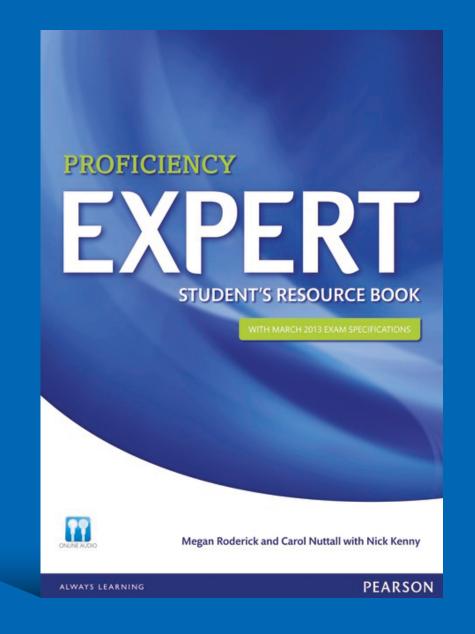
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**English-Greek Wordlist** 



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1A	plateau	n	a period during which the level of something does not change, especially after a period when it was increasing	Inflation rates have reached a plateau.	υψίπεδο	7
1A	mentor	n	an experienced person who advises and helps a less experienced person	Being the latest addition to the company's staff, I needed a mentor to guide me through.	μέντορας	7
1A	innate	adj	an innate quality or ability is something you are born with	Children have an innate ability to learn language.	έμφυτος	7
1A	accessible	adj	easy to obtain or use	the need for a health service that is accessible to all	προσβάσιμος	7
1A	ruthlessness	n	the quality of being determined and firm when making unpleasant decisions	He showed great ruthlessess in dealing with his enemies.	σκληρότητα, ασπλαχνιά	8
1A	mediocrity	n	the state of not being very good	I was disappointed by the mediocrity of the food at the hotel.	μετριότητα	8
1A	tatty	adj	in bad condition	a few tatty old chairs	φθαρμένος	8
1A	jaded	adj	someone who is jaded is no longer interested in or excited by something, usually because they have experienced too much of it	The concert should satisfy even the most jaded critic.	μπουχτισμένος, βαριεστημένος	8
1A	notorious	adj	famous or well known for something bad	notorious cases of human rights abuses	διαβόητος	8
1A	hustle	V	to do something with a lot of energy and determination	Cindy's not a great player, but she really hustles.	σπεύδω, κινούμαι γρήγορα	8
1A	resilience	n	the ability to become strong, happy, or successful again after a difficult situation or event	People showed remarkable resilience during the war.	προσαρμοστικότητα, ανθεκτικότητα	8
1A	prerequisite	n	something that is necessary before something else can happen or be done	A reasonable proficiency in English is a prerequisite for the course.	προαπαιτούμενο	8
1A	sartorial	adj	relating to clothes, especially the style of clothes that a man wears – used especially humorously	a man of great sartorial elegance	ενδυματολογικός	8
1A	lousy	adj	of very bad quality	What lousy weather!	άθλιος	8
1A	dilemma	n	a situation in which it is very difficult to decide what to do, because all the choices seem equally good or equally bad	a moral dilemma	δίλημμα	8
1A	emerge	V	to appear or come out from somewhere	The flowers emerge in the spring.	αναδύομαι, προβάλλω	9
1A	taut	adj	having firm muscles	She has a taut brown body.	σφιχτός, γυμνασμένος	9

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1A	slink	V	to move somewhere quietly and secretly	Edward was hoping to slink past unnoticed.	γλιστράω απαρατήρητος	9
1A	prospects	n	chances of future success	I had no job, no education, and no prospects.	προοπτικές	9
1A	sweat	V	to work hard	They sweated and saved for ten years to buy a house.	κοπιάζω, μοχθώ	9
1A	grim	adj	bad, ugly, unpleasant	They painted a grim picture of what life use to be like there.	βλοσυρός, σκληρός	9
1A	despise	V	to dislike and have a low opinion of someone or something	She despised her neighbours.	απεχθάνομαι	9
1A	reptilian	adj	someone or something that is unpleasant or cannot be trusted	reptilian resilience	ερπετοειδής	9
1A	constraint	n	something that limits your freedom to do what you want, restriction	Constraints on spending have forced the company to rethink its plans.	περιορισμός	9
1A	blessed	adj	very enjoyable or desirable	a few moments of blessed silence	ευλογημένος	9
1A	bland	adj	without any excitement, strong opinions, or special character, dull	a few bland comments	ήπιος, ανιαρός	9
1A	out of sync	adj phr	if things are out of sync, they are not working well together at exactly the same time and speed	The soundtrack is out of sync with the picture.	εκτός συγχρονισμού	9
1A	disrobe	V	to remove your clothes	There were no changing rooms for the actors to disrobe.	ξεντύνομαι	9
1A	keep your head down	v phr	to do what you have to do without disagreement	You have to keep your head down and do as instructed.	συμμορφώνομαι, υπακούω	9
1A	negotiate	V	to discuss something in order to reach an agreement, especially in business or politics	The government refuses to negotiate with terrorists.	διαπραγματεύομαι	9
1A	(twenty per cent) cut (of the fee)	phr	a reduction in the size or amount of something, especially the amount of money that is spent by a government or company	A cut of 1% in interest rates was announced yesterday.	μείωση, μερίδιο	9
1A	catch-22	phr	an impossible situation that you cannot solve because you need to do one thing in order to do a second thing, but you cannot do the second thing until you have done the first	It's a Catch-22 situation - without experience you can't get a job and without a job you can't get experience.	φαύλος κύκλος	9
1A	take it or leave it	v phr	to neither like nor dislike something, used to say that you do not care whether someone accepts your offer or not	To some people, smoking is addictive. Others can take it or leave it.	πάρτε το ή αφήστε το, αν σας αρέσει	9
1A	churn	n	a container used for shaking milk in order to make it into butter	a butter churn	καρδάρα	9

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1A	grinding gears	phr	very unpleasant noise of machinery parts rubbing together, the noise made when the machinery in a vehicle is not changed properly	When he first got his driving license, I could recognise his car from the noise of grinding gears.	γρανάζια που τρίζουν, στρίγκλισμα σαζμάν ταχυτήτων	9
1A	limb	n	arm or leg	She is strong-limbed.	άκρο σώματος	9
1A	stew	n (metaphorical)	a hot meal made by cooking meat and vegetables slowly in liquid for a long time	a pot of beef stew	στιφάδο	9
1A	scrounge (for)	V	to get money or something you want by asking other people for it rather than by paying for it yourself	a group of children scrounging for food	κάνω τράκα	9
1A	CV (Curriculum Vitae)	phr	a short written document that lists your education and previous jobs, which you send to employers when you are looking for a job	She sent in a job application followed by a long CV.	βιογραφικό σημείωμα	9
1A	crave	V	to have an extremely strong desire for something	an insecure child who craves attention	λαχταρώ, ποθώ	9
1A	leap at the chance	v phr	to accept an opportunity very eagerly	I leapt at the chance of studying abroad.	αρπάζω μια ευκαιρία	9
1A	savage	adj	very violent or cruel	a savage dog, a savage murder	πολύ βίαιος, σκληρός	9
1A	shed a tear	phr	cry	She had not shed a single tear during the funeral.	κλαίω, χύνω δάκρυα	10
1A	crude	adj	offensive or rude, especially in a sexual way, vulgar	His language was often crude.	βάναυσος, άξεστος	10
1A	veneer	n	behaviour that hides someone's real character or feelings	A thin veneer of politeness hid Lady Bride's growing anger.	πέπλο	10
1A	tangled	adj	twisted together in an untidy mass, complicated or not easy to understand	He had hair like tangled string. tangled emotions	μπερδεμένος, δυσνόητος	10
1A	riveting	adj	Something that is riveting is so interesting or exciting that you cannot stop watching it or listening to it, fascinating	a riveting performance	καθηλωτικός	11
1A	acclaimed	adj	publicly praised by a lot of people	His work was critically acclaimed.	καταξιωμένος, αναγνωρισμένος	11
1A	render	V	to express or present something in a particular way	The blow to his head was strong enough to render him unconscious.	καθιστώ	11
1A	in (quick) succession	phr	happening one after the other without anything different happening in between	He fired two shots in quick succession.	σε αλληλουχία, ο ένας μετά τον άλλο, απανωτά	13

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1A	etiquette	n	the formal rules for polite behaviour in society or in a particular group	strict rules of professional etiquette	εθιμοτυπία, δεοντολογία, πρωτόκολλο	13
1A	subtleties	n	a thought, idea, or detail that is important but difficult to notice or understand	Some of the subtleties of the language are lost in translation.	λεπτές αποχρώσεις	14
1A	facial expression	phr	a look on someone's face that shows what they are thinking or feeling	Her facial expression indicated surprise.	έκφραση του προσώπου	14
1A	props	n	a small object such as a book, weapon etc, used by actors in a play or film	Anna looks after costumes and props.	μικρά αντικείμενα χρήσιμα για το σκηνικό θεατρικών έργων ή ταινιών	14
1A	convey	V	to communicate or express something, with or without using words	Ads convey the message that thin is beautiful.	μεταφέρω, επικοινωνώ ένα μήνυμα	14
1A	it's down to you	phr	to be the result of one person's actions or one particular thing	Chris's success is all down to him.	από εσένα εξαρτάται	14
1A	vocal expression	phr	oral expression	Vocal expression is as much about movement and emotion as sound.	προφορική έκφραση	14
1A	resonance	n	the resonance of a sound is its quality of being deep and loud and continuing for a long time	the resonance of his voice	αντήχηση	14
1A	pitch	n	how high or low a note or other sound is	Ultrasonic waves are at a higher pitch than the human ear can hear.	βαθμός (έντασης)	14
1A	embrace	V	to put your arms around someone and hold them in a friendly or loving way	Jack warmly embraced his son.	αγκαλιάζω	14
1A	medium	n	a way of communicating information and news to people, such as newspapers, television etc, media	Advertising is a powerful medium.	μέσο	14
1A	assess	V	to make a judgment about a person or situation after thinking carefully about it, judge	a report to assess the impact of advertising on children	εκτιμώ, αξιολογώ	14
1A	evaluate	V	to judge how good, useful, or successful something is, assess	You should be able to evaluate your own work.	εκτιμώ, αξιολογώ	14
1A	assert	V	to state firmly that something is true	He asserted that nuclear power was a safe and non-polluting energy source.	ισχυρίζομαι, υποστηρίζω	14
1A	aspiring	adj	hoping to be successful in a particular job, activity, or way of life	aspiring young writers	επίδοξος	14

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1A	assume	V	to think that something is true, although you do not have definite proof	I didn't see your car, so I assumed you'd gone out.	υποθέτω, θεωρώ	14
1A	acknowledge	V	to admit or accept that something is true or that a situation exists	The family acknowledge the need for change.	παραδέχομαι, αναγνωρίζω	14
1A	advocate	V	to publicly say that something should be done	Extremists were openly advocating violence.	υποστηρίζω, υπερασπίζομαι	14
1A	versatile	adj	someone who is versatile has many different skills, having many different uses	a very versatile performer	ευέλικτος	14
1A	animated	adj	a film or programme that shows pictures, clay models etc that seem to be really moving	an animated Disney film	κινούμενος	6 / script
1A	commercially viable	n phr	if a business, project etc is commercially viable, it will make a profit	Rising costs mean the project is no longer commercially viable.	εμπορικά βιώσιμος	7 / script
1A	emulate	V	to do something or behave in the same way as someone else, especially because you admire them	He hoped to emulate the success of Wilder.	μιμούμαι	7 / script
1A	lucrative	adj	a job or activity that is lucrative lets you earn a lot of money	He inherited a lucrative business from his father.	επικερδής	7 / script
1B	hark back	phr v	to remember and talk about things that happened in the past	Stop harking back to the past and start looking to the future.	επανέρχομαι, ξαναγυρίζω	15
1B	tag along	phr v	to go somewhere with someone, especially when they have not asked you to go with them	Susan's little sister tagged along with us everywhere we went.	ακολουθώ	15
1B	get your teeth into (sth)	phr	to start to do something with a lot of energy and determination	I can't wait to get my teeth into the new course.	πέφτω με τα μούτρα σε κάτι	15
1B	thrive on (sth)	phr v	to enjoy or be successful in a particular situation, especially one that other people find difficult or unpleasant	Unlike most of us, she seems to thrive on pressure.	αναπτύσσομαι, ευδοκιμώ	15
1B	hard-pressed	adj	having a lot of problems and not enough money or time	The new exams will only add to the workload of already hard-pressed teachers.	πιεσμένος	15
1B	passable	adj	fairly good, but not excellent	He can do a passable imitation of the maths teacher.	αποδεκτός	15
1B	counteract	V	to reduce or prevent the bad effect of something, by doing something that has the opposite effect	They gave him drugs to counteract his withdrawal symptoms.	αντισταθμίζω	15
1B	inevitable	adj	certain to happen and impossible to avoid	A further escalation of the crisis now seems inevitable.	αναπόφευκτος	15

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1B	sedentary	adj	spending a lot of time sitting down, and not moving or exercising very much	health problems caused by our sedentary lifestyles	καθιστικός	15
1B	hilarious	adj	extremely funny	a hilarious story	ξεκαρδιστικός	15
1B	like-minded	adj	having similar interests and opinions	a chance to meet like-minded people	ομοϊδεάτης	15
1B	expertise	n	special skills or knowledge in a particular subject, that you learn by experience or training	What he's bringing to the company is financial expertise.	ειδικότητα, εξειδίκευση	15
1B	mind-blowing	adj	very exciting, shocking, or strange	a mind-blowing experience	συναρπαστικός, συγκλονιστικός, περίεργος	16
1B	soothing	adj	somethings that makes you feel calmer and less anxious, upset, or angry	gentle, soothing music	κατευναστικός, χαλαρωτικός	16
1B	take (sth) into consideration	n phr	to remember to think about something important when you are making a decision or judgement	We will take your recent illness into consideration when marking your exams.	λαμβάνω κάτι υπόψη	17
1B	odd	adj	a few occasions, days etc that happen at various times but not often and not regularly	I take the odd day off work.	σποραδικός	17
1B	sitcom	n	situation comedy a funny television programme in which the same characters appear in different situations each week	Friends used to be a very popular sitcom.	κωμική σειρά	19
1B	venue	n	a place where an organized meeting, concert etc takes place	The first thing to do is book a venue.	χώρος, τόπος συνάντησης	19
1B	(comic) sketch	n	a short humorous scene on a television programme, in a theatre etc, that is part of a larger show	Her TV programme is made up of a series of comic sketches.	κωμικό σκετς	19
1B	allege	V	to say that something is true or that someone has done something wrong, although it has not been proved	It was alleged that the policeman had accepted bribes.	ισχυρίζομαι, προβάλλω	19
1B	stint	n	a period of time spent doing a particular job or activity	Mark did a two-year stint in the army.	(σύντομη) περίοδος	19
1B	mutual	adj	mutual feelings such as respect, trust, or hatred are feelings that two or more people have for each other	Mutual respect is necessary for any partnership to work.	αμοιβαίος	19
1B	enhance	V	to improve something	Good lighting will enhance any room.	βελτιώνω, ενισχύω	19
1B	induce	V	to persuade someone to do something, especially something that does not seem wise	Nothing would induce me to vote for him again.	παρακινώ, επηρεάζω	19
1B	initiate	V	to arrange for something important to start, such as an official process or a new plan	They have decided to initiate legal proceedings against the newspaper.	εισάγω, αρχίζω	19

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1B	marginalise	v	to make a person or a group of people unimportant and powerless in an unfair way	Female employees complained of being marginalised by management.	περιθωριοποιώ	20
1B	diminish	V	to become or make something become smaller or less, reduce	Don't let him diminish your achievements.	μειώνω	20
1B	a shift of focus	n phr	a change in the thing, person or situation that people pay special attention to	Piracy has brought about a shift of focus in the music industry.	μετατόπιση της εστίασης του ενδιαφέροντος	20
1B	detrimental	adj	causing harm or damage, damaging	Smoking is detrimental to your health.	επιβλαβής, επιζήμιος	20
1B	declining	adj	decreasing in the quality, quantity, or importance	The declining size of families	μειούμενος	20
1B	exposure	n	when someone is in a situation where they are not protected from something dangerous or unpleasant	Prolonged exposure to the sun can cause skin cancer.	έκθεση σε	20
1B	spectrum	n	a complete range of opinions, people, situations etc, going from one extreme to its opposite	The two articles here represent opposite ends of the spectrum.	φάσμα	20
1B	crush	n	a crowd of people pressed so close together that it is difficult for them to move	There's always such a crush on the train in the mornings.	συνωστισμός	20
1B	inherent	adj	a quality that is inherent in something is a natural part of it and cannot be separated from it	I'm afraid the problems you mention are inherent in the system.	έμφυτος	20
1B	soul	n	the special quality or part that gives something its true character	Basho's poems capture the true soul of old Japan.	ψυχή	10 / script
1B	wail	V	to make a long high sound	The wind wailed in the chimney.	σκούζω	16 / script
1B	tragedy	n	a serious play or book that ends sadly, especially with the death of the main character	'Hamlet' is one of Shakespeare's best known tragedies.	τραγωδία	21 / script
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1A	denouement	n	the exciting last part of a story or play	The plot takes us to Paris for the denouement of the story.	λύση	6
1A	careworn	adj	looking sad, worried, and tired	a careworn expression	γεμάτος σκοτούρες	6
1A	protagonist	n	the most important character in a play, film, or story, the main character	the main protagonists in the conflict	πρωταγωνιστής	6

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1A	in hot pursuit of	n phr	when someone tries to get, achieve, or find something in a determined way	People are having to move to other areas in pursuit of work.	προς αναζήτηση	6
1A	flare out	V	if a piece of clothing flares out, it becomes wider at one end	The dress flares out from the hips.	ανοίγω, προεξέχω	6
1A	corporeal	adj	relating to the body, rather than to the mind, feelings, or spirit, physical	corporeal desires	σαρκικός	6
1A	enduring	adj	continuing for a very long time	the enduring appeal of Shakespeare's plays	διαρκής	6
1A	the likes of	n phr	used to talk about people of a particular type	Information is collected through the likes of the FBI, CIA, and Scotland Yard.	τους ομοίους κάποιου	7
1A	grounding	n	a training in the basic parts of a subject or skill	A basic grounding in math is essential for the economics course.	βασική εκπαίδευση	7
1A	albeit	conj	used to add information that reduces the force or importance of what you have just said, although	He accepted the job, albeit with some hesitation.	αν και	7
1A	brag	V	to talk too proudly about what you have done, what you own etc - used to show disapproval, to boast	'I came out top in the test,' he bragged.	καυχιέμαι	7
1A	flaunt	V	to show your money, success, beauty etc so that other people notice it - used to show disapproval	The rich flaunted their wealth while the poor starved on the streets.	καμαρώνω	7
1A	tout	V	to try to persuade people to buy goods or services you are offering	Minicab drivers are not allowed to tout for business.	ζητώ πελάτες	7
1A	margin	n	the empty space at the side of a page	Someone had scribbled a note in the margin.	περιθώριο	7
1A	verge	n	to be at the point where something is about to happen	Jess seemed on the verge of tears.	πρόθυρα, χείλος	7
1A	fringe	n	if you have a fringe, your hair is cut so that it hangs down over your forehead, a decorative edge of hanging threads on a curtain, piece of clothing etc	a tall girl with straight brown hair and a fringe	φράντζα / κρόσσι	7
1A	rehabilitation	n	the act of offering help someone to live a healthy, useful, or active life again after they have been seriously ill or in prison	a special unit for the rehabilitation of stroke patients	επανένταξη, αποκατάσταση, αναμόρφωση	8
1A	double-sided perspective	phr	two different viewpoints of the same object or idea	The psychologist came out with a double-sided perspective.	διπλή προοπτική / άποψη	8
1A	attention span	n phr	the period of time during which you continue to be interested in something	Children often have a short attention span.	διάρκεια προσοχής	9

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1A	gripping	adj	a gripping film, story etc is very exciting and interesting	Collins' gripping detective novel	συναρπαστικός	9
1A	pick and choose	v phr	to choose only the best people or things, or only the ones that you really like	Come on, you haven't got time to pick and choose.	γίνομαι εκλεκτικός	10
1A	flunk	V	to fail a test	Tony flunked chemistry last semester.	αποτυγχάνω	10
1A	bust	V	if the police bust someone, they charge them with a crime	He was busted by U.S. inspectors at the border.	συλλαμβάνω	10
1A	raucous chuckle	n phr	unpleasant laughter	He burst into raucous laughter.	βραχνό, συγκρατημένο γέλιο	10
1A	glib response	n phr	an answer given easily and without thinking about everything involved	No one was convinced by the politician's glib response.	ετοιμόλογη απάντηση	10
1A	the shifting sands	n phr	if you refer to the shifting sands of a situation, you mean that it changes so often that it is difficult to deal with	I chose five songs to represent the shifting sands of pop music over time.	μεταβαλλόμενη (για κατάσταση)	10
1A	alluring	adj	mysterious, exciting, or desirable	the alluring magic of Hong Kong	σαγηνευτικός	10
1A	gladiatorial	adj	fighting against other men or wild animals as an entertainment in ancient Rome	gladiatorial combat	μονομαχία (ουσιαστικοποιημένο επιθ.)	10
1A	a running commentary	n phr	continuous description of something	We'll be bringing you a running commentary on the game between Notts and Brescia.	ζωντανός, συνεχής σχολιασμός	10
1B	bowl (me) over	phr	to surprise, please, or excite someone very much, to knock out	He was bowled over by her beauty.	κατανικώ	11
1B	rave reviews	n phr	reviews that praise a lot	The film opened to rave reviews.	διθυραμβικές κριτικές	11
1B	as a rule	phr	something that is normal or usually true	As a general rule most students finish their coursework by the end of May.	κατά κανόνα	11
1B	dabble with	V	to do something or be involved in something in a way that is not very serious	There are people who dabble with painting as a way of relaxing.	ανακατεύομαι με	11
1B	savvy	adj	someone who is savvy is clever and knows how to deal with situations successfully	savvy consumers	οξυδερκής	11
1B	over-subscribed	adj	if something is over-subscribed, too many people have said that they want to use it or have it	All good schools are oversubscribed.	υπερκαλυμμένος	11
1B	dilute	V	to make a liquid weaker by adding water or another liquid	diluted fruit juice	αραιώνω	11

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1B	initiative	n	the ability to make decisions and take action without waiting for someone to tell you what to do	Don't keep asking me for advice. Use your initiative.	πρωτοβουλία	12
1B	stamina	n	physical or mental strength that lets you continue doing something for a long time without getting tired	You need stamina to be a long-distance runner.	αντοχή	12
1B	conventions	n	behaviour and attitudes that most people in a society consider to be normal and right	Playing together teaches children social conventions such as sharing.	συμβάσεις, συνήθειες	12
1B	contortion	n	a twisted position or movement that looks surprising or strange	I could not force my body into the contortions required by classical ballet.	περιστροφή, σύσπαση	12
1B	confer	V	to discuss something with other people, so that everyone can express their opinions and decide on something	Franklin leant over and conferred with his attorneys.	συσκέπτομαι	12
1B	buckle	V	to become bent or curved because of heat or pressure, or to make something bend or curve in this way	The steel pillars began to buckle.	κάμπτομαι	12
1B	alight on	V	if a bird or insect alights on something, it stops flying and stands on it, to land	a bird alights on a tree	προσγειώνομαι	12
1B	bough	n	a main branch on a tree	a bird alights on a bough	κλαδί	12
1B	cheesy	adj	cheap and not of good quality	a cheesy soap opera	φθηνιάρικος	12
1B	spine	n	the row of bones down the centre of your back that supports your body and protects your	spinal cord	σπονδυλική στήλη	12
1B	falter	V	to become weaker and unable to continue in an effective way	The economy is showing signs of faltering.	παραπαίω	12
1B	verbal	adj	spoken rather than written	verbal abuse	λεκτικός, προφορικός	12
1B	meld	n	if two things meld, or if you meld them, they combine into one thing	He melded country music with blues to create rock and roll.	συγχωνεύω, συνενώνω, συνδυάζω	13
1B	hands-on experience	phr	doing something yourself rather than just talking about it or telling other people to do it	a chance to get some hands-on experience of the job	πρακτική εξάσκηση	13
1B	banter	V	to discuss friendly with people making a lot of jokes and amusing remarks about each other	I watched the guys as they bantered with the waitresses.	χαριτολογώ	13
1B	frenetic	adj	frenetic activity is fast and not very organized, frantic	She rushes from job to job at a frenetic pace.	φρενήρης	13

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1B	wind down	phr v	to rest and relax after a lot of hard work or excitement	I find it difficult to wind down after a day at work.	ηρεμώ, χαλαρώνω	13
1B	vibe	n	the good or bad feelings that a particular person, place, or situation seems to produce and that you react to	I have good vibes about this contract.	διάθεση	13
1B	siblings	n	a brother or sister	Most young smokers are influenced by their friends' and older siblings' smoking habits.	αδελφός ή αδελφή	16
1B	frame (in a comic)	n	an area of cartoon that contains one illustration, or one of the series of separate illustrations that make up a cartoon story or a comic strip	When reading a comic you have to imagine what happens between the frames.	καρέ (σε ιστορία κόμικς)	16
1B	ardent	adj	showing strong positive feelings about an activity and determination to succeed at it	an ardent supporter of free trade	ένθερμος, φλογερός	16

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2A	concept	n	an idea of how something is, or how something should be done	the concept of total patient care	έννοια, αρχική ιδέα	24
2A	concessions	n	the right to have a business in a particular place, especially in a place owned by someone else	The company owns valuable logging and mining concessions.	δικαιώματα	24
2A	dredge (sth) up	phr v	to pull something up from the bottom of a river, lake etc	The ship is designed for dredging mud and silt up from the sea floor.	ανασύρω από το βυθό	24
2A	ravage	V	to damage something very badly	His health was gradually ravaged by drink and drugs.	καταστρέφω, βλάπτω	24
2A	enmeshed	adj	very involved in an unpleasant or complicated situation	Congress worried about becoming enmeshed in a foreign war.	μπλεγμένος, μπερδεμένος	24
2A	clamour	n	a very loud noise made by a large group of people or animals	He shouted over the rising clamour of voices.	κατακραυγή	24
2A	tributary	n	a stream or river that flows into a larger river	The River Fleet is one of the many tributaries of the River Thames.	παραπόταμος	24
2A	resurgent	adj	growing and becoming more popular, after a period of quietness	resurgent fascism	αναδυόμενος	24
2A	indigenous	adj	indigenous people or things have always been in the place where they are, rather than being brought there from somewhere else	Blueberries are indigenous to America.	ιθαγενής	24
2A	logger	n	someone whose job is to cut down trees	One of the loggers was badly injured by a falling tree.	ξυλοκόπος	24
2A	slaughter	V	to kill a lot of people in a cruel or violent way	Hundreds of innocent civilians had been slaughtered by government troops.	σφάζω	24
2A	wan	adj	looking pale, weak, or tired	She gave a wan smile.	χλωμός, άτονος, ασθενικός	25
2A	hush	n	a period of silence, especially when people are expecting something to happen	A sudden hush fell over the crowd.	σιωπή	25
2A	back and forth	phr	going in one direction and then in the opposite direction, and repeating this several times	We travel back and forth all the time between Canada and England.	εμπρός και πίσω	25
2A	supremely	adv	extremely or to the greatest possible degree	a supremely talented player	εξαιρετικά, στον υπέρτατο βαθμό	25
2A	disruption	n	a situation in which something is prevented from continuing in its usual way	The strike caused widespread disruption.	αναστάτωση, διάσπαση, αποδιοργάνωση	25

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2A	seismic	adj	relating to or caused by earthquakes	increased seismic activity	σεισμικός	25
2A	inevitably	adv	used for saying that something is certain to happen and cannot be avoided	The decision will inevitably lead to political tensions.	αναπόφευκτα	25
2A	contamination	n	making a place or substance dirty or harmful by putting something such as chemicals or poison in it	radioactive contamination	μόλυνση	25
2A	encounter	n	an occasion when you meet someone, or do something with someone you do not know	She didn't remember our encounter last summer.	συνάντηση, επαφή	25
2A	immunity	n	the state or right of being protected from particular laws or from unpleasant things, the state of being immune to a disease	They were granted immunity from prosecution.	ασυλία, ανοσία	25
2A	rotting	adj	decaying by a gradual natural process, or making something do this	rotting woodwork	σάπισμα	25
2A	in their wake	prep phr	if something, especially something bad, happens in the wake of an event, it happens afterwards and usually as a result of it	Famine followed in the wake of the drought.	ως επακόλουθο, κατόπιν, μετά από	25
2A	untold	adj	used to emphasize how bad something is	The rumours will do untold damage to his reputation.	ανείπωτος	25
2A	have an impact on	v phr	the effect or influence that an event, situation etc has on someone or something	We need to assess the impact on climate change.	έχω αντίκτυπο σε	25
2A	veteran	n	someone who has been a soldier, sailor etc in a war, or someone who has had a lot of experience of a particular activity	a veteran of the Second World War	βετεράνος	25
2A	integration	n	the combining of two or more things so that they work together effectively	the integration of data from other surveys	ενσωμάτωση, ολοκλήρωση	25
2A	demoralising	adj	to reduce or destroy someone's courage or confidence	The illness demoralized him and recovery took several weeks.	αποθαρρυντικός	25
2A	fiasco	n	an event that is completely unsuccessful, in a way that is very embarrassing or disappointing	The first lecture I ever gave was a complete fiasco.	φιάσκο	25
2A	dispute	n	a serious argument or disagreement	The firm is involved in a legal dispute with a rival company.	διαφορά, διαφωνία	25
2A	circumscribe	v phr	to limit power, rights, or abilities	The President's power is circumscribed by Congress and the Supreme Court.	οριοθετώ, περιορίζω	25
2A	cinnamon	n	a sweet-smelling brown substance used for giving a special taste to cakes and other sweet foods	a cinnamon roll	κανέλλα	25

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2A	unprecedented	adj	never having happened before, or never having happened so much	Crime has increased on an unprecedented scale.	πρωτοφανής, πρωτόγνωρος	25
2A	fundamentals	n	the most important ideas, rules etc that something is based on	an introduction to the fundamentals of design and print production	οι βασικές αρχές	25
2A	incursion	n	a sudden attack into an area that belongs to other people	a combined British and French incursion into China in 1857	εισβολή	25
2A	acrimony	n	feelings of anger between people who disagree strongly and do not like each other	When a couple gets a divorce, there is usually a lot of acrimony between them.	πικρία	25
2A	curtail	V	to reduce or limit something	The new law will curtail police powers.	περιορίζω	25
2A	compromise	V	to reach an agreement in which everyone involved accepts less that what they wanted at first	She admitted that she was unable to compromise.	συμβιβάζω, συμβιβάζομαι	26
2A	integral	adj	forming a necessary part of something	Vegetables are an integral part of our diet.	αναπόσπαστος	27
2A	proposition	n	a statement that consists of a carefully considered opinion or judgment, an offer or suggestion, especially in business or politics	Most people accept the proposition that we have a duty to protect endangered animals.	πρόταση, δήλωση	27
2A	credit sb with sth	V	to believe or admit that someone has a quality, or has done something good	Evans is credited with inventing the system.	αποδίδω κάτι σε κάποιον, αναγνωρίζω	27
2A	assumption	n	something that you think is true although you have no definite proof	A lot of people make the assumption that poverty only exists in the Third World.	υπόθεση	28
2A	misinterpret	V	to not understand the correct meaning of something that someone says or does, or of facts that you are considering	Some parts of the report could be misinterpreted.	παρερμηνεύω	28
2A	frustration	n	the feeling of being annoyed, upset, or impatient, because you cannot control or change a situation, or achieve something	People often feel a sense of frustration that they are not being promoted quickly enough.	απογοήτευση	28
2A	elusive	adj	an elusive person or animal is difficult to find or not often seen	She managed to get an interview with that elusive man.	φευγαλέος	28
2A	encroachment	n	to gradually take more of someone's time, possessions, rights etc than you should	Bureaucratic power has encroached upon the freedom of the individual.	καταπάτηση	29
2A	translocation	n	movement of a species, by people, from one area to another	translocation of native species	μετατόπιση, μεταφορά	29

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2A	gaze	V	to look at someone or something for a long time, giving it all your attention, often without realizing you are doing so	Nell was still gazing out of the window.	ατενίζω, χαζεύω	30
2A	lush	adj	plants that are lush grow many leaves and look healthy and strong	The fields were lush with grass and flowers.	με πλούσια βλάστηση	30
2A	strut your stuff	v phr	to show your skill at doing something, especially dancing or performing	The band strutted their stuff in a free concert.	δείχνω τις ικανότητες μου	30
2A	savannah	n	a large flat area of grassy land, especially in Africa	Animals living in this part of the savannah are protected from poachers.	σαβάνα	30
2A	hover	V	if a bird, insect, or helicopter hovers, it stays in one place in the air	flies hovering above the surface of the water	φτερουγίζω, ίπταμαι	30
2A	crèche	n	a place where babies are looked after while their parents are at work / a model of the scene of Jesus Christ birth, placed in churches and homes at Christmas	A benefit to cover the expenses of the crèche for new parents will be provided by the company.	βρεφονηπιακός σταθμός / φάτνη	30
2A	grace	V	to make a place or an object to look more attractive	His portrait graces the wall of the drawing room.	κοσμώ	30
2A	culture	n	the beliefs, way of life, art, and customs that are shared and accepted by people in a particular society	In our culture, it is rude to ask someone how much they earn.	πολιτισμός	26 / script
2A	ping	V	to make a short high ringing sound	Just set the timer on the microwave and the bell will ping when it's finished.	σφυρίζω	27 / script
2A	portray	V	to describe or show someone or something in a particular way, according to your opinion of them	Romantic artists portrayed nature as wild and powerful.	απεικονίζω, περιγράφω	29 / script
2A	amplify	V	to increase the effects or strength of something	These stories only amplified her fears.	ενισχύω	30 / script
2A	part from	phr v	to separate from someone, or end a relationship with them	He has parted from his wife.	χωρίζω	31 / script
2B	on a regular basis	n phr	every day, week etc	I'm saving money on a regular basis.	σε τακτά χρονικά διαστήματα	31
2B	scramble over (sth)	v phr	to climb over something quickly and with difficulty, especially using your hands to help you	People scrambled over tables and chairs to get to the fire exit.	σκαρφαλώνω πάνω από κάτι	31
2B	teething problems	n	small problems that you have when you first start doing a new job or using a new system	Apart from a few minor teething problems, the new system is working smoothly.	αρχικές δυσχέρειες	31

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2B	straightforward	adj	simple and easy to understand	Installing the program is relatively straightforward.	απλός	31
2B	solidarity	n	loyalty and general agreement between all the people in a group, or between different groups, because they all have a shared aim	a gesture of solidarity	αλληλεγγύη	31
2B	dump	V	to put something somewhere in a careless untidy way	Merrill dumped her suitcase down in the hall.	παρατάω, αφήνω	31
2B	deterrent	n	something that makes someone less likely to do something, by making them realize it will be difficult or have bad results	Window locks are an effective deterrent against burglars.	αποτρεπτικό μέτρο	31
2B	fret	V	to worry about something, especially when there is no need	Don't fret – everything will be all right.	ανησυχώ	31
2B	tweak	V	to suddenly pull or twist something	She leant forward and tweaked both ends of his moustache.	στρίβω, τσιμπώ	31
2B	sneaky	adj	doing things in a secret and often dishonest or unfair way	a sneaky little trick	ύπουλος	31
2B	stalk	V	to follow a person or animal quietly in order to catch and attack or kill them	a tiger stalking its prey	ενεδρεύω, παραμονεύω	31
2B	yield	n	the amount of profits, crops, etc that something produces	The average milk yield per cow has doubled.	σοδειά, παραγωγή	32
2B	supplement	n	something that you add to something else to improve it or make it complete	vitamins and other dietary supplements	συμπλήρωμα	32
2B	graze	V	if an animal grazes, or if you graze it, it eats grass that is growing	Groups of cattle were grazing on the rich grass.	βόσκω	32
2B	culprit	n	the person who is guilty of a crime or doing something wrong	Police finally managed to catch the culprit.	ένοχος, φταίχτης	32
2B	resistance	n	a refusal to accept new ideas or changes	people's resistance to change	αντίσταση, αντοχή	32
2B	curb	V	to control or limit something in order to prevent it from having a harmful effect	measures to curb the spread of the virus	συγκρατώ, χαλιναγωγώ	32
2B	deforestation	n	the cutting or burning down of all the trees in an area	the deforestation of the tropics	αποψίλωση των δασών	33
2B	sustainable	adj	able to continue without causing damage to the environment	The government should do more to promote sustainable agriculture.	βιώσιμος	33
2B	die out	phr v	to disappear or stop existing completely	If their numbers keep falling, the animals are in danger of dying out completely.	εκλείπω	33

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2B	rehabilitate	V	to help someone to live a healthy, useful, or active life again after they have been seriously ill or in prison	a special unit for rehabilitating stroke patients	αποκαθιστώ, ανασυγκροτώ	34
2B	oil spill	n phr	when you spill something, or an amount of something that is spilled	the enormous oil spill off the southern tip of the Shetland Islands	πετρελαιοκηλίδα	34
2B	crucial	adj	something that is crucial is extremely important, because everything else depends on it	This aid money is crucial to the government's economic policies.	ζωτικής σημασίας, κρίσιμος	34
2B	proportion	n	a part of a number or amount, considered in relation to the whole	The proportion of women graduates has increased in recent years.	ποσοστό, αναλογία	35
2B	consign	V	to send something somewhere, especially in order to sell it	The goods consigned from the exporter will be shipped to your warehouse today.	παραδίδω, αποστέλλω	35
2B	advent	n	the time when something first begins to be widely used	the advent of the computer	έλευση	35
2B	discard	V	to get rid of something	Discard any old cleaning materials.	απορρίπτω, πετώ	35
2B	familiarise sb with	V	to learn about something so that you understand it, or to teach someone else about something so that they understand it	Employees must familiarise themselves with the health and safety manual.	εξοικειώνω, ενημερώνω	36
2B	munch	V	to eat something noisily	Barry sat munching on an apple.	μασουλάω	37
2B	roam	V	to walk or travel, usually for a long time, with no clear purpose or direction	The dogs are allowed to roam around.	περιφέρομαι, περιπλανώμαι	37
2B	blare	V	to make a very loud unpleasant noise	Horns blared in the street outside.	ηχώ, ουρλιάζω	37
2B	livestock	n	animals such as cows and sheep that are kept on a farm	Cows, chickens and hens were the main livestock in the farm.	κτηνοτροφία, ζώα φάρμας	37
2B	inhumane	adj	extremely cruel and causing unacceptable suffering	the inhumane treatment of political prisoners	απάνθρωπος, σκληρός	38
2B	crustacean	n	an animal such as a lobster or a crab that has a hard outer shell and several pairs of legs, and usually lives in water	Lobsters, crabs, and shrimps belong to the category of crustaceans.	οστρακόδερμο	38
2B	teem	V	to be very full of people or animals, all moving about	The island was teeming with tourists.	βρίθω από, αφθονώ	38
2B	sediment	n	solid substances that settle at the bottom of a liquid	a thick layer of sediment	ίζημα, κατακάθι	38
2B	entail	V	to involve something as a necessary part or result	A new computer system entails a lot of re-training.	απαιτώ, συνεπάγομαι	38
2B	coop	n	a building for small animals, especially chickens	A fox got into the coop and killed all the chickens.	κοτέτσι	33 / script

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2B	piece (sth) together	v phr	to put all the separate parts of an object into the correct order or position	Carefully following the instructions, he pieced the different parts of the model together.	συναρμολογώ	35 / script
2B	cut (sth) out	phr v	to stop doing or eating something, especially because it might be bad for your health	By cutting out sugar, he lost over 4 pounds in a month.	κόβω κάτι	36 / script
2B	hither and thither	phr	scattered around or happening in several different places	Coloured fish darted hither and thither.	εδώ κι εκεί	36 / script
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2A	implement	V	to take action or make changes that you have officially decided should happen	We have decided to implement the committee's recommendations in full.	εκτελώ, ενεργώ, παρέχω τα μέσα	17
2A	amend	V	to correct or make small changes to something that is written or spoken	The law was amended to include women.	τροποποιώ, διορθώνω	17
2A	obtain	V	to get something that you want, especially through your own effort, skill, or work	You will need to obtain permission from the principal.	αποκτώ, βρίσκω, προμηθεύομαι	17
2A	undergrowth	n	bushes, small trees, and other plants growing around and under bigger trees	The small animal charged off to the undergrowth to avoid being eaten by larger animals.	χαμηλή βλάστηση	17
2A	controversial	adj	causing a lot of disagreement, because many people have strong opinions about the subject being discussed	the controversial issue of welfare reform	αμφιλεγόμενος, επίμαχος	17
2A	empathy	n	the ability to understand other people's feelings and problems	She had great empathy with people.	συμπόνια, ενσυναίσθηση	17
2A	on a par with	prep phr	to be at the same level or standard	The wages of clerks were on a par with those of manual workers.	στο ίδιο επίπεδο με	17
2A	disrupt	V	to prevent something from continuing in its usual way by causing problems	Traffic was disrupted by a hoax bomb.	διασπώ, αναστατώνω	17
2A	ferment	V	if fruit, beer, wine etc ferments, or if it is fermented, the sugar in it changes to alcohol	fermented fruit juice	βράζω, προκαλώ ζύμωση	18
2A	net	adj	the net amount is the final amount that remains after all the other amounts have been taken away	The net profit (=after taxes, costs etc) was up 16.3% last month.	καθαρός, χωρίς έκπτωση, εκκαθαρισμένος	18
2A	emission	n	a gas or other substance that is sent into the air	Britain agreed to cut emissions of nitrogen oxide from power stations.	εκπομπή αερίων	18

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2A	arid	adj	arid land or an arid climate is very dry because it has very little rain	Water from the Great Lakes is pumped to arid regions.	άγονος, ξερός	19
2A	impinge on	V	to have a harmful effect on someone or something	Personal problems experienced by students may impinge on their work.	προσκρούω σε	19
2A	remnant	n	a small part of something that remains after the rest of it has been used, destroyed, or eaten	The remnants of a meal stood on the table.	απομεινάρι	19
2A	dwindling	adj	gradually becoming less and less or smaller and smaller	The elephant population is dwindling.	συρρικνούμενος	19
2A	refute	V	to prove that a statement or idea is not correct	an attempt to refute Darwin's theories	διαψεύδω, αντικρούω, ανασκευάζω	19
2A	communal	adj	shared by a group of people or animals, especially a group who live together, involving people from many different races, religions, or language groups	the worst communal violence in two years	κοινόχρηστος, κοινοτικός	19
2A	wind turbine	n	a modern windmill for providing electrical power	Many wind turbines were installed at the top of the hill to make use of the wind power.	ανεμογεννήτρια	19
2A	alleviate	V	to make something less painful or difficult to deal with	a new medicine to alleviate the symptoms of flu	ανακουφίζω, ελαφρύνω	20
2A	aggravate	V	to make a bad situation, an illness, or an injury worse	Their money problems were further aggravated by a rise in interest rates.	χειροτερεύω, ερεθίζω	20
2A	knock-on effect	n phr	to start a process in which everything that happens causes something else to happen	These price rises will have a knock-on effect on the economy.	αλυσιδωτή επίπτωση	20
2B	triviality	n	something that is not important at all,	Don't waste time on trivialities	κοινοτοπία, μηδαμινότητα	22
2B	comply	V	to do what you have to do or are asked to do	Failure to comply with the regulations will result in prosecution.	συμμορφώνομαι	22
2B	tentative	adj	not definite or certain, and may be changed later	The government is taking tentative steps towards tackling the country's economic problems.	δοκιμαστικός, δειλός, αβέβαιος	22
2B	indignant	adj	angry and surprised because you feel insulted or unfairly treated	Liz was indignant at the way her child had been treated.	αγανακτισμένος	22
2B	miasmic	adj	dirty air or a thick unpleasant mist that smells bad	He looked up at me through a miasmic cigarette smoke.	δύσοσμος, μιαρός	23

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2B	draconian	adj	very strict and cruel	draconian measures to control population growth	δρακόντειος, πολύ σκληρός και αυστηρός	23
2B	disproportionate	adj	too much or too little in relation to something else	the disproportionate amount of money being spent on defence	δυσανάλογος	23
2B	illicitly	adv	not allowed by laws or rules, or strongly disapproved of by society	illicit drugs	παράνομα	23
2B	protocol	n	a system of rules about the correct way to behave on an official occasion	a breach of diplomatic protocol	πρωτόκολλο	23
2B	transparent	adj	if something is transparent, you can see through it	a transparent plastic container	διαφανής, ολοφάνερος	23
2B	galling	adj	making you feel upset and angry because of something that is unfair	The most galling thing is that the guy who got promoted is less qualified than me.	ενοχλητικός	23
2B	delinquent	adj	behaving in a way that is illegal or that society does not approve of	delinquent girls/boys/children/teenagers	εγκληματικός, παραβατικός	23
2B	brandish	V	to wave something around in a dangerous or threatening way, especially a weapon	A man leapt out brandishing a kitchen knife.	κραδαίνω	23
2B	dodgy	adj	seeming to be false, dishonest, or not to be trusted, involving risk or danger	One girl thought the men looked dodgy.	αναξιόπιστος και ανέντιμος, επικίνδυνος	23
2B	landfill	n	a place where waste is buried under the ground	The locals vehemently opposed the development of a landfill in their area.	χώρος υγειονομικής ταφής απορριμάτων, χωματερή	23
2B	beyond the pale	prep phr	offensive or unacceptable	His opinions are entirely beyond the pale.	προσβλητικός ή απαράδεκτος	23
2B	anguish	n	mental or physical suffering caused by extreme pain or worry	the anguish of not knowing what had happened to her	αγωνία, οδύνη	23
2B	predator	n	an animal that kills and eats other animals	Lions are predators.	αρπακτικό	24
2B	scurry	V	to move quickly with short steps, especially because you are in a hurry	People were scurrying off to work.	σπεύδω, τρέχω	24
2B	formidable	adj	very powerful or impressive, and often frightening	The building is grey, formidable, not at all picturesque.	τρομερός	25

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2B	in bulk	prep phr	if you buy goods in bulk, you buy large amounts each time you buy them	People rushed to buy food in bulk because they feared they wouldn't find anything when a lockdown was announced.	μαζικά, χονδρικώς	25
2B	discount	n	a reduction in the usual price of something	Members get a 15% discount.	έκπτωση	25
2B	in close proximity	n phr	nearness in distance or time	A house in close proximity to the subway station is ideal.	κοντά	26
2B	on the brink of	prep phr	a situation when you are almost in a new situation, usually a bad one	In October 1962 the world seemed on the brink of nuclear war.	στα πρόθυρα	26
2B	ostensibly	adv	if something is ostensibly true, people say that it is true but it is not really true	She stayed behind at the office, ostensibly to work.	φαινομενικά	27
2B	on loan	prep phr	if something or someone is on loan, they have been borrowed	The book I wanted was out on loan.	το έχει δανειστεί κάποιος	27
2B	fault	V	to criticize someone or something for a mistake	The judge cannot be faulted on his decision.	ψέγω, μέμφομαι	27

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Lead- in	exasperating	adj	extremely annoying	You have this exasperating habit of never looking at me!	εξοργιστικός	39
Lead- in	manipulative	adj	clever at controlling or deceiving people to get what you want - used in order to show disapproval	She was sly, selfish, and manipulative.	χειριστικός	39
Lead- in	indecision	n	the state of being unable to decide what to do	There were weeks of indecision about who would go and when.	αναποφασιστικότητα	39
Lead- in	resolve	V	to find a satisfactory way of dealing with a problem or difficulty	The crisis was resolved by negotiations.	επιλύω	39
3A	irrespective of	adv	used when saying that a particular fact has no effect on a situation and is not important	The course is open to anyone, irrespective of age.	ανεξάρτητα από	40
3A	accessible	adj	easy to obtain or use	the need for a health service that is accessible to all	προσβάσιμος	40
3A	exponent	n	an exponent of an idea, belief etc tries to explain it and persuade others that it is good or useful	a leading exponent of desktop publishing	δείκτης, εκθέτης	40
3A	unfulfilled	adj	an unfulfilled hope, desire, dream etc has not been achieved	His dream of competing in the Olympics remained unfulfilled.	ανεκπλήρωτος, απραγματοποίητος	40
3A	credible	adj	deserving or able to be believed or trusted	He was unable to give a credible explanation for his behaviour.	πιστευτός, αξιόπιστος	40
3A	fabrication	n	a piece of information or story that someone has invented in order to deceive people	Of course, it might all be complete fabrication.	κατασκεύασμα	40
3A	proncement	n	an official public statement	the Pope's last proncement on birth control	διακήρυξη	40
3A	fallacy	n	a false idea or belief, especially one that a lot of people believe is true	It's a common fallacy that a neutered dog will become fat and lazy.	πλάνη	40
3A	misconception	n	an idea which is wrong or untrue, but which people believe because they do not understand the subject properly	There is a popular misconception that too much exercise is bad for you.	παρανόηση	40
ЗА	perspective	n	a way of thinking about something, especially one which is influenced by the type of person you are or by your experiences	His father's death gave him a whole new perspective on life.	οπτική γωνία, προοπτική	40
ЗА	jargon	n	words and expressions used in a particular profession or by a particular group of people, which are difficult for other people to understand – often used to show disapproval	documents full of legal jargon	ορολογία	40
3A	prose	n	written language in its usual form, as opposed to poetry	a volume of Shelley's poetry and prose	πεζός λόγος	40

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3A	advocate	V	to publicly support a particular way of doing something	Extremists were openly advocating violence.	υποστηρίζω	40
3A	solace	n	a feeling of emotional comfort at a time of great sadness or disappointment	After the death of her son, Val found solace in the church.	παρηγοριά	40
3A	premise	n	a statement or idea that you accept as true and use as a base for developing other ideas	The idea that there is life on other planets is the central premise of the novel.	υπόθεση, θέμα	40
3A	objective	adj	based on facts, or making a decision that is based on facts rather than on your feelings or beliefs	It's hard to give an objective opinion about your own children.	αντικειμενικός	40
3A	proponent	n	someone who supports something or persuades people to do something	Steinem has always been a strong proponent of women's rights.	υπερασπιστής	41
3A	hackneyed	adj	a hackneyed phrase is boring and does not have much meaning because it has been used so often	The plot of the film was so uninteresting and full of hackneyed ideas.	τετριμμένος	41
3A	nurture	V	to help a plan, idea, feeling etc to develop, to feed and take care of a child or a plant while it is growing	European union is an ideal that has been nurtured since the post-war years.	γαλουχώ, καλλιεργώ μια ιδέα	41
3A	masquerade as	V	to pretend to be something or someone different	A number of police officers masqueraded as demonstrators.	μεταμφιέζομαι	41
3A	legitimate	adj	fair or reasonable, acceptable or allowed by law	That's a perfectly legitimate question.	θεμιτός, νόμιμος	41
3A	scrutiny	n	careful and thorough examination of someone or something	Their activities have come under police scrutiny.	εξονυχιστικός έλεγχος	41
3A	primarily	adv	mainly	The advertisement is aimed primarily at children.	κυρίως	41
3A	derive from	V	to develop or come from something else	This word is derived from Latin.	προέρχομαι από	41
3A	questionable	adj	not likely to be true or correct	The statistics are highly questionable.	αμφισβητήσιμος	41
3A	unassailable	adj	not able to be criticized, made weaker, or beaten	an unassailable argument	απρόσβλητος	41
3A	assertion	n	something that you say or write that you strongly believe	the assertion that house prices are falling	ισχυρισμός	41
3A	suppress	V	to stop people from opposing the government, especially by using force	The uprising was ruthlessly suppressed.	καταστέλλω	41
3A	aside	n	a remark or story that is not part of the main subject of a speech	I should add, as an aside, that the younger the child, the faster they learn.	(τυχαία) παρατήρηση	41

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ЗА	guarantor	n	someone who promises to pay a debt if the person who should pay it does not	Erin's sister was the guarantor for her car loan.	εγγυητής	41
3A	sanity	n	the condition of being mentally healthy	I began to doubt his sanity.	πνευματική υγεία	41
ЗА	prone to	adj	likely to do something or suffer from something, especially something bad or harmful	Some plants are very prone to disease.	επιρρεπής σε	41
3A	niggling	adj	a slight doubt etc that you cannot stop thinking about	niggling suspicion	ασήμαντος	41
3A	surmountable	adj	a problem or difficulty that can be dealt with successfully	They didn't believe they'd make it, but in the end their problems were surmountable.	βατός	41
ЗА	aggravating	adj	making a bad situation, an illness, or an injury worse	an aggravating pain	επιβαρυντικός, ενοχλητικός	41
ЗА	counsel	n	a type of lawyer who represents you in court	The judge asked the defence counsel to explain.	συνήγορος	41
ЗА	paradox	n	a situation that seems strange because it involves two ideas or qualities that are very different	It's a paradox that in such a rich country there can be so much poverty.	παράδοξο	41
ЗА	illuminate	V	to make a light shine on something, or to fill a place with light	A single candle illuminated his face.	φωτίζω, διαφωτίζω	41
ЗА	crippling	adj	causing so much damage or harm that something no longer works or is no longer effective	the crippling effects of war on the economy	παραλυτικός, βλαβερός	41
ЗА	address	V	if you address a problem, you start trying to solve it, to speak to someone directly	Our products address the needs of real users.	απευθύνομαι, προσφωνώ	41
3A	given (that)	prep	taking something into account	Given that the patients have some disabilities, we still try to enable them to be as independent as possible.	δεδομένου ότι	41
3A	succumb (to)	V	to stop opposing someone or something that is stronger than you, and allow them to take control	Succumbing to pressure from the chemical industry, Governor Blakely amended the regulations.	υποκύπτω σε	41
ЗА	face-to-face	adj	a face-to-face meeting, conversation etc is one where you are with another person and talking to them	a face-to-face interview	πρόσωπο με πρόσωπο	42
ЗА	digestion	n	the process of digesting food	Too much tea is bad for your digestion.	πέψη	43
ЗА	indifferent to	adj	not at all interested in someone or something	Sarah was absolutely indifferent to him, and it hurt.	αδιάφορος απέναντι σε	44

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3A	confront	V	to deal with something very difficult or unpleasant in a brave and determined way	We try to help people confront their problems.	αντιμετωπίζω	44
3A	retention	n	the act of keeping something, the ability to keep something in your memory	I have a real problem with retention of information.	διατήρηση / μνημονικό	44
3A	seemingly	adv	appearing to have a particular quality, when this may or may not be true	seemingly unrelated bits of information	φαινομενικά	44
3A	altruism	n	when you care about or help other people, even though this brings no advantage to yourself	Many choose to work in developing countries out of altruism.	αλτρουισμός, αγάπη για τον συνάνθρωπο	45
3A	perceived	adj	something or someone understood or thought of in a particular way	Many sugars and fats are hidden in commonly perceived healthy foods.	αντιληπτός	45
3A	coin	V	to invent a new word or expression, especially one that many people start to use	The word 'aromatherapy' was coined in the 1920s.	επινοώ	45
3A	centrepiece	n	the most important, noticeable, or attractive part of something	The centrepiece of Bevan's policy was the National Health Service.	το πιο σημαντικό σημείο, μέρος	45
3A	fuel	V	to make something, especially something bad, increase or become stronger	His words fuelled her anger still more.	πυροδοτώ, ρίχνω λάδι στη φωτιά	45
3A	akin to	adj	very similar to something	Something akin to panic overwhelmed him.	συγγενής προς, παρόμοιος με	46
3A	adversity	n	a situation in which you have a lot of problems that seem to be caused by bad luck	his courage in the face of adversity	αντιξοότητα	46
3A	be deprived of	v phr	not having the things that are necessary for a comfortable or happy life	Deprived children tend to do less well at school.	στερημένος από	46
3A	plummet	V	to suddenly and quickly decrease in value or amount	Profits plummeted from £49 million to £11 million.	κατρακυλώ	46
3A	ineffectual	adj	not having the ability, confidence, or personal authority to get things done	an ineffectual leader	αναποτελεσματικός	46
3A	self-sufficiency	n	the ability to provide all the things you need without help from other people	There is a trend towards self-sufficiency with more and more people growing their own vegetables.	αυτάρκεια	40 / script
3A	phenomenon	n	something that happens or exists in society, science, or nature, especially something that is studied because it is difficult to understand	Homelessness is not a new phenomenon.	φαινόμενο	40 / script

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ЗА	to a fault	phr	extremely generous, kind etc	Barry's kind, caring and generous to a fault.	υπερβολικά	41/ script
ЗА	conscientious	adj	careful to do everything that it is your job or duty to do	a conscientious and hard-working student	ευσυνείδητος	41/ script
ЗА	confrontational	adj	likely to cause arguments or make people angry	a confrontational style of management	συγκρουσιακός, επιθετικός	42/ script
ЗА	peer group	n	a group of people, especially people who are the same age, social class etc as yourself	the TV shows that are popular with his peer group	ομάδα συνομηλίκων	42/ script
3B	buy into (sth)	phr v	to accept that an idea is right and allow it to influence you	People have generally bought into the idea of recycling.	πιστεύω κάτι, το χάβω	47
3B	grumpiness	n	the state of being bad-tempered and easily annoyed	His grumpiness seemed to get worse as he got older.	βλοσυρότητα, κακοκεφιά	47
3B	reap benefits	V	to get something, especially something good, as a result of what you have done	Those who took the financial risk reaped the benefits.	αποκομίζω οφέλη	47
3B	downward spiral	n phr	a process, usually a harmful one, in which something gradually but continuously gets worse or better	He was caught in a downward spiral of debt that ended in bankruptcy.	καθοδική πορεία	47
3B	practitioner	n	someone who works as a doctor or a lawyer	a practitioner of alternative medicine	επαγγελματίας	47
3B	intimidating	adj	making you feel worried and not confident	Some people find interview situations very intimidating.	τρομακτικός	47
3B	dispel	V	to make something go away, especially a belief, idea, or feeling	We want to dispel the myth that you cannot eat well in Britain.	διαλύω	47
3B	reticence	n	an unwillingness to talk about what you feel or what you know	The dotors are not surprised by Gwen's reticence to talk about her ordeal.	απροθυμία, διστακτικότητα	47
3B	sufficient	adj	as much as is needed for a particular purpose	We can only prosecute if there is sufficient evidence.	επαρκής	47
3B	detrimental	adj	causing harm or damage	the detrimental effect of pollution on the environment	επιβλαβής	48
3B	exclusive	adj	available or belonging only to particular people, and not shared	Our figure skating club has exclusive use of the rink on Mondays.	αποκλειστικός	48
3B	privileged	adj	having advantages because of your wealth, social position etc	Students from a privileged background have an advantage at university.	προνομιούχος	48
3B	uplifting	adj	making you feel happier and more hopeful	an uplifting experience	ενθαρρυντικός, εμπνευστικός	48

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3B	unwind	V	to relax and stop feeling anxious	a beautiful country hotel that is the perfect place to unwind	χαλαρώνω	48
3B	intrusion	n	when someone does something or something happens that affects your private life or activities in an unwanted way	I resented this intrusion into my domestic affairs.	εισβολή	50
3B	blunt	adj	speaking in an honest way even if this upsets people	To be blunt, many of the candidates cannot read or write.	απότομος, ωμός	50
3B	sneak around	V	to go somewhere secretly and quietly in order to avoid being seen or heard	She snuck around the house once her parents were asleep.	τριγυρνώ κρυφά	50
3B	antisocial	adj	antisocial behaviour is violent or harmful to other people, or shows that you do not care about other people	She was finding it hard to cope with her son's increasingly antisocial behaviour.	αντικοινωνικός	51
3B	tireless	adj	working very hard in a determined way without stopping	the tireless efforts of the rescue workers	ακούραστος	51
3B	drowsiness	n	the feeling of tiredness and being almost asleep	Right after lunch I always get an intense feeling of drowsiness.	υπνηλία	52
3B	chronic	adj	a chronic problem is one that continues for a long time and cannot easily be solved	There is a chronic shortage of teachers.	χρόνιος	52
3B	infuriating	adj	very annoying	The infuriating thing is that he is always right.	εξοργιστικός	54
3B	contagious	adj	if a feeling, attitude, or action is contagious, other people are quickly affected by it and begin to have it or do it	her contagious enthusiasm	μεταδοτικός	47 / script
3B	essential oil	n	an oil from a plant that has a strong smell and is used for making perfume or in aromatherapy	essential oils of citrus fruits	αιθέριο έλαιο	47 / script
3B	meditation	n	the practice of emptying your mind of thoughts and feelings, in order to relax completely or for religious reasons	Yoga involves breathing exercises, stretching, and meditation.	διαλογισμός	48 / script
3B	shut (sth) out	phr v	to stop yourself from thinking about or noticing something, so that you are not affected by it	She could not shut out the memory of that awful night, however hard she tried.	αποκλείω, αγνοώ	54 / script
3B	benefit	V	if you benefit from something, or it benefits you, it gives you an advantage, improves your life, or helps you in some way	Many thousands have benefited from the new treatment.	επωφελούμαι	62 / script

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3A	assertivess training	n phr	training to behave in a confident way, so that people notice you	Assertiveness training can be helpful for timid and shy people.	εκπαίδευση αυτοπεποίθησης	28
3A	authoritarian	adj	strictly forcing people to obey a set of rules or laws, especially ones that are wrong or unfair	an authoritarian government	απολυταρχικός	28
3A	raise awareness of / about	v phr	improve people's knowledge	Health officials have tried to raise awareness about AIDS.	ευαισθητοποιώ	28
3A	intuition	n	the ability to understand or know something because of a feeling rather than by considering the facts	Intuition told her it was unwise to argue.	διαίσθηση	30
3A	ensure	V	to make certain that something will happen properly	facilities to ensure the safety of cyclists	διασφαλίζω, εξασφαλίζω	30
3A	behind your back	prep phr	if you do something behind someone's back, you do it without them knowing	I don't like the idea of the two of them talking about me behind my back.	κρυφά, πίσω από την πλάτη κάποιου	30
3A	arise	V	if a problem or difficult situation arises, it begins to happen	A crisis has arisen in the Foreign Office.	προκύπτω	30
3A	gene	n	a part of a cell in a living thing that controls what it looks like, how it grows, and how it develops. People get their genes from their parents	human genes	γονίδιο	31
3A	obscure	adj	not well known and usually not very important	The details of his life remain obscure.	ασαφής	31
3A	define yourself as	v phr	to describe yourself correctly and thoroughly, and to say what standards, limits, qualities etc you have that make you different from others	Nowadays there are people who define themselves as non-binary.	αυτοπροσδιορίζομαι	32
3A	imbalance	n	a lack of a fair or correct balance between two things, which results in problems or unfairness	The government must redress the imbalance (=put it right) in spending on black and white children.	ανισότητα, ανισορροπία	32
3A	inappropriate	adj	not suitable or right for a particular purpose or in a particular situation	His comments were wholly inappropriate on such a solemn occasion.	ακατάλληλος	32
3A	eradicate	V	to completely get rid of something such as a disease or a social problem	We can eradicate this disease from the world.	εξαλείφω	32
3B	catharsis	n	the act or process of removing strong or violent emotions by expressing them through writing, talking, acting etc	Music is a means of catharsis for me.	κάθαρση	33
3B	insomnia	n	if you suffer from insomnia, you are not able to sleep	He suffers from chronic insomnia and cannot sleep at night more than a couple of hours.	αϋπνία	33

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3B	autistic	adj	a person who suffers from a mental disorder (=problem) that makes him / her unable to communicate properly, or to form relationships	Most autistic people are very sensitive to noise.	αυτιστικός	34
3B	mnemonic	n	something such as a poem or a sentence that you use to help you remember a rule, a name etc	a mnemonic aid	μνημονικό	34
3B	seizure	n	a sudden condition in which someone cannot control the movements of their body, which continues for a short time	He had an epileptic seizure.	κρίση	34
3B	stroke	n	if someone has a stroke, an artery (=tube carrying blood) in their brain suddenly bursts or becomes blocked, so that they may die or be unable to use some muscles	She died following a massive stroke.	εγκεφαλικό	34
3B	fleeting	adj	lasting for only a short time	a fleeting smile	φευγαλέος	34
3B	at face value	prep phr	to accept someone or something just as it appears; to believe that the way things appear is the way they really are.	Once we read something online, we shouldn't always take it at face value.	όπως ακριβώς είναι, ως έχει	34
3B	hone	V	to improve your skill at doing something, especially when you are already very good at it	He set about honing his skills as a draughtsman.	ακονίζω	34
3B	dead on	adj phr	exactly right; on target	You were dead on advising us not to proceed with the purchase of the property.	ακριβής, εύστοχος	34
3B	impaired	adj	damaged, less strong, or not as good as before	visually/hearing/mentally etc impaired	άτομα με προβλήματα (όρασης, ακοής κλπ)	34
3B	anew	adv	to begin a different job, start to live in a different place etc, especially after a difficult period in your life	I was ready to leave everything behind and start anew in California.	εκ νέου	34
3B	outrageous	adj	very shocking and extremely unfair or offensive	outrageous prices	εξωφρενικός	34
3B	concede	V	to admit that something is true or correct, although you wish it were not true	'That's the only possible solution.' 'Yes, I suppose so,' Charles conceded.	παραδέχομαι	34
3B	enhanced	adj	improved or better	enhanced access to information	ενισχύω, βελτιώνω	34
3B	torment	V	to make someone suffer a lot, especially mentally	Seth was tormented by feelings of guilt.	βασανίζω	34
3B	semantic	adj	relating to the meanings of words	a semantic field	σημασιολογικός	34
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3B	savant	n	someone who has mental problems and may have lower intelligence than average, but who can do one thing very well, such as adding numbers very quickly	an autistic savant	άτομο που φέρει μια διανοητική αναπηρία σε συνδυασμό με μια εξαιρετική διανοητική ικανότητα (Σύνδρομο του Σαβάντ)	35
3B	misguided	adj	a misguided idea or opinion is wrong because it is based on a wrong understanding of a situation	His parents still clung to the misguided belief that his common sense would keep him out of serious trouble.	εσφαλμένος, παραπλανητικός	35
3B	reinforce	V	to give support to an opinion, idea, or feeling, and make it stronger	The film reinforces the idea that women should be pretty and dumb.	ενισχύω, υποστηρίζω	35
3B	conjure up	phr v	to bring a thought, picture, idea, or memory to someone's mind	Dieting always seems to conjure up images of endless salads.	πλάθω, αναπολώ	35
3B	slump	V	to fall or lean against something because you are not strong enough to stand	She slumped against the wall.	σωριάζομαι, καταπίπτω	36
3B	aligned	adj	things arranged so that they form a line or are parallel to each other, or in a position that forms a line etc	This policy is closely aligned with the goals of the organization.	ευθυγραμμισμένος	36
3B	devastated	adj	feeling extremely shocked and sad	She was left feeling totally devastated.	συντετριμμένος	36
3B	assimilate	V	to completely understand and begin to use new ideas, information etc	It will take time to assimilate all these facts.	αφομοιώνω	38
3B	cram	V	to force something into a small space	Jill crammed her clothes into the bag.	παραγεμίζω, στριμώχνω	38
3B	inconclusive	adj	not leading to a clear decision or result	The evidence against the two men was inconclusive.	ασαφής	38
3B	attention span	n phr	the period of time during which you continue to be interested in something	Children often have a short attention span.	διάρκεια προσοχής	38
3B	adverse	adj	not good or favourable	They fear it could have an adverse effect on global financial markets.	δυσμενής	38

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4A	blessed	V	to be fortunate that something is the case	We were blessed with fine weather for the whole week.	ευλογημένος, τυχερός	56
4A	take precedence	v phr	when someone or something is considered to be more important than someone or something else, and therefore comes first or must be dealt with first	Guests were seated in order of precedence.	έχω προτεραιότητα	56
4A	crouch	V	to lower your body close to the ground by bending your knees completely	He crouched in the shadows near the doorway.	σκύβω κάτω	56
4A	erode	V	to gradually reduce something such as someone's power or confidence	Repeated exam failure had eroded her confidence.	διαβρώνω	56
4A	obsession	n	an extreme unhealthy interest in something or worry about something, which stops you from thinking about anything else	Gambling became an obsession, and he eventually lost everything.	εμμονή	56
4A	permeate	V	if ideas, beliefs, emotions etc permeate something, they are present in every part of it	An emotional intensity permeates every one of O'Connor's songs.	εμποτίζω	56
4A	impulse	n	a sudden strong desire to do something without thinking about whether it is a sensible thing to do	Marge's first impulse was to run.	παρόρμηση	56
4A	reinforcement	n	the act of making something stronger	The bridge needs some structural reinforcement.	ενίσχυση	56
4A	fallible	adj	able to make mistakes or be wrong	These surveys are often a rather fallible guide to public opinion.	σφαλερός, που μπορεί να κάνει λάθος	56
4A	mundane	adj	ordinary and not interesting or exciting	The mundane task of setting the table can be fun on holidays.	κοινότυπος, βαρετός	56
4A	habitually	adv	usually or by habit	I'm the type of person who habitually checks their email every morning.	συνήθως	57
4A	feel compelled to do sth	v phr	to have the strong feeling that you must do something	He felt compelled to tell her the truth.	αισθάνομαι υποχρεωμένος να κάνω κάτι	57
4A	exterior	adj	coming from or relating to facts, situations etc other than the one you are considering	information that is exterior to the text itself	εξωτερικός	57
4A	incessant	adj	continuing without stopping	incessant rain	αδιάκοπος, ακατάπαυστος	57
4A	golden opportunity	n phr	a chance to do something or an occasion when it is easy for you to do something	a rare opportunity to see inside this historic building	χρυσή ευκαιρία	59

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4A	conventional	adj	a conventional method, product, practice etc has been used for a long time and is considered the usual type	Internet connections through conventional phone lines are fairly slow.	συνηθισμένος, συμβατικός	59
4A	pin number	n phr	personal identification number, a number that you use when you get money from a machine using a plastic card	PINs are used in banking but are also used in other, non-financial systems.	αριθμός ΡΙΝ	59
4A	underestimate	V	to think or guess that something is smaller, cheaper, easier etc than it really is	We underestimated how long it would take to get there.	υποτιμώ	60
4A	overcomplicate	V	make something more complicated than necessary.	The basic idea is quite simple, but some people tend to overcomplicate it.	περιπλέκω, μπερδεύω υπερβολικά	60
4A	co-ordinated	adj	organised activity so that the people involved in it work well together and achieve a good result	a co-ordinated approach to economic and social questions	συντονισμένος	60
4A	unfounded	adj	unfounded statements, feelings, opinions etc are wrong because they are not based on facts	Unfounded rumours began circulating that lan and Susan were having an affair.	αβάσιμος, αθεμελίωτος	60
4A	code of (business) conduct	phr	the way someone behaves, especially in public, in their job etc	the Law Society's Code of Professional Conduct	κώδικας (επαγγελματικής) συμπεριφοράς	60
4A	be inclined to	phr	to hold a particular opinion, but not very strongly	Arthur has some strange ideas, but on this occasion I'm inclined to agree with him.	είμαι διατεθειμένος να	60
4A	indiscretion	n	an action or remark that shows a lack of good judgment, especially one that is morally unacceptable	Earl describes his past links with the racist group as a youthful indiscretion.	απερισκεψία, ατασθαλία / αδιακρισία	60
4A	to raise eyebrows	v phr	if something raises eyebrows, it surprises people	This decision raised a few eyebrows.	παραξενεύομαι	64 / script
4A	viable	adj	a viable idea, plan, or method can work successfully	The committee came forward with one viable solution.	εφικτός	64 / script
4A	slick	adj	if something is slick, it is done in a skilful and attractive way and seems expensive, but it often contains no important or interesting ideas	The presentation was very slick.	επιδέξιος, επιτήδειος	65 / script
4A	go viral	phr	if a picture, video, joke etc goes viral, it spreads widely, especially on the Internet or mobile phones	The video went viral on YouTube, where it had over a million hits in 24 hours.	εξαπλώνομαι γρήγορα	66 / script
4A	derogatory	adj	derogatory remarks, attitudes etc are insulting and disapproving	Their conversation contained a number of derogatory racial remarks.	υποτιμητικός	66 / script

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4B	diehard	adj	resisting change and refusing to accept new ideas	Diehard conservatives remain opposed to the president's health care reforms.	σκληροπυρηνικός, αδιάλλακτος	63
4B	be up to speed with (sth)	v phr	having the latest information or knowledge about something	Some school officials are only now getting up to speed regarding computers.	ενημερώνομαι για κάτι	63
4B	think 'outside the box'	v phr	to think of new, different, or unusual ways of doing something, especially in business	If we try to think outside the box, we might find a better solution.	σκέφτομαι αντισυμβατικά, εκτός της πεπατημένης	63
4B	initiative	n	an important new plan or process to achieve a particular aim or to solve a particular problem	a government initiative to help exporters	πρωτοβουλία	63
4B	constraint	n	something that limits your freedom to do what you want	Constraints on spending have forced the company to rethink its plans.	περιορισμός	63
4B	collaboration	n	when you work together with another person or group to achieve something, especially in science or art	The company is building the centre in collaboration with the Institute of Offshore Engineering.	συνεργασία	63
4B	sponsor	V	to give money to a sports event, theatre, organization etc, often in exchange for the right to advertise	The club is sponsored by Emirates Airline.	χρηματοδοτώ, επιχορηγώ	63
4B	tinker	V	to make small changes to something in order to repair it or make it work better	Congress has been tinkering with the legislation.	μαστορεύω	63
4B	stifle	V	to stop something from happening or developing	rules and regulations that stifle innovation	καταπνίγω	63
4B	barrier	n	a rule, problem etc that prevents people from doing something, or limits what they can do	Problems with childcare remain the biggest barrier to women succeeding at work.	εμπόδιο	63
4B	impede	V	to make it difficult for someone or something to move forward or make progress	Storms at sea impeded our progress.	εμποδίζω, παρακωλύω	63
4B	impetus	n	an influence that makes something happen or makes it happen more quickly	The report may provide further impetus for reform.	κίνητρο, ερέθισμα	63
4B	cast (new) light on	v phr	to provide new information about something, making it easier to understand	Recent research findings cast new light on the origin of our universe.	ρίχνω φως, παρέχω νέες πληροφορίες	63
4B	censorship	n	the practice or system of censoring something	censorship of books	λογοκρισία	64
4B	controversy	n	a serious argument about something that involves many people and continues for a long time	a political controversy	αντιπαράθεση, διαμάχη	64

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4B	bias	n	an opinion about whether a person, group, or idea is good or bad which influences how you deal with it	political bias in the press	προκατάληψη	64
4B	objectivity	n	the quality of being objective	The newspaper article lacked any objectivity.	αντικειμενικότητα	64
4B	be accustomed to (sth)	v phr	to be familiar with something and accept it as normal	We were accustomed to working together.	είμαι συνηθισμένος σε	64
4B	illicit	adj	not allowed by laws or rules, or strongly disapproved of by society	illicit drugs	παράνομος	64
4B	be subject to	phr	if someone or something is subject to something, especially something bad, it is possible or likely that they will be affected by it	Prices are subject to change.	υπόκειμαι σε	64
4B	provoke	V	to cause a reaction or feeling, especially a sudden one	The novel has provoked fierce debate in the US.	προκαλώ	64
4B	broadsheet (newspaper)	n phr	a newspaper printed on large sheets of paper, especially a serious newspaper	Nowadays, many broadsheets are going digital.	εφημερίδα μεγάλου μεγέθους, σοβαρού περιεχομένου	65
4B	act as a vehicle for	v phr	something you use to express and spread your ideas, opinions etc	The 1936 Olympics were used as a vehicle for Nazi propaganda.	λειτουργώ ως μέσο, όχημα κάποιου	65
4B	mutation	n	a change in the genetic structure of an animal or plant that makes it different from others of the same kind	Any mutation in the gene increases the risk of developing the disease.	μετάλλαξη	66
4B	hard drive	n phr	the part of a computer where information and programs are stored, consisting of hard disks and the electronic equipment that reads what is stored on them	After his arrest, the police went through his computer hard drive to find evidence of his criminal activity.	σκληρός δίσκος υπολογιστή	66
4B	establish	V	to start a company, organization, system, etc that is intended to exist or continue for a long time, to found	Our goal is to establish a new research centre in the North.	ιδρύω, εγκαθιστώ, συστήνω	67
4B	lend weight to (sth)	phr v	to make an opinion or belief seem more likely to be correct.	The evidence from the latest studies lends weight to the theory.	δίνω βάρος σε κάτι	67
4B	premises	n	the buildings and land that a shop, restaurant, company etc uses	Schools may earn extra money by renting out their premises.	εγκαταστάσεις εταιριών, γραφείων κλπ	69
4B	incompetent	adj	not having the ability or skill to do a job properly	weak, incompetent leadership	ανίκανος, ακατάλληλος, ανεπαρκής	70

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4B	sift through	v phr	to examine information, documents etc carefully in order to find something out or decide what is important and what is not	Police are sifting through the evidence.	περνώ από κόσκινο, ερευνώ με προσοχή	70
4B	prioritise	V	to put several things, problems etc in order of importance, so that you can deal with the most important ones first	You need to prioritise your tasks.	βάζω προτεραιότητες	70
4B	weed out	phr v	to get rid of people or things that are not very good	The research will help governments to weed out ineffective aid schemes.	ξεκαθαρίζω, ξεριζώνω	70
4B	enthusiast	n	someone who is very interested in a particular activity or subject	a keep-fit enthusiast	λάτρης, θιασώτης	69 / script
4B	return	n	the amount of profit that you get from something	The markets are showing extremely poor returns.	επιστροφή	71 / script
4B	polymath	n	someone who has a lot of knowledge about many different subjects	The French polymath Pascal excelled in many disciplines.	πολυμαθής	73 / script
4B	bias	n	a tendency to prefer or be interested one type of thing more than something else	Lydia has a strong artistic bias.	κλίση, προτίμηση	75 / script
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4A	conservative	adj	not liking changes or new ideas	conservative views	συντηρητικός	39
4A	reflect	V	if a person or a thing is reflected in a mirror, glass, or water, you can see an image of the person or thing on the surface of the mirror, glass, or water	She could see her face reflected in the car's windshield.	αντικατοπτρίζω, καθρεφτίζομαι	39
4A	be confined to	phr	to exist in or affect only a particular place or group	The risk of infection is confined to medical personnel.	περιορίζομαι σε	39
4A	crack down on	phr v	to become more strict in dealing with a problem and punishing the people involved	The government is determined to crack down on terrorism.	πατάσσω	39
4A	retract (a statement, comment)	V	if you retract something that you said or agreed, you say that you did not mean it	He confessed to the murder but later retracted his statement.	ανακαλώ	39
4A	repercussions	n	the effects of an action or event, especially bad effects that continue for some time	The collapse of the company had repercussions for the whole industry.	επιπτώσεις	39

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4A	allegation	n	a statement that someone has done something wrong or illegal, but that has not been proved	Mr Singh has strongly denied the allegations of sexual harassment.	ισχυρισμός	39
4A	bribe	n	money or a gift that you illegally give someone to persuade them to do something for you	The officials said that they had been offered bribes before an important game.	δωροδοκία	39
4A	piece together	phr v	to use all the information you have about a situation in order to discover the truth about it	Police are trying to piece together his movements before the murder.	συνταιριάζω, συνδυάζω πληροφορίες	39
4A	key (on a computer)	n	the buttons that you press on a computer keyboard to operate the computer	Press the ESCAPE key to exit.	πλήκτρο σε πληκτρολόγιο υπολογιστή	40
4A	be packed (with people)	adj phr	extremely full of people	a packed courtroom	υπερπλήρης, κατάμεστος με ανθρώπους	41
4A	ditch	V	to stop having something because you no longer want it	The government has ditched plans to privatise the prison.	ξεφορτώνομαι, καταργώ	41
4A	cutbacks	n	a reduction in something, such as the number of workers in a company or the amount of money a government or company spends	The shortage of teachers was blamed on government cutbacks.	περικοπές	41
4A	embrace (ideas)	V	to eagerly accept a new idea, opinion, religion etc	We hope these regions will embrace democratic reforms.	ενστερνίζομαι (ιδέες)	44
4B	pejorative	adj	a word or expression that is pejorative is used to show disapproval or to insult someone	For hard-line Republicans, the word 'liberal' had become a pejorative term.	υποτιμητικός, μειωτικός	44
4B	laypeople / layman	n	people not trained in a particular subject or type of work, especially when they are being compared with someone who is	If you don't understand what the doctor says, ask to have it explained in layman's terms.	οι απλοί άνθρωποι που δεν έχουν εξειδικευμένες γνώσεις πάνω σε κάτι.	44
4B	credence	n	the acceptance of something as true	I don't give any credence to these rumors.	αξιοπιστία	44
4B	integrity	n	the quality of being honest and strong about what you believe to be right	a man of great moral integrity	ακεραιότητα	44

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4B	dubbed	v (p.part.)	to give something or someone a name that describes them in some way, to change the original spoken language of a film or television programme into another language	The body that was thousands of years old was found in the Alps and dubbed 'The Iceman'. This is a British film dubbed into French.	επονομάζω / μεταγλωττίζω, ντουμπλάρω	44
4B	on the fringes	prep phr	not completely belonging to or accepted by a group of people who share the same job, activities etc	a small group on the fringes of the art world	στις παρυφές	44
4B	by the dozen	phr	in groups of 12. If something is produced by the dozen, large numbers of that thing are being produced	The government is producing new policies by the dozen.	με τη ντουζίνα	44
4B	incongruent	adj	incompatible, not fitting well together	incongruent perspectives	ασύμβατος	44
4B	dig (one's) heels in	phr	to refuse to do something in spite of other people's efforts to persuade you	The student dug her heels in and refused to obey the instructions.	μουλαρώνω, πεισμώνω	44
4B	fixed in stone	phr	used to say that an idea or plan cannot change	John has several new ideas for the show, but nothing is fixed in stone yet.	που δεν μπορεί να αλλάξει	44
4B	seminal	adj	a seminal article, book etc is important, and influences the way things develop in the future	a seminal study of eighteenth-century France	με επιρροή, σημαίνων	44
4B	cocoon	n	a silk cover that young moths and other insects make to protect themselves while they are growing, a place or situation in which you feel comfortable and safe, and are protected from anything unpleasant	She was surrounded by the cocoon of a loving family.	κουκούλι, κάψουλα	44
4B	quackery	n	the activities of someone who pretends be a doctor	His claim he could cure cancer was pure quackery.	αγυρτεία	45
4B	cut-and-thrust (debate)	adj phr	lively discussion or activity	I don't mind the cut and thrust of argument, but I prefer friendlier and more relaxed conversation.	έντονη συζήτηση με διαφωνία	45
4B	nerd	colloquial n	someone who seems only interested in computers and other technical things - used to show disapproval	a computer nerd	σπασίκλας, φυτό	45
4B	embedded	adj	put firmly and deeply into something else, or to be put into something in this way	A piece of glass was embedded in her hand.	ενσωματωμένος, ένθετος	45
4B	backfire	V	if a plan or action backfires, it has the opposite effect to the one you intended	The company's new policy backfired when a number of employees threatened to quit.	γυρνάει μπούμερανγκ	45
4B	exhaustive	adj	extremely thorough and complete	an exhaustive investigation	εξαντλητικός	45
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4B	insular	adj	interested in your own group, country, way of life etc and no others - used to show disapproval	an insular community	στενόμυαλος	45
4B	permeable	adj	material that is permeable allows water, gas etc to pass through it	the permeable cell membrane	διαπερατός	45
4B	imprimatur	n	approval of something, especially from an important person	His actions have the imprimatur of the Secretary of State.	επίσημη έγκριση	45
4B	cultic milieu	n phr	the religious things and people that surround you and influence the way you live and think	Proust's work reflected his own social and cultic milieu.	λατρευτικό περιβάλλον	45
4B	sequestrate (oneself)	V	to take property away from the person it belongs to because they have not paid their debts	These properties were sequestrated by the local council for public use.	κατάσχω	45
4B	in contention	phr	having a chance of winning something	Owen's goal kept England in contention.	μένω στον αγώνα, στη διεκδίκηση	45
4B	cite	V	to give the exact words of something that has been written, especially in order to support an opinion or prove an idea	The passage cited above is from a Robert Frost poem.	αναφέρω, παραθέτω	46
4B	genre	n	a particular type of art, writing, music etc, which has certain features that all examples of this type share	a new genre of filmmaking	είδος, στυλ	46
4B	lay (sth) to rest	v phr	to stop people from worrying about or believing something	The minister resigned, and the government hoped that the scandal would finally be laid to rest.	καθησυχάζω	47
4B	inept	adj	not good at doing something	He was criticized for his inept handling of the problem.	ανίκανος, άπειρος	47
4B	well-adjusted	adj	emotionally healthy and able to deal well with the problems of life	a happy, well-adjusted child	καλά προσαρμοσμένος	47
4B	be instrumental in	adj phr	to be important in making something happen	He was instrumental in developing links with European organizations.	σημαντικός, συντελεστικός	47

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5A	abound	V	to exist in very large numbers	Rumours abound as to the reasons for his resignation.	αφθονώ	72
5A	surge	n	a sudden increase in amount or number	a surge in food costs	ξαφνική αύξηση	72
5A	deploy	V	to use something for a particular purpose, especially ideas, arguments etc	a job in which a variety of professional skills will be deployed	αναπτύσσω, εφαρμόζω	72
5A	ensue	V	to happen after or as a result of something	problems that ensue from food and medical shortages	προκύπτω, επακολουθώ	72
5A	speculation	n	when you guess about the possible causes or effects of something without knowing all the facts, or the guesses that you make	There is speculation that the president is ill.	εικασία	72
5A	stack	V	to make things into a neat pile, or to form a neat pile	The assistants price the items and stack them on the shelves.	στοιβάζω	72
5A	deem	V	to think of something in a particular way or as having a particular quality	They deemed that he was no longer capable of managing the business.	θεωρώ, κρίνω	72
5A	kudos	n	the state of being admired and respected for being important or for doing something important	He acquired kudos just by appearing on television.	δόξα, φήμη	72
5A	tangible	adj	relating to things a person or company owns that have a known value, for example property, buildings, or equipment	Investors began buying gold and tangible assets rather than shares.	απτός, χειροπιαστός	72
5A	relegate	V	to give someone or something a less important position than before	Women tended to be relegated to typing and filing jobs.	υποβιβάζω	72
5A	odds	n pl	how likely it is that something will or will not happen	The odds are that he will commit the same crime again.	πιθανότητες	72
5A	cart	V	to take something somewhere in a cart, truck etc	Household waste is carted away by the city's Sanitation Department.	κουβαλάω	73
5A	come to the crunch	v phr	an important time, especially one when a difficult decision has to be made	When it came to the crunch, she couldn't agree to marry him.	η ώρα της κρίσης	73
5A	nose around / about	phr v	to look around a place in order to try to find something, when there is no one else there	What were you doing nosing around in my office?	τριγυρνάω ψάχνοντας	73
5A	speak volumes	expr.	if something speaks volumes, it clearly shows the nature of something or the feelings of a person	What you wear speaks volumes about you.	λέει πολλά, σημαίνει πολλά	73
5A	leaning	n	a tendency to prefer or agree with a particular set of beliefs, opinions etc	his radical political leanings	κλίση, τοποθέτηση, προτίμηση	73

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5A	ambiance	n	the qualities and character of a particular place and the way these make you feel	The restaurant's new owners have created a welcoming ambience.	ατμόσφαιρα, κλίμα	73
5A	engage with	V	to get involved with other people and their ideas in order to understand them	Are you so tired you don't have the energy to engage with your kids?	ασχολούμαι με	73
5A	binding	n	a book cover, material sewn or stuck along the edge of a piece of cloth for strength or decoration	The book's binding wasn't good and it started falling apart after the first use.	δέσιμο, βιβλιοδεσία	73
5A	perch	n	a branch or stick where a bird sits, a high place or position, especially one where you can sit and watch something	She watched the parade from her perch on her father's shoulders.	κούρνια	73
5A	redundant	adj	if you are redundant, your employer no longer has a job for you, not necessary because something else means or does the same thing	As the economy weakens, more and more jobs will be made redundant.	περιττός, πλεονάζων	73
5A	tome	n	a large heavy book	The university library has a section which houses a prominent collection of tomes dedicated to 19th century English poetry.	ογκώδης τόμος	73
5A	affinity	n	a strong feeling that you like and understand someone or something	his remarkable affinity with animals	σχέση, έλξη ,συμπάθεια	73
5A	prospective	adj	someone who is likely to do a particular thing or achieve a particular position	the prospective costs of providing pensions	αναμενόμενος, προσδοκώμενος	73
5A	have a good eye for (sth)	n phr	to be good at noticing a particular type of thing, especially something attractive, valuable, of good quality etc	She's definitely got a good eye for a bargain.	έχω "μάτι" για κάτι	74
5A	budge	V	to move, or to make someone or something move, to change your opinion, or to make someone change their opinion	The government has refused to budge.	κινούμαι, κινώ	75
5A	tongue-tied	adj	unable to talk in a relaxed way because you feel nervous or embarrassed	When adults spoke to her, she became tongue-tied and shy.	σιωπηλός, βουβός	75
5A	fair play	expr	playing according to the rules of a game without cheating	rules designed to ensure fair play	τίμιο παιχνίδι	75
5A	foregone conclusion	n phr	if something is a foregone conclusion, its result is certain, even though it has not happened yet	The election result was a foregone conclusion.	προτετελεσμένο γεγονός	75
5A	foul play	expr	an action that is dishonest, unfair, or illegal, especially one that happens during a sports game	The police said they had no reason to suspect foul play.	αντικανονική ενέργεια	75
5A	send sb packing	v phr	to ask someone to leave immediately	There were some kids at the door asking for money but I sent them packing.	ξαποστέλνω, διώχνω	75

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5A	laughing stock	n phr	someone who is a laughing stock has done something so silly that people have no respect for them	The programme has made the U.S. a laughing stock.	περίγελος	75
5A	string sth together	phr v	to combine things in order to make something that is complete, good, useful etc	They string together image after image until the documentary is completed.	ενώνω, συνδέω	75
5A	knack	n	a natural skill or ability	Some people seem to have a knack for making money.	ικανότητα, δεξιότητα, μαστοριά	75
5A	succinctly	adv	clearly expressed in a few words - use this to show approval	Anderson put the same point more succinctly.	ευκρινώς, συνοπτικά	75
5A	lexicon	n phr	all the words and phrases used in a language or that a particular person knows	New words continuously enter the lexicon of the language.	λεξιλόγιο	75
5A	good riddance	n phr	a rude way of saying you are glad someone has left	She was awful. Good riddance to her, I say!	ξεκουμπίδια	75
5A	broadsheet	n	a newspaper printed on large sheets of paper, especially a serious newspaper	The story was not covered by any of the broadsheets.	εφημερίδα μεγάλης κυκλοφορίας	75 / script
5A	document	V	to write about something, film it, or take photographs of it, in order to record information about it	His research documents how the crisis occurred.	καταγράφω	77 / script
5A	field	n	a subject that people study or an area of activity that they are involved in as part of their work	Peter's an expert in his field.	τομέας, πεδίο	77 / script
5A	principled	adj	based on clear and definite ideas	an attempt to reduce prison sentences in a principled way	βασισμένος σε αρχές	78 / script
5A	oral tradition	n phr	spoken stories about a community's beliefs, customs, history etc that are passed on from person to person over many years	Forms of the oral tradition include storytelling and ballads.	προφορική παράδοση	80 / script
5A	last-ditch	adj	a final attempt to achieve something before it is too late	The negotiators made a last-ditch effort to reach an agreement.	έσχατος	80 / script
5B	on an impulse	prep phr	a sudden strong desire to do something without thinking about whether it is a sensible thing to do	On impulse, I picked up the phone and rang her.	από παρόρμηση	79
5B	underlying	adj	the cause, idea etc that is the most important, although it is not easily noticed	the underlying causes of her depression	βαθύτερος, υποκείμενος	79
5B	human endeavour	n	effort by people in general to do something new or difficult	an outstanding example of human endeavor	ανθρώπινη προσπάθεια	79
5B	keep (sb) on tenterhooks	v phr	to make someone feel nervous and excited waiting to find out something or for something to happen	We were kept on tenterhooks while the judges made their decision.	κρατάω κάποιον σε αγωνία	79

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5B	unfolding	adj	an unfolding event, situation etc is happening now	There is serious UN concern about unfolding events in Syria.	σε εξέλιξη	79
5B	intricate	adj	containing many small parts or details that all work or fit together	intricate patterns	περίπλοκος	79
5B	quirky	adj	unusual, especially in an interesting way	I like his quirky sense of humour.	ιδιόρρυθμος	79
5B	daunting	adj	frightening in a way that makes you feel less confident	He's got the daunting task of following in Ferguson's footsteps.	τρομακτικός	79
5B	insight	n	a sudden clear understanding of something or part of something, especially a complicated situation or idea	The article gives us a real insight into the causes of the present economic crisis.	σαφής εικόνα, αντίληψη	79
5B	browse	v phr	to search for information on a computer or on the Internet	a feature that allows you to browse your hard drive and choose the graphic you want to display	περιηγούμαι (στο διαδίκτυο)	79
5B	eclectic	adj	including a mixture of many different things or people, especially so that you can use the best of all of them	an eclectic mixture of 18th and 19th century furniture	ετερόκλητος	79
5B	eye-opener	n	an experience from which you learn something surprising or new	The whole trip has been a real eye- opener.	αποκάλυψη, κάτι που ανοίγει τα μάτια	79
5B	perceptive	adj	someone who is perceptive notices things quickly and understands situations, people's feelings etc well – used to show approval	You're right. That's very perceptive of you.	διορατικός, οξυδερκής	79
5B	avid	adj	doing something as much as possible	an avid collector of old jazz records	φανατικός, ενθουσιώδης	83
5B	be captivated by (sth)	phr	to be very attracted to someone, so that you give them all your attention	He was captivated by her beauty.	γοητεύομαι από κάτι	85
5B	surreptitiously	adv	secretly, without other people knowing or seeing	The police surreptitiously recorded the meeting and used the tape as evidence.	κρυφά, μυστικά	86
5B	ongoing	adj	continuing, or continuing to develop	their ongoing search for a new director	συνεχιζόμενος	80
5B	with the aid of	prep phr	help that you need to do a particular thing	Father Poole walked painfully, with the aid of a stick.	υποβοηθούμενος από	80
5B	avid	adj	doing something as much as possible	an avid collector of old jazz records	φανατικός, ενθουσιώδης	83
5B	fervent	adj	believing or feeling something very strongly and sincerely	a fervent appeal for peace	θερμός, φλογερός	83

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5B	outlandish	adj	strange and unusual	outlandish clothes	αλλόκοτος, παράξενος	83
5B	cliffhanger	n	a situation in a story, film, or a competition that makes you feel very excited or nervous because you do not know what will happen or have to wait a long time to see how it will end	the episode's cliffhanger ending	δραματική στιγμή	83
5B	be captivated by (sth)	phr	to be very attracted to someone, so that you give them all your attention	He was captivated by her beauty.	γοητεύομαι από κάτι	85
5B	melt away	phr v	if a crowd of people melts away, the people gradually leave, to gradually disappear	Her determination to take revenge slowly melted away.	εξαφανίζομαι, διαλύομαι	86
5B	the bee's knees	phr	to be very good	She thought the party was just the bee's knees.	εξαιρετικός	86
5B	get the hang of sth	v phr	to learn how to do something or use something	It seems difficult at first, but you'll soon get the hang of it.	συνηθίζω, παίρνω το κολάι	86
5B	intelligible	adj	if speech, writing, or an idea is intelligible, it can be easily understood	His reply was barely intelligible.	κατανοητός	86
5B	produce the goods	expr.	to produce what is wanted	What they promise sounds impressive, let's see if they can produce the goods.	φέρνω εις πέρας, καταφέρνω	86
5B	touch	n	a particular way of doing something, or the ability to do it in a particular way	The room was decorated with a very artistic touch.	άγγιγμα	82 / script
5B	timeless classic	n phr	a book, play, or film that is important and has been admired for a long time	'La Grande Illusion' is one of the timeless classics of French cinema.	διαχρονικά κλασικός	83 / script
5B	throw light on (sth)	v phr	to provide new information that makes a difficult subject or problem easier to understand	These discoveries may throw new light on the origins of the universe.	ρίχνω φως	84 / script
5B	foresight	n	the ability to imagine what is likely to happen and to consider this when planning for the future	It was an example of the authorities' lack of foresight.	προνοητικότητα	85 / script
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5A	delegate	n	someone who has been elected or chosen to speak, vote, or take decisions for a group	Around 350 delegates attended the conference.	αντιπρόσωπος	50
5A	blurb	n	a short description giving information about a book, new product etc	a backcover blurb	διαφήμιση	50

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5A	inflated	adj	inflated prices, amounts etc are high and unreasonable	He has a very inflated opinion of himself.	διογκωμένος, παράλογος	50
5A	disarming	adj	making you feel less angry or disapproving towards someone, and more friendly	a disarming sense of humor	αφοπλιστικός	50
5A	lingua franca	n	a language used between people whose main languages are different	English is the lingua franca in many countries.	κοινή γλώσσα	50
5A	ubiquitous	adj	seeming to be everywhere - sometimes used humorously	Coffee shops are ubiquitous these days.	πανταχού παρών	51
5A	derivation	n	the origin of something, especially a word	the derivation of a word	καταγωγή, προέλευση, ετυμολογία	51
5A	wacky	adj	silly in an exciting or amusing way	a wonderfully wacky idea	εκκεντρικός	51
5A	acronym	n	a word made up from the first letters of the name of something such as an organization	NATO is an acronym for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.	ακρωνύμιο	51
5A	illuminating	adj	making things much clearer and easier to understand	a very illuminating book	διαφωτιστικός	52
5A	subsequently	adv	after an event in the past	The book was subsequently translated into 15 languages.	ακολούθως, κατόπιν	52
5A	play host to	v phr	provide the place, food etc for a special meeting or event	The gallery is playing host to an exhibition of sculpture.	φιλοξενώ	52
5A	perennial	adj	continuing or existing for a long time, or happening again and again	Lack of resources has been a perennial problem since the beginning.	αιώνιος, μόνιμος, πολυετής	53
5A	savvy	adj	someone who is savvy is clever and knows how to deal with situations successfully	savvy consumers	έξυπνος, πανούργος, έμπειρος	54
5A	quirky	adj	unusual, especially in an interesting way	I like his quirky sense of humour.	ιδιότροπος	54
5A	tap into	phr v	to use or take what is needed from something such as an energy supply or an amount of money	People are tapping into the power supply illegally.	επωφελούμαι	54
5A	displacement activities	n phr	an unnecessary activity that you do because you are trying to delay doing a more difficult or unpleasant activity	When I was studying for my exams I used to clean the house as a displacement activity.	μετατόπιση δραστηριοτήτων	54
5A	beguile	V	to interest and attract someone	She was beguiled by his smooth talk.	σαγηνεύω, γοητεύω	54

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5A	bash out a whole raft of	phr	to produce something quickly or in great quantities but without much care or thought a large number of things	The company has bashed out a whole raft of new software products.	παράγω γρήγορα και σε μεγάλες ποσότητες κάτι	54
5A	a whole different ballgame	phr	a completely different situation, often one that is difficult or that you know little about	Babysitting my niece is one thing, but having a baby of my own is a whole different ballgame.	εντελώς διαφορετική υπόθεση	54
5A	volume of sales	phr	the total amount of sales, especially when they are large or increasing	increased volume of sales	ο όγκος των πωλήσεων	54
5A	dumb down	V	to present news or information in a simple and attractive way without many details so that everyone can understand it - used to show disapproval	Have history textbooks been dumbed down over the past decade?	υπεραπλουστεύω, απλοποιώ, εκλαϊκεύω	54
5A	walk a tightrope	expr.	to be in a difficult situation in which something bad could happen if you make a mistake	I feel as though I'm walking a tightrope between success and failure.	ακροβατώ	54
5B	upbeat	adj	positive and making you feel that good things will happen	an upbeat message	αισιόδοξος	55
5B	compulsion (to do sth)	n	a strong and unreasonable desire to do something	the compulsion to smoke or eat too much	καταναγκασμός	55
5B	needless to say	adj phr	used when you are telling someone something that they probably know or expect	Needless to say, any contributions of money will be gratefully received.	περιττό να πω	55
5B	counterpart	n	someone or something that has the same job or purpose as someone or something else in a different place	Belgian officials are discussing this with their French counterparts.	ομόλογος	55
5B	conceivably	adv	able to be believed or imagined	Conceivably, interest rates could rise very high indeed.	ενδεχομένως	55
5B	repertoire	n	the total number of things that someone or something is able to do	the behavioral repertoire of infants	ρεπερτόριο	55
5B	codex	n	an ancient book written by hand	a sixth-century codex	κώδικας (χειρόγραφο βιβλίο)	56
5B	hand-wringing	n	o rub and twist your hands together because you are worried and upset	When in a job interview, avoid any hand-wringing.	σφίγγω τα χέρια μου	56
5B	dodo	n	a large bird that was unable to fly and no longer exists, a stupid person	Dodos are extinct.	Ντόντο, πτηνό το οποίο έχει εκλείψει	56
5B	geometric pattern	n phr	a pattern having or using the shapes and lines in geometry	Some strange geometric patterns appeared in his field in the course of the night.	γεωμετρικό σχέδιο	56

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5B	margin	n	the empty space at the side of a page	Someone had scribbled a note in the margin.	περιθώριο	56
5B	congregate	V	to come together in a group	Crowds began to congregate to hear the President's speech.	συναθροίζομαι	56
5B	node	n	a place where lines in a netwrok cross or join	The office's network is composed of ten nodes.	κόμβος	56
5B	painstakingly	adv	very carefully and thoroughly	The old painting was painstakingly restored.	επιμελώς, προσεκτικά	56
5B	dog-eared	adj	dog-eared books or papers have been used so much that the corners are turned over or torn	a dog-eared novel	πολυδιαβασμένο βιβλίο, που του έχουν στρίψει οι άκρες	56
5B	superseded	adj	if a new idea, product, or method supersedes another one, it becomes used instead because it is more modern or effective	Their map has since been superseded by photographic atlases.	ξεπερασμένος, αχρηστευμένος	56
5B	blur	V	to become difficult to see or to make something difficult to see, because the edges are not clear	The street lights were blurred by the fog.	θολώνω, θαμπώνω	57
5B	demise	n	the end of something that used to exist	the imminent demise (=happening soon) of the local newspaper	θάνατος	57
5B	mourn	V	to feel very sad and to miss someone after they have died	Hundreds of people gathered to mourn the slain president.	θρηνώ, πενθώ	57
5B	imminent	adj	an event that is imminent, especially an unpleasant one, will happen very soon	He was in imminent danger of dying.	επικείμενος, άμεσος	57
5B	curate	V	to be in charge of a museum, a collection of art, or a particular exhibition or arts festival	The museum director curated the exhibition.	επιμελούμαι, οργανώνω, φροντίζω	57
5B	incorporate	V	to include something as part of a group, system, plan etc	We've incorporated many environmentally-friendly features into the design of the building.	ενσωματώνω	57
5B	push the boundaries	v phr	to make a new discovery, work of art etc that is very different from what people have known before, and that changes the way they think	art that pushes back the boundaries	ωθώ τα όρια, κάνω νέα άνακάλυψη, καινοτομώ	57
5B	augment	V	to increase the value, amount, effectiveness etc of something	Any surplus was sold to augment their income.	αυξάνω	57

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5B	interface	n	the way in which you see the information from a computer program on a screen, or how you type information into the program	a computer interface	διεπαφή	57
5B	collaborative	adj	a job or piece of work that involves two or more people working together to achieve something	a collaborative task	συνεργατικός	57
5B	inception	n	the start of an organization or institution	a CD collection covering the band from its inception in 1994	έναρξη, ξεκίνημα	57
5B	annotated	adj	short notes added to a book or piece of writing to explain parts of it	an annotated edition of 'Othello'	σχολιασμένος	57
5B	anonymity	n	when other people do not know who you are or what your name is	Every step will be taken to preserve your anonymity.	ανωνυμία	58
5B	mixed blessing	expr.	a situation that has both good and bad parts	Having children so early in their marriage was a mixed blessing.	ευχή και κατάρα	59
5B	alcove	n	a place in the wall of a room that is built further back than the rest of the wall	The fireplace was set in a nice alcove of the living room.	εσοχή, κόγχη	60
5B	array	n	a group of people or things, especially one that is large or impressive	There was a vast array of colours to choose from.	παράταξη, ποικιλία	60

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6A	that old chestnut	n phr	a joke or story that has been repeated many times	If I hear that old chestnut again, I'll scream!	η γνωστή ιστορία	88
6A	be a far cry from (sth)	v phr	to be very different from something	The company lost £3 million, which is a far cry from last year's £60 million profit.	απέχω κατά πολύ από κάτι	88
6A	the passage of time	n phr	the passing of time	With the passage of time, things began to look more hopeful.	το πέρασμα του χρόνου	88
6A	tides of history	n phr	the way in which important events develop over a long period of time	Politicians might think they can control the tides of history, but they're wrong.	ο ρους της ιστορίας	88
6A	vagabonding	n	the activity of travelling continuously and not having a permanent home	How old were you when you first started vagabonding?	περιπλάνηση	88
6A	relish	V	to enjoy an experience or the thought of something that is going to happen	I don't relish the thought of you walking home alone.	απολαμβάνω	88
6A	grimy	adj	covered with dirt	grimy windows	βρώμικος	88
6A	privileged	adj	having advantages because of your wealth, social position, job etc	Only the privileged few can afford private education.	προνομιούχος	88
6A	officialdom	n	government departments or the people who work in them – used when you think they are not helpful	Fining people for chewing gum is officialdom gone mad!	γραφειοκρατία	88
6A	fraught	adj	full of problems etc	Their marriage has been fraught with difficulties.	γεμάτος	88
6A	allure	n	a mysterious, exciting, or desirable quality	the allure of foreign travel	γοητεία, θέλγητρο	88
6A	hub	n	the central and most important part of an area, system, activity etc, which all the other parts are connected to	Birmingham is at the hub of Britain's motorway network.	κόμβος, κέντρο	88
6A	tendency	n	if someone or something has a tendency to do or become a particular thing, they are likely to do or become it	Greg's tendency to be critical made him unpopular with his co-workers.	τάση	88
6A	ravaged	adj	damaged very badly	ravaged health	κατεστραμμένος	89
6A	wrinkle	n	wrinkles are lines on your face and skin that you get when you are old	Her face was a mass of wrinkles.	ρυτίδα, ζάρα	89
6A	motto	n	a short sentence or phrase giving a rule on how to behave, which expresses the aims or beliefs of a person, school, or institution	'Be prepared' is the motto of the boy scouts.	ρητό, γνωμικό	89
6A	flog (to)	V	to beat a person or animal with a whip or stick	He was publicly flogged and humiliated.	μαστιγώνω, ραβδίζω	89

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6A	stumble across	phr v	to find or discover something by chance and unexpectedly	Researchers have stumbled across a drug that may help patients with Parkinson's disease.	ανακαλύπτω τυχαία	89
6A	random tip	n phr	a helpful piece of advice given without any definite plan or aim	George, who happens to be an interior decorator, gave us a few random tips on how to make the room look brighter.	τυχαία συμβουλή, πληροφορία	89
6A	back of beyond	idiom phr	a place far away from any big town	They live in some village in the back of beyond.	στη μέση του πουθενά	89
6A	haphazard	adj	happening or done in a way that is not planned or organized	I continued my studies in a rather haphazard way.	αμεθόδευτος, τυχαίος	89
6A	irrelevance	n	a lack of importance in a particular situation	He believes that these outdated organizations will continue down the path to irrelevance.	ασυνάφεια, έλλειψη σπουδαιότητας	89
6A	be tainted by	adj phr	if something bad taints a situation or person, it makes the person or situation seem bad	Baker argues that his trial was tainted by negative publicity.	επηρεάζομαι από	89
6A	compromise (sth.)	V	to do something which is against your principles and which therefore seems dishonest or shameful	As soon as you compromise your principles you are lost.	διακινδυνεύω, εκθέτω	89
6A	far-flung	adj	very distant	expeditions to far-flung corners of the globe	απομακρυσμένος	89
6A	scribble	V	to write something quickly and untidily	I scribbled his phone number in my address book.	κακογράφω, μουτζουρώνω	89
6A	strewn (all over)	adj	scattered around a large area	The street was strewn with broken glass.	διασκορπισμένος	90
6A	quaint	adj	unusual and attractive, especially in an old-fashioned way	a quaint little village in Yorkshire	γραφικός, κομψός	90
6A	in retrospect	adv phr	thinking back to a time in the past, especially with the advantage of knowing more now than you did then	In retrospect, I wonder if we should have done more.	εκ των υστέρων	90
6A	adversity	n	a situation in which you have a lot of problems that seem to be caused by bad luck	his courage in the face of adversity	αντιξοότητα	90
6A	beset	V	to make someone experience serious problems or dangers	The business has been beset with financial problems.	περιβάλλω, περιστοιχίζω	90
6A	Australian outback	n	the Australian countryside far away from cities, where few people live	My uncle's dream is to hike in the Australian outback.	η ύπαιθρος της Αυστραλίας	90

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6A	exponent	n	an exponent of an idea, belief etc tries to explain it and persuade others that it is good or useful	a leading exponent of desktop publishing	υπέρμαχος, υποστηρικτής	91
6A	(swimming) goggles	n	a pair of glasses made of glass or plastic with a rubber or plastic edge that fit against your skin and protect your eyes	Goggles should be worn all through practice by swimmers.	προστατευτικά γυαλιά (κολύμβησης)	91
6A	glacier	n	a large mass of ice which moves slowly down a mountain valley	Antarctic glacier	παγετώνας	92
6A	yacht chartering	n	to pay a yacht company to use their boat	Most celebrities prefer yacht chartering to enjoy their holidays away from any paparazzi.	ενοικίαση θαλαμηγού	93
6A	skipper	n	the person in charge of a ship	the skipper of the boat	πλοίαρχος	93
6A	legally binding	coll.	a legally binding agreement, contract, decision, etc. is one that the law says you must obey	Each order that is accepted constitutes a legally binding contract between the seller and the purchaser.	νομικά δεσμευτικός	93
6A	commute	V	to regularly travel a long distance to get to work	Jim commutes to Manhattan every day.	ταξιδεύω μεγάλη απόσταση για να πάω στη δουλειά	94
6A	Viking	n	a member of the group of Scandinavian people who sailed in ships to attack areas along the coasts of northern and western Europe from the 8th to 11th centuries	The Vikings raided villages and towns along the northeast coast of Britain.	Вікіvүк	86 / script
6A	permafrost	n	a layer of soil that is always frozen in countries where it is very cold	the permafrost of the arctic tundra	μόνιμο στρώμα πάγου	87 / script
6A	potent	adj	powerful and effective	The treaty requires them to get rid of their most potent weapons.	ισχυρός, δυνατός	87 / script
6A	exacerbate	V	to make a bad situation worse	The recession has exacerbated this problem.	επιδεινώνω	88 / script
6A	at close quarters	adj	if something happens or is done at close quarters, it happens inside a small space or is done from a short distance away	The troops had been fighting at close quarters.	από κοντά	88 / script
6A	bring (sth) to fruition	phr	if a plan, project etc is brought to fruition, it is successfully put into action and completed, often after a long process	Many people have worked together to bring this scheme to fruition.	ολοκληρώνω, υλοποιώ επιτυχώς	90 / script
6B	slip through the net	v phr	if someone or something falls or slips through the net, a system which was designed to help or check them has not succeeded in doing this	In a class of 30 children it is easy for some to slip through the net and learn nothing.	ξεγλιστρώ	95

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6B	sustainable travel	n phr	forms of travel that do not use a lot of fuel or harm the environment	Improving bus and rail services shows the government's commitment to sustainable travel	βιώσιμη κινητικότητα	95
6B	underlie	v phr	to be the cause of something, or be the basic thing from which something develops	the one basic principle that underlies all of the party's policies	αποτελώ τη βάση	95
6B	notion	n	an idea, belief, or opinion	misguided notions of male superiority	αντίληψη, ιδέα	95
6B	intrinsic	adj	being part of the nature or character of someone or something	the intrinsic interest of the subject	εγγενής	95
6B	watchdog	n	a person or group of people whose job is to protect the rights of people who buy things and to make sure companies do not do anything illegal or harmful	a consumer watchdog	φρουρός, φύλακας	95
6B	credentials	n pl	someone's education, achievements, experience etc that prove they have the ability to do something	There are doubts over his credentials as a future Prime Minister.	διαπιστευτήρια	95
6B	unwind	V	to relax and stop feeling anxious	a beautiful country hotel that is the perfect place to unwind	χαλαρώνω	95
6B	mania	n	a strong desire for something or interest in something, especially one that affects a lot of people at the same time	the Victorian mania for butterfly collecting	μανία	98
6B	essence	n	used when talking about the most basic and important part of something, especially an idea, belief, or argument	In essence his message was very simple.	ουσία	98
6B	holiday snap	coll.	a holiday photograph taken quickly and often not very skilfully [= snapshot]	Look at this holiday snap of the sunset at the beach.	φωτογραφία διακοπών	98
6B	posterity	n	all the people in the future who will be alive after you are dead	a priceless work of art that must be kept for posterity	οι επόμενες γενιές	98
6B	exquisite	adj	extremely beautiful and very delicately made	the most exquisite craftsmanship	εξαίσιος, πανέμορφος	98
6B	carving	n	an object or pattern made by cutting a shape in wood or stone for decoration	wood carvings	σκάλισμα, ανάγλυφη παράσταση	98
6B	essence	n	used when talking about the most basic and important part of something, especially an idea, belief, or argument	In essence his message was very simple.	ουσία	98
6B	knock-down prices	n pl	prices that have been reduced by a large amount	It sells designer goods at knock-down prices.	εξευτελιστικές τιμές	99
6B	trout	n	a common river-fish, often used for food, or the flesh of this fish	Trout fishing is very popular in this part of river.	πέστροφα	99

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6B	wild boar	n	a large wild pig with long hair	Obelix's favourite meal is wild boar.	αγριογούρουνο	99
6B	venison	n	the meat of a deer	Gina has never tasted venison.	κρέας ελαφιού	99
6B	gastronomic	adj	relating to the art of cooking good food or the pleasure of eating it	the gastronomic delights of Thailand	γαστρονομικός	99
6B	(be) infused with	adj	to be filled with a particular feeling or quality	Her books are infused with humour and wisdom.	εμποτισμένος με	99
6B	chestnut	n	a smooth red-brown nut that you can eat	roast chestnuts	κάστανο	99
6B	porcini	n	a type of wild mushroom, used in cooking	I'm having pasta with red sauce and porcini.	μανιτάρι πορτσίνι	99
6B	nettle	n	a wild plant with rough leaves that sting you	stinging nettles	τσουκνίδα	99
6B	preconceived	adj	preconceived ideas, opinions etc are formed before you really have enough knowledge or experience	We started from scratch with no preconceived ideas.	προκατειλημμένος	100
6B	weird	adj	very strange and unusual, and difficult to understand or explain	A really weird thing happened last night	αλλόκοτος, παράξενος	100
6B	evoke	V	to produce a strong feeling or memory in someone	The photographs evoked strong memories of our holidays in France.	προκαλώ, ανακαλώ	100
6B	preconceived	adj	preconceived ideas, opinions etc are formed before you really have enough knowledge or experience	We started from scratch with no preconceived ideas.	προκατειλημμένος	100
6B	venture out	phr v	to go somewhere that could be dangerous	He ventured out on his own so late at night to grab something to eat as he was starving.	τολμώ να βγω	100
6B	sojourn	n	a short period of time that you stay in a place that is not your home	a brief sojourn in Europe	διαμονή	100
6B	drought	n	a long period of dry weather when there is not enough water for plants and animals to live	Prolonged periods of drought may cause famine.	ξηρασία	102
6B	destined for	phr	seeming certain to happen at some time in the future	She seemed destined for a successful career.	που προορίζεται για	102
6B	plumber	n	someone whose job is to repair water pipes, baths, toilets etc	We called a plumber to fix the linking water pipe.	υδραυλικός	102
6B	compensation	n	money paid to someone because they have suffered injury or loss, or because something they own has been damaged	She received compensation from the government for the damage caused to her property.	αποζημίωση	102

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6B	ethical	adj	relating to principles of what is right and wrong	The president must have the highest ethical standards.	ηθικός	90 / script
6B	green	adj	relating to the environment and its protection	He is interested in green issues such as recycling.	οικολογικός, "πράσινος"	92 / script
6B	fancy	V	to like or want something, or want to do something	Sorry, but I don't fancy going out tonight.	αγαπώ, μου αρέσει	93 / script
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6A	backpacking	n	the activity of travelling for pleasure, usually without very much money, and carrying a backpack	backpacking across Europe	ταξίδι με σακίδιο	61
6A	contentious	adj	causing a lot of argument and disagreement between people	Animal welfare did not become a contentious issue until the late 1970's.	αμφιλεγόμενος	61
6A	mattress	n	the soft part of a bed that you lie on	an old, lumpy mattress	στρώμα	61
6A	infrastructure	n	the basic systems and structures that a country or organization needs in order to work properly, for example roads, railways, banks etc	Some countries lack a suitable economic infrastructure.	υποδομή	61
6A	rail	n	the railway system	the American rail system	ο σιδηρόδρομος	61
6A	crop art	n phr	Crop art falls into several different categories, all of which employ land and/or what grows from it to create images.	Crop art works can only be seen from aerial viewpoints.	η δημιουργία εικόνων πάνω στη γη μέσω της γεωργικής καλλιέργειας	61
6A	(be) infested with	phr	if insects, rats etc infest a place, there are a lot of them and they usually cause damage	The kitchen was infested with cockroaches.	μολυσμένος από, γεμάτος με (έντομα κλπ)	61
6A	(be) plagued by	phr	to cause pain, suffering, or trouble to someone, especially for a long period of time	Financial problems continued to plague the company.	μαστίζομαι από	61
6A	elation	n	a feeling of great happiness and excitement	Her supporters reacted to the news of her election win with elation.	χαρά, αγαλλίαση	61
6A	excruciating	adj	extremely painful	When I bend my arm, the pain is excruciating.	βασανιστικός, ανυπόφορος	61
6A	whim	n	a sudden feeling that you would like to do or have something, especially when there is no important or good reason	I didn't leave just on a whim.	παρόρμηση, καπρίτσιο	62

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6A	decommission	V	to stop using a ship, weapon, or nuclear reactor and to take it to pieces	a decommissioned military base	παροπλίζω	62
6A	heritage	n	the traditional beliefs, values, customs etc of a family, country, or society	the importance of preserving the national heritage	κληρονομιά	62
6A	defunct	adj	not existing any more, or not useful any more	the now-defunct nuclear reactor	ανενεργός / μακαρίτης, αποθανών	62
6A	niche	n	if you find your niche, you find a job or activity that is very suitable for you	Amanda soon found her niche at the club.	θέση, κλίση σε	62
6A	craze	n	a fashion, game, type of music etc that becomes very popular for a short time	She started a craze for this type of jewellery.	τρέλα, μανία	62
6A	work (one's) fingers to the bone	phr	to work very hard	They're working to their bones to meet the deadline.	εργάζομαι πολύ σκληρά για μεγάλο διάστημα	63
6A	warden	n	a person who is responsible for a particular place and whose job is to make sure its rules are obeyed	the warden of the college	φύλακας	63
6A	gust	n	a sudden strong movement of wind, air, rain etc	A sudden gust of wind blew the door shut.	δυνατή πνοή αέρα	64
6A	sedate	adj	calm, serious, and formal	The wedding was rather a sedate occasion.	ήσυχος, ήρεμος	65
6A	glinting	pr. participle	giving out small flashes of light	The gold rims of his spectacles glinted in the sun.	αστραφτερός, σπινθηροβόλος	65
6A	thrill-seeker	n	someone who does things that are dangerous because they like the feeling of excitement it gives them	a roller coaster that will please thrill- seekers	εραστής της περιπέτειας, κυνηγός της ανατριχίλας	65
6A	tucked away	adj phr	if someone or something is tucked away, they are hidden or difficult to find	The envelope was tucked away in her jewel box.	κρυμμένος	65
6A	boundlessness	n	having no limit or end	The boundlessness of the Australian outback.	απεραντοσύνη	65
6A	confines	n	limits or borders	within the confines of the prison	όρια, σύνορα	65
6A	set foot in	v phr	to go to or enter a place	She swore she would never set foot in his house again.	πατάω το πόδι μου, μπαίνω	65

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6A	oar	n	a long pole with a wide flat blade at one end, used for rowing a boat	We lost the oars of the boat and we couldn't get to the shore.	κουπί	65
6A	coffin	n	a long box in which a dead person is buried or burnt	They slowly lowered the coffin to the open grave.	φέρετρο	65
6A	introspection	n	the process of thinking deeply about your own thoughts, feelings, or behaviour	Introspection involves contemplating your thoughts and feelings.	ενδοσκόπηση, αυτοεξέταση	65
6A	overriding	adj	more important than anything else	a question of overriding importance	επιτακτικός	65
6B	birthplace	n	the place where someone was born, used especially when talking about someone famous	Stratford-upon-Avon was Shakespeare's birthplace.	γενέτειρα	66
6B	epic	adj	an epic book, poem, or film tells a long story about brave actions and exciting events	epic poetry	επικός	66
6B	pilgrimage	n	a journey to a holy place for religious reasons	the chance to go on pilgrimage to Mecca	προσκύνημα, θρησκευτικό ταξίδι	66
6B	hippy	n	someone, especially in the 1960s, who opposed violence peacefully and often wore unusual clothes, had long hair, and took drugs for pleasure	Hippies heavily protested against the Vietnam war in the '60s.	χίπης	66
6B	prophet	n	a man who people in the Christian, Jewish, or Muslim religion believe has been sent by God to lead them and teach them their religion	the prophet Elijah	προφήτης	66
6B	saint	n	written abbreviation St or St. someone who is given the title 'saint' by the Christian church after they have died, because they have been very good or holy	Saint Patrick	άγιος	66
6B	limping	pr. participle	walking slowly and with difficulty because one leg is hurt or injured	Moreno limped off the field with a foot injury.	κουτσαίνοντας	66
6B	blister	n	a swelling on your skin containing clear liquid, caused for example by a burn or continuous rubbing	New shoes always give me blisters.	φουσκάλα	66
6B	vision	n	ability to see	She suffered temporary loss of vision after being struck on the head.	όραση	66
6B	exhortation	n	the act of trying very hard to persuade someone to do something	At the general's exhortation, the attack began.	προτροπή	66
6B	come unstuck	idiom phr	if a person, plan, or system comes unstuck, they fail at what they were trying to achieve	a dangerous area of rock where many climbers come unstuck	αποτυγχάνω	66

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6B	sweatshop	n	a small business, factory etc where people work hard in bad conditions for very little money - used to show disapproval	Another sweatshop was raided yesterday and was closed by the police.	επιχείρηση όπου οι εργαζόμενοι πληρώνονται ελάχιστα αν και εργάζονται σκληρά	66
6B	manifest (itself)	V	to appear or to become easy to see	His illness began to manifest itself at around this time.	εκδηλώνομαι, εμφανίζομαι	66
6B	quest	n	a long search for something that is difficult to find	his long quest for truth	αναζήτηση	66
6B	pilgrim	n	a religious person who travels a long way to a holy place	pilgrims visiting a holy shrine	προσκυνητής, θρησκευτικός ταξιδιώτης	67
6B	peer	V	to look very carefully at something, especially because you are having difficulty seeing it	He was peering through the wet windscreen at the cars ahead.	κοιτάζω από κοντά, περιεργάζομαι	67
6B	sandal-clad (foot)	adj	wearing sandals	a sandal-clad tourist	σανδαλοφορεμένος	67
6B	maternal instinct	coll.	the maternal bond that forms between a mother and her child	appeal to the maternal instinct	μητρικό ένστινκτο	67
6B	hair-raising	adj	frightening and dangerous in a way that is exciting:	a hair-raising car chase	ανατριχιαστικός, τρομαχτικός	67
6B	transpire	V	to happen. if it transpires that something is true, you discover that it is true	It now transpires that he kept all the money for himself.	συμβαίνει / αποκαλύπτομαι, μαθεύομαι	67
6B	sign up	phr v	to put your name on a list for something because you want to take part in it	I'm thinking of signing up for a yoga course.	εγγράφομαι	67
6B	itinerary	n	a plan or list of the places you will visit on a journey	a trip itinerary	πρόγραμμα, δρομολόγιο	67
6B	power tool	n phr	a tool that works by electricity	a battery-powered tool	ηλεκτρικό εργαλείο	67
6B	go for it	idiom phr	used to encourage someone to try to achieve something	If you really want the job, go for it!	προσπαθώ, επιδιώκω	67
6B	stroll	V	to walk somewhere in a slow relaxed way	We were strolling along, laughing and joking.	πηγαίνω βόλτα, περπατώ αργά	67
6B	cynical	adj	unwilling to believe that people have good, honest, or sincere reasons for doing something	a cynical view of human nature	κυνικός	67

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6B	secular	adj	not connected with or controlled by a church or other religious authority	secular education	κοσμικός, του κράτους (≠θρησκευτικός)	67
6B	is on me	phr	this means that the person speaking will pay the whole amount, used typically when something purchased is shared between two or more people - such as a resturant meal	Dinner is on me.	κερνάω εγώ	67
6B	red-rimmed	adj	having a red edge or border	red-rimmed glasses	με κόκκινο σκελετό	67
6B	accredited	adj	having official approval to do something, especially because of having reached an acceptable standard	an accredited language school	πιστοποιημένος, διαπιστευμένος	68
6B	photo-voltaic panel	phr	a piece of equipment, usually kept on a roof, that collects and uses the sun's energy to heat water or make electricity or solar panel	He has placed photo-voltaic panels at the roof of the building.	φωτοβολταϊκός πίνακας (πάνελ)	68
6B	things to come	phr	what is likely to develop or happen in the future	You are so young and there are still great things to come your way!	τα μελλούμενα, αυτά που θα συμβούν	68
6B	submerge	V	to go under the surface of the water and be completely covered by it	The submarine submerged.	βουτάω στο νερό, καταδύομαι	69
6B	hand it to someone	v phr	used to say that you admire someone	You have to hand it to her. She's really made a success of that company.	αναγνωρίζω την αξία κάποιου	69
6B	hoist	V	to raise, lift, or pull up something, especially using ropes	The crew hurried to hoist the flag.	υψώνω, ανεβάζω	69
6B	take (it) for a spin	idiom. phr	a short trip in a car for pleasure	Let's go for a spin in the country.	πάω μια βόλτα με αμάξι, μηχανή κλπ	69
6B	(be) steeped in	phr	to have a lot of a particular quality	a town steeped in history	διαποτίζομαι από	70

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7A	stress buster	phr	a product, practice, system, etc that is designed to alleviate stress	Yoga is considered by many an effective stress buster.	αγχολυτικό	103
7A	organic produce	coll.	relating to farming or gardening methods of growing food without using artificial chemicals, or produced or grown by these method	a market with organic produce	βιολογικά προϊόντα	103
7A	allotment	n	a small area of land that people can rent for growing vegetables	growing vegetables on the allotment	ενοικιαζόμενο αγροτεμάχιο	103
7A	stay abreast of (sth)	v phr	to make sure that you know all the most recent facts or information about a particular subject or situation	It's important to stay abreast of the latest developments in computers.	μένω ενήμερος για κάτι	104
7A	rein (sth/sb) in	phr v	to start to control a situation more strictly	The government began to rein in public spending.	χαλιναγωγώ	104
7A	(political) fermentation	n	a process in which political change is causing great trouble or excitement in a country	It was an era of political fermentation, during which Europe experienced two world wars.	πολιτική ζύμωση	104
7A	proclamation	n	an official public statement about something that is important, or when someone makes such a statement	The authorities issued a proclamation forbidding public meetings.	διακήρυξη	104
7A	flit	V	to move lightly or quickly and not stay in one place for very long	Birds flitted about in the trees above them.	πηγαινοέρχομαι	104
7A	beverage	n	a hot or cold drink	alcoholic beverages	ποτό, ρόφημα	104
7A	oscillate	V	to move backwards and forwards in a regular way	The needle on the dial began to oscillate.	ταλαντεύομαι	104
7A	(public) outcry	n	an angry protest by a lot of ordinary people	The closure of the local hospital has caused a huge public outcry.	(δημόσια) κατακραυγή	104
7A	invigorating	adj	making you feel healthy and giving you a lot of energy	an invigorating swim before breakfast	αναζωογονητικός	104
7A	rumour	n	information or a story that is passed from one person to another and which may or may not be true	I've heard all sorts of rumours about him and his secretary.	φήμη, διάδοση	105
7A	patron	n	someone who supports the activities of an organization, for example by giving money	a wealthy patron	προστάτης, χρηματοδότης	105
7A	establishment	n	an organization or institution, especially a business, shop etc	a top class training establishment	εγκατάσταση	105
7A	be reflected in	v phr	if a person or a thing is reflected in a mirror, glass, or water, you can see an image of the person or thing on the surface of the mirror, glass, or water	She could see her face reflected in the car's windshield.	αντικατοπτρίζομαι	105

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7A	décor	n	the way that the inside of a building is decorated	The décor is a mix of antique and modern.	διακόσμηση	105
7A	adorn with	V	to decorate something	church walls adorned with religious paintings	(δια)κοσμώ με	105
7A	gilt-framed	adj	frame with a thin layer of gold or gold paint	a guilt-framed picture	με επίχρυσο πλαίσιο	105
7A	rationalism	n	the belief that your actions should be based on scientific thinking rather than emotions or religious beliefs	philosophers who accept scientific rationalism	ορθολογισμός	105
7A	sphere	n	a ball shape, a particular area of activity, work, knowledge etc	Women have often been excluded from positions of power in the public sphere.	σφαίρα	105
7A	ethos	n	the set of ideas and moral attitudes that are typical of a particular group	a community in which people lived according to an ethos of sharing and caring	ήθος, ηθική	105
7A	strike the right note	idiom. phr	to succeed in being right and suitable for a particular occasion	Bush is hoping to hit the right note again with voters.	δίνω το σωστό τόνο	105
7A	mental faculties	n pl	a natural ability, such as the ability to see, hear, or think clearly	the patient's mental faculties	διανοητικές ικανότητες	105
7A	clientele	n	all the people who regularly use a shop, restaurant etc	The restaurant attracts a young clientele.	πελατεία	105
7A	by virtue of	phr	by means of, or as a result of something	She became a British resident by virtue of her marriage.	εξαιτίας, λόγω	105
7A	notable	adj	important, interesting, excellent, or unusual enough to be noticed or mentioned	A notable feature of the church is its unusual bell tower.	σημαντικός, αξιοσημείωτος, αξιόλογος	105
7A	outlaw	V	to completely stop something by making it illegal	The bill would have outlawed several types of guns.	θέτω εκτός νόμου, επικηρύσσω	105
7A	tone down	phr v	to reduce the effect of something such as a speech or piece of writing, so that people will not be offended	His advisers told him to tone down his speech.	ρίχνω τους τόνους	105
7A	cautionary tale	phr	the story of an event that is used to warn people	a cautionary tale about how not to buy a computer	παράδειγμα προς αποφυγήν	105
7A	undermine	V	to gradually make someone or something less strong or effective	economic policies that threaten to undermine the health care system	υπονομεύω	105

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7A	hotspot	n	a place in a public building where there is a computer system with an access point, which allows people in the building with a wireless computer or bluetooth mobile phone to connect to a service such as the Internet	a WiFi hotspot	μέρος σε δημόσιο χώρο όπου υπάρχει δυνατότητα ασύρματης σύνδεσης στο διαδίκτυο	105
7A	foster	V	to help a skill, feeling, idea etc develop over a period of time, or to take someone else's child into your family for a period of time but without becoming their legal parent	The couple wanted to adopt a black child they had been fostering.	περιθάλπτω, ανατρέφω	105
7A	quarrel	n	an angry argument or disagreement	Jacob left after a quarrel with his wife.	φιλονικία, καυγάς	105
7A	atone for sth.	V	to do something to show that you are sorry for having done something wrong	Richard was anxious to atone for his thoughtlessness.	εξιλεώνομαι για	105
7A	detractor	n	someone who says bad things about someone or something, in order to make them seem less good than they really are	Even the President's detractors admit that the decision was the right one.	επικριτής	105
7A	chew	V	to bite food several times before swallowing it	This meat's so tough I can hardly chew it!	μασάω	105
7A	infuse	V	to fill something or someone with a particular feeling or quality	Her books are infused with humour and wisdom.	εμποτίζω, ενσταλάζω	105
7A	regular	n	someone who often goes to the same bar, restaurant etc or who takes part in an activity very often	The barman knows all the regulars by name.	θαμώνας	105
7A	lavish	adj	large, impressive, or expensive, very generous	He was always lavish in his praise of my efforts.	πολυτελής, γενναιόδωρος	105
7A	social stratum	n phr	a social class in a society	people of different social strata	κοινωνικό στρώμα	105
7A	forum	n	an organization, meeting, TV programme etc where people have a chance to publicly discuss an important subject	The journal aims to provide a forum for discussion and debate.	τόπος δημόσιας συζήτησης, βήμα	105
7A	nickname	V	a name given to someone, especially by their friends or family, that is not their real name and is often connected with what they look like or something they have done	We had nicknames for all the teachers.	παρατσούκλι	105
7A	verse	n	a set of lines that forms one part of a song, poem, or a book such as the Bible or the Koran	Learn the first two verses of the poem by heart.	στίχος	105
7A	kinship	n	a family relationship	the ties of kinship	συγγένεια, δεσμός	105
7A	coincidence	n	when two things happen at the same time, in the same place, or to the same people in a way that seems surprising or unusual	'I'm going to Appleby tomorrow.' 'What a coincidence! I'm going up there too.'	σύμπτωση	105

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7A	parallel	n	a relationship or similarity between two things, especially things that exist or happen in different places or at different times	Entering the world of fine art, she found many parallels with the world of fashion.	παραλληλισμός	105
7A	nexus	n	a connection or network of connections between a number of people, things, or ideas	a nexus of social relationships	σύνδεσμος, πλέγμα	105
7A	pamphlet	n	a very thin book with paper covers, that gives information about something	a political pamphlet	φυλλάδιο	105
7A	grievous bodily harm	phr	serious injury caused by a criminal attack	be charged with grievous bodily harm	βαριά σωματική βλάβη	106
7A	herald	V	to be a sign of something that is going to come or happen soon	A flash of lightning heralded torrential rain.	αναγγέλω	107
7A	prominent	adj	important, something that is in a prominent place is easily seen	a prominent Russian scientist	διαπρεπής, εξέχων	107
7A	enclosure	n	an area surrounded by a wall or fence, and used for a particular purpose	the bear enclosure at the zoo	περίφραξη, περίβλημα	107
7A	(in) stark contrast (with)	coll.	a great difference between people, ideas, situations, things etc that are being compared	The winter heatwave in California is a stark contrast to the below-freezing temperatures on the East Coast.	σε πλήρη αντίθεση με	107
7A	allay fears	v phr	someone feel less afraid, worried etc	The president made a statement to allay public anxiety.	καθησυχάζω τους φόβους	108
7A	budget	n	the money that is available to an organization or person, or a plan of how it will be spent	a welfare program with a budget of \$2 million	προϋπολογισμός	108
7A	shared space approach	phr	Shared space is an urban design approach which seeks to minimise demarcations between vehicle traffic and pedestrians, often by removing features such as curbs, road surface markings, traffic signs, and regulations.	Shared space approach is not so convenient for blind people.	αρχιτεκτονική προσέγγιση για το σχεδιασμό κοινόχρηστων χώρων	108
7A	recklessly	adv	not caring or worrying about the possible bad or dangerous results of your actions	He was accused of causing death by driving recklessly.	ριψοκίνδυνα, απρόσεκτα	108
7A	cutback	n	a reduction in something, such as the number of workers in a company or the amount of money a government or company spends	The shortage of teachers was blamed on government cutbacks.	περικοπή	109
7A	net profit	n phr	the actual profit after expenses have been paid	a company's net profit	καθαρό κέρδος	109
7A	smallholding	n	a piece of land used for farming, that is smaller than an ordinary farm	Smallholding operates under a small- scale agricultural model.	μικρή γεωργική ιδιοκτησία	109

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7A	investment capital	n	money or property, especially when it is used to start a business or to produce more wealth	The government is eager to attract foreign capital.	επενδυτικό κεφάλαιο	109
7A	think (sth) up	phr v	to produce a new idea, name etc by thinking	We had to think up a good excuse, and quickly.	σκαρφίζομαι, επινοώ	110
7A	lads	n	a group of male friends that a man works with or spends his free time with	a night out with the lads	φιλαράκια, αντροπαρέα	110
7A	hectic	adj	very busy or full of activity	a hectic social life	ταραχώδης, έντονος	93 / script
7A	envisage	V	to think that something is likely to happen in the future	I don't envisage working with him again.	οραματίζομαι, βλέπω	99 / script
7A	spoilt for choice	phr	to have so many good things to choose from that you cannot decide which one to choose	With so many makes and models available, buyers are spoilt for choice.	έχω πάρα πολλές επιλογές	100 / script
7A	unorthodox	adj	unorthodox opinions or methods are different from what is usual or accepted by most people	Her unorthodox views tend to attract controversy.	ανορθόδοξος	101 / script
7A	sceptic	n	a person who disagrees with particular claims and statements, especially those that are generally thought to be true	Sceptics argued that the rise in prices was temporary.	σκεπτικιστής, δύσπιστος	101 / script
7A	disposable	adj	intended to be used once or for a short time and then thrown away	disposable nappies	μιας χρήσης, αναλώσιμος	102 / script
7B	axe	V	to suddenly dismiss someone from their job	There are plans to axe 2600 staff.	περικόπτω, καταργώ	111
7B	a must	n	something that you must do or must have	Warm clothes are a must in the mountains.	επιβεβλημένος, απαραίτητος	111
7B	set (sb) back	phr v	to delay the progress or development of something, or delay someone from finishing something	Environmental experts said the move would set back further research.	αναβάλλω	111
7B	a means to an end	phr	something that you do only to achieve a result, not because you want to do it or because it is important	For Geoff, the job was simply a means to an end.	το μέσο για έναν σκοπό	111
7B	elitist	adj	an elitist system, government etc is one in which a small group of people have more power and advantages than other people	an elitist education system	ελιτιστικός	111
7B	negate	V	to prevent something from having any effect	Efforts to expand the tourist industry could be negated by reports that the sea is highly polluted.	αναιρώ	111
7B	replenish	V	to put new supplies into something, or to fill something again	More vaccines are needed to replenish our stocks.	αναπληρώνω	113

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7B	freelance	adj	working independently for different companies rather than being employed by one particular company	She works freelance from home.	ελεύθερος επαγγελματίας	114
7B	adhere to	V	to stick firmly to something, to continue to behave according to a particular rule, agreement, or belief	I have adhered strictly to the rules.	τηρώ, εμμένω σε	114
7B	digital nomad	coll.	digital nomads are individuals that use digital technologies to work. Such workers typically work remotely—from home, coffee shops, public libraries	After the outburst of the pandemic, the majority of the workforce became digital nomads.	ψηφιακός νομάς (κάποιος ο οποίος χρησιμοποιώντας τις νέες τεχνολογίες εργάζεται σε διάφορα μέρη)	114
7B	pedestrianise	V	to change a street or shopping area so that cars and trucks are no longer allowed	This street was pedestrianised last year.	πεζοδρομώ	114
7B	nomadic	adj	if someone leads a nomadic life, they travel from place to place and do not live in any one place for very long	As the son of an air force pilot, Mark had a somewhat nomadic childhood.	νομαδικός	114
7B	radically	adv	new ideas, against what most people think or believe	a radically different method of production	ριζικά, ριζοσπαστικά	115
7B	nine-to-five	adj	between nine o'clock and five o'clock, the normal working hours of an office worker	a nine-to-five job	οχτάωρο ωράριο εργασίας	115
7B	mould	n	a hollow container that you pour a liquid or soft substance into, so that when it becomes solid, it takes the shape of the container	Another method, used especially for figures, was to pour the clay into a mould.	καλούπι	115
7B	enhance	V	to improve something	The publicity has enhanced his reputation.	ενισχύω	115
7B	uphold	V	to defend or support a law, system, or principle so that it continues to exist	a committee that aims to uphold educational standards	στηρίζω, υποστηρίζω	118
7B	restoration	n	when you repair something such as an old building or a piece of furniture, so that it looks the same as when it was first built or made	a fund for the restoration of historic buildings	αναπαλαίωση, αποκατάσταση	118
7B	councillor	n	a member of a council	Write to your local councillor to complain.	δημοτικός σύμβουλος	118
7B	be in sb's shoes	idiom. phr	in someone else's situation, especially a bad one	I wouldn't like to be in his shoes when his wife finds out what happened.	μπαίνω στη (δυσάρεστη) θέση κάποιου	118

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7B	indigenous	adj	indigenous people or things have always been in the place where they are, rather than being brought there from somewhere else	Blueberries are indigenous to America.	ιθαγενής, αυτόχθονας	118
7B	(university) faculty	n	a department or group of related departments within a university	the Faculty of Law	πανεπιστημιακό τμήμα	118
7B	imposing	adj	large, impressive, and appearing important	He's a tall, quietly spoken, but imposing figure.	επιβλητικός	118
7B	a slip of the tongue	idiom. phr	a small mistake in something you say	Did I say \$100? It must have been a slip of the tongue.	γλωσσικό ολίσθημα	118
7B	speak (one's) mind	idiom. phr	to tell people exactly what you think, even if it offends them	He was a tough politician who wasn't afraid to speak his mind.	λέω ξεκάθαρα την γνώμη μου	118
7B	demolition	n	completely ending something or destroying a building	He demolished my argument in minutes.	κατεδάφιση, κατάρριψη	118
7B	deed	n	something someone does, especially something that is very good or very bad	After the morning's good deeds he deserved a rest.	πράξη, κατόρθωμα	118
7B	banter	n	friendly conversation in which people make a lot of jokes with, and amusing remarks about, each other	easy banter between her cousins	πείραγμα	118
7B	nondescript	adj	someone or something that is nondescript looks very ordinary and is not at all interesting or unusual	a rather nondescript suburban house	κοινός, ασήμαντος, απαρατήρητος	118
7B	impetus	n	an influence that makes something happen or makes it happen more quickly	The discovery gave fresh impetus to the research.	ώθηση, ορμή	118
7B	unequivocal	adj	completely clear and without any possibility of doubt	His answer was an unequivocal 'No'.	κατηγορηματικός, αδιαμφισβήτητος	118
7B	pool	n	a number of things that are shared or an amount of money that is shared by a group of people	Both partners put money into a common pool.	κοινό ταμείο	104 / script
7B	blow	n	an action or event that causes difficulty or sadness for someone	The factory closures came as a blow to the local economy.	πλήγμα	104 / script
7B	the open road	n phr	used to say that there is not much traffic or anything to stop you getting somewhere	In the American Midwest, you really get a sense of being on the open road.	ανοιχτός δρόμος	105 / script
7B	emissions	n pl	a gas or other substance that is sent into the air	Britain agreed to cut emissions of nitrogen oxide from power stations.	εκπομπές αερίων	105 / script

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7B	bite off more than you can chew	v phr	to try to do more than you are able to do	She bit off more than she could chew when she took on that extra work.	αναλαμβάνω κάτι που δε μπορώ να φέρω εις πέρας	111 / script
7B	a means to an end	n phr	something that you do only to achieve a result, not because you want to do it or because it is important	For Geoff, the job was simply a means to an end.	το μέσο για κάποιο σκοπό	111 / script
7B	set (sb/sth) back	phr v	to delay the progress or development of something, or delay someone from finishing something	The fire set the project back several months.	αναβάλλω	111 / script
7B	steer clear of (sb/sth)	v phr	to avoid someone or something unpleasant or difficult	Jo tried to steer clear of political issues.	αποφεύγω	111 / script
7B	be dead set on (sth)	adj phr	be determined about something	The government's dead set on the plan.	είμαι αποφασισμένος για κάτι	111 / script
7B	go over the top	v phr	to say or do something that is extreme or unreasonable, so that it seems stupid or offensive	I think you went a bit over-the-top calling him a fascist.	υπερβάλλω, το παρακάνω	111 / script
7B	axe	V	to get rid of a plan, system, or service, especially in order to save money	TV's longest running show is to be axed.	τσεκουρώνω, κόβω	111 / script
7B	a must	n	something that you must do or must have	Warm clothes are a must in the mountains.	επιβεβλημένο	111 / script
7B	fraternity	n	all the people who work in a particular profession or share a particular interest	The scientific fraternity has expressed doubts about the findings.	αδελφότητα	111 / script
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7A	ivory	n	the hard smooth yellowish-white substance from the tusks (=long teeth) of an elephant	an ivory chess set	ελεφαντόδοντο	72
7A	poaching	n	illegally catching or shoot animals, birds, or fish, especially on private land without permission	Deer have been poached here for years.	λαθραίο κυνήγι άγριων ζώων	72
7A	span	n	a period of time between two dates or events	Over a span of ten years, the company has made great progress.	διάρκεια	72
7A	the tide is turning	idiom. phr	reversal in the direction of events, a reversal in public opinion	The tide is turning so make sure you are on the right side of history.	αλλαγή στην ροή των γεγονότων, αλλαγή της κοινής γνώμης	72

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7A	overbearing	adj	always trying to control other people without considering their wishes or feelings	a bossy, overbearing wife	αυταρχικός	72
7A	argue (one's) case	v phr	to state, giving clear reasons, that something is true, should be done etc	She argued the case for changing the law.	υποστηρίζω, επιχειρηματολογώ υπέρ	72
7A	back (sb) up	phr v	to say or show that what someone is saying is true, to provide support or help for someone or something	Jane would back me up if she were here.	υποστηρίζω	72
7A	bling	colloquial n	expensive objects such as jewellery that are worn in a way that is very easy to notice	Rappers like to wear fancy clothes and lots of blings.	φανταχτερά κοσμήματα	72
7A	mural	n	a painting that is painted on a wall, either inside or outside a building	ancient murals	τοιχογραφία	72
7A	seedling	n	a young plant or tree grown from a seed	This seedling needs re-planting to a bigger pot.	δενδρύλλιο	73
7A	unbidden	p.p. as adv	without being asked for, expected, or invited	unbidden presence	απρόσκλητος	73
7A	absurd	adj	completely stupid or unreasonable	It seems quite absurd to expect anyone to drive for 3 hours just for a 20 minute meeting.	παράλογος	73
7A	tick	n	a mark written next to an answer, something on a list etc, to show that it is correct or has been dealt with	Put a tick in the box if you agree with this statement.	τικ, σημάδι	73
7A	overwhelmingly	adv	having such a great effect on you that you feel confused and do not know how to react	Congress voted overwhelmingly in favor of the bill.	συντριπτικά	73
7A	fiddle with (sth)	V	to keep moving and touching something, especially because you are bored or nervous	She was at her desk in the living room, fiddling with a deck of cards.	παίζω με, χαζολογώ	74
7A	leave (sb) stranded	coll.	a person or vehicle that is stranded is unable to move from the place where they are	Air travellers were left stranded because of icy conditions.	μένω αποκλεισμένος	74
7A	flight simulator	n phr	a machine used to train pilots that copies closely the movements and conditions that exist when flying an aircraft	Pilots train in flight simulators first.	προσομοιωτής πτήσης	74
7A	fetching	adj	attractive, especially because the clothes you are wearing suit you	Your sister looks very fetching in that dress.	γοητευτικός	74
7A	give it a rest	colloquial phr	used to tell someone to stop talking about something because they are annoying you	Give it a rest, Jack!	μην το συζητάς, άστο	74

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7A	settlement	n	a group of houses and buildings where people live, especially in a place where few people have lived before	The railway stations created new settlements.	οικισμός	74
7A	straw bale	n phr	a large quantity of hay that is tightly tied together especially into a block	a bale of straw	αχυρόδεμα	74
7A	rammed earth	n phr	a technique for building walls using natural raw materials such as earth, chalk, lime or gravel	a building made of rammed earth	συμπιεσμένο χώμα	74
7A	hands-on assistance	phr	helping someone yourself rather than just talking about it or telling other people to do it	provide hands-on assistance	έμπρακτη βοήθεια	76
7A	draw up	phr v	to prepare a written document, such as a list or contract	Draw up a list of all the things you want to do.	καταρτίζω, σχεδιάζω	76
7A	potential hazard	n phr	potential risk	That pile of rubbish is a potential fire hazard	πιθανός, δυνητικός κίνδυνος	76
7A	kit	n	a set of tools, equipment etc that you use for a particular purpose or activity	Sally keeps her make-up kit in her bag.	σύνεργα	76
7A	subsidy	n	money that is paid by a government or organization to make prices lower, reduce the cost of producing goods etc	international disagreement over trade subsidies	επιδότηση	76
7A	overlook	V	to not notice something, or not see how important it is	It is easy to overlook a small detail like that.	παραβλέπω	76
7A	perk	n	something that you get legally from your work in addition to your wages, such as goods, meals, or a car	I only eat here because it's free - one of the perks of the job.	προνόμιο, "τυχερό"	76
7A	remuneration package	n phr	the pay you give someone for something they have done for you	a job offer with a satisfying remuneration package	πακέτο αποδοχών	76
7A	claim	n	a statement that something is true, even though it has not been proved	Gould rejected claims that he had acted irresponsibly.	αξίωση, ισχυρισμός	76
7A	comprehensiveness	n	including all the necessary facts, details, or problems that need to be dealt with	the comprehensiveness of a study	εύρος, έκταση	76
7B	tenant	n	someone who lives in a house, room etc and pays rent to the person who owns it	The desk was left by the previous tenant.	ενοικιαστής	77
7B	daycare	n	when babies or young children, or sick or old people are looked after during the day, especially while their family members are at work	Local authorities may provide day care for under fives.	ημερήσια φροντίδα	78
7B	reversal	n	a change to an opposite arrangement, process, or way of doing something	a sudden reversal of government policy	αντιστροφή, ανατροπή	78

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7B	bosom	n	the front part of a woman's chest	She cradled the child to her bosom.	κόρφος, στήθος	78
7B	child-rearing	n	looking after a child until they are fully grown	best child-rearing practices	ανατροφή των παιδιών	78
7B	nursery	n	a place where young children are taken care of during the day while their parents are at work	Children can attend nursery schools at the age of three years old.	παιδικός σταθμός	78
7B	swear by	V	to have great confidence in how good or effective something is	He swears by vitamin C pills.	ορκίζομαι σε	78
7B	striker	n	a player in football whose main job is to score goals	Messi is a striker.	επιθετικός (παίκτης)	78
7B	whinge	V	to keep complaining in an annoying way	Stop whineging about the situation and accept it.	μουρμουρίζω, παραπονιέμαι	78
7B	inflict	V	to make someone suffer something unpleasant	The strikes inflicted serious damage on the economy.	επιβάλλω, προκαλώ	78
7B	blissfully	adv	extremely happily or enjoyably	blissfully unaware of the impending danger	μακαρίως	78
7B	pull (one's) weight	idiom. phr	to do your full share of work	He accused me of not pulling my weight.	κάνω αυτά που μου αναλογούν	78
7B	misgivings	n	a feeling of doubt or fear about what might happen or about whether something is right	Despite her misgivings about leaving the baby, she decided to accompany her husband.	ενδοιασμός, φόβος	78
7B	recourse to	phr	something that you do to achieve something or deal with a situation, or the act of doing it	We may conclude that he never had recourse to this simple experiment.	προσφεύγω σε	78
7B	tedious	adj	something that is tedious continues for a long time and is not interesting	The work was tiring and tedious.	κουραστικός, βαρετός	79
7B	go into sth lightly	idiom. phr	start doing something on a whim	He went into acting lightly and look at him now winning all these awards!	ξεκινώ να κάνω κάτι χωρίς πολλή σκέψη	79
7B	takeaway	n	a meal that you buy at a shop or restaurant to eat at home	Let's have a takeaway tonight.	φαγητό σε πακέτο	80
7B	gap year	n phr	a year between leaving school and going to university, which some young people use as an opportunity to travel, earn money, or get experience of working	Some students choose to work in high- tech industries during their gap year.	ο χρόνος αμέσως μετά το σχολείο και πριν το πανεπιστήμιο	80
7B	bypass	n	a road that goes around a town or other busy area rather than through it	Take the bypass, it will save you time from your trip.	παρακαμπτήρια οδός	80

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7B	agenda	n	a list of problems or subjects that a government, organization etc is planning to deal with	Measures to combat terrorism will be high on the agenda.	ημερήσια διάταξη, ατζέντα	80
7B	precedence	n	when someone or something is considered to be more important than someone or something else, and therefore comes first or must be dealt with first	Do we want a society where appearance takes precedence over skill or virtue?	προτεραιότητα	80

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Lead- in	innovation	n	a new idea, method, or invention	We must encourage innovation if the company is to remain competitive.	καινοτομία	119
Lead- in	perpendicular	n, adj	not leaning to one side or the other but exactly vertical	a perpendicular line	κάθετος	119
Lead- in	symmetry	n	he quality of being symmetrical	the symmetry of the design	συμμετρία	119
8A	regenerate	V	to make something develop and grow strong again	efforts to regenerate the US economy	αναζωογονώ, αναβιώνω	120
8A	contemporaries	n pl	someone who lived or was in a particular place at the same time as someone else	Oswald was much admired by his contemporaries at the Academy.	σύγχρονοι, της ίδιας γενιάς	120
8A	halt	V	to prevent someone or something from continuing - used especially in news reports	The government has failed to halt economic decline.	σταματώ	120
8A	obsolete	adj	no longer useful, because something newer and better has been invented	obsolete weapons	παρωχημένος, απαρχαιωμένος	120
8A	alteration	n	a small change that makes someone or something slightly different, or the process of this change	If you make alterations to the Windows setup, save the new settings before closing.	αλλαγή, μετατροπή	120
8A	fortress	n	a large strong building used for defending an important place and protecting people or things	The fortress was captured after a long siege.	οχυρό	120
8A	grass-roots	adj	relating to the ordinary people in an organization, rather than the leaders	We want to get the views of members at a grass-roots level.	λαϊκός, σε επίπεδο βάσης	120
8A	upheaval	n	a very big change that often causes problems	political upheaval	αναταραχή, αναστάτωση	120
8A	transparency	n	the quality of glass, plastic etc that makes it possible for you to see through it	The transparency of glass can be measured using a spectrometer.	διαφάνεια	120
8A	gut	V	to completely destroy the inside of a building, especially by fire	The building was completely gutted by fire.	καταστρέφω εντελώς	120
8A	friction	n	disagreement, angry feelings, or unfriendliness between people	Having my mother living with us causes friction at home.	τριβή	120
8A	dismantle	V	to take a machine or piece of equipment apart so that it is in separate pieces	Chris dismantled the bike in five minutes.	αποσυναρμολογώ	120

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8A	flip side	n	the bad effects of something that also has good effects	The flip side of the treatment is that it can make patients feel very tired.	η άλλη πλευρά, η άλλη όψη του νομίσματος	120
8A	buoyancy	n	the ability of prices, a business etc to quickly get back to a high level after a difficult period	The buoyancy of domestic demand, which grew by 4 per cent last year, is a good sign for the economy.	πλευστότητα	120
8A	elevated	adj	raised off the ground or higher up than other things	The train runs on an elevated track.	υπερυψωμένος	120
8A	contemporary	n	someone who lived or was in a particular place at the same time as someone else	Oswald was much admired by his contemporaries at the Academy.	σύγχρονος	120
8A	embody	V	to be a very good example of an idea or quality	She embodies everything I admire in a teacher.	ενσαρκώνω	120
8A	fete	V	to honour someone	The team were feted in the science community for their work.	τιμώ	121
8A	strike a deal	v phr	to agree to do something for someone if they do something for you	There are rumors that the president struck a private deal with the corporation's chairman.	καταλήγω σε συμφωνία	121
8A	self-assurance	n	feeling calm and confident about what you are doing	calm self-assurance	αυτοπεποίθηση	122
8A	eccentric	adj	behaving in a way that is unusual and different from most people	His eccentric behaviour lost him his job.	εκκεντρικός	122
8A	shoestring	adj	a shoestring business, operation etc is one that does not spend or cost much money	shoestring interior design	με ελάχιστα κεφάλαια	123
8A	renovator	n	restorer	home renovator	ανακαινιστής	123
8A	refurbishment	n	decoration and repair of something such as a building or office in order to improve its appearance	The complete refurbishment of Grand Hotel.	ανακαίνιση	123
8A	source	V	if goods are sourced from a particular place, they are obtained from that place	Fish for the restaurant is sourced daily from British ports.	πηγάζω, προέρχομαι από	123
8A	upside	n	the positive part of a situation that is generally bad	The upside of the whole thing is that we got a free trip to Jamaica.	πλεονέκτημα	123
8A	pioneering	adj	introducing new and better methods or ideas for the first time	She played a pioneering role in opening higher education to women.	πρωτοποριακός	123
8A	indication	n	a sign, remark, event etc that shows what is happening, what someone is thinking or feeling, or what is true	Dark green leaves are a good indication of healthy roots.	ένδειξη	124

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8A	designated	adj	someone or something chosen for a particular job or purpose	The lake was recently designated a conservation area.	προσδιορισμένος, καθορισμένος	124
8A	dubious	adj	probably not honest, true, right etc	The firm was accused of dubious accounting practices.	αμφίβολος	125
8A	be loath/loth to do sth	phr	to be unwilling to do something	Sarah was loath to tell her mother what had happened.	απρόθυμος	126
8B	talk sb into doing sth	phr v	to persuade someone to do something	I don't know how I was talked into trying bungee-jumping!	πείθω κάποιον να κάνει κάτι	127
8B	part with	phr v	to give something to someone else, although you do not want to	I'm reluctant to part with any of the kittens, but we need the money.	αποχωρίζομαι κάτι	127
8B	mislead	V	to make someone believe something that is not true by giving them information that is false or not complete	Politicians have misled the public over the dangers of these chemicals.	παραπλανώ	127
8B	unappreciated	adj	not fully understood, recognized, or valued	She had been brought up in a family where she felt unappreciated and undervalued.	υποτιμημένος, παραγνωρισμένος	127
8B	durability	n	the ability to withstand wear, pressure, or damage	the reliability and durability of plastics	ανθεκτικότητα, αντοχή	127
8B	go with the flow	n phr	to agree that you will do the thing that most people want to do	I don't mind, I'll just go with the flow.	πάω με το ρεύμα	127
8B	root (sth) out	phr v	to find something by searching for it	I'll try to root out my old bike and you can have it.	ξετρυπώνω	127
8B	stash (sth) away	v phr	to store something secretly or safely somewhere	He has money stashed away in the Bahamas.	κρύβω, καταχωνιάζω	127
8B	get full credit (for)	n phr	to receive complete approval or praise for something you have done	Women did not get full credit for the sacrifices thay made.	αναγνωρίζομαι	127
8B	wow factor	n	an interesting, exciting, or unusual feature of something, that people will notice and think is very impressive	The huge windows certainly give the house a wow factor.	το μεγάλο πλεονέκτημα	127
8B	turn the corner	n phr	to start to become successful after a period of being unsuccessful	He believes that the economy has turned the corner and will grow next year.	ξεπερνώ ένα εμπόδιο	127
8B	give free rein to (sb/sth)	n phr	to allow an emotion or feeling to be expressed freely	He gave free rein to his imagination.	απελευθερώνω	127
8B	clear-cut	adj	easy to understand or be certain about	There is not always a clear-cut distinction between right and wrong.	σαφής, ξεκάθαρος	127

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8B	mainstream	adj	accepted by or involving most people in a society	Deaf children can often be included in mainstream education.	βασικός, ευρέως αποδεκτός	127
8B	perseverance	n	determination to keep trying to achieve something in spite of difficulties – use this to show approval	It took perseverance to overcome his reading problems.	επιμονή, αποφασιστικότητα	127
8B	memorabilia	n pl	things that you keep or collect because they are connected with a famous person, event, or time	a collection of war memorabilia	αναμνηστικά	128
8B	sentimental value	n phr	the value of something to someone because of personal or emotional associations rather than material worth	This ring has a sentimental value for Sue as it was given to her by her late mother.	συναισθηματική αξία	128
8B	minimalist	adj	relating to a style of art, design, music etc that uses only a very few simple ideas or patterns	Minimalist design is heavily influenced by traditional Japanese design.	μινιμαλιστικός	129
8B	uncluttered	adj	not having too many objects, details, or elements	The rooms were plain and uncluttered.	λιτός, απέριττος	129
8B	accumulate	V	to gradually get more and more money, possessions, knowledge etc over a period of time	It is unjust that a privileged few should continue to accumulate wealth.	αποκτώ, συσσωρεύω	129
8B	hoard	V	to collect and save large amounts of food, money etc, especially when it is not necessary to do so	families who hoarded food during the strike	βάζω στην άκρη, μαζεύω	129
8B	ingrained	adj	ingrained attitudes or behaviour are firmly established and therefore difficult to change	The idea of doing our duty is deeply ingrained in most people.	βαθιά ριζωμένος	129
8B	neutral	adj	not supporting any of the people or groups involved in an argument or disagreement	I always tried to remain neutral when they started arguing.	ουδέτερος	130
8B	forgery	n	the crime of copying official documents, money etc	The painting was a very clever forgery.	πλαστογραφία	130
8B	contemplate (doing sth)	V	to think about something that you might do in the future	Did you ever contemplate resigning?	συλλογίζομαι	130
8B	brush up (a language)	phr v	to practise and improve your skills or your knowledge of something that you learned in the past	I must brush up on my French before I go to Paris.	φρεσκάρω, ξεσκονίζω (μια ξένη γλώσσα)	130
8B	do the round of	v phr	to go around from one place to another, especially looking for work or advertising something	Ryan is making the rounds of talk shows to promote her new movie.	πηγαίνω από μέρος σε μέρος αναζητώντας εργασία ή διαφημίζοντας κάτι	130
8B	scout	V	to look for something in a particular area	I'm scouting round for a place to stay.	κατοπτεύω, αναζητώ	130
8B	acclaim	n	to praise someone or something publicly	His work was acclaimed by art critics.	αποθεώνω, επευφημώ	130

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8B	philanthropic	adj	a philanthropic person or institution gives money and help to people who are poor or in trouble	a philanthropic foundation	φιλανθρωπικός	130
8B	obsolescence	n	when something becomes old-fashioned and no longer useful, because something newer and better has been invented	Obsolesence is more of a problem for the technology industry than any other.	απαρχαίωση, παλαίωση	131
8B	time span	n phr	a period of time	It's difficult to imagine a time span of a million years.	χρονικό διάστημα	131
8B	launch	n	when a new product, book etc is made available or made known	the launch of a new women's magazine	έναρξη, λανσάρισμα	131
8B	outlet	n	a shop that sells things for less than the usual price, especially things from a particular company or things of a particular type	Benetton has retail outlets in every major European city.	κατάστημα λιανικής πώλησης	133
8B	roll your eyes (at)	v phr	to move your eyes around and up, especially in order to show that you are annoyed or think something is silly	Lucy rolled her eyes as Tom sat down beside her.	κουνάω τα μάτια μου ώστε να δείξω ότι ενοχλούμαι	133
8B	a thorny problem	phr	a problem that is complicated and difficult	Balancing this year's budget was a thorny problem for the project manager.	ακανθώδες ζήτημα	134
8B	culminate (in)	V	if a process culminates in or with a particular event, it ends with that event	A series of events for teachers and students will culminate in a Shakespeare festival next year.	κορυφώνομαι, μεσουρανώ	134
8B	heated discussion	phr	a discussion that is full of angry and excited feelings	They were in a heated discussion and I didn't want to interrupt.	έντονη συζήτηση	134
8B	discordant	adj	a discordant sound is unpleasant because it is made up of musical notes that do not go together well	The modern decor strikes a discordant note in this old building.	παράφωνος, ασύμφωνος	134
8B	in the eye of the beholder	expr.	used to express the fact that not all people have the same opinions about what is attractive	Beauty remains in the eye of the beholder.	υποκειμενικός, στα μάτια του παρατηρητή	134
8B	deliberation	n	careful consideration or discussion of something	After much deliberation, first prize was awarded to Derek Murray.	μελέτη, περίσκεψη, διαβούλευση	134
8B	fork out (money)	phr v	to spend a lot of money on something, not because you want to but because you have to	I had to fork out £600 on my car when I had it serviced.	ξοδεύω απρόθυμα	134
8B	elaborate	adj	having a lot of small parts or details put together in a complicated way	pure silks embroidered with elaborate patterns	λεπτομερής, περίτεχνος	134
8B	wield	V	to have a lot of power or influence, and to use it	The Church wields immense power in Ireland.	ασκώ, χειρίζομαι	134

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8A	privacy	n	the state of being able to be alone, and not seen or heard by other people	With seven people squashed in one house, you don't get much privacy.	ιδιωτικότητα, ησυχία	83
8A	irresistibly	adv	in such an attractive, desirable way that you cannot prevent yourself from wanting something	irresistibly attracted by one's charm	ακαταμάχητα	83
8A	illusory	adj	false but seeming to be real or true	First impressions can often prove illusory.	απατηλός	83
8A	hint	n	something that you say or do to suggest something to someone, without telling them directly	There have been hints that he may take up coaching.	υπαινιγμός, υποννοούμενο	83
8A	preoccupation	n	when someone thinks or worries about something a lot, with the result that they do not pay attention to other things	The management's preoccupation with costs and profits resulted in a drop in quality and customer service.	έγνοια, ανησυχία	83
8A	down-to-earth	adj	practical and direct in a sensible honest way	Fran's a friendly, down-to-earth person.	λογικός, προσγειωμένος	83
8A	confidence trickster	n	a dishonest person who plays tricks on someone in order to get their money	A gang of confidence tricksters fooled old people into giving them their life-savings.	απατεώνας	84
8A	bogus	adj	not true or real, although someone is trying to make you think it is	bogus insurance claims	ψεύτικος, κίβδηλος	84
8A	in situ	expr.	if something remains in situ, it remains in its usual place	mosaics and frescoes have been left in situ	στην αρχική θέση	84
8A	hoodwink (sb into doing sth)	V	to trick someone in a clever way so that you can get an advantage for yourself	an attempt to hoodwink the public	απατώ, ξεγελώ	84
8A	without trace	prep phr	without a small sign that shows that someone or something was present or existed	There was no trace of anyone having entered the room since then.	χωρίς ίχνος	84
8A	up-and-coming	adj	likely to become successful or popular	up-and-coming young artists	ανερχόμενος	85
8A	acquire	V	to obtain something by buying it or being given it	She has acquired an email address and a site on the WorldWide Web.	αποκτώ, αγοράζω	85
8A	crook	n	a dishonest person or a criminal	The crooks got away across the park.	απατεώνας	85
8A	adjustment	n	a small change made to a machine, system, or calculation	Once we make the adjustments for inflation, the fall in interest rates is quite small.	προσαρμογή, ρύθμιση	86
8A	ceramics	n pl	the art of making pots, bowls, tiles etc, by shaping pieces of clay and baking them until they are hard	an exhibition of ceramics	κεραμική	87

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8A	art pottery	n phr	the art of making objects out of baked clay	Native American art pottery	αγγειοπλαστική	87
8A	stand up to	phr v	to refuse to accept unfair treatment from a person or organization	He'll respect you more if you stand up to him.	αντιστέκομαι, υψώνω το ανάστημά μου	87
8A	aesthetically	adv	connected with beauty and the study of beauty	aesthetically pleasing	αισθητικά	87
8A	corridor	n	a long narrow passage on a train or between rooms in a building, with doors leading off it	We had to wait outside in the corridor until our names were called.	διάδρομος	87
8A	a giveaway price	phr	at such a low price that it almost given free	a pair of jeans sold at a giveaway price	σε εξευτελιστική τιμή	87
8A	critical appraisal	n phr	an important statement or opinion judging the worth, value, or condition of something	a critical appraisal of the existing facilities	κριτική αξιολόγηση	87
8A	craftsmanship	n	very detailed work that has been done using a lot of skill, so that the result is beautiful	The carving is a superb piece of craftsmanship.	δεξιοτεχνία, μαστοριά	87
8B	defining moment	phr	an event that determines all subsequent related events	Both of those events were defining moments in my life.	καθοριστική στιγμή	88
8B	covetable	adj	having a very strong desire to have something that someone else has	a covetable pair of shoes	επιθυμητός, πολυπόθητος	88
8B	idiosyncratic	adj	having an unusual habit or way of behaving that someone has	idiosyncratic behaviour	ιδιόμορφος	88
8B	referral	n	when someone sends someone or something to another person to be helped or dealt with	The doctor will give you a referral to a specialist in your area.	παραπεμπτικό σημείωμα	88
8B	leverage	V	to make money available to someone in order to invest or to buy something such as a company	the use of public funds to leverage private investment	μοχλεύω	88
8B	high-end	adj	relating to products or services that are more expensive and of better quality than other products of the same type	high-end computer memory chips	ακριβός, υψηλής ποιότητας	88
8B	somebody's undoing	phr	to cause someone's shame, failure etc	In the end, drink was his undoing.	η καταστροφή κάποιου	88
8B	iteration	n	saying or doing something again	Only after endless iterations, he became proficient to his art.	επανάληψη	88
8B	incentive	n	something that encourages you to work harder, start a new activity etc	As an added incentive, there's a bottle of champagne for the best team.	κίνητρο	88
8B	co-opt	V	to make someone a member of a group, committee etc, by the agreement of all the members	The committee may co-opt additional members for special purposes.	κάνω μέλος, επιλέγω	88

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8B	parlay	V	to use advantages that you already have, such as your skills, experience, or money, and increase their value by using all your opportunities well	He owned five movie theaters, which he eventually parlayed into hotels.	μετατρέπω, χρησιμοποιώ ως	88
8B	monetise	V	to change government bonds and debts into money	monetise a business	ρευστοποιώ	88
8B	quantify	V	to calculate the value of something and express it as a number or an amount	an attempt to quantify the region's social and economic decline	ποσοτικοποιώ	89
8B	received wisdom	phr	knowledge or information that people generally believe is true, although in fact it is often false	The received wisdom is that marriage makes a relationship more secure, but as the divorce rates show, this is not necessarily true.	κοινή παραδοχή	89
8B	endorsement	n	if a famous person endorses a product or service, they say in an advertisement that they use and like it	celebrity endorsements	υποστήριξη	89
8B	simultaneously	adv	happening at exactly the same time	The opera will be broadcast simultaneously on television and radio.	ταυτόχρονα, συγχρόνως	89
8B	avant-garde	adj	avant-garde music, literature etc is extremely modern and often seems strange or slightly shocking	an avant-garde play	πρωτοποριακός, προχωρημένος	90
8B	adage	n	a well-known phrase that says something wise about human experience	the old adage that a picture is worth a thousand words	γνωμικό, παροιμία	90
8B	justifiable	adj	actions, reactions, decisions etc that are justifiable are acceptable because they are done for good reasons	justifiable anger	δικαιολογημένος, εύλογος	91
8B	grave	adj	grave problems, situations, or worries are very great or bad	Matthew's life is in grave danger.	πολύ σοβαρός, θανάσιμος	91
8B	cobbler (old- fashioned)	n	someone who makes and repairs shoes	Grandpa John used to be a cobbler.	τσαγκάρης	91
8B	espadrille	n pl	a light shoe that is made of cloth and rope	a nice pair of shoes, called espadrilles	εσπαντρίγια	91
8B	toy with	phr v	to think about an idea or possibility, usually for a short time and not very seriously	I've been toying with the idea of going to Japan to visit them.	παίζω, φλερτάρω με μια ιδέα	91
8B	stand for election	v phr	to be elected	She was one of the first women to stand for election to parliament.	εκλέγομαι	92
8B	obligatory	adj	something that is obligatory must be done because of a law, rule etc	It is obligatory for companies to provide details of their industrial processes.	υποχρεωτικός	92
8B	see fit	v phr	to decide that something is the best thing to do, especially when other people do not agree with you	The government saw fit to ignore our advice.	βρίσκω κάτι πρέπον, βολικό	93

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8B	ambiguity	n	the state of being unclear, confusing, or not certain, or things that produce this effect	There was an element of ambiguity in the president's reply.	ασάφεια	93
8B	come down on (the side of)	phr v	to decide to support someone or something	The committee came down in favour of making the information public.	αποφασίζω να υποστηρίξω	93
8B	evocation	n	the act of producing a strong feeling or memory in someone	The poem is an evocation of lost love.	ανάμνηση, ζωντάνεμα	93
8B	reverence	n	great respect and admiration for someone or something	reverence for tradition	σεβασμός, ευλάβεια	93
8B	depict	V	to describe something or someone in writing or speech, or to show them in a painting, picture etc	a book depicting life in pre-revolutionary Russia	απεικονίζω, περιγράφω	93
8B	rule-bound	adj	limited or restricted by rules	a complex and rule-bound system, difficult to understand, and hard to administer	δεσμευτικός από κανόνες ή νόμους	93

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Lead- in	stamina	n	physical or mental strength that lets you continue doing something for a long time without getting tired	You need stamina to be a long-distance runner.	αντοχή	135
9A	agility	n	the ability to move quickly and easily	With surprising agility, Karl darted across the road.	ευκινησία	135
9A	gangly	adj	unusually tall and thin, and not able to move gracefully	an awkward, gangly teenager	ψηλόλιγνος	136
9A	epic	adj	an epic event continues for a long time and involves brave or exciting actions	his epic journey to South America	επικός	136
9A	stagger	V	to walk or move unsteadily, almost falling over	He managed to stagger home.	τρεκλίζω	136
9A	stalemate	n	a situation in which it seems impossible to settle an argument or disagreement, and neither side can get an advantage	The discussions with the miners' union ended in stalemate.	αδιέξοδο	136
9A	incongruous	adj	strange, unexpected, or unsuitable in a particular situation	The new theatre looks utterly incongruous in its setting.	αταίριαστος	136
9A	baggy	adj	baggy clothes are big and do not fit tightly on your body	She was wearing jeans and a baggy T-shirt.	φαρδύς, χαλαρός	136
9A	languid	adj	moving slowly and involving very little energy	He greeted Charles with a languid wave of his hand.	νωχελικός	136
9A	partisan	adj	strongly supporting a particular political party, plan, or leader, usually without considering the other choices carefully	British newspapers are highly partisan.	μεροληπτικός	136
9A	jostle	V	to push or knock against someone in a crowd, especially so that you can get somewhere or do something before other people	Followers of the president jostled for position in front of the TV cameras.	σπρώχνομαι	136
9A	fidget	V	to keep moving your hands or feet, especially because you are bored or nervous	Stop fidgeting with your pens!	κινούμαι νευρικά	136
9A	disarmingly	adv	in a way that makes you feel less angry or disapproving towards someone	He was disarmingly honest about his past mistakes.	αφοπλιστικά	137
9A	abiding	adj	an abiding feeling or belief continues for a long time and is not likely to change	Phil has a deep and abiding love for his family.	διαρκής, αμετάβλητος	137
9A	trickle	V	if liquid trickles somewhere, it flows slowly in drops or in a thin stream	The tears trickled down her cheeks.	στάζω, σταλάζω	137
9A	hypnotise	V	to produce a sleep-like state in someone so that you can influence their thoughts and actions	We were completely hypnotized by her performance of the Haydn.	υπνωτίζω, μαγεύω	137

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9A	latter	adj	being the second of two people or things, or the last in a list just mentioned	In the latter case, buyers pay a 15% commission.	ο τελευταίος (από τους δύο)	137
9A	adrenalin	n	a chemical produced by your body when you are afraid, angry, or excited, which makes your heart beat faster	There's nothing like a good horror film to get the adrenalin going.	αδρεναλίνη	137
9A	changeover (in a tennis match)	n	a change from one activity, system, or way of working to another	a changeover from military to civilian government	μετάβαση, αλλαγή	137
9A	register	V	to put someone's or something's name on an official list	The tanker is registered in Rotterdam.	εγγράφομαι	137
9A	reach a milestone	n phr	a very important event in the development of something	The treatment of diabetes reached a significant milestone in the 1970s.	φτάνω σε ένα ορόσημο	137
9A	on a knife edge	n phr	if a situation is on a knife edge, the result is extremely uncertain	The future of the company is on a knife edge.	στην κόψη του ξυραφιού	137
9A	in the aftermath	adv phr	the period of time after something such as a war, storm, or accident when people are still dealing with the results	the danger of disease in the aftermath of the earthquake	στον απόηχο	137
9A	weep inconsolably	coll.	to cry so sadly that it is impossible for anyone to comfort you	The boy cried inconsolably after the death of his dog.	κλαίω απαρηγόρητα	137
9A	locker room	n phr	a room in a sports building, school etc where people change their clothes and leave them in lockers	He changed his clothes in the locker room before going to his tennis practice.	αποδυτήρια	137
9A	humble	adj	not considering yourself or your ideas to be as important as other people's	a modest and humble man	ταπεινός, σεμνός	137
9A	haunt	V	if the soul of a dead person haunts a place, it appears there often	The pub is said to be haunted by the ghost of a former landlord.	στοιχειώνω, τρομάζω	137
9A	on the wane	n phr	becoming smaller, weaker, or less important	By the 5th century, the power of the Roman Empire was on the wane.	σε πτώση	137
9A	league	n	a group of sports teams or players who play games against each other to see who is best	He makes his football league debut tomorrow.	πρωτάθλημα	138
9A	inflatable	adj	an inflatable object has to be filled with air before you can use it	an inflatable mattress	φουσκωτός	138
9A	fortitude	n	courage shown when you are in great pain or experiencing a lot of trouble	Winnie is a woman of quiet fortitude who has endured a lot of suffering.	καρτερία, γενναιότητα	138
9A	ingenuity	n	skill at inventing things and thinking of new ideas	John showed great ingenuity in overcoming the problem.	εφευρετικότητα	138

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9A	(be) a testament to	n phr	proving or showing very clearly that something exists or is true	The aircraft's safety record is a testament to its designers' skill.	μαρτυρία, απόδειξη	138
9A	exhilarated	adj	feeling extremely happy, excited, and full of energy	Dan felt strangely exhilarated by the day's events.	ζωντανός, αναζωογονημένος	140
9A	petrified	adj	extremely frightened, especially so frightened that you cannot move or think	I'm petrified of spiders.	κοκκαλωμένος από φόβο	140
9A	overwhelmed	adj	if someone is overwhelmed by an emotion, they feel it so strongly that they cannot think clearly	Harriet was overwhelmed by a feeling of homesickness.	συγκλονισμένος	140
9A	saddle	n	a leather seat that you sit on when you rid e a horse, a bicycle or a motorcycle	We did six or eight hours in the saddle every day.	σέλα	141
9A	umpire	n	the person who makes sure that the players obey the rules in sports such as tennis, baseball, and cricket	a tennis umpire	διαιτητής, κριτής	141
9A	bleak	adj	without anything to make you feel happy or hopeful	The company still hopes to find a buyer, but the future looks bleak.	ζοφερός, θλιβερός	141
9A	naive	adj	not having much experience of how complicated life is, so that you trust people too much and believe that good things will always happen	a naive young girl	απλοϊκός, αφελής	141
9A	matter-of-fact	adj	showing no emotion when you are talking about something exciting, frightening, upsetting etc	Joan seemed very matter-of-fact about the divorce.	ανέκφραστος, που δε δείχνει συναίσθημα	141
9A	grit (one's) teeth	idiom. phr	to use all your determination to continue in spite of difficulties	ust grit your teeth and hang on - it'll be over soon.	σφίγγω τα δόντια	141
9A	toddler	n	a very young child who is just learning to walk	My nephew is a toddler who can barely walk.	νήπιο	142
9A	outcast	n	someone who is not accepted by the people they live among, or who has been forced out of their home	Smokers often feel as though they are being treated as social outcasts.	απόβλητος, απόκληρος	142
9B	allay	V	to make someone feel less afraid, worried etc	The president made a statement to allay public anxiety.	καθησυχάζω, κατευνάζω	143
9B	food-labelling	n	a label on food packaging, explaining ingredients etc	I always check the food-labelling before purchasing a new product.	ετικέτα συσκευασίας τροφίμου	143
9B	be clued up (about)	phr	knowing a lot about something	Ask Margaret. She's pretty clued-up about that sort of thing.	ενημερωμένος	143
9B	preservatives	n pl	chemical substances that are used to prevent things from decaying, for example food or wood	food that contains no artificial preservatives	συντηρητικά	143

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9B	additive	n	a substance that is added to food to improve its taste, appearance etc	permitted food additives	πρόσθετο	144
9B	carbohydrate	n	a substance that is in foods such as sugar, bread, potatoes, which provides your body with heat and energy and which consists of oxygen, hydrogen, and carbon,	foods such as rice, bread, and potatoes that contain carbohydrates	υδατάνθρακας	144
9B	vegan	n	someone who does not eat any animal products at all, such as meat, fish, eggs, cheese, or milk	a strict vegan diet	φυτοφάγος	144
9B	fibre	n	the parts of plants that you eat but cannot digest. Fibre helps to keep you healthy by moving food quickly through your body	Fruit and vegetables are high in fibre content.	φυτικές ίνες	144
9B	trans fats	n phr	a type of fat that is produced by hydrogenation (= when vegetable oil is made into solid fat) and is used in margarine, fried foods, etc	Crisps are full in trans-fats.	ακόρεστα λίπη	144
9B	hydrogenated	adj	fat in foods that has had hydrogen added to it	Hydrogenated fats are bad for your health	υδρογονωμένος	144
9B	from scratch	adv phr	if you start something from scratch, you begin it without using anything that existed or was prepared before	We had to start again from scratch.	από το μηδέν	145
9B	sluggish	adj	moving or reacting more slowly than normal	Alex woke late feeling tired and sluggish.	νωθρός, υποτονικός	145
9B	hot potato	n phr	a subject or problem that no one wants to deal with, because it is difficult and any decision might make people angry	The issue has become a political hot potato.	"καυτή πατάτα", ακανθώδες ζήτημα	145
9B	calories	n	a unit for measuring the amount of energy that food will produce	A potato has about 90 calories.	θερμίδες	146
9B	pulses	n pl	seeds such as beans, peas, and lentils that you can eat	red lentil pulses	όσπρια	146
9B	confectionery	n	sweets, chocolates etc	The shop specializes in luxury confectionary.	ζαχαροπλαστική	146
9B	burn the candle at both ends	saying	to get very tired by doing things until very late at night and getting up early in the mornings	Mum's been burning the candle at both ends the past week and she is exhausted.	εξαντλούμαι από την πολύωρη εργασία	146
9B	unforgiving	adj	an unforgiving place is very difficult to live in, for example because it is extremely hot or cold	Antarctica is a very unforgiving place.	αμείλικτος	147
9B	prominently	adv	easily seen, importantly	Her photo was prominently displayed on his desk.	σε περίοπτη θέση	147
9B	(be) choosey	adj	someone who is choosy will only accept things that they like a lot or they consider to be very good	She's very choosy about clothes.	εκλεκτικός	147

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9B	genetically modified	adj phr	genetically modified foods or plants have had their genetic structure changed so that they are not affected by particular diseases or harmful insects	a genetically modifed crop that is resistant to the disease	γενετικά τροποποιημένος	148
9B	rigorous	adj	severe, strict, and thorough	The swimmers follow a rigorous schedule of training twice a day.	αυστηρός	150
9B	ligament	n	a band of strong material in your body, similar to muscle, that joins bones or holds an organ in its place	He tore a ligament in his left knee.	σύνδεσμος	150
9B	optimal	adj	the best or most suitable	the optimal solution	βέλτιστος, άριστος	150
9B	(be) geared towards	adj phr	to be organized in a way that is suitable for a particular purpose or situation	The typical career pattern was geared to men whose wives didn't work.	προσανατολισμένος σε	150
9B	progression	n	a gradual process of change or development	the natural progression of the disease	πρόοδος	143 / script
9B	kick off	phr v	if a meeting, event, or a football game kicks off, it starts	The match kicks off at 3 o'clock.	ξεκινώ	143 / script
9B	toe the line	v phr	to do what other people in a job or organization say you should do, whether you agree with them or not	You toe the line or you don't stay on the team!	ακολουθώ τη γραμμή, παρατάσσομαι	143 / script
9B	clued up (about)	adj	knowing a lot about something	Ask Margaret. She's pretty clued up about that sort of thing.	καλά ενημερωμένος για	143 / script
9B	hype	n	attempts to make people think something is good or important by talking about it a lot on television, the radio etc – used to show disapproval	Despite the media hype, I found the film very disappointing.	υπερβολική δημοσιότητα	143 / script
9B	residue	n	a substance that remains on a surface, in a container etc and cannot be removed easily, or that remains after a chemical process	Rinse off any soap residue.	υπόλειμμα	143 / script
9B	afoot	adj	being planned or happening	There were plans afoot for a second attack.	σε εξέλιξη	143 / script
9B	prohibitive	adj	prohibitive costs are so high that they prevent people from buying or doing something	The cost of land in Tokyo is prohibitive.	απαγορευτικός	143 / script
9B	far-fetched	adj	extremely unlikely to be true or to happen	All this may sound a bit far-fetched, but companies are already developing 'intelligent' homes.	υπερβολικός, παρατραβηγμένος	143 / script

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9B	barrage	n	a lot of criticism, questions, complaints etc that are said at the same time, or very quickly one after another	a barrage of questions	καταιγισμός	143 / script
9B	red tape	n	official rules that seem unnecessary and prevent things from being done quickly and easily	a procedure surrounded by bureaucracy and red tape	γραφειοκρατία	143 / script
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9A	grassroots	n	the ordinary people in an organization, rather than the leaders	We are hoping for full participation at grass roots level	οι απλοί πολίτες, η βάση	95
9A	thereby	adv	with the result that something else happens	He became a citizen in 1978, thereby gaining the right to vote.	έτσι, ως εκ τούτου	95
9A	cross-section	n	something that has been cut in half so that you can look at the inside, or a drawing of this, a group of people or things that is typical of a much larger group	a wide cross-section of the taxpaying population	αντιπροσωπευτικό δείγμα / διατομή	95
9A	suspense	n	a feeling of excitement or anxiety when you do not know what will happen next	They kept us in suspense for over two hours.	αγωνία	96
9A	archery	n	the sport of shooting arrows from a bow	Archery is an Olympic sport, isn't it?	τοξοβολία	96
9A	tightrope	n	a rope or wire high above the ground that someone walks along in a circus	I feel as though I'm walking a tightrope between success and failure.	τεντωμένο σχοινί	96
9A	stuntman	n	a man who is employed to take the place of an actor when something dangerous has to be done in a film	Many actors use stuntmen to do all the dangerous acts to avoid getting themselves hurt.	κασκαντέρ	96
9A	spray	n	liquid which is forced out of a special container in a stream of very small drops	a new hair styling spray	σπρέι, ψεκασμός	96
9A	hinder	V	to make it difficult for something to develop or succeed	His career has been hindered by injury.	εμποδίζω	96
9A	visibility	n	the distance it is possible to see, especially when this is affected by weather conditions	Visibility on the roads is down to 20 metres due to heavy fog.	ορατότητα	96
9A	unnerved	adj	upset or frightened so that they lose their confidence or their ability to think clearly	He was unnerved by the way Sylvia kept staring at him.	ταραγμένος, εκνευρισμένος	96
9A	cable	n	a plastic or rubber tube containing wires that carry telephone messages, electronic signals, television pictures etc	cables and switches for computers	καλώδιο	96
9A	cascading	adj	flowing, falling, or hanging down in large quantities	cascading water	που ξεχειλίζει	96
9A	drained	adj	very tired and without any energy	Suddenly, she felt totally drained.	εξαντλημένος	96

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9A	fluffy	adj	very light and soft to touch	a fluffy little kitten	χνουδωτός, αφράτος	97
9A	jest	n	something you say that is intended to be funny, not serious	I wasn't sure whether to treat her words as a jest.	αστείο	97
9A	optimise	V	to improve the way that something is done or used so that it is as effective as possible	They need to optimize the use of available resources.	βελτιστοποιώ	98
9A	burst	n	the act of something bursting or the place where it has burst	a burst in the water pipe	έκρηξη, σκάσιμο	98
9A	bobsleigh	n	a small vehicle with two long thin metal blades instead of wheels, that is used for racing down a special ice track	Sixteen teams took part in the 400m bobsleigh.	έλκηθρο	98
9A	get under the skin of	idiom. phr	if someone gets under your skin, they annoy you, especially by the way they behave	What really gets under my skin is people who push straight to the front of the line.	ενοχλούμαι από μία συμπεριφορά	98
9A	do wonders for	idiom. phr	to be very effective in solving a problem	A good night's sleep does wonders to the organism.	έχω πολύ καλά αποτελέσματα, κάνω θαύματα	98
9A	butterflies' (in the stomach)	idiom. phr	to feel very nervous before doing something	I always get butterflies before an exam.	πεταλούδες στο στομάχι, νευρικότητα	98
9A	tighten	V	to close or fasten something firmly by turning it	Tighten the screws firmly.	σφίγγω, τεντώνω	98
9A	pent-up emotion	phr	pent-up feelings have not been expressed or used for a long time	years of pent-up anger and frustration	καταπιεσμένο συναίσθημα	98
9A	downward cycle	phr	moving or pointing towards a lower position in a cycle	a market in a downward cycle	πτωτική τροχιά	98
9A	trigger word	phr	a word that initiates a process or course of action	'Fetch' is a typical trigger word used in dog training.	λέξη κλειδί, που ενεργοποεί μια διαδικασία	98
9B	swallow	V	to make food or drink go down your throat and towards your stomach	He swallowed the last of his coffee and asked for the bill.	καταπίνω	99
9B	chargrill	V	to cook food over or under direct heat so that its surface burns slightly and becomes dark	chargrilled chops	ψήνω στη σχάρα	99
9B	staple	adj	forming the greatest or most important part of something	Oil is Nigeria's staple export.	βασικός, κύριος	99
9B	anaemic	adj	suffering from anaemia	his anaemic-looking face	αναιμικός	99
9B	taste buds	phr	one of the small parts of the surface of your tongue with which you can taste things	I have been avoiding salt so my taste buds have adjusted accordingly.	γευστικοί κάλυκες	99
9B	tangy	adj	pleasantly strong or sharp smell or taste	tangy orange cake	αψύς, πικάντικος	99

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9B	smoothie	n	a thick drink made of fruit and fruit juices mixed together, sometimes with ice, milk, or yoghurt	a strawberry-banana smoothie	smoothie (ρόφημα από φρούτα και γάλα)	99
9B	relent	V	to change your attitude and become less strict or cruel towards someone	At last her father relented and came to visit her.	υποχωρώ, μαλακώνω	99
9B	lifelong	adj	continuing or existing all through your life	She became a lifelong friend of ours.	δια βίου	100
9B	lapse	V	to gradually come to an end or to stop for a period of time	The conversation lapsed.	ολισθαίνω / παραγράφομαι, λήγω	100
9B	glory hunter	n phr	someone who supports a successful team for the sake of it, and that the level of their loyalty is determined by whether or not the club can sustain the success	Glory hunters tend to only follow teams that are winning.	οπαδός, υποστηρικτής ομάδας ανάλογα με το πόσο καλές επιδόσεις έχει αυτή	100
9B	hooliganism	n	a noisy violent behaviour which causes trouble by fighting etc	Hooliganism is still a thorny issue.	χουλιγκανισμός	100
9B	bribery	n	the act of giving bribes (money or presents)	We tried everything - persuasion, bribery, threats.	δωροδοκία	100
9B	gambler	n	someone who risks money or possessions on the result of something such as a card game or a race, when you do not know for certain what the result will be	Stevens was a compulsive gambler.	τζογαδόρος	100
9B	pervade	V	if a feeling, idea, or smell pervades a place, it is present in every part of it	A spirit of hopelessness pervaded the country.	διεισδύω, διαποτίζω	100
9B	immune	adj	someone who is immune to a particular disease cannot catch it	Once we've had the disease, we're immune for life.	απρόσβλητος, άνοσος	100
9B	match-fixing	n	dishonest activity to make sure that one team wins a particular sports match	Match-fixing is illegal.	στήσιμο αγώνα	100
9B	wrongdoing	n	illegal or immoral behaviour	cleared of any wrongdoing	αδικία, αδικοπραγία	100
9B	mismatch	n	a combination of things or people that do not work well together or are not suitable for each other	the mismatch between the demand for health care and the supply	αναντιστοιχία	100
9B	disillusioned	adj	disappointed because you have lost your belief that someone is good, or that an idea is right	As she grew older, Laura became increasingly disillusioned with politics.	απογοητευμένος, χωρίς αυταπάτες	100
9B	disclosure	n	a secret that someone tells people, or the act of telling this secret	the disclosure of private medical information	αποκάλυψη	100

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9B	allegiance	n	loyalty to a leader, country, belief etc	You owe allegiance to your king.	πίστη, υποταγή	100
9B	scoreboard	n	a board on which the points won in a game are recorded	He looked at the scoreboard to check his team's points.	πίνακας βαθμολογίας	101
9B	ritual	n	a ceremony that is always performed in the same way, in order to mark an important religious or social occasion	ancient pagan rituals	τελετουργία, ιεροτελεστία	101
9B	quote	V	to repeat exactly what someone else has said or written	She quoted from a newspaper article.	παραθέτω, αναφέρω επί λέξη	101
9B	myth	n	an idea or story that many people believe, but which is not true	the myth of male superiority	μύθος	101
9B	consultancy	n	a company that gives advice on a particular subject	a management consultancy	συμβουλευτικές υπηρεσίες	101
9B	season ticket	coll.	a ticket that allows you to make a lot of journeys during a particular period of time, or go to all the games, concerts etc being held during a particular time. Season tickets cost less than it would cost to buy a ticket for each journey, game etc	an annual season ticket	εισιτήριο διαρκείας	101
9B	year in, year out	phr	every year for many years	Many birds return to the same spot year after year.	χρόνο με τον χρόνο	101
9B	plausible	adj	reasonable and likely to be true or successful	His story certainly sounds plausible.	εύλογος	101
9B	trophy	n	a large object such as a silver cup or plate that someone receives as a prize for winning a competition	walls lined with banners and athletic trophies	έπαθλο, τρόπαιο, βραβείο	101
9B	deter sb from	V	to stop someone from doing something, by making them realize it will be difficult or have bad results	The company's financial difficulties have deterred potential investors.	αποθαρρύνω, αποτρέπω	101
9B	fake	adj	made to look like a real material or object in order to deceive people	a fake ID card	πλαστός, "μαϊμού"	101
9B	(football) division	n	one of the groups of teams that a sports competition is divided into, often based on the number of games they have won	a second-division club	κατηγορία (ομάδων ποδοσφαίρου)	101
9B	ominous	adj	making you feel that something bad is going to happen	How long will she be ill?' he asked. There was an ominous silence.	δυσοίωνος	101
9B	(football) league	n	an organization of professional football teams in England and Wales. It consists of three 'Leagues': the Championship and Leagues One and Two, but does not include the FA Premiership, which is the highest league. Professional football in Scotland is controlled by a similar organization called the Scottish Football League.	the European football league	πρωτάθλημα	101

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9B	sedentary	adj	spending a lot of time sitting down, and not moving or exercising very much	health problems caused by our sedentary lifestyles	καθιστικός	102
9B	raw	adj	not cooked, raw substances are in a natural state and not treated or prepared for use	Cabbage can be eaten raw.	ωμός, ακατέργαστος	102
9B	intimidated	adj	feeling worried and lacking confidence because of the situation you are in or the people you are with	I was shy, and felt intimidated by the older students.	φοβισμένος	102

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10A	be on your guard	v phr	to be paying attention to what is happening in order to avoid danger, being tricked etc	These men are dangerous so you'll need to be on your guard.	είμαι σε επιφυλακή	152
10A	fall back on	phr v	to use something or depend on someone's help when dealing with a difficult situation, especially after other methods have failed	She has no relatives to fall back on.	καταφεύγω σε, στρέφομαι	152
10A	remedy	V	a way of dealing with a problem or making a bad situation better	The problems in our schools do not have a simple remedy.	λύση, θεραπεία	152
10A	investment	n	the use of money to get a profit or to make a business activity successful, or the money that is used	We plan to buy some property as an investment.	επένδυση	152
10A	overreact	V	to react to something with too much emotion, or by doing something that is unnecessary	You always overreact to criticism.	υπερβάλλω, αντιδρώ υπερβολικά	152
10A	unrepresentative	adj	not typical of a particular group of things or people	opinions that are unrepresentative of the population	μη αντιπροσωπευτικός	152
10A	tackle	V	to try to deal with a difficult problem	There is more than one way to tackle the problem.	αντιμετωπίζω	152
10A	recruitment	n	finding new people to work in a company, joining an organization, do a job etc	The financial recession has forced a lot of companies to cut down on new recruitments.	πρόσληψη, στρατολόγηση	152
10A	inadequacy	n	a feeling that you are not as good, clever, skilled etc as other people	Unemployment can cause feelings of inadequacy and low self-esteem.	ανεπάρκεια	152
10A	detract from (sth)	phr v	to make something seem less good	One poor performance does not detract from the team's achievements.	μειώνω, αφαιρώ	152
10A	naivety	n	the quality of trusting people too much and believing that good things will always happen, because you do not have much experience of life	Talking to the press showed great political naivety.	αφέλεια	152
10A	nothing ventured, nothing gained	phr	used to say that you cannot achieve anything unless you take risks	His motto when it comes to business is: nothing ventured, nothing gained.	πρέπει να ρισκάρεις για να κερδίσεις	152
10A	headhunt	V	to persuade someone to leave their present job by offering them another job with higher position or more pay	After 2 years at Lloyds, he was headhunted by a rival bank.	προσφέρω καλύτερη θέση εργασίας, στρατολογώ	152
10A	canny	adj	clever, careful, and not easily deceived, especially in business or politics	a canny political advisor	πονηρός	152
10A	untenable	adj	an untenable situation has become so difficult that it is impossible to continue	The scandal put the President in an untenable position.	αφόρητος	152

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10A	restraint	n	calm sensible controlled behaviour, especially in a situation when it is difficult to stay calm	The police were praised for their restraint in handling the demonstrators.	καταστολή, περιορισμός	152
10A	recruit	V	to find new people to work in a company, join an organization, do a job etc	We're having difficulty recruiting enough qualified staff.	προσλαμβάνω, στρατολογώ	152
10A	burgeon	V	to grow or develop quickly	the burgeoning market for digital cameras	ανθίζω	152
10A	backlog	n	a large amount of work that you need to complete, especially work that should already have been completed	a backlog of requests	λίστα εκκρεμοτήτων	152
10A	flounder	V	to have a lot of problems and be likely to fail completely	More and more firms are floundering because of the recession.	παραπαίω, παραδέρνω	152
10A	raring to go	phr	very eager to start an activity	They woke up early and were raring to go.	ανυπομονώ να ξεκινήσω κάτι	153
10A	distribution	n	the act of sharing things among a large group of people in a planned way	the distribution of aid supplies	διαμονή	153
10A	make a go of sth	v phr	to make something succeed, especially a business or marriage	Nikki was determined to make a go of the business.	κάνω κάτι να πετύχει	153
10A	sink all your savings into sth	v phr	to spend a lot of money on something	They sank their entire savings into their house.	ξοδεύω όλες τις οικονομίες μου σε κάτι	153
10A	run up an overdraft	v phr	to owe a bank a large amount of money after having spent more money than you had in your account	I've run up an overdraft and I'm broke now.	χρωστάω στην τράπεζα, έχω κάνει υπερανάληψη	153
10A	backer	n	someone who supports a plan, especially by providing money	We're still trying to find backers for the housing development scheme.	υποστηρικτής, χρηματοδότης	153
10A	omit	V	to not include someone or something, either deliberately or because you forget to do it	Please don't omit any details, no matter how trivial they may seem.	παραλείπω	153
10A	confidentiality	n	a situation in which you trust someone not to tell secret or private information to anyone else	The relationship between attorney and client is based on confidentiality.	εμπιστευτικότητα	153
10A	pay dearly (for sth)	phr	to suffer a lot as a result of a particular action or event	If you refuse to cooperate with us, you will pay dearly for it.	το πληρώνω ακριβά	153
10A	subsequent	adj	happening or coming after something else	These skills were passed on to subsequent generations.	επόμενος, μεταγενέστερος	153

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10A	chalk sth up to experience	expr.	to accept a failure or disappointment calmly and regard it as an experience that you can learn something from	"So your new job didn't work out very well?" "No, it didn't, but never mind - chalk it up to experience."	δέχομαι μια αποτυχία ήρεμα και την καταγράφω ως διδακτική εμπειρία	153
10A	expansion	n	when something increases in size, range, amount etc	The rapid expansion of cities can cause social and economic problems.	επέκταση, διεύρυνση	153
10A	groundwork	n	something that has to happen before an activity or plan can be successful	His speech laid the groundwork for independence.	βάσεις, θεμέλια	153
10A	sustain (a level of sth)	V	to make something continue to exist or happen for a period of time	to make something continue to exist or happen for a period of time	διατηρώ, συντηρώ	153
10A	blip	n	a short high electronic sound, or a flashing light on the screen of a piece of electronic equipment	blips on a radar screen	μπιπ, σύντομος ηλεκτρονικός ήχος ή φωτάκι που αναβοσβήνει σε οθόνη	153
10A	pay off	phr v	to give someone all the money you owe them	I'll pay off all my debts first.	εξοφλώ	153
10A	comfort zone	n phr	your comfort zone is the range of activities or situations that you feel happy and confident in	It's not easy to get out of your comfort zone but you have to try it from time to time.	ζώνη άνεσης, δραστηριότητες ή συνθήκες στις οποίες κάποιος αισθάνεται άνετα	153
10A	mess (sth) up	phr v	to spoil or ruin something, especially something important or something that has been carefully planned	I felt like I had messed my whole life up and needed to make a new start.	χαλάω, καταστρέφω	153
10A	venture capitalist	n	a person or company that lends money to someone so that they can start a new business	Venture capitalists are looking for a high rate of return on their investment.	επενδυτής επιχειρηματικών κεφαλαίων	153
10A	put it mildly	v phr	used to say that you could use much stronger words to describe something	Losing two members of staff was unfortunate, to put it mildly.	για να το θέσω ήπια	153
10A	gut feeling	phr	a feeling that you are sure is right, although you cannot give a reason for it	He had a gut feeling that Sarah was lying.	προαίσθημα	153
10A	call it a day	expr.	to decide to stop working, especially because you have done enough or you are tired	Come on, let's call it a day and go home.	ολοκληρώνω, τελειώνω	153
10A	drag on	phr v	if an event or situation drags on, it continues for too long	The party seemed to drag on when everybody wanted to just call it a night.	συνεχίζομαι, παρατραβάω	153

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10A	inexcusable	adj	inexcusable behaviour is too bad to be excused	an inexcusable act of aggression	αδικαιολόγητος, ασυγχώρητος	153
10A	a different kettle of fish	expr.	used to say that a situation is very different from one that you have just mentioned	She enjoys public speaking but being on TV is a different kettle of fish.	εντελώς διαφορετική υπόθεση	153
10A	settle for second best	v phr	to accept something even though it is not the best, or not what you really want	They want \$2500 for it, but they might settle for \$2000.	αρκούμαι, συμβιβάζομαι με	154
10A	business associate	n phr	someone who you work or do business with		επαγγελματικός συνεργάτης	155
10A	reciprocal	adj	a reciprocal arrangement or relationship is one in which two people or groups do or give the same things to each other	He spoke of the necessity for a reciprocal relationship that would be useful for all sides.	αμοιβαίος	155
10A	portable	adj	able to be carried or moved easily	a portable radio	φορητός	155
10A	asset	n	the things that a company owns, that can be sold to pay debts	a corporation with \$9 billion in assets	περιουσιακό στοιχείο	155
10A	thatched	adj	a thatched roof is made with dried straw, reeds, leaves etc	a thatched cottage	αχυρένιος	156
10A	have designs on	v phr	to want something for yourself, especially because it will bring you money	Several developers have designs on the property.	έχω σχέδια για, εποφθαλμιώ	157
10A	categorically	adv	in such a sure and certain way that there is no doubt	He has categorically denied his guilt all along.	κατηγορηματικά	157
10A	venture	n	a new business activity that involves taking risks	a future venture	επιχείρηση, τόλμημα, εγχείρημα	157
10A	a recipe for	expr.	to be likely to cause a particular result, often a bad one	She said that five small boys on skis was a recipe for disaster, not a holiday.	μια συνταγή για	158
10A	eagle eye	phr	used to say that someone is watching carefully or is likely to notice something	They carried on working, under the eagle eye of the owner.	άγρυπνο μάτι	158
10A	accordingly	adv	in a way that is suitable for a particular situation or that is based on what someone has done or said	Katherine still considered him a child and treated him accordingly.	ανάλογα	158
10A	arrogance	n	when someone behaves in a rude way because they think they are very important	I couldn't believe the arrogance of the man!	αλαζονία	158
10A	constructive criticism	n phr	useful and helpful remarks, or likely to produce good results	Thank you for the feedback and the constructive criticism.	εποικοδομητική κριτική	158

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10A	put sth to good use	v phr	to use something such as knowledge or skills for a particular purpose	a job where her management skills can be put to good use	κάνω βέλτιστη χρήση, αξιοποιώ	158
10A	validity	n	the fact that something is legally or officially acceptable	I would question the validity of that statement.	κύρος, εγκυρότητα	158
10B	bowl (sb) over	phr v	to surprise, please, or excite someone very much	I was bowled over by the beauty of the landscape.	καταπλήσσω κάποιον	159
10B	fall into place	v phr	if parts of a situation that you have been trying to understand fall into place, you start to understand how they are connected with each other	Suddenly, all the details started falling into place.	τακτοποιώ, μπαίνω στη θέση μου	159
10B	be at a loose end	n phr	to have nothing to do	I was at a loose end so I decided to go see an old movie.	έχω ελεύθερο χρόνο	159
10B	knock (sb) down with a feather	v phr	used humorously to say that you are very surprised about something	When he told me he was 60, you could have knocked me down with a feather.	αφήνω κάποιον έκπληκτο	159
10B	hooked	adj	if you are hooked on something, you enjoy it very much and you want to do it as often as possible	I got hooked on TV when I was sick.	εθισμένος, που έχει "κολλήσει"	159
10B	flabbergasted	adj	extremely surprised or shocked	When I heard how much money we'd made, I was flabbergasted.	εμβρόντητος, άναυδος	159
10B	grasp	n	your ability to understand a complicated idea, situation, or subject	Her grasp of the issues was impressive.	αντίληψη, κατανόηση	159
10B	muck about	phr v	to behave in a silly way, especially when you should be working or paying attention to something	Stop mucking about and get on with your homework right now!	τεμπελιάζω, χαζολογώ	159
10B	gob-smacked	adj	very surprised or shocked	When my sister bought a motorbike, I was totally gob-smacked.	έκπληκτος, άναυδος	159
10B	be up to doing (sth)	V	clever, good, or well enough to do something	He's not really up to seeing any visitors.	είμαι σε θέση να κάνω κάτι	159
10B	theoretical	adj	relating to the study of ideas, especially scientific ideas, rather than with practical uses of the ideas or practical experience	She has theoretical knowledge of teaching, but no practical experience.	θεωρητικός	159
10B	paradigm	n	a model or example that shows how something works or is produced	the basic paradigm of the family tree	παράδειγμα	160
10B	humanities	n pl	subjects of study such as literature, history, or art, rather than science or mathematics	Barbara will study humanities at college.	ανθρωπιστικές επιστήμες	160
10B	every subject under the sun	phr	used to emphasize that you are talking about a large range of things	You can buy jeans in every colour under the sun.	κάθετι που υπάρχει, κάθε λογής	160

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10B	effectively	adv	in a way that produces the result that was intended	Children have to learn to communicate effectively.	αποτελεσματικά	161
10B	bug	n	an illness that people catch very easily from each other but is not very serious	There's a nasty bug going round.	μικρόβιο	162
10B	hitch a lift	v phr	to get free rides from the drivers of passing cars by standing at the side of the road and putting a hand out with the thumb raised	My car broke down so I need to hitch a lift to the nearest garage.	κάνω ωτοστόπ	162
10B	collate	V	to gather information together, examine it carefully, and compare it with other information to find any differences	A computer system is used to collate information from across Britain.	συλλέγω, συγκεντρώνω	162
10B	entrepreneur	n	someone who starts a new business or arranges business deals in order to make money, often in a way that involves financial risks	The government scheme will encourage entrepreneurs to start new businesses.	επιχειρηματίας	163
10B	consensus	n	an opinion that everyone in a group agrees with or accepts	a lack of consensus about the aims of the project	ομοφωνία, συναίνεση	164
10B	substitute	V	to use something new or different instead of something else	The recipe says you can substitute yoghurt for the sour cream.	υποκαθιστώ, αντικαθιστώ με	164
10B	vocational	adj	teaching or relating to the skills you need to do a particular job	vocational qualifications	επαγγελματικός	164
10B	manual	adj	manual work involves using your hands or your physical strength rather than your mind	People in manual occupations have a lower life expectancy.	χειρωνακτικός	165
10B	prerogative	n	a right that someone has, especially because of their importance or social position	Education was once the prerogative of the elite.	προνόμιο	166
10B	familiarity breeds contempt	expr.	an expression meaning that if you know someone too well, you find out their faults and respect them less	It isn't wise to spend all your time with one person - familiarity breeds contempt.	η οικειότητα γεννά την περιφρόνηση	166
10B	under attack	v phr	in the process of being attacked	a country under attack	δέχομαι επίθεση	166
10B	of a high calibre	phr	the level of quality or ability that someone or something has achieved	The paintings were of the highest caliber.	υψηλού επιπέδου	166
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10A	right up your street	expr.	exactly right for you	A night out with the girls is right up your street.	ακριβώς αυτό που χρειάζεσαι	105

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10A	track record	n phr	all of a person's or organization's past achievements, successes, or failures, which show how well they have done something in the past and how well they are likely to do in the future	We're looking for someone with a proven track record in selling advertising.	ιστορικό	105
10A	collaborate	V	to work together with a person or group in order to achieve something, especially in science or art	The two nations are collaborating on several satellite projects.	συνεργάζομαι	105
10A	pull off (a deal)	phr v	to succeed in closing a deal	After months of negotiations she managed to pull this deal off.	κλείνω μια συμφωνία	105
10A	persevere (with)	V	to continue trying to do something in a very determined way in spite of difficulties - use this to show approval	He persevered with his task until he had succeeded in collecting an armful of firewood.	επιμένω	105
10A	redundancy	n	a situation in which someone has to leave their job, because they are no longer needed	The closure of the export department resulted in over 100 redundancies.	απόλυση πλεονάζοντος προσωπικού	107
10A	recession	n	a difficult time when there is less trade, business activity etc in a country than usual	the economic recession of the early 1980s	ύφεση	108
10A	discreetly	adv	careful about what you say or do, so that you do not offend, upset, or embarrass people or tell secrets	We need to handle the situation discreetly.	διακριτικά	108
10A	devoid of	adj	to be completely lacking in something	His face was devoid of any warmth or humour.	στερούμαι ενός πράγματος	108
10A	accentuate	V	to make something more noticeable	The photograph seemed to accentuate his large nose.	υπερτονίζω	108
10A	a necessary evil	expr.	something bad or unpleasant that you have to accept in order to achieve what you want	Mr Hurst regarded work as a necessary evil.	αναγκαίο κακό	109
10A	overstated	adj	exaggerated	The importance of a child's early years cannot be overstated.	μεγαλοποιημένος	109
10A	traumatic	adj	a traumatic experience is so shocking and upsetting that it affects you for a long time	His son's death was the most traumatic event in Stan's life.	τραυματικός	109
10A	sour	V	if a relationship or someone's attitude sours, or if something sours it, it becomes unfriendly or unfavourable	An unhappy childhood has soured her view of life.	χαλάω, ξινίζω	109
10A	chronic	adj	a chronic disease or illness is one that continues for a long time and cannot be cured	chronic asthma	χρόνιος	109

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10A	trade-off	n	a balance between two opposing things, that you are willing to accept in order to achieve something  There has to be a trade-off between quality and quantity if we want to keep prices low.		ισοζύγιο	109
10A	slacker	n	someone who is lazy and does not do all the work they should - used to show disapproval			109
10A	social standing	n phr	social status	higher social standing	κοινωνική θέση	109
10A	mobility	n	the ability to move easily from one job, area, or social class to another			109
10A	cornerstone	n	something that is extremely important because everything else depends on it			109
10A	miss out on	phr v	o not have the chance to do something that you enjoy and that vould be good for you  Prepare food in advance to ensure you don't miss out on the fun!		χάνω	109
10A	shift	V	to move from one place or position to another, or make something do this		μετακινώ, μετατοπίζω	109
10A	faint-hearted	adj	not trying very hard, usually because you do not want to do something or are not confident that you will succeed  He made a faint-hearted attempt to stop her leaving.		διστακτικός, δειλός	133 / script
10A	business acumen	n	the ability to think quickly and make good judgments  The firm's success is largely due to Brannon's business acumen.		επιχειρηματικό δαιμόνιο	135 / script
10A	finite	adj	having an end or a limit	the Earth's finite resources	πεπερασμένος	135 / script
10A	contingency plan	a plan for dealing with a future event or situation that might cause problems  We tried to ensure that the comparence of the continue of the c			σχέδιο έκτακτης ανάγκης	136 / script
10A	donkeywork	n	the hard boring work that is part of a job or project  Why do I always have to do the donkeywork?		βαρετή δουλειά, χαμαλοδουλειά	138 / script
10B	perpetrate	V	to do something that is morally wrong or illegal  Who could have perpetrated such a dreadful crime?		διαπράττω	110
10B	caught off-guard	v phr	to surprise someone by happening when they are not expecting something or prepared for it  The sudden snow storm caugh off-guard.		πιάνω κάποιον απροετοίμαστο	110
10B	fraudster	n	someone who has committed a fraud	Being the fraudster that he is, it is only logical he ended up behind bars.	απατεώνας	110
10B	regale with	V	to entertain someone by telling them about something	Bailey regaled the customers with tales of our exploits.	διασκεδάζω	110



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10B	leap of faith	expr	something you do even though it involves a risk, hoping that it will have a good result	It took a big leap of faith to decide to quit my job and try something new.	άλμα πίστης, θαρραλέα απόφαση	110
10B	swindle	V	to get money from someone by deceiving them  a businessman who swindle out of millions of pounds		εξαπατώ	110
10B	shatter	V	to break suddenly into very small pieces, or to make something break in this way  The plate hit the floor, and shattered into tiny bits.		θρυμματίζω	110
10B	disabuse	V	to persuade someone that what they believe is not true	persuade someone that what they believe is not true  I tried to disabuse him of that notion.		110
10B	lick their wounds	expr.	to quietly think about the defeat or disappointment you have just suffered	After our team's defeat, we all had to lick our wounds and regroup.	γλείφω τις πληγές μου	110
10B	ensconce	V	to settle yourself in a place where you feel comfortable and safe  Nick was comfortably ensconced in front of the TV set.		βολεύομαι	110
10B	gullible	adj	too ready to believe what other people tell you, so that you are easily tricked  Plastic replicas of the Greek pottery a sold to gullible tourists.		εύπιστος, αφελής	110
10B	fraudulent	adj	ntended to deceive people in an illegal way, in order to gain noney, power etc		δόλιος, απατηλός	110
10B			Solvent abuse is especially prevalent among younger teenagers.	διαδεδομένος	110	
10B	penultimate adj not the last, but immediately before the last the p		the penultimate chapter	προτελευταίος	110	
10B	uninitiated         adj         people who do not have special knowledge or experience of something         To the uninitiated, this wisense.		To the uninitiated, this will make little sense.	αμύητος	111	
10B	intervene	tervene  v to become involved in an argument, fight, or other difficult situation in order to change what happens  The police don't usually like to intervene in disputes between husbands and wives.		παρεμβαίνω	111	
10B	scam n a clever but dishonest way to get money He got invo		He got involved in a credit card scam.	απάτη, κόλπο	111	
10B	dupe	to trick or deceive someone  Consumers are being duped into but faulty electronic goods.		Consumers are being duped into buying faulty electronic goods.	κοροϊδεύω, εξαπατώ	111
10B	implicit	adj suggested or understood without being stated directly Her words contained an implicit threat.		έμμεσος, σιωπηρός, υπονοούμενος	111	
10B	embark upon	V	to start something, especially something new, difficult, or exciting	He embarked on a new career as a teacher.	ξεκινώ, αναλαμβάνω	112

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10B	flourish	V	to develop well and be successful	The economy is booming and small businesses are flourishing.	ανθίζω, ακμάζω, ευδοκιμώ	113
10B	stationary	adj	standing still instead of moving	How did you manage to drive into a stationary vehicle?	στατικός, ακίνητος	113
10B	exploit	V	to treat someone unfairly by asking them to do things for you, but giving them very little in return - used to show disapproval	Homeworkers can easily be exploited by employers.	εκμεταλλεύομαι	114
10B	stretch	V	to make someone use all of their skill, abilities, or intelligence	The work's too easy. The students aren't being stretched enough.	επεκτείνω	140 / script
10B	ironically	adv	used when talking about a situation in which the opposite of what you expected happens or is true	Ironically, his cold got better on the last day of his holiday.	κατά ειρωνία της τύχης	140 / script
10B	worthy	adj	to deserve to be thought about or treated in a particular way	a teacher who is worthy of respect	που αξίζει	140 / script
10B	off-chance	n	if you do something on the off-chance that something will happen, you do it hoping that it will happen although it is unlikely	I just came to see you on the off-chance that Pippa might be here.	αν παρ' ελπίδα	141 / script
10B	credit	V	to believe that something is true	We found his statement hard to credit.	πιστεύω, αναγνωρίζω	142 / script
10B	allergy	n a medical condition in which you become ill or in which your skin becomes red and painful because you have eaten or touched a particular substance		I have an allergy to cats.	αλλεργία	142 / script

