



Nominalisations

Suffix	Examples	Root verbs
-ion	compensation, contribution, interrogation, negotiation, nominalisation, prevention	compensate, contribute, interrogate, negotiate, nominalise, prevent
-ment	confinement, enhancement, management, payment	confine, enhance, manage, pay
-ing	beginning, catering, viewing [nouns]	begin, cater, view
-ness	completeness, willingness	complete, willing
-ure	annexure, disclosure, exposure, legislature	annex, disclose, expose, legislate
-ance	assurance, compliance, performance	assure, comply, perform
-al	appraisal, dismissal, referral, refusal,	appraise, dismiss, refer, refuse
-age	appendage, breakage, usage	append, break, use
-ive	derivative, directive [nouns]	derive, direct
-ee	employee, grantee, licensee, trustee	employ, grant, license, entrust
-er	carrier, doer, seer	carry, do, see
-or	grantor, investor, inventor, lessor,	grant, invest, invent, lease