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Words

直至
zhízhì lasting until / up till (the present)

> 直至今天，他还没给我回信。
> Zhízhì jīntiān, tā hái méi gěi wǒ huíxìn.
> Up to today, he still hasn't written back to me.

大体 大體
dàtǐ in general / more or less / in rough terms / basically / on the whole / overall situation / the big picture / cadaver for dissection in training medical students

> 计划大体已经定好了。
> Jìhuà dàtǐ yǐjīng dìng hǎole.
> The plan has basically been settled.

挨
ái to suffer / to endure / to delay / to stall / to play for time / to dawdle / to pull through (hard times)
āi in order / in sequence / close to / adjacent to

> 日子再难，也得挨过去。
> Rìzi zài nán, yě de āi guòqù.
> No matter how hard life gets, we have to get through it.

丫头 丫頭
yātou girl / servant girl / (used deprecatingly, but sometimes also as a term of endearment)

> 这丫头今年才五岁。
> Zhè yātou jīnnián cái wǔ suì.
> This girl is only five years old.

不算
bùsuàn to not calculate / to not count / to not be considered (as) / to have no weight

> 这不算犯错误。
> Zhè búsuàn fàn cuòwù.
> That doesn't count as making a mistake.

钉 釘
dìng to nail / to join things together by fixing them in place at one or more points / to pin / to staple / to sew on
dīng nail / to keep at sb (to do sth) / to follow closely

> 地上有一根钉，小心点！
> Dìshang yǒu yìgēn dīng, xiǎoxīn diǎn!
> There's a nail on the ground, so be careful!

非法
fēifǎ illegal

> 许多人能够非法进入美国。
> Xǔduō rén nénggòu fēifǎ jìnrù Měiguó.
> Many are able to enter the USA illegally.

袭击 襲擊
xíjī attack (esp. surprise attack) / raid / to attack

> 他们袭击敌人。
> Tāmen xíjī dírén.
> They attacked the enemy.

潮
cháo tide / damp / moist / humid / fashionable / trendy / inferior / substandard

> 她今天穿得真潮啊！
> Tā jīntiān chuān de zhēn cháo a!
> She's dressed so trendy today!

院士
yuànshì member of a national academy

> 我爷爷的老同学成了院士。
> Wǒ yéye de lǎo tóngxué chéng le yuànshì.
> My grandfather's old classmate became an academician.

小人
xiǎorén person of low social status (old) / I, me (used to refer humbly to oneself) / nasty person / vile character

> 别理他，他就是个小人。
> Biélǐ tā, tā jiùshì gè xiǎorén.
> Ignore him, he's just a nasty person.

哨
shào sentry / a whistle
qiào crooked (of the mouth) / not straight

> 比赛结束时，裁判吹了一声哨。
> Bǐsài jiéshù shí, cáipàn chuīle yìshēng shào.
> The referee blew his whistle when the match ended.

固然
gùrán admittedly (it's true that...)

> 办法固然好，就是太贵。
> Bànfǎ gùrán hǎo, jiùshì tài guì.
> The method is good, admittedly, but it's too expensive.

海峡 海峽

hǎixiá strait / channel

> 海峡对面就是另一个国家。
> Hǎixiá duìmiàn jiùshì lìng yí gè guójiā.
> Just across the strait is another country.

产物 產物

chǎnwù product / result (of)

> 人类是环境的产物。
> Rénlèi shì huánjìng de chǎnwù.
> Man is a creature of circumstances.

一行

yīxíng party / delegation

> 画的左上角有一行题字。
> Huà de zuǒ shàng jiǎo yǒu yìxíng tízì.
> There is a line of inscription in the upper left corner of the painting.

多半

duōbàn most / mostly / most likely

> 班上多半同学都会游泳。
> Bānshàng duōbàn tóngxué dōu huì yóuyǒng.
> Most of the students in the class can swim.

历时 歷時

lìshí to last / to take (time) / period / diachronic

> 会议历时两个小时。
> Huìyì lìshí liǎng gè xiǎoshí.
> The meeting lasted two hours.

岛屿 島嶼

dǎoyǔ island

> 你想去哪个岛屿度假?
> Nǐ xiǎng qù nǎge dǎoyǔ dùjià?
> Which island do you want to go to for a holiday?

煤炭

méitàn coal

> 那辆火车装满了煤炭。
> Nà liàng huǒchē zhuāngmǎnle méitàn.
> That train is loaded full of coal.

精细 精細

jīngxì fine / meticulous / careful

剂 劑

jì small piece of dough cut from a rolled log, used for making mantou (steamed buns) or dumplings / a compound made by mixing ingredients (esp. a medicinal or chemical product) / classifier for a dose of medicine

> 这剂药每天早晚各喝一次。
> Zhè jì yào měitiān zǎowǎn gè hē yícì.
> Drink this dose of medicine once in the morning and once at night.

披露

pīlù to reveal / to publish / to make public / to announce

> 他不愿披露自己的收入。
> Tā bú yuàn pīlù zìjǐ de shōurù.
> He is unwilling to make his income public.

心思

xīnsi mind / thoughts / inclination / mood

> 太累了，我没心思看电影。
> Tài lèile, wǒ méi xīnsi kàn diànyǐng.
> I'm too tired and not in the mood to watch a movie.

同期

tóngqī the corresponding time period (in a different year etc) / concurrent / synchronous

> 本月的雨量比去年同期多很多。
> Běnyuè de yǔliàng bǐ qùnián tóngqī duō hěn duō.
> This month's rainfall is much more than in the same period last year.

生涯

shēngyá career / life (way in which sb lives) / period of one's life

> 他的政治生涯结束了。
> Tā de zhèngzhì shēngyá jiéshùle.
> His political career has ended.

包围 包圍

bāowéi to surround / to encircle / to hem in

> 我们被包围了。
> Wǒmen bèi bāowéile.
> We were surrounded.

惹

rě to stir up / to anger / to cause (problems) / to provoke / to attract (troubles) / to irritate / to vex
ruò such / so / this much

> 我不想惹你生气。
> Wǒ bùxiǎng rě nǐ shēngqì.
> I don't mean to spite you.

激素

jīsù hormone

> 医生说我的激素水平不正常。
> Yīshēng shuō wǒ de jīsù shuǐpíng bú zhèngcháng.
> The doctor said my hormone levels are abnormal.

赛季 賽季

sàijì season (sports)

> 棒球赛季开始了。
> Bàngqiú sàijì kāishǐle.
> Baseball season has begun.

模范 模範

mófàn model / fine example

> 他被评为公司的模范员工。
> Tā bèi píngwéi gōngsī de mófàn yuángōng.
> He was named a model employee of the company.

房地产 房地產

fángdìchǎn real estate

> 我舅舅是做房地产的。
> Wǒ jiùjiu shì zuò fángdìchǎn de.
> My uncle works in real estate.

制约 制約
zhìyuē to restrict / condition
> 缺钱制约了公司的发展。
> Quēqián zhìyuē le gōngsī de fāzhǎn.
> A lack of money is restricting the company's growth.

腹
fù abdomen / stomach / belly
> 他吃得太多，腹里很不舒服。
> Tā chī de tài duō, fù lǐ hěn bù shūfu.
> He ate too much, and his belly feels very uncomfortable.

客运 客運
kèyùn passenger transportation / intercity bus
> 这条铁路只做客运。
> Zhè tiáo tiělù zhǐ zuò kèyùn.
> This railway only handles passenger transport.

壮丽 壯麗
zhuànglì magnificence / magnificent / majestic / glorious
> 山河的景色非常壮丽。
> Shānhé de jǐngsè fēicháng zhuànglì.
> The scenery of the mountains and rivers is magnificent.

棺材
guāncai coffin
> 电影里的棺材突然打开了！
> Diànyǐng lǐ de guāncai tūrán dǎkāile!
> The coffin in the movie suddenly opened!

配置
pèizhì to deploy / to allocate / configuration / allocation
> 资源配置不太合理。
> Zīyuán pèizhì bú tài hélǐ.
> The allocation of resources isn't very reasonable.

现行 現行
xiànxíng to be in effect / in force / current
> 现行法律对此没有规定。
> Xiànxíng fǎlǜ duì cǐ méiyǒu guīdìng.
> The law in force makes no provision for this.

以致
yǐzhì with the result that
> 他熬夜，以致今天迟到了。
> Tā áoyè, yǐzhì jīntiān chídàole.
> He stayed up late, so he was late today.

发掘 發掘
fājué to excavate / to explore / to unearth / to tap into
> 记者发掘出了真相。
> Jìzhě fājué chūle zhēnxiàng.
> The reporter unearthed the truth.

下游
xiàyóu lower reaches (of a river) / lower level / lower echelon / downstream
> 这条河的下游有很多农田。
> Zhè tiáo hé de xiàyóu yǒu hěn duō nóngtián.
> There are many farm fields in the lower reaches of this river.

壮 壯
zhuàng Zhuang ethnic group, the largest ethnic minority in China / robust / strong / to strengthen
> 他身体很壮，不怕冷。
> Tā shēntǐ hěn zhuàng, búpà lěng.
> He is strong and isn't afraid of the cold.

防守
fángshǒu to defend / to protect (against)

席
xí banquet / seat / place in a democratic assembly / woven mat / classifier for banquets, conversations etc / woven mat (variant of 席[xi2]) / surname Xi
> 该党在议会中占了三十席。
> Gāi dǎng zài yìhuì zhōng zhànle sānshí xí.
> The party holds thirty seats in the parliament.

诉讼 訴訟
sùsòng lawsuit
> 律师说这场诉讼很难赢。
> Lǜshī shuō zhè chǎng sùsòng hěn nán yíng.
> The lawyer said this lawsuit would be hard to win.

伴
bàn partner / companion / comrade / associate / to accompany
> 你将伴我同行。
> Nǐ jiāng bàn wǒ tóngxíng.
> You are to come with me.

援助
yuánzhù to help / to support / to aid / aid / assistance
> 灾区需要外界的援助。
> Zāiqū xūyào wàijiè de yuánzhù.
> The disaster area needs aid from the outside.

本事
běnshi ability / skill
běnshì source material / original story
> 你有本事就自己试一试！
> Nǐ yǒu běnshi jiù zìjǐ shìyíshì!
> If you're so capable, try it yourself!

保卫 保衛
bǎowèi to defend / to safeguard
> 我们有责任保卫和平。
> Wǒmen yǒu zérèn bǎowèi hépíng.
> We have a duty to safeguard peace.