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Words

自行
zìxíng voluntary / autonomous / by oneself / self-

> 他们可能会自行回家。
> Tāmen kěnéng huì zìxíng huíjiā.
> They may go home by themselves.

军官 軍官
jūnguān officer (military)

> 你长大以后想当军官吗?
> Nǐ zhǎngdà yǐhòu xiǎng dāng jūnguān ma?
> Do you want to become an officer when you grow up?

宇宙
yǔzhòu universe / cosmos / space

> 但宇宙无限。
> Dàn yǔzhòu wúxiàn.
> But the universe is infinite.

指数 指數
zhǐshù index / exponent / exponential

> 在二的三次方里，三是指数。
> Zài èr de sāncìfāng lǐ, sān shì zhǐshù.
> In two to the power of three, three is the exponent.

牺牲 犧牲
xīshēng to sacrifice (sth valued) / to sacrifice one's life / beast slaughtered as a sacrifice

> 士兵们已经准备好为国牺牲了。
> Shìbīngmen yǐjīng zhǔnbèi hǎo wèi guó xīshēngle.
> The soldiers were ready to die for their country.

矿 礦
kuàng mineral deposit / ore deposit / ore / a mine

> 山里发现了一座大矿。
> Shān lǐ fāxiànle yí zuò dà kuàng.
> A large ore deposit was discovered in the mountains.

砸
zá to smash / to fail / to pound / to muck up / to bungle

> 他怕把演出砸了。
> Tā pà bǎ yǎnchū zále.
> He was afraid of mucking up the performance.

备 備
bèi to prepare / to equip / fully / completely

> 奶奶总会在家里备些药。
> Nǎinai zǒnghuì zài jiālǐ bèi xiē yào.
> Grandma always keeps some medicine at home.

矣
yǐ classical final particle, similar to modern 了[le5] / (exclamatory particle) / how...!

> 事到如今，后悔晚矣!
> Shìdàorújīn, hòuhuǐ wǎn yǐ!
> Things have come to this, and it's too late for regrets!

签署 簽署
qiānshǔ to sign (an agreement)

> 我签署了文件。
> Wǒ qiānshǔle wénjiàn.
> I attached my signature to the document.

历代 歷代
lìdài successive generations / successive dynasties / past dynasties

> 历代皇帝都住过这里。
> Lìdài huángdì dōu zhùguo zhèlǐ.
> Emperors of every dynasty have lived here.

示威
shìwēi to demonstrate (as a protest) / a demonstration / a military show of force

谱 譜
pǔ spectrum (physics) / to set to music / score (music) / chart / list / table / register

> 我弟弟弹琴不会看谱。
> Wǒ dìdi tánqín búhuì kàn pǔ.
> My younger brother can't read sheet music when he plays the piano.

分成
fēnchéng to divide (into) / to split a bonus / to break into / tenths / percentage allotment

> 他把苹果分成两部分。
> Tā bǎ píngguǒ fēnchéng liǎng bùfen.
> He cut the apple in half.

反抗
fǎnkàng to resist / to rebel

> 他常以反抗的态度对我们。
> Tā cháng yǐ fǎnkàng de tàidu duì wǒmen.
> He often takes a defiant attitude toward us.

批判
pīpàn to criticize / critique

> 他批判了这种浪费的做法。
> Tā pīpànle zhèzhǒng làngfèi de zuòfǎ.
> He criticized this wasteful practice.

讨 討
tǎo to discuss or study / to demand or ask for / to send armed forces to suppress / to denounce or condemn / to invite / to provoke / to marry (a woman)

> 他是个很讨人烦的男人。
> Tā shì gè hěn tǎo rén fán de nánrén.
> He's a very disagreeable man.

涌
yǒng to well up / to gush forth / to surge
chōng (used in place names)

> 洪水涌到了窗户的高度。
> Hóngshuǐ yǒng dàole chuānghu de gāodù.
> The flood water reached the level of the windows.

落实 落實
luòshí practical / workable / to implement / to carry out / to decide

> 出发时间落实了吗?
> Chūfā shíjiān luòshíle ma?
> Has the departure time been settled?

议 議
yì to suggest / to discuss / to comment on

> 会上议了很久，没结果。
> Huìshàng yì le hěn jiǔ, méi jiéguǒ.
> They discussed it at the meeting for a long time without a result.

攻关 攻關
gōngguān to storm a strategic pass / fig. to tackle a key problem

> 工程师们正在攻关这个难题。
> Gōngchéngshīmen zhèngzài gōngguān zhège nántí.
> The engineers are tackling this tough problem.

抹
mǒ to erase / to smear / to wipe / classifier for wisps of cloud, light-beams etc
mā to wipe
mò to skirt / to plaster / to go around

> 他希望抹去不好的记忆。
> Tā xīwàng mǒ qù bù hǎo de jìyì.
> He wishes to erase bad memories.

盗 盜
dào to steal / to rob / robber / bandit / thief / to plunder

> 很多书被盗了。
> Hěn duō shū bèi dào le.
> Many books have been stolen.

筑
zhù to build / to construct / five-string lute / to ram / to hit / short name for Guiyang 貴陽|贵阳[Gui4 yang2] / rammer (pestle for packing earth)
zhú zhu, a five-stringed zither struck with a bamboo stick

> 筑是一种古老的乐器。
> Zhù shì yìzhǒng gǔlǎo de yuèqì.
> The zhu is an ancient musical instrument.

效益
xiàoyì benefit / effectiveness / efficiency

> 怎样才能提高工作效益?
> Zěnyàng cái néng tígāo gōngzuò xiàoyì?
> How can we improve our work efficiency?

物资 物資
wùzī goods / supplies

> 仓库里的物资快用完了。
> Cāngkù lǐ de wùzī kuài yòng wánle.
> The supplies in the warehouse are almost used up.

正当 正當
zhèngdàng honest / reasonable / fair / sensible
zhèngdāng timely / just (when needed)

> 他提出了正当的要求。
> Tā tíchūle zhèngdàng de yāoqiú.
> He made a reasonable request.

内地 內地
nèidì inland / interior / hinterland / mainland China (PRC excluding Hong Kong and Macau, but including islands such as Hainan) / Japan (used in Taiwan during Japanese colonization)

> 内地的冬天比海边更干燥。
> Nèidì de dōngtiān bǐ hǎibiān gèng gānzào.
> Winters inland are drier than by the sea.

撤
chè to remove / to take away

> 吃完饭，服务员撤了盘子。
> Chī wán fàn, fúwùyuán chèle pánzi.
> After we finished eating, the waiter cleared the plates.

尸体 屍體
shītǐ corpse / dead body

> 每个人都可能变成尸体。
> Měige rén dōu kěnéng biànchéng shītǐ.
> Every man is a potential corpse.

拨 撥
bō to allocate / to set aside (money) / to dial / to push aside with the hand, foot, a stick etc / to poke (the fire) / to pluck (a string instrument) / to turn round / classifier: group, batch
fá large shield

> 对不起，我拨错了号码。
> Duìbùqǐ, wǒ bō cuòle hàomǎ.
> I'm sorry, I dialed the wrong number.

兴建 興建
xīngjiàn to build / to construct

> 村里要兴建一条新公路。
> Cūnlǐ yào xīngjiàn yìtiáo xīn gōnglù.
> The village is going to construct a new road.

拳
quán fist / boxing

> 我很喜欢北斗之拳!
> Wǒ hěn xǐhuan Běidǒu zhī quán!
> I love Fist of the North Star!

施工
shīgōng construction / to carry out construction or large-scale repairs

> 我们立即开始施工。
> Wǒmen lìjí kāishǐ shīgōng.
> We'll begin work soon.

同比
tóngbǐ compared with the same period of the previous year / year on year / year over year

> 利润同比增加了多少?
> Lìrùn tóngbǐ zēngjiāle duōshǎo?
> By how much did profits increase year on year?

开辟 開闢
kāipì to open up / to create / to establish

> 开辟新天地。
> Kāipì Xīntiāndì.
> Break new ground.

口径 口徑
kǒujìng bore / caliber / diameter / aperture / stance (on an issue) / version (of events) / account / narrative / line

> 这根水管的口径太小了。
> Zhè gēn shuǐguǎn de kǒujìng tài xiǎole.
> The diameter of this water pipe is too small.

主权 主權
zhǔquán sovereignty

> 尊重别国的主权很重要。
> Zūnzhòng biéguó de zhǔquán hěn zhòngyào.
> It is important to respect other countries' sovereignty.

宫殿 宮殿
gōngdiàn palace

> 国王住在高高的宫殿里。
> Guówáng zhù zài gāo gāo de gōngdiàn lǐ.
> The king lives in a tall palace.

联赛 聯賽
liánsài league / league tournament

> 因为下雨，今天的联赛推迟了。
> Yīnwèi xiàyǔ, jīntiān de liánsài tuīchíle.
> Because of the rain, today's league match was postponed.

磨
mó to torment / to cause suffering / to polish / to wear down / to sharpen / to grind / to rub / to pester / to die out / to waste time / to insist
mò to grind / grindstone / to turn round

> 她磨了这些刀。
> Tā móle zhèxiē dāo.
> She has sharpened the knives.

官吏
guānlì bureaucrat / official

> 古代官吏都要参加考试。
> Gǔdài guānlì dōu yào cānjiā kǎoshì.
> In ancient times, all bureaucrats had to take exams.

国土 國土
guótǔ country's territory / national land

> 哪个国家的国土面积最大?
> Nǎge guójiā de guótǔ miànjī zuì dà?
> Which country has the largest territory?

整顿 整頓
zhěngdùn to tidy up / to reorganize / to consolidate / to rectify

> 政府要严格整顿市场上的假货。
> Zhèngfǔ yào yángé zhěngdùn shìchǎng shàng de jiǎhuò.
> The government will strictly clean up the fake goods on the market.

光荣 光榮
guāngróng honor and glory / glorious

> 你应该光荣地辞职。
> Nǐ yīnggāi guāngróng de cízhí.
> You should do the honorable thing and resign.

窝 窩
wō pit or hollow on the human body / nest / to harbor or shelter / lair / den / place / to hold in check / to bend / classifier for litters and broods

下令
xiàlìng to give an order / to issue an order

> 司令下令，部队马上出发。
> Sīlìng xiàlìng, bùduì mǎshàng chūfā.
> The commander gave the order, and the troops set off at once.

历来 歷來
lìlái always / throughout (a period of time) / all-time

> 历来的考试，他都没迟到过。
> Lìlái de kǎoshì, tā dōu méi chídàoguo.
> In every exam so far, he has never been late.

壳 殼
ké shell (of an egg, nut, crab etc) / case / casing / housing (of a machine or device)
qiào shell

> 小鸟刚从壳里钻出来。
> Xiǎoniǎo gāng cóng ké lǐ zuān chūlái.
> The little bird has just crawled out of its shell.

不免
bùmiǎn inevitably

> 考试前，我不免有点儿紧张。
> Kǎoshì qián, wǒ bùmiǎn yǒudiǎnr jǐnzhāng.
> Before the exam, I can't help feeling a bit nervous.