **à** to be averse to
— **à faire** to be reluctant to do, to be loath to do
répulsion *f* repulsion
réputation *f* reputation; character
requérir to require; to demand
requête *f* request; petition
requis, e *pp* of **requérir**; necessary; requisite

réseau *m* net, network, system; (*MATH*) lattice
réserve *f* reservation (doubt); reserve; store
réserver to reserve
réservoir *m* reservoir; tank; pond
résidence *f* residence; abode
résider to reside
résidu *m* residue
résiduel, le residual
résignation *f* resignation
résigner to resign
résistant, e resistant; tough
résister to resist
résolu resolute
résolution *f* resolution
résolv- *see* **résoudre**
résoudre to solve, to resolve; to get sb. to make up his/her mind to do sth.
se — to make up one's mind
respect *m* respect; regard
respecti-f, ve respective
respectivement respectively
respectueusement respectfully
respectueu-x, se respectful
respirer to breathe; to inhale
resplendir to be resplendent
resplendissant resplendent
responsabilité *f* responsibility
responsable responsible; answerable
ressembler to resemble
ressentiment *m* resentment
ressentir to feel; to resent
ressource *f* resource
restaurant *m* restaurant
restauration rapide *f* fast food
rester to remain, to be left, to stay
restreindre to restrict
se — to narrow; to cut back

restreint, e *pp* of **restreindre**
restricti-f, ve restrictive
restriction *f* condition; restriction
restructurer to restructure
résultat *m* result
résulter to result
résumé *m* summary; résumé
résumer to sum up, to summarize
rétablir to restore; to reestablish
rétablissement *m* restoration; recovery
retard *m* delay
en — late
retarder to delay; to postpone; to be too slow
retenir to detain; to withhold; to book
retien- *see* **retenir**
retrancher
— **qqch. (de)** to cut sth. out (from); to take sth. away from, to deduct sth. (from)
se — to entrench oneself
rétrécir to make narrower; to take in; to shrink
retrospecti-f, ve retrospective
retrouver to find; to recover, to regain; to recognize; to meet, to see
se — to meet (up) again; to find oneself again; to find one's way; to be found, to crop up
réunion *f* meeting; union, merging; re-union; collection
revanche *f* revenge
en — on the other hand; in return
rêve *m* dream
rêvé, e ideal
réveil *m* waking (up); awakening; alarm clock; reawakening
réveiller to wake up; to revive
se — to wake (up); to reawaken
révélation *f* revelation; discovery
révéler to reveal; to discover
se — to be revealed; to prove to be
revenir to come back, to recur, to grow again, to amount, to please, to cost
revers *m* reverse; back; wrong side; lapel; turn-up; cuff; backhand; set-back
revêt *see* **revêtir**
revêtement *m* covering
revêtir to cover; to put on; to assume
revien- *see* **revenir**
réviser to revise; to service
revoir to see again; to revise; *m*
au — good-bye
revue *f* review; magazine; variety show
rien *m* nothing, anything, trifle
— **que** only
cela ne fait — that does not matter
— **du tout** nothing at all
rigide rigid, stern, strict
rigidification *f* rigidification
rigidifier *f* rigidify
rigoureux-x, se rigorous; harsh; strict; meticulous
rigueur *f* rigor
de — indispensable
risque *m* risk
risqué, e hazardous; improper
risquer to risk; to venture
rite *m* rite
rituel, le ritual; *mf* ritual
rival, e rival; *mf* rival
rivaliser to rival; to vie; to compete
roi *m* king
rôle *m* role; part; character
rond, e round; (*play, venture*) chubby, plump; (*drunk*) tight

rond *m* circle; ring
ronde *f* rounds (pl); beat; round
rondement efficiently, briskly
rouge *m* red color; red paint; red
rougir to redden; to blush
route *f* road; route; course; journey
routine *f* routine; rote
royal royal; regal
royaume *m* kingdom
royauté *f* royalty
rumeur *f* rumor; noise; report
russe Russian; *m* (*language*) Russian; *nf* Russian
rythme *m* rhythm

S

sa his, her, its
sach- *see* **savoir**
sans without; but for; ...less
sait *see* **savoir**
satisfaction *f* satisfaction
satisfaire to satisfy
satisfaisant, e satisfactory
saturé *m* saturation
saturer to saturate
sauf save, except, but
sau-f, ve safe, secure
saur- *see* **savoir**
savant *m* scientist
savant, e scholarly; skilful, clever; performing
savoir to know, to understand, to be able to
scalaire scalar; *m* scalar
scénario *m* scenario; film script; screenplay
scène *f* scene; stage; row
schéma *m* diagram, sketch, plan; (*MATH*)

scheme
schématique schematic
science *f* science; learning
scientifique scientific
scindage *m* splitting
scindé, e (*MATH*) split?
scinder to split (**en**, into), to divide (**en**, into)
se — to split (**en**, into), to divide (**en**, into)
scrupuleu-x, se scrupulous; precise
scruter to scrutinize
se oneself
second *m* assistant
second, e second
seconde *f* (*time or music*) second
secondaire secondary
seconder to assist
secourir to help; to rescue
secour- *see* **secourir**
secours *m* help; aid; relief; reinforcements
secret *m* secret; secrecy
au — (*JUR*) in solitary confinement
secr-et, ète secret; reticent
secrétaire *mf* secretary; *m* writing desk, secretaire
secrètement secretly
sécréter to secrete; to exude
sécrétion *f* secretion
secteur *m* area; district; sector; (*ELEC*) mains
section *f* section; branch; cutting; (*MIL*) platoon
sécurité *f* security; safety
sédati-f, ve sedative
sédative *m* sedative
sédiment *m* sediment
séduire to attract; to appeal to; to seduce

segment *m* segment
segmenter to segment
séisme *m* earthquake
seize sixteen
séjour *m* stay; living room
séjourner to stay
sel *m* salt; savor; piquancy
 —**s** *mpl* smelling salt
sélect, e select
sélecti-f, ve selective
sélection *f* selection
sélectionner to select, to pick
selon in accordance with; according to
 — **que** depending on whether
semailles *fpl* sowing, sowing-time
semaine *f* week; weekly wage
semblable *m* fellow-man; alike; similar
semblant *m* appearance, show
sembler to seem, to appear
séminaire *m* seminary, seminar
seminorme *f* (*MATH*) seminorm
semi-simplifié *m* semi-simplification
sens *m* sense, opinion, direction
sen-s, t, etc *see sentir*
sentir to feel; to smell; to taste of; to see; to
 foresee
séparable separable
séparablement separably
séparation *f* separation
séparé separated
séparer to separate; to divide
sept seven
septembre *m* September
sera *see être*
serai- *see être*
serein, e serene
sérénade *f* serenade
sérénité *f* serenity
série *f* series; set
sérieu-x, se serious, earnest, grave
serre *f* greenhouse, glasshouse
sers, sert *see servir*
serviable obliging
service *m* service; attendance; duty; set; di-
 vine service
servir to serve, to wait upon
ses his, her, its, one's
seul, e only, sole, alone, mere, single
sévère severe; stern; harsh
sévir to punish severely; to rage
si so, however; if, whether
 — **et seulement** — if and only if
siècle *m* century; time; age
sigle *m* acronym
signal *m* signal
signalé, e signal
signalement *m* description
signaler to signal, to point out
signature *f* signature
signe *m* sign; mark; token
signer to sign
signifier to mean; to notify
silence *m* silence; stillness
silencieu-x, se silent; still
singularité *f* singularity
singuli-er, ère singular; peculiar; odd
sinistre sinister; *m* disaster; blaze; damage
silence *m* silence; stillness
simple simple; single; plain
simplicité *f* simplicity
simplification *f* simplification
simplifier to simplify
simulation *f* simulation
simuler to simulate; to feign
simultané, e simultaneous

simultanément simultaneously
sincère sincere; candid; true
sincérité *f* sincerity; honesty
singuli-er, ère peculiar; remarkable;
 (*GRAM*) singular; *m* (*GRAM*) singular
sinon if not, otherwise, or else, except
site *m* site; landscape; scenery
sitôt as soon
 — **que** as soon as
situation *f* situation; position
situé, e situated
six six
social social
société *f* society; party; partnership; com-
 pany
soi oneself; itself; self; himself; herself
soient *see être*
soif *f* thirst
avoir — to be thirsty
soigné, e tidy, neat; carefully done
soigner to look after, to take care of; to take
 care over; treat
se — look after oneself
soigneusement carefully
soigne-x, se careful (**de**, about); tidy
soin *m* care *pl* attention
soir *m* evening; night
soirée *f* evening (duration of); evening party
soit either, whether, or, suppose
soixante sixty
soixante-dix seventy
sommat summons; demand; warning
somme *f* total, sum; (*money*) sum, amount;
 (*works*) overview; *m* nap
en — in short;
 — **toute** when all's said and done
sommeil *m* sleep
sommeiller to doze
sommer to summon, to call upon
sommes *see être*
sommet *m* summit, top, acme
son (f. **sa**, pl. **ses**) his/her/its
sont *see être*
sorites ? (*LOGIC*) sorites: an argument
 consisting of propositions so arranged
 that the predicate of any one forms the
 subject of the next and the conclusion
 unites the subject of the first proposition
 with the predicate of the last
sort *m* spell; fate; lot
sorte *f* sort, kind
de telle — que so that, in such a way
 that
sortir to go out, to emerge, to take out
soulèvement *m* rising; upheaval; insurrec-
 tion
soulever to raise; to lift; to stir up
se — to rise; to revolt
souligner to underline; to emphasize
soumettre to subdue, to submit, to lay be-
 fore
soum-i, î *see soumettre*
soumis, e *pp* of **soumettre**; submissive
soupçon *m* suspicion
soupçonner to suspect
soupçonneu-x, se suspicious
souple supple, flexible, compliant
sous under, beneath, below
sous-ensemble *m* subset
sous-entendre to imply
sous-entendu *m* insinuation
sous-groupe *m* subgroup
sous-faisceau *m* sub-sheaf
sous-fibré *m* sub-bundle
sous-jacent, e underlying, subjacent
sous-schéma *m* subscheme

souvenir to remember
souvent often
le plus — more often than not
spécial, e special; particular
spécialisation *f* specialization
spécialité *f* speciality; line of business; proprietary article
spécifique specific
spécifier to specify
spectacle *m* spectacle; show; play
specta-teur, trice *mf* spectator; *pl* audience
spectre *m* specter; spectrum
spécula-teur, trice *mf* speculator
spéculation *f* speculation
spéculer to speculate
sphère *f* sphere
spirale *f* spiral; spiral
spirituel, le spiritual; witty
splendeur *f* splendor; magnificence
splendide splendid; magnificent
spontané, e spontaneous
spontanément spontaneously
sport *m* sport; casual
square *m* small public garden
stabilisa-teur, trice stabilizing; *mf* stabilizer
stabiliser to stabilize; to steady; to make firm
stabilité *f* stability
stable stable; steady; durable
standard standard
statistique *f* statistics; statistical
stimulant, e stimulating; *m* stimulant
stimuler to stimulate; to urge on
strate *f* stratum
stratification *f* stratification
stragège *m* strategist
stratégie *f* strategy
stratégique *f* strategic
stratifié, e stratified; laminated
stress *m* stress
stresser to put on edge; to put under stress; to get worked up
strict, e strict
structural, e structural
structure *f* structure; frame; build
structurer to structure
se — to be structured
style *m* style
stylo *m* pen
subir to be subjected to; to undergo
subit, e sudden
subjecti-f, ve subjective
subséquemment subsequently
subséquent, e subsequent
subsidaire subsidiary
subsistance *f* subsistence
subsister to remain; to live, to subsist
substance *f* substance
substantiel, le substantial
substituer to substitute (**à**, for)
substitut *m* substitute; deputy
subtil, e subtle; sharp; acute; keen
subtilité subtlety, acuteness
subvenir to provide (**à**, for), to help, to relieve
subvention *f* grant, subsidy
subventionner to subsidize
subversi-f, ve subversive
succéder to succeed; to follow after
succès *m* success
successi-f, ve successive
succession *f* succession; inheritance
succinct, e succinct; concise
sucre *m* sugar

sucrer to sweeten; to sugar
sud *m* South; south; southern
suffire to suffice
suffisamment sufficiently
suffisant, e sufficient; self-important
suffise *see* **suffire**
suffit *see* **suffire**
suffixe *m* suffix
suffrage *m* vote
suggérer to suggest; to hint
suis *see* **être**
sui-s, t, etc *see* **suivre**
suite *f* rest, consequence, attendants, series, sequence, continuation
 —s *fpl* consequences
de — in succession; immediately
par la — afterwards
par — **de** owing to, because of
suivant according to
suivant, e following, next; *mf* attendant
suivi, e followed; consistent; sought after
suivre to follow, to result, to study
 faire — to forward
sujet *m* subject, person, cause, topic
sujet, te subject, liable, inclined
super super, great
superbe superb; majestic; proud
superficie *f* area; surface
superficiel, le superficial
superficiellement superficially
superflu, e superfluous
supérieur, e upper; superior; senior
supériorité *f* superiority
superstition *f* superstition; obsessive attachment
superviser to supervise
suppléer to make good
 — **à** to make up for
supplément *m* supplement; extra charge
supplémentaire additional
support *m* support; stand
supporter to support; to bear
supposer to suppose; (*JUR*) to substitute
suppression *f* abolition; lifting; deletion; suppression
supprimer to suppress, to abolish
suprêm supreme; crowning; last
sur on, upon, over, above
surface *f* surface; outside; area
surjectif surjective
surmonter to overcome
surplus *m* surplus
 au — moreover
surprenant, e surprising
surprendre to surprise
surpris, e *pp* of **surprendre**
surprise *f* surprise
surtout above all, particularly
survie *f* survival
survivance *f* survival
survivre to survive (**à**); to outlive
sus on
susceptible touchy
susceptibilité *f* touchiness
suspect, e suspicious; suspect; *f* suspect
suspecter to suspect
suspendre to suspend; to hang up
syllable *f* syllable
symbole *m* symbol
symbolister to symbolize
symétric *see* **symétrique**
symétrie *f* symmetry
symétrique symmetric
sympathie *f* liking; sympathy
sympathique nice, pleasant
symplectique symplectic

synonyme synonymous; *m* synonym
syntaxe *f* syntax
synthèse *f* synthesis
synthétique synthetic
systematique systematic
systeme *m* system

T

table *f* table; board; index
tableau *m* picture; painting; blackboard;
list
tâche *f* task; job
tacite implied; tacit
taciturne taciturn; quiet
talent *m* talent; ability
tandis que while, whilst, whereas
tangent, e (*MATH*) tangent, tangential
tangente *f* (*MATH*) tangent
tant so much, as much, so many, as many
— **de** so much; so many
— **que** as long as
en — que as
— **mieux!** all the better!
— **pis!** too bad!
tantôt presently; shortly; now . . . now
tard late
tarder to delay; to be long
tardi-f, ve late; tardy; backward
tardivement late; belatedly
tautologique tautological
technique technical; *f* technique
technique-clef *f* key technique
tel, le so, so much
— **quel, que** as it is
temps *m* time, while, period, season,
weather, tense, beat
tendre to stretch; to strain; to hold out; to
tend
tendre tender; affectionate; new
tendresse *f* tenderness
tendu, e tight; stretched; tense
tenir to hold, to keep, to last, to deem, to
depend on
tension *f* tension
tensoriel, le tensor(ial)
tensoriser to tensor
tendant, e tempting
tentation *f* temptation
tentative *f* attempt; endeavor
tenter to attempt; to tempt
tenue *f* holding; behavior; attitude; dress
terme *m* term; limit; *pl* conditions
terminer to finish; to conclude
terminologie *f* terminology
terminologique terminological
terre *f* earth; ground; land; estate; the
world
terrible terrible; dreadful; frightful
terrifier to terrify
territoire *m* territory
test *m* quiz
testament *m* testament; will
tête *f* head, top, wits, presence of mind
texte *m* text; subject
textuel, le textual
thème *m* topic; theme; exercise (at a school)
théorème *m* theorem
théorie *f* theory; drill; procession
théorique theoretical
thèse *f* argument; thesis; theory
thêta *m?* theta
thon *m* tuna
tien- *see* **tenir**
tien, ne yours

tirage *m* circulation; printing; draw; draft; drawing off
tiré, e (face) drawn; worn out
tirer to draw, to pull, to drag, to verge on, to shoot
titre *m* title; qualification; bond —s claims
à — d'exemple as an example
à juste — rightly
à — privé in private capacity
à double — on two accounts
— de propriété title deed
titulaire permanent; tenure; *mf* holder; occupant
titulariser to give tenure to
tolérance *f* toleration
tolérer to tolerate
tomber to fall; to abate
tome *m* tome; volume
ton *m* tone; key
topologie *f* topology
topologique topological
tordre to twist
tordu, e twisted, bent; warped, twisted; *mf* (*MATH*) twists
tore *m* torus
torique toric
toroïdal, e toroidal
torseur *m* torsor
torsion *f* twisting; torsion
tort wrong
tôt soon, early
total *m* total
total, e total; whole
touchant, e touching
toucher to touch; to hit; to get, to be paid; to cash; to win; to affect, to concern
se — to be adjacent (to each other), to ad-join (each other)
toucher *m*
le — the (sense of) touch
au — to the touch
touffe *f* tuft; clump
touffu, e bushy; dense; thick; leafy
touiller to stir; to toss
toujours always, ever, nevertheless
tour *m* turn, revolution, circumference, trick, trip, lathe; tower
tourbillon *m* whirlwind; swirl; whirlpool; hurly-burly
tourbilloner to whirl; to swirl; to whirl (around)
tourisme *m* tourism
tournant *m* bend; turning point
tournant, e revolving; swivel; swing
tourner to turn; to direct; to get round
se — to turn (right) round
tous *see tout*
tout all (any, every, ...)
en — in all; in every respect
pas du — not at all
rien du — nothing at all
— à fait quite, entirely; exactly
— à l'heure in a little while, shortly; a little while ago
à — à l'heure! see you later!
— de suite immediately, at once
— le monde everybody
toutefois yet, however
trace *f* trace; track; footstep
tracé *m* outline; planning; line
tracer to trace; to draw out; to lay down
traduc-teur, trice *mf* translator
traduction *f* translation, translating
traduire to translate
trait *m* line, stroke; feature; trait, feature;

act; (*MATH*) spectrum of discrete valuation ring

traite *f* milking; bill, draft

traité *m* treatise; treaty

traiter to treat, to handel, to negotiate

transcendant, e transcendent; wonderful; (*MATH*) transcendental

transférer to transfer

transformer to transform; to change into

transiti-f, ve transitive

transparent *m* transparency

transparent, e transparent

transport *m* transport

transporter to transport

transposer to transpose

transposé *m* transpose

transposé, e transposed

transversal, e transversal

transversalité *f* transversality

transverse transverse

travail *m* work, labor, toil

travailler to work, to work on, to ferment (of wine, etc...)

travaux *see* travail

treize thirteen

trente thirty

très very; very much; most

trésor *m* treasure

triangle *m* triangle

triangulaire triangular

trigonométrie *f* trigonometry

trigonométrique trigonometric

triste sad; gloomy; dreary

tristesse *f* sadness; gloom; melancholy

trivial, e coarse, crude; ordinary, everyday, mundane; simplistic; (*()MATH*) trivial

trivialisation *f* trivialization

trivialisé, e trivialized

trivialiser to trivialize

trivialité *f* coarseness, crudeness; triteness, triviality; platitude

trois three

trombone *f* trombone; paper clip

tromper to deceive; to cheat

se — to make a mistake

trompette *f* trumpet

trompeu-r, se misleading; deceptive

tronqué, e truncated

tronquer to truncate

trop too; too much

trouvaille *f* discovery

trouver to find; to think; to consider

truchement

par le — **de qch.** through sth.

tuer to kill, to slaughter

type *m* type; symbol

typique typical

U

ultérieur, e subsequent, ulterior

ultime ultimate, final

ultramétrique ultrametric

un, e one, unit, first; an, one, any

unibranche unibranch

unicité *f* uniqueness

unifier to unify

uniforme *m* uniform

uniformément uniformly

uniformisation *f* standardization; uniformization

unimodulaire unimodular

union *f* union; marriage; harmony

unipotent, e unipotent

unique only; sole; unique; matchless

unir to unite; to smooth
unisson *m* unison
unitaire unitary
unité unity, unit
univers *m* universe
universel, le universal
universitaire *mf* member of the university;
 belonging to the university
université *f* university
univoque unambiguous; one-on-one; injec-
 tive?
urgence *f* urgency; emergency
urgent, e urgent
usage *m* use, custom, habit, wear
usagé used
usager *m* user; (*language*) speaker
usé, e worn out; stale; hackneyed
user to wear, to spend
 — **de** to use; to exercise; to exploit; to take
usuel, le usual
ut *m* (*MUS*) do; C
utile useful, serviceable; *m* utility
utiliser to utilize, to make use for
utilitaire utilitarian; practical; functional;
 commercial
utilité *f* utility; usefulness
utopie *f* Utopia
utopique utopian

V

vain vain; fruitless; vainglorious
valable valid
valeur *f* value, worth
valide valid
validité *f* validity
valoir to be worth, to yield

valse *f* waltz
valuati-f, ve valuative
valuation *f* (*MATH*) valuation
valué (*MATH*) valued? (in a field, ring, etc)
variable variable; changeable
variation *f* variation
variante *f* variant
varier to vary; to differ
variété *f* variety
vaudr- *see* **valoir**
vaut *see* **valoir**
vecteur *m* vector
vectorel *m* vector space
vectorel, le vectorial
venir to come, to arrive, to happen, to grow
vent *m* wind; scent; emptiness
véridique veracious; truthful
vérigier to verify; to check
véritable true, genuine, downright
vérité *f* truth
verr- *see* **voir**
vers toward, about
vers *m* verse, line
version *f* version; translation
versus versus
vertical, e vertical
vertu *f* virtue; properties, power
vertueusement virtuously
vertueu-x, se virtuous
vétéran *m* veteran
veut *see* **vouloir**
vide empty; *m* empty space, vacuum
vider to empty, to drain, to settle
vie *f* life; living; existence
viens, vient *see* **venir**
vi-f, ve alive; sharp; quick tempered; bright
 (color); strong; running
vigoureux-x, se vigorous; sturdy; energetic

vigueur *f* vigor, strength
ville *f* town; city
vin *m* wine
vingt twenty
violation *f* violation; infringement
violemment violently
violence *f* violence
violent, e violent
violer to violate; to infringe; to rape
violon *m* violin
virtuel, le virtual
virus *m* virus
visa *m* signature; visa
visage *m* face; visage; look
vis-à-vis in relation to
visée *f* aim; design; end
viser to aim at, to aspire to, to endorse
 — **à qch.** to aim at sth.
 — **à faire** to aim to do
visible visible
vision *f* vision; sight; phantom
visionnaire visionary
visite *f* visit; search; medical; examination
visiter to visit; to inspect; to search
visuel, le visual
vital, e vital
vitalité *f* vitality
vivace long-lived; deep-touted
vivacité *f* vivacity; hastiness (of temper)
vivant, e living; alive; lively
vivre to live, to board
vivre *mpl* food; provisions
vocabulaire *m* vocabulary
vocal vocal
vogue *f* vogue; fashion
voici here is, here are
voie *f* way, road, track, ...
voilà there is; there are
voile *f* sail; sailing; *m* voile; veil; mist;
 (*PHOT*) fogging; (*MED*) shadow
voilé, e veiled; dull; buckled; (*PHOT*)
 fogged; muffled
voiler to veil; to hide; to cover; to buckle
 se — to wear to veil; to cloud over; to mist
 over; to buckle
voir to see, to inspect, to visit, to meet
voire indeed, nay, even
voisin, e neighboring; next-door; similar;
 mf neighbor
voisinage *m* neighborhood; vicinity
voiture *f* car; carriage
voix *f* voice; tone; vote
vol *m* flight; flock; theft; robbery
volée *f* flight; flock; volley
voler to fly; to steal
vol-eur, -euse thieving; *mf* thief
volontaire *m* volunteer; voluntary; head-
 strong
volenté *f* will; wish; will-power
volontiers willingly
volume *m* volume; bulk; mass; size
volumineu-x, se voluminous
vomi *m* vomit
vomir to vomit; to belch out; to sick
vote *m* voting; vote
voter to vote for; to pass
votre your
vôtre yours
vouer to dedicate
vouloir to be willing, to want, to require;
 will
voulu, e *pp* of **vouloir**; wanted, required,
 intentional
voyage *m* travel; journey; trip
voyager to travel; to journey
voyageu-r, se *mf* traveller; traveller

vrai truly; *m* truth
vrai, e true, genuine, regular, errant
vraiment truly; indeed
vraisemblable likely
vraisemblance *f* likelihood
vu seeing, considering; *m* sight, examination
vu, e seen, examined
vue *f* sight; view; prospect; design; purpose

Y

y to it, at it, by it, ...; there, within, ...

Z

zéro *m* nought, zero; nil
zêta *m* zeta

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Tables of Verbs

avoir

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent j'ai, tu as, il/elle a, nous avons, vous avez, ils/elles ont

Passé composé j'ai eu, tu as eu, il/elle a eu, nous avons eu, vous avez eu, ils/elles ont eu

Imparfait j'avais, tu avais, il/elle avait, nous avions, vous aviez, ils/elles avaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais eu, yu avais eu, il/elle avait eu, nous avions eu, vous aviez eu, ils/elles avaient eu

Passé simple j'eus, tu eus, il/elle eut, nous eûmes, vous eûtes, ils/elles eurent

Passé antérieur j'eus eu, tu eus eu, il/elle eut eu, nous eûmes eu, vous eûtes eu, ils/elles eurent eu

Futur simple j'aurai, yu auras, il/elle aura, nous aurons, vous aurez, ils/elles auront

Futur antérieur j'aurai eu, tu auras eu, il/elle aura eu, nous aurons eu, vous aurez eu, ils/elles auront eu

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent j'aurais, tu aurais, il/elle aurait, nous aurions, vous auriez, ils/elles auraient

Passé j'aurais eu, tu aurais eu, il/elle aurait eu, nous aurions eu, vous auriez eu, ils/elles auraient eu

- **Mode impératif** aie, ayons, ayez

- **Mode Subjonctif**

Présent que j'aie, que tu aies, qu'il/elle ait, que nous ayons, que vous ayez, qu'ils/elles aient

Passé que j'aie eu, que tu aies eu, qu'il/elle ait eu, que nous ayons eu, que vous ayez eu, qu'ils/elles aient eu

Imparfait que j'eusse, que tu eusses, qu'il/elle eût, que nous eussions, que vous eussiez, qu'ils/elles eussent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse eu, que tu eusses eu, qu'il/elle eût eu, que nous eussions eu, que vous eussiez eu, qu'ils/elles eussent eu

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent avoir

Passé avoir eu

- **Mode participe**

Présent ayant

Passé eu, eue, ayant ey

être

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je suis, tu es, il/elle est, nous sommes, vous êtes, ils/elles sont

Passé composé j'ai été, tu as été, il/elle a été, nous avons été, vous avez été, ils/elles ont été

Imparfait j'étais, tu étais, il/elle était, nous étions, vous étiez, ils/elles étaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais été, tu avais été, il/elle avait été, nous avions été, vous aviez été, ils/elles avaient été

Passé simple je fus, tu fus, il/elle fut, nous fûmes, vous fûtes, ils/elles furent

Passé antérieur j'eus été, tu eus été, il/elle eut été, nous eûmes été, vous eûtes été, ils/elles eurent été

Futur simple je serai, tu seras, il/elle sera, nous serons, vous serez, ils/elles seront

Futur antérieur j'aurai été, tu auras été, il/elle aura été, nous aurons été, vous aurez été, ils/elles auront été

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je serais, tu serais, il/elle serait, nous serions, vous seriez, ils/elles seraient

Passé j'aurais été, tu aurais été, il/elle aurait été, nous aurions été, vous auriez été, ils/elles auraient été

- **Mode impératif** sois, soyons, soyez

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je sois, que tu sois, qu'il/elle soit, que nous soyons, que vous soyez, qu'ils/elles soient

Passé que j'aie été, que tu aies été, qu'il/elle ait été, que nous ayons été, que vous ayez été, qu'ils/elles aient été

Imparfait que je fusse, que tu fusses, qu'il/elle fût, que nous fussions, que vous fussiez, qu'ils/elles fussent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse été, que tu eusses été, qu'il/elle eût été, que nous eussions été, que vous eussiez été, qu'ils/elles eussent été

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent être

Passé avoir été

- **Mode participe**

Présent étant

Passé été (invariable), ayant été

aimer

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent j'aime, tu aimes, il/elle aime, nous aimons, vous aimez, ils/elles aiment

Passé composé j'ai aimé, tu as aimé, il/elle a aimé, nous avons aimé, vous avez aimé, ils/elles ont aimé

Imparfait j'aimais, tu aimais, il/elle aimait, nous aimions, vous aimiez, ils/elles aimaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais aimé, tu avais aimé, il/elle avait aimé, nous avions aimé, vous aviez aimé, ils/elles avaient aimé

Passé simple j'aimai, tu aimas, il/elle aima, nous aimâmes, vous aimâtes, ils/elles aimèrent

Passé antérieur j'eus aimé, tu eus aimé, il/elle eut aimé, nous eûmes aimé, vous eûtes aimé, ils/elles eurent aimé

Futur simple j'aimerai, tu aimeras, il/elle aimera, nous aimerons, vous aimerez, ils/elles aimeront

Futur antérieur j'aurai aimé, tu auras aimé, il/elle aura aimé, nous aurons aimé, vous aurez aimé, ils/elles auront aimé

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent j'aimerais, tu aimerais, il/elle aimerait, nous aimerions, vous aimeriez, ils/elles aimeraient

Passé j'aurais aimé, tu aurais aimé, il/elle aurait aimé, nous aurions aimé, vous auriez aimé, ils/elles auraient aimé

- **Mode impératif**

Présent aime, aimons, aimez

Passé aie aimé, ayons aimé, ayez aimé

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que j'aime, que tu aimes, qu'il/elle aime, que nous aimions, que vous aimiez, qu'ils/elles aiment

Passé que j'aie aimé, que tu aies aimé, qu'il/elle ait aimé, que nous ayons aimé, que vous ayez aimé, qu'ils/elles aient aimé

Imparfait que j'aimasse, que tu aimasses, qu'il/elle aimât, que nous aimassions, que vous aimassiez, qu'ils/elles aimassent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse aimé, que tu eusses aimé, qu'il/elle eût aimé, que nous eussions aimé, que vous eussiez aimé, qu'ils/elles eussent aimé

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent aimer

Passé avoir aimé

- **Mode participe**

Présent aimant

Passé aimé, aimée, ayant aimé

finir

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je finis, tu finis, il/elle finit, nous finissons, vous finissez, ils/elles finissent

Passé composé j'ai fini, tu as fini, il/elle a fini, nous avons fini, vous avez fini, ils/elles ont fini

Imparfait je finissais, tu finissais, il/elle finissait, nous finissions, vous finissiez, ils/elles finissaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais fini, tu avais fini, il/elle avait fini, nous avions fini, vous aviez fini, ils/elles avaient fini

Passé simple je finis, tu finis, il/elle finit, nous finimes, vous finites, ils/elles finirent

Passé antérieur j'eus fini, tu eus fini, il/elle eut fini, nous eûmes fini, vous eûtes fini, ils/elles eurent fini

Futur simple je finirai, tu finiras, il/elle finira, nous finirons, vous finirez, ils/elles finiront

Futur antérieur j'aurai fini, tu auras fini, il/elle aura fini, nous aurons fini, vous aurez fini, ils/elles auront fini

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je finirais, tu finirais, il/elle finirait, nous finirions, vous finiriez, ils/elles finiraient

Passé j'aurais fini, tu aurais fini, il/elle aurait fini, nous aurions fini, vous auriez fini, ils/elles auraient fini

- **Mode impératif**

Présent finis, finissons, finissez

Passé aie fini, ayons fini, ayez fini

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je finisse, que tu finisses, qu'il/elle finisse, que nous finissions, que vous finissiez, qu'ils/elles finissent

Passé que j'aie fini, que tu aies fini, qu'il/elle ait fini, que nous ayons fini, que vous ayez fini, qu'ils/elles aient fini

Imparfait que je finisse, que tu finisses, qu'il/elle finit, que nous finissions, que vous finissiez, qu'ils/elles finissent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse fini, que tu eusses fini, qu'il/elle eût fini, que nous eussions fini, que vous eussiez fini, qu'ils/elles eussent fini

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent finir

Passé avoir fini

- **Mode participe**

Présent finissant

Passé fini, finie, ayant fini

dormir

Also: *mentir, sentir, servir, sortir, partir*, though *sortir* and *partir* use *être* instead of *avoir*.

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je dors, tu dors, il/elle dort, nous dormons, vous dormez, ils/elles dorment

Passé j'ai dormi, tu as dormi, il/elle a dormi, nous avons dormi, vous avez dormi, ils/elles ont dormi

Imparfait je dormais, tu dormais, il/elle dormait, nous dormions, vous dormiez, ils/elles dormaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais dormi, tu avais dormi, il/elle avait dormi, nous avions dormi, vous aviez dormi, ils/elles avaient dormi

Passé simple je dormis, tu dormis, il/elle dormit, nous dormîmes, vous dormîtes, ils/elles dormirent

Passé antérieur j'eus dormi, tu eus dormi, il/elle eut dormi, nous eûmes dormi, vous eûtes dormi, ils/elles eurent dormi

Futur simple je dormirai, tu dormiras, il/elle dormira, il/elle dormirons, vous dormirez, ils/elles dormiront

Futur antérieur j'aurai dormi, tu auras dormi, il/elle aura dormi, nous aurons dormi, vous aurez dormi, ils/elles auront dormi

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je dormirais, tu dormirais, il/elle dormirait, nous dormirions, vous dormiriez, ils/elles dormiraient

Passé j'aurais dormi, tu aurais dormi, il/elle aurait dormi, nous aurions dormi,

vous auriez dormi, ils/elles auraient dormi

- **Mode impératif**

Présent dors, dormons, dormez

Passé aie dormi, ayons dormi, ayez dormi

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je dorme, que tu dormes, qu'il/elle dorme, que nous dormions, que vous dormiez, qu'ils/elles dorment

Passé que j'aie dormi, que tu aies dormi, qu'il/elle ait dormi, que nous ayons dormi, que vous ayez dormi, qu'ils/elles aient dormi

Imparfait que je dormisse, que tu dormisses, qu'il/elle dormit, que nous dormissions, que vous dormissiez, qu'ils/elles dormissent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse dormi, que tu eusses dormi, qu'il/elle eût dormi, que nous eussions dormi, que vous eussiez dormi, qu'ils/elles eussent dormi

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent dormir

Passé avoir dormi

- **Mode participe**

Présent dormant

Passé dormi, ayant dormi

venir

Also: *tenir*, and their combinations: *convenir*, *devenir*, *parvenir*, *se souvenir*, etc.; *appartenir*, *contenir*, *manitenir*, *obtenir*, etc; but *prévenir*, *subvenir*, *tenir* and combinations of *tenir* use *avoir* instead of *être*.

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je viens, tu viens, il/elle vient, vous venez, vous venez, ils/elles viennent

Passé composé je suis venu, tu es venu, il/elle est venu, nous sommes venus, vous êtes venus, ils/elles sont venus

Imparfait je venais, tu venais, il/elle venait, nous venions, vous veniez, ils/elles venaient

Plus-que-parfait j'étais venu, tu étais venu, il/elle était venu, nous étions venus, vous étiez venus, ils étaient venus

Passé simple je vins, tu vins, il/elle vint, nous vinmes, vous vintes, ils/elles vinrent

Passé antérieur je fus venu, tu fus venu, il/elle fut venu, nous fûmes venus, vous fûtes venus, ils furent venus

Futur simple je viendrai, tu viendras, il/elle viendra, nous viendrons, vous viendrez, ils/elles viendront

Futur antérieur je serai venu, tu seras venu, il/elle seras venu, nous serons venus, vous serez venus, ils/elles seront venus

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je viendrais, tu viendrais, il/elle viendrait, nous viendrions, vous viendriez, ils/elles viendraient

Passé je serais venu, tu serais venu, il/elle serait venu, nous serions venus, vous seriez venus, ils/elles seraient venus

- **Mode impératif**

Présent viens, venons, venez

Passé sois venu, soyons venus, soyez venus

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je vienne, que tu viennes, qu'il/elle vienne, que nous venions, que vous veniez, qu'ils/elles viennent

Passé que je sois venu, que tu sois venu, qu'il/elle soit venu, que nous soyons venus, que vous soyez venus, qu'ils/elles soient venus

Imparfait que je vinsse, que tu vinsses, qu'il/elle vint, que nous vinssions, que vous vinssiez, qu'ils/elles vinssent

Plus-que-parfait que je fusse venu, que tu fusses venu, qu'il/elle fût venu, que nous fussions venus, que vous fussiez venus, qu'ils/elles fussent venus

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent venir

Passé être venu

- **Mode participe**

Présent venant

Passé étant venu

recevoir

Also: *apercevoir, concevoir, décevoir, percevoir, devoir*, but the past participle of *devoir* is *dû*.

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je reçois, tu reçois, il/elle reçoit, nous recevons, vous recevez, ils/elles reçoivent

Passé composé j'ai reçu, tu as reçu, il/elle a reçu, nous avons reçu, vous avez reçu, ils/elles ont reçu

Imparfait je recevais, tu recevais, il/elle recevait, nous recevions, vous receviez, ils/elles recevaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais reçu, tu avais reçu, il/elle avait reçu, nous avions reçu, vous aviez reçu, ils/elles avaient reçu

Passé simple je reçus, tu reçus, il/elle reçut, nous reçûmes, reçûtes, ils/elles reçurent

Passé antérieur j'eus reçu, tu eus reçu, il/elle eut reçu, nous eûmes reçu, vous eûtes reçu, ils/elles eurent reçu

Futur simple je recevrai, tu recevras, il/elle recevra, nous recevrons, vous recevrez, ils/elles recevront

Futur antérieur j'aurai reçu, tu auras reçu, il/elle aura reçu, nous aurons reçu, vous aurez reçu, ils/elles auront reçu

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je recevrais, tu recevrais, il/elle recevrait, nous recevriions, vous recevriez, ils/elles recevraient

Passé j'aurais reçu, tu aurais reçu, il/elle aurait reçu, nous aurions reçu, vous auriez reçu, ils/elles auraient reçu

- **Mode impératif**

Présent reçois, recevons, recevez

Passé aie reçu, ayons reçu, ayez reçu

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je reçoive, que tu reçoives, qu'il/elle reçoive, que nous recevions, que vous receviez, qu'ils/elles reçoivent

Passé que j'aie reçu, que tu aies reçu, qu'il/elle ait reçu, que nous ayons reçu, que vous ayez reçu, qu'ils/elles aient reçu

Imparfait que je reçusse, que tu reçusses, qu'il/elle reçût, que nous reçussions, que vous reçussiez, qu'ils/elles reçussent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse reçu, que tu eusses reçu, qu'il/elle eût reçu, que nous eussions reçu, que vous eussiez reçu, qu'ils/elles eussent reçu

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent recevoir

Passé avoir reçu

- **Mode participe**

Présent recevant

Passé reçu, reçue, ayant reçu

rendre

Also: *attendre, défendre, dépendre, descendre, entendre, perdre, répondre, suspendre, tendre, vendre*.

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je rends, tu rends, il/elle rend, nous rendons, vous rendez, ils/elles rendent

Passé composé j'ai rendu, tu as rendu, il/elle a rendu, nous avons rendu, vous avez rendu, ils/elles ont rendu

Imparfait je rendais, tu rendais, il/elle rendait, nous rendions, vous rendiez, ils/elles rendaient

Plus-que-parfait j'avais rendu, tu avais rendu, il/elle avait rendu, nous avions rendu, vous aviez rendu, ils/elles avaient rendu

Passé simple je rendis, tu rendis, il/elle rendit, nous rendimes, vous rendites, ils/elles rendirent

Passé antérieur j'eus rendu, tu eus rendu, nous eûmes rendu, vous eûtes rendu, ils/elles eurent rendu

Futur simple je rendrai, tu rendras, il/elle rendra, nous rendrons, vous rendrez, ils/elles rendront

Futur antérieur j'aurai rendu, tu auras rendu, il/elle aura rendu, nous aurons rendu, vous aurez rendu, ils/elles auront rendu

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je rendrais, tu rendrais, il/elle rendrait, nous rendrions, vous rendriez, ils/elles rendraient

Passé j'aurais rendu, tu aurais rendu, il/elle aurait rendu, nous aurions rendu,

vous auriez rendu, ils/elles auraient rendu

- **Mode impératif**

Présent rends, rendons, rendez

Passé aie rendu, ayons rendu, ayez rendu

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je rende, que tu rendes, qu'il/elle rende, que nous rendions, que vous rendiez, qu'ils/elles rendent

Passé que j'aie rendu, que tu aies rendu, qu'il/elle ait rendu, que nous ayons rendu, que vous ayez rendu, qu'ils/elles aient rendu

Imparfait que je rendisse, que tu rendisses, qu'il/elle rendit, que nous rendissions, que vous rendissiez, qu'ils/elles rendissent

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse rendu, que tu eusses rendu, qu'il/elle eût rendu, que nous eussions rendu, que vous eussiez rendu, qu'ils/elles eussent rendu

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent rendre

Passé avoir rendu

- **Mode participe**

Présent rendant

Passé rendu, rendue, ayant rendu

être aimé

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je suis aimé, tu es aimé, il/elle est aimé, nous sommes aimés, vous êtes aimés, ils/elles sont aimés

Passé composé j'ai été aimé, tu as été aimé, il/elle a été aimé, nous avons été aimés, vous avez été aimés, ils/elles ont été aimés

Imparfait j'étais aimé, tu étais aimé, il était aimé, nous étions aimés, vous étiez aimés, ils/elles étaient aimés

Plus-que-parfait j'avais été aimé, tu avais été aimé, il/elle avait été aimé, nous avions été aimés, vous aviez été aimés, ils/elles avaient été aimés

Passé simple je fus aimé, tu fus aimé, il fut aimé, nous fûmes aimés, vous fûtes aimés, ils/elles furent aimés

Passé antérieur j'eus été aimé, tu eus été aimé, il/elle eut été aimé, nous eûmes été aimés, vous eûtes été aimés, ils/elles eurent été aimés

Futur simple je serai aimé, tu seras aimé, il/elle sera aimé, nous serons aimés, vous serez aimés, ils/elles seront aimés

Futur antérieur j'aurai été aimé, tu auras été aimé, il aura été aimé, nous aurons été aimés, vous aurez été aimés, ils/elles auront été aimés

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je serais aimé, tu serais aimé, il/elle serait aimé, nous serions aimés, vous seriez aimés, ils/elles seraient aimés

Passé j'aurais été aimé, tu aurais été aimé, il/elle aurait été aimé, nous aurions été aimés, vous auriez été aimés, ils/elles auraient été aimés

- **Mode impératif**

Présent sois aimé, soyons aimés, soyez aimés

Passé aie été aimé, ayons été aimés, ayez été aimés

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je sois aimé, que tu sois aimé, qu'il/elle soit aimé, que nous soyons aimés, que vous soyez aimés, qu'ils/elles soient aimés

Passé que j'aie été aimé, que tu aies été aimé, qu'il/elle ait été aimé, que nous ayons été aimés, que vous ayez été aimés, qu'ils/elles aient été aimés

Imparfait que je fusse aimé, que tu fusses aimé, qu'il/elle fût aimé, que nous fussions aimés, que vous fussiez aimés, qu'ils/elles fussent aimés

Plus-que-parfait que j'eusse été aimé, que tu eusses été aimé, qu'il/elle eût été aimé, que nous eussions été aimés, que vous eussiez été aimés, qu'ils/elles eussent été aimés

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent être aimé

Passé avoir été aimé

- **Mode participe**

Présent étant aimé

Passé ayant été aimé

se laver

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent je me lave, tu te laves, il se lave, nous nous lavons, vous vous lavez, ils se lavent

Passé composé je me suis lavé, tu t'es lavé, il/elle s'est lavé, nous nous sommes lavés, vous vous êtes lavés, ils/elles se sont lavés

Imparfait je me lavais, tu te lavais, il/elle se lavait, nous nous lavions, vous vous laviez, ils/elles se lavaient

Plus-que-parfait je m'étais lavé, tu t'étais lavé, il/elle s'était lavé, nous nous étions lavés, vous vous étiez lavés, ils/elles s'étaient lavés

Passé simple je me lavai, tu te lavas, il/elle se lava, nous nous lavâmes, vous vous lavâtes, ils/elles se lavèrent

Passé antérieur je me fus lavé, tu te fus lavé, il/elle se fut lavé, nous nous fûmes lavés, vous vous fûtes lavés, ils/elles furent lavés

Futur simple je me laverai, tu te laveras, il se lavera, nous nous laverons, vous vous laverez, ils se laveront

Futur antérieur je me serai lavé, tu te seras lavé, il/elle se sera lavé, nous nous serons lavés, vous vous serez lavés, ils/elles se seront lavés

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent je me laverais, tu te laverais, il se laverait, nous nous laverions, vous vous laveriez, ils/elles se laveraient

Passé je me serais lavé, tu te serais lavé, il/elle se serait lavé, nous nous serions lavés, vous vous seriez lavés, ils/elles se seraient lavés

- **Mode impératif**

Présent lave-toi, lavons-nous, lavez-vous

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent que je me lave, que tu te laves, qu'il/elle se lave, que nous nous lavions, que vous vous laviez, qu'ils/elles se lavent

Passé que je me sois lavé, que tu te sois lavé, qu'il/elle se soit lavé, que nous nous soyons lavés, que vous vous soyez lavés, qu'ils/elles se soient lavés

Imparfait que je me lavasse, que tu te lavasses, qu'il/elle se lavât, que nous nous lavassions, que vous vous lavassiez, qu'ils/elles se lavassent

Plus-que-parfait que je me fusse lavé, que tu te fusses lavé, qu'il/elle se fût lavé, que nous nous fussions lavés, que vous vous fussiez lavés, qu'ils/elles fussent lavés

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent se laver

Passé s'être lavé

- **Mode participe**

Présent se lavant

Passé lavé, lavée, s'étant lavé

neiger

- **Mode indicatif**

Présent Il neige.

Passé composé Il a neigé.

Imparfait Il neigeait.

Plus-que-parfait Il avait neigé.

Passé simple Il neigea.

Passé antérieur Il eut neigé.

Futur simple Il neigera.

Futur antérieur Il aura neigé.

- **Mode conditionnel**

Présent Il neigerait.

Passé Il aurait neigé.

- **Mode subjonctif**

Présent qu'il neige

Parfait qu'il ait neigé

Imparfait qu'il neigeât

Plus-que-parfait qu'il eût neigé

- **Mode infinitif**

Présent neiger

Passé avoir neigé

- **Mode participe**

Présent neigeant.

Passé neigé, ayant neigé