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Mm

M, m /em; em/ (pl M's, m's /emz; emz/) the 13th letter of the English alphabet; symbol for the Roman numeral 1000. 英文字母的第十三個字母；羅馬數字的 1000. ⇨ App 4. 參看附錄四。

ma /mo; mo/ *n* (colloq, abbr of) *mamma*. (俗) 爲 *mamma* 之略。

ma'am /maem; maem/ *n* *madam*, used in addressing a Queen. 對女王或皇后之尊稱。

mac /maek; mæk/ *n* (GB colloq, abbr of) *mackintosh*. (英俗) 爲 *mackintosh* 之略。

ma-cabre /ma'kæbrə; ma'kabrə/ *adj* *gruesome*; suggesting death. 可怕的；可怕的；表示死亡的。

ma-cadam /ma'kædam; ma'kædam/ *n* [U] ~ *road*, road with a surface of several layers of crushed rock or stone, each rolled hard before the next is put down. 碎石路(由幾層碎石壓成的道路)。~ *size* /-aiz; -aiz/ *vt* make or cover with such layers: 鋪以碎石；用碎石鋪成：~ *ized roads*, 鋪碎石的道路。⇨ *tarmac*.

macaroni /mæka'rouni; mæka'roni/ *n* [U] flour paste made in the form of long tubes (often chopped into short pieces), prepared for eating by being boiled. 通心粉；通心麵。

macaroon /mæka'ru:n; mæka'run/ *n* [C] small, hard, flat, sweet cake or biscuit made of sugar, white of egg, and crushed almonds or coconut. 蛋白杏仁餅或椰子餅(由糖、蛋白和杏仁或椰子製成的一種小圓餅或餅乾)。

ma-ca-w /ma'kæ; ma'kæ/ *n* a large, long-tailed parrot of tropical America. 錦葵(熱帶美洲產的一種長尾大鸚鵡)。

mace /mes; mes/ *n* 1 large, heavy club, used as a weapon in the Middle Ages. 中古時代用作武器的一種釘頭槌；鎗子。2 ceremonial rod or staff (often very much ornamented) carried or placed before an official, eg a Mayor. 權杖(通常裝飾得很精美，持於或置於官員，如市長之前)。~ *bearer* *n* person who carries an official ~. 持權杖的人。



a ceremonial mace

mace /mes; mes/ *n* [U] dried outer covering of nutmeg, used as spice. 作香料用的乾豆蔻皮；豆蔻香料。

mac-er-ate /mesə'reit; mesə'rei/ *vt, vi* [VP6A, 2A] make or become soft by soaking in water or caustic potash. (在水或苛性鉀中)浸軟。

Mach /mæk; mæk/ *n* ~ *number*, ratio of the air speed of an aircraft to the speed of sound: 馬赫值(飛行速度與音速之比例值)：~ *two*, twice the speed of sound. 二倍於音速。

ma-chete /ma'ʃet; US: 'ʃet; mo'ʃet/ *n* cutlass (2); broad, heavy knife used in Latin America and the W Indies as a cutting tool and weapon. 短柄可及乾椰子者所用的大刀；拉丁美洲和西印度羣島人當作工具和武器的大刀。

mach-ia-vel-lian /mæktə'veliən; mæktə'velən/ *adj* shelling or having no scruples in gaining what is wanted; of or like the ideas set out by Machiavelli, Italian statesman, who advocated putting expediency above political morality and the use of deceit in statecraft. 馬基維利主義之權術觀念的；爲政治目的而不擇手段的。

mach-i-na-tion /mæknə'neɪʃn; mæka'neɪʃn/ *n* [C, U] (esp evil) plot/plotting; scheme/scheming, 詭計或陰謀；圖謀不軌；陰謀。

ma-chine /ma'ʃin; ma'ʃin/ *n* [C] 1 appliance or mechanical device with parts working together to apply power, often steam or electric power (a

'printing~), but also human power (a 'sewing~). 機器：機械(通常由蒸汽或電力推動，如印刷機等，亦有由人力推動者，如縫衣機等)。We live in the ~ age, the age in which ~s more and more replace hand labour. 我們生活於機器的時代(在這時代裏，機器越來越代替了人力)。'~gun *n* gun that fires continuously while the trigger is pressed. 機關槍；機槍。

~ *made* *adj* made by ~ (contrasted with *hand-made*). 機器製的(與*hand-made*相對)。'~ *tool*, *tool*, mechanically operated, for cutting or shaping materials. 機械用具；工作母機。2 persons organized to control a group: 操縱集團的核心組織。(US) (美) the Democratic ~. 民主黨核心人物。□ *vt* [VP6A] operate on, make (sth) with a ~ (esp of sewing and printing). 用機器製造(尤指用縫紉機和印刷機)。ma-chin-ist /mə'ʃɪnist; mə'ʃɪnst/ *n* one who makes, repairs or controls ~ tools: one who works a ~, esp a sewing ~. 製造機器的人；修理機器的人；管理機器的人；機械師；機械工人；操作機器的人(尤指使用縫紉機者)。

ma-chin-ery /mə'ʃɪnəri; mə'ʃɪnəri/ *n* [U] 1 moving parts of a machine; machines collectively. 機器的轉動的部分；機械；機器(集合稱)：How much new ~ has been installed? 安裝了多少新機器？(Cf 參校 How many new machines have been installed? 安裝了多少部新機器？) 2 methods, organization (eg of government). 方法；組織；機構(例如政府的)。

ma-chismo /mə'ʃɪzmo; mə'ʃɪzmo/ *n* [U] exaggerated male pride; man's need to prove his virility. 誇張的男子氣概；證明男子氣概的需要。

mac-k-er-el /mæ'kærl; mæ'kærl/ *n* (pl unchanged) striped seafish used as food. (斑紋不變)鯖魚(赤袖青花魚)。~ *sky* *n* sky with bars of cloud like the stripes on a ~'s back. 鯖天(雲層似鯖魚之天穹)。

mac-k-in-tosh /mæ'kɪntɔʃ; mæ'kɪntəʃ/ *n* (GB) rainproof coat made of cloth treated with rubber. (英)雨衣(橡皮布製成的)。

mac-ro-biotic /mækrə'baɪə'tɪk; mækrə'baɪə'tɪk/ *adj* prolonging life. 延長壽命的。~ *food*, containing pure vegetable substances grown and prepared without chemical assistance. 延長壽命的食物(生長與調製過程均不藉化學助力的純淨蔬菜)。

mac-ro-cosm /mækrə'kozəm; mækrə'kozəm/ *n* the universe; any great whole. 宇宙；任何大而完整的實體。⇨ *microcosm*.

mad /mæd; mæd/ *adj* (-dæd, -dæst) 1 having, resulting from, a diseased mind; mentally ill. 瘋狂的；由於瘋狂的；精神錯亂的。drive/send *sb* mad, cause him to be mad. 逼入發狂。as mad as a March hare/as a hatter, very mad. 非常瘋狂。'mad-house *n* (colloq) mental hospital. (俗)瘋人院。'mad-man (-man; -mæn; -mad-woman *n* person who is mad. 瘋人；瘋子；狂人。2 (colloq) much excited; filled with enthusiasm; (俗)非常激動；充滿熱情的：mad about pop music; 對流行歌曲著迷。(esp US) angry. (尤指於美國)憤怒的：mad about/at missing the train; 趕上火車氣得要命；wild: 瘋狂的；狂見的：mad with pain. 痛得發狂。The dog was mad for water, behaving wildly because it needed water. 這狗渴得要命；foolish: 愚蠢的：What a mad thing to do! 多麼愚蠢的一件事！be/go mad, be/become wildly excited, angry, upset, etc. 極爲激動，憤怒，不安等，like mad, (colloq) with great energy; much: (俗)拼命地；猛烈地：work/run/smoke like mad. 拼命工作(奔跑，吸煙)。'mad-cap (-kæp; -kæp) *n* person acting recklessly or on impulse. 行動魯莽的人；做事衝動的人。3 (of a dog, etc) rabid. (指狗等)患狂犬病的；瘋狂的。mad-ly *adv* in a mad manner, (colloq) extremely: 瘋狂地；(俗)極其：madly excited/jealous. 狂行激動(嫉妒)。mad-ness *n* [U] the state of being mad; mad behaviour: 瘋狂；瘋狂的行為：It would be madness to try to climb the mountain in such a

snowstorm. 想在這極大的暴風雪中去爬山簡直是瘋狂。
mad-dan /'mædn; 'mædn/ *vt* [VP6A] make mad; irritate, annoy: 使瘋狂; 激怒; 使苦惱: *maddening delays* 令人生氣的延誤。

madam /'mædm; 'mædm/ *n* 1 respectful form of address to a woman (whether married or unmarried): 夫人; 女士(對婦女的尊稱): *Can I help you, ~?* (eg asked by a shop assistant): 我能為您做點嗎, 夫人? (例如店員所問); used in letters, as *Sir* is used to a man: 用於信件中, 如對男人稱 *Sir* 一樣: *Dear M~*, 夫人(女士)鑒。2 (colloq) woman or girl who likes to order people about: (俗)喜歡指使他人的婦女: *She's a bit of a ~*, 她有點兒喜歡指使別人。3 (colloq) woman who manages a brothel. (俗)妓院女老板; 鴇母。

Madame /'mædm; 'mædm/ *n* (abbr. 略作 *Mme*) (pl. *Mesdames* /'mædm; 'mædm/) French title before the name of a married woman; also used before names of married women who are not British or American: 夫人(法國對已婚婦女之尊稱, 置於姓名之前; 亦用於非英美已婚婦女之姓名前)。

mad-dar /'mæd(r); 'mæd/ *n* [U] (red dye obtained from the root of a herbaceous climbing plant with yellowish flowers. 苋草(開黃花的一種草本藤狀植物); 苋草根製成的紅色染料。

made /'meɪd; 'meɪd/ *pt, pp* of make'.

Ma-deira /'mædɪə; 'mædɪə/ *n* white dessert wine from (an island in the Atlantic Ocean). (大西洋 Ma-deira 島出產的)一種白葡萄酒。~ *cake* *n* kind of sponge-cake. 一種鬆軟蛋糕。

Mademoiselle /'mædmwə'zel; 'mædmwə'zel/ *n* (abbr. 略作 *Mlle*) (pl. *Mesdemoiselles* /'mædmwə'zel; 'mædmwə'zel/) French title used before the name of a young girl or an unmarried woman. 小姐(用於未婚女子姓名前之法國稱呼)。

Ma-donna /'mædnə; 'mædnə/ *n* the ~, (picture or statue of) Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ. 聖母(耶穌基督的母親)馬利亞的(塑像或雕像)。~ *lily*, kind of pure white lily (as often seen in pictures of the ~). 白百合花(純白色, 如常見於聖母像中)。

mad-ri-gal /'mædrɪɡl; 'mædrɪɡl/ *n* part-song for several voices without instrumental accompaniment. 牧歌(一種無伴奏的多聲部歌曲)。

maelstrom /'meɪlstrəm; 'meɪlstrəm/ *n* great whirlpool: (fig) violent or destructive force; whirl of events: 大漩渦; (喻)暴烈的或破壞性的力量; 大動亂: *the ~ of war*, 戰爭的動亂。

mae-nad /'miːnəd; 'miːnəd/ *n* priestess of Bacchus, the Greek god of wine; frenzied woman. 希臘酒神巴克斯的女祭司; 狂亂的女人。

mae-tro /'maɪstrə; 'maɪstrə/ *n* (pl. ~s or *maestri* /'maɪstri; 'maɪstri/) (1) eminent musical composer, teacher, or conductor. (義)著名的作曲家、音樂家或指揮家; 大師。

mae-fick /'mæfɪk; 'mæfɪk/ *vi* go in for wild public merry-making and rejoicing (eg in war, when there is news of a victory). 狂歡慶祝(如戰時慶祝勝利時)。

Ma-fia /'mæfɪə; 'mæfɪə/ *n* the ~, secret organization in Sicily, opposed to legal authority and engaged in crime; similar organization on the mainland of Italy and in US. 黑手黨(西西里島人的秘密組織, 反對合法的當局, 並從事犯罪行為); 義大利本土及美國類似的秘密組織。

mag /'mæɡ; 'mæɡ/ *n* (colloq abbr of) magazine(3): (俗)為 magazine 之略: *the colour magz*, 彩色雜誌。

magazine /'mæɡə'zin; 'mæɡə'zin/ *n* 1 store for arms, ammunition, explosives, etc. 武庫、彈藥、炸藥等的倉庫; 軍火庫。2 chamber for holding cartridges to be fed into the breech of a rifle or gun; place for rolls or cartridges of film in a camera. (槍的)子彈夾; 彈倉; (照相機內的)軟片盒。~ *the illus* at rifle. 參看 rifle 之條目。3

paper-covered (usu weekly or monthly, and illustrated) periodical, with stories, articles, etc by various writers. 雜誌(通常為週刊或月刊, 有插圖)。

ma-genta /'mædʒɪntə; 'mædʒɪntə/ *adj*, *n* bright crimson (substance used as a dye). 洋紅色(的); 洋紅色染料。

mag-got /'mæɡət; 'mæɡət/ *n* larva or grub, esp of a kind of fly (the bluebottle) that lays its eggs in meat, and of the cheese-fly. 蛆; 蠅的幼蟲。~ *have a ~ in one's head*, have a strange whim or fancy. 想入非非。~ *y adj* having ~s: 有蛆的: ~ *y cheese*, 生蛆的乾酪。

Magi /'mædʒɪ; 'mædʒɪ/ *n* pl the M~, the three wise men from the East who brought offerings to the infant Jesus. 由東方來朝見初生的耶穌的三個賢人(俗稱三博士)。~ *Matt* 2: 1 參看新約聖經馬太福音第2章第1節。

magic /'mædʒɪk; 'mædʒɪk/ *n* [U] 1 art of controlling events by the pretended use of supernatural forces; witchcraft; primitive superstitious practices based on a belief in supernatural agencies. 魔法; 巫術; 基於相信超自然的力量之原始迷信行為。~ *like ~ as if by ~*, in a mysterious manner. 像魔法般地; 不可思議地。~ *black/white ~*, ~ *done with/without the help of devils*. 魔(不藉)術於惡魔的巫術。2 art of obtaining mysterious results by tricks. 魔術; 戲法。~ *The conjurer used ~ to produce a rabbit from his hat*. 魔術家用戲法從帽子裏變出一隻兔子。3 the identification of a symbol with the thing it stands for, as when the wearing of a lion's skin is thought to give the wearer a lion's courage. 將一標誌與其代表的事物視為同一(例如穿獅皮被認為使穿著者有獅子勇氣)。

4 (fig) mysterious charm; quality produced as if by ~ (喻)神秘的魔力; 魔力; 魅力: *the ~ of Shakespeare's poetry* / *the woods in autumn*. 莎士比亞詩歌(秋林)之美。~ *adj* done by, or as if by, ~, possessing ~, used in ~, 由魔術造成的; 似出於魔術的; 有魔力的; 用於魔術的: ~ *arts/words*; 魔術的技術(魔術用語; 具有魔力的言語); a ~ *touch*, 魔術的手法。~ *eye*, (colloq) name used for various electronic devices which control or indicate sth, eg the automatic opening and closing of doors, exact tuning of a radio set. (俗)魔眼; 魔眼(各種用以控制或指示之電子儀器, 例如用於自動門之開關, 收音機之精確調諧者)。~ *lantern*, apparatus (now a toy) for throwing a magnified image of a picture, etc from a glass slide on to a white screen (projector is the name of the modern apparatus). 幻燈(現已用映玩具, 現代幻燈稱為 projector)。~ *the illus at lantern*, 參看 lantern 之條目。~ *square*, large square divided into smaller squares, each with a number, so that the sum of each row, vertical, horizontal or diagonal is always the same. 魔術方格(將一大方格分成若干小方格, 每格上面均有數字, 每行、每列或對角線上各數之和均相等)。

magi-cal /-kəl; -kəl/ *adj* of or like ~; (colloq) charming; 魔術的; 似魔術的; 不可思議的; (俗)迷人的: a ~ *stage set*, 迷人的舞台佈景。~ *magically* /-kəl; -kəl/ *adv* magi-cian /'mædʒɪən; 'mædʒɪən/ *n* person skilled in ~ (2); wizard. 精於巫術的人; 魔術家; 術士。

magis-terial /'mædʒɪ'stəriəl; 'mædʒɪ'stəriəl/ *adj* of, conducted by, a magistrate; having or showing authority: 地方法官的; 由地方法官辦的; 有權威的; 威風的: ~ *rank*; 官吏的身份: a ~ *manner/opinion*, 威嚴的態度(權威的意見)。~ *ly* /-təri; -təri/ *adv*

magis-trate /'mædʒɪstreɪt; 'mædʒɪstreɪt/ *n* civil officer acting as a judge in the lowest court; Justice of the Peace. 在地方法庭審法官的法官; 地方法官; 治安推事。~ *magis-tracy* /'mædʒɪstreɪt; 'mædʒɪstreɪt/ *n* (pl. -cies) position of a ~, 地方法官或官吏的職位。~ *the magis-tracy*, ~s collectively, 地方法官或官吏的總稱。

mag-nani-mous /'mæɡnə'nɪməs; 'mæɡnə'nɪməs/ *adj* having, showing, generosity. 寬宏大量的; 慷慨

的。~ly *adv* mag-na-nim-ity /,mæɡnə'nɪməti/; /,mæɡnə'nɪməti/ *n* [U] being ~ (C) (pl. -ties) ~ act, etc. 寬宏大量; 謙遜; 寬宏大量的行爲。

mag-nate /'mæɡneɪt/; 'mæɡneɪt/ *n* wealthy leading man of business or industry; person who has power through wealth or position: 工商界大亨; 工商界巨頭; 因財富或地位而有權力的人物: territorial ~s, influential landowners. 大地主。

mag-nesia /mæɡ'niʃə/; mæɡ'niʃə/ *n* [U] white, tasteless powder (carbonate of magnesium, MgO) used medicinally and in industry. 苦土; 鎂氧(醫藥和工業用的一種無味的白色粉狀碳酸鎂, 分子式為 MgO)。

mag-nesium /mæɡ'niʒiəm/; mæɡ'niʒiəm/ *n* [U] silver-white metal (symbol Mg) used in the manufacture of aluminium and other alloys, fireworks and flash photography: 鎂(銀白色金屬元素, 符號為 Mg, 用於製造焰火, 其他合金及煙火, 亦用於閃光攝影); ~ light, bright light obtained by burning ~ wire. 鎂光(鎂絲燃燒而發的光)。

mag-net /'mæɡnɪt/; 'mæɡnɪt/ *n* [C] 1 piece of iron, often a horseshoe shape, able to attract iron, either natural (as in lodestone) or by means of an electric current. 磁鐵; 磁石。2 (fig) person or thing that attracts (喻) 有吸引力的人或物。~ic /mæɡ'netɪk/; mæɡ'netɪk/ *adj* 1 having the properties of a ~; able to attract, etc. 有磁性的; 能吸引的。~ic field, area in all parts of which a ~ic force may be detected; 磁場。a ~ic mine, submarine mine that is detonated when a large mass of iron (eg a ship) approaches it; 磁性水雷。a ~ic needle, one that points the north and south; (指南南北的) 磁針; 指南針: the ~ic north, the point indicated by such a needle; 磁針所指之北; 磁北。a ~ic smile / personality, attracting the attention of people. 吸引人的微笑(性格)。~ic tape, kind of tape coated with iron oxide used for recording sound and vision. (錄音及錄影用) 磁帶; 錄音帶; 錄影帶。2 of magnetism. 磁力的; 磁的。mag-net-ically /-kɪk-; -kɪk/ *adv*

mag-net-ism /'mæɡnɪtɪzəm/; 'mæɡnɪtɪzəm/ *n* [U] (the science of) magnetic phenomena and properties. (fig) personal charm and attraction. 磁的現象和性質; 磁現象; 磁性; 磁力學; 磁學; (喻) 人的魅力和吸引力。

mag-net-ize /'mæɡnətaɪz/; 'mæɡnətaɪz/ *vt* [VP6A] give magnetic properties to; (fig) attract as a magnet does, eg by personal charm, moral or intellectual power. 使生磁性; 使有磁性; 磁化; (喻) 吸引(例如以外表魅力、品行或智慧力量等)。

mag-neto /mæɡ'netoʊ/; mæɡ'netoʊ/ *n* (pl. -tos /-toʊz/; -toʊz) electric apparatus for producing sparks in the ignition system of an internal combustion engine. (內燃機內用以發生火花的) 小型磁石發電機; 小型發電機。

Mag-ni-fi-cat /mæɡ'nɪfɪkət/; mæɡ'nɪfɪkət/ *n* song of the Virgin Mary in Luke 1: 46-55. 馬利亞的讚美詩(指新約聖經馬加福音第1章46到55節中, 聖母馬利亞對上帝的歌頌)。

mag-ni-fi-cent /mæɡ'nɪfɪsnt/; mæɡ'nɪfɪsnt/ *adj* splendid; remarkable; important-looking: 壯麗的; 不凡的; 堂皇的; 莊嚴的; 看起來很了不起的。a ~ house; 華麗的房子; his ~ generosity. 他的了不起的寬宏大量。~ly *adv* mag-ni-fi-cance /-sɪs; -sɪs/ *n* [U].

mag-ni-fy /'mæɡnɪfaɪ/; 'mæɡnɪfaɪ/ *vt* (pt, pp. -fied) [VP6A] 1 make (sth) appear larger (as with a lens or microscope): 放大; 擴大: a ~ing glass, lens for this purpose. 放大鏡。2 exaggerate: 誇大; ~ dangers. 誇大危險。3 extol; give praise to (God): 讚美(上帝): ~ the Lord. 讚美上帝。mag-ni-fy /-faɪz(ɪ); -faɪz/ *n* instrument, etc. that magnifies. 放大器; 放大鏡。mag-ni-fi-ca-tion /mæɡ'nɪfɪ'keɪʃn/; mæɡ'nɪfɪ'keɪʃn/ *n* (esp) power of ~ing, eg of a lens, a pair of binoculars. 放大; (尤指) 放大率; 倍率(如透鏡, 雙望遠鏡等者)。

mag-ni-quent /mæɡ'nɪkwənt/; mæɡ'nɪkwənt/

adj (of words, speech) pompous; (of a person) using pompous or high-sounding words. (指文字, 言詞) 誇大的; (指人) 使用誇大的言詞的。~ly *adv* mag-ni-quence /-sɪs; -sɪs/ *n*.

mag-ni-tude /'mæɡnɪtjud/; 'mæɡnɪtjud/ *n* [U] size; (degree of) importance; comparative brightness of stars. 大小; 廣; 量; 重要(的程度); 星的光度。

mag-no-lia /mæɡ'nɒliə/; mæɡ'nɒliə/ *n* tree with large, sweet-smelling wax-like flowers. 木蓮; 木蓮。

mag-num /'mæɡnəm/; 'mæɡnəm/ *n* (bottle containing) two quarts (of wine or spirit). 兩夸脫(酒或酒精); 裝兩夸脫之瓶。

mag-pie /'mæɡpaɪ/; 'mæɡpaɪ/ *n* noisy black-and-white bird which is attracted by, and often takes away, small, bright objects; (fig) person who chatters very much; (fig) petty thief. 鶉; (喻) 多話的人; (喻) 小偷。

Mag-yar /'mæɡjɑ(r)/; 'mæɡjɑ(r)/ *n, adj* (member, language) of the largest group of people in Hungary. 馬扎兒人(匈牙利的主要民族); 馬扎兒話; 馬扎兒人的。

Ma-ha-ra-ja(h) /,mɑ'hɑ'rɑdʒə/; ,mɑ'hɑ'rɑdʒə/ *n* title of a prince in India, esp a sovereign ruler of one of the indigenous states. 印度某些君主的稱呼; 大君。Ma-ha-ra-nee /,mɑ'hɑ'rɑni/; ,mɑ'hɑ'rɑni/ *n* wife of a ~; queen or princess with a position like that of a ~. 大君的妻子; 女大君。

Ma-hatma /mɑ'hɑtma/; mɑ'hɑtma/ *n* (in India, etc) (title given to) one of a class of persons revered as having great high-mindedness and love of humanity. (印度等地) 哲人; 偉人; 聖賢; 聖德(對某些智慧超群, 愛心廣被之人的尊稱)。

mah-jong /,mɑ'dʒɒŋ/; mɑ'dʒɒŋ/ *n* Chinese game for four persons played with 136 (or 144) pieces or tiles of wood, bone or ivory. 麻將(四個人玩的一種中國牌戲, 共有 136 或 144 塊木、骨或象牙製的牌)。

ma-hog-any /mɑ'hɒɡəni/; mɑ'hɒɡəni/ *n* (tropical tree with) dark-brown wood much used for furniture. (製傢俱用的) 桃花心木; 紅木; 紅木樹(一種熱帶樹)。

maid /meɪd/; med/ *n* 1 (liter) girl. (文) 少女。2 (old use) young, unmarried woman. (舊用法) 年輕未婚女子。old ~, elderly woman who is considered unlikely to marry. 年老未婚女人; 老處女。~ of 'honour', (a) unmarried woman attending a queen or princess. 侍候皇后或公主的未婚女子; 宮女。(b) principal bridesmaid. 主要女禮。3 (usu modern sense) woman servant. (通常為現代意義) 女傭人; 女傭: It's the ~'s day off. 女傭人今天休息。(in compounds): (用於複合名詞) ~servant, 女傭, 'house~, 女傭家; 女傭人, 'nurse~, 保姆。

maiden /'meɪdn/; 'medn/ *n* (liter) girl, young unmarried woman. (文) 少女; 年輕未婚女子; 處女。□ *adj* (attrib only) (僅作形容用法) 1 of a girl or woman before marriage. 婚前姓氏。2 first or earliest: 首次的; 初次的: a ship's ~ voyage. 船的首次航程。3 speech, first speech in Parliament of a new member. (新議員在議會中發表的) 首次演說。4 (over), (cricket) one in which no runs are scored. (板球) 未得分的投球。5 (of a woman) unmarried: (指女子) 未婚的: my ~ aunt. 我未婚的姑姑(阿媽)。6 (compounds) (複合名詞) ~hair *n* (kinds of) fern with fine stalks and delicate fronds. 馬尾蕨; 孔雀草(數種生斑葉的羊齒植物)。~head /-hed/; -hʊd/ *n* [U] the hymen; virginity. 處女膜; 童貞。~hood /-hʊd/; -hʊd/ *n* state of being a ~, period when one is a ~. 處女身分; 少女時代。~like. ~ly *adj* gentle; modest; of or like a ~. 文靜的; 溫順的; 少女的; 像少女的。

mail /meɪl/; mel/ *n* [U] body armour of metal rings or plates. 鎧甲; a coat of ~. 鎧甲; 'chain~, 鎖子甲。~ed *adj* only in the phrase the ~ed fist. (threat of) armed force. 武力(的威嚇)。

mail /meɪl; mɔɪl/ *n* 1 [U] government system of collecting, carrying and delivering letters and parcels 郵政: *send a letter by air*~, 寄一封航空信; the ~coach, (formerly) horse-drawn stage-coach for carrying ~. (舊時) 郵件馬車; 郵車. 'bag *n* stout bag in which ~ is carried. 郵袋. 'boat *n* one that transports ~. 郵件船. 'box *n* (US) letter-box. (美) 郵筒; 信箱. 'man /-mæn/; -mæn/ *n* (pl -men) (US) postman. (美) 郵差. 'order *n* order for goods to be delivered by post; 郵購訂單; 郵購: a ~order business, one in which the buying and selling of goods is conducted by correspondence. 郵購業務; 函購商業: a ~order catalogue, one with a price-list of goods. 郵購貨物價目單. 'train a train that carries ~. 郵件火車. 2 [C, U] letters, parcels, etc. sent or delivered by post; the letters, etc. sent, collected or delivered at one time. 信件; 郵件; 郵局的包裹: 某一時間內所投寄、收取或遞送的郵件: *Is there any ~ this morning?* 今早有郵件嗎? *I had a lot of ~ last week.* 上星期我收到好多信. *My secretary usually opens the ~.* 我的秘書通常為我開拆信件. *The ship sank and the ~s were lost.* 船沉沒, 郵件全遭損失. □ *vt* [VP6A] (chiefly US; in GB post is more usual) send by ~. (主美, 英國多用 post) 郵寄. 'ing-card, (US) postcard. (美) 明信片. 'ing-list a list of names of persons to whom sth, eg announcements of new books from a publisher, is regularly sent: 收郵件人的名單; 郵寄名單 (例如出版社經常將新書廣告寄給的某些人): *Please add my name to your ~ing-list.* 請將本人姓名列入貴處之郵寄名單內.

main /meɪn/ *adj* *vt* [VP6A] wound or injure so that some part of the body is useless: 使受傷; 使受重傷: *He was seriously ~ed in the war.* 他在戰爭中重傷殘廢.

main /meɪn; men/ *adj* (attrib only; no comp or superl) (用作形容詞) 主要的; 最重要的; 最高的 1 chief; most important; 主要的; 最重要的: *the ~ thing to remember*; 所應記的主要東西; *the ~ street of a town*; 市內的主要街道; *the ~ line of a railway*; 鐵道的主幹線; *the ~ point of my argument*; 我的論證的要點; *the ~ current/stream of traffic*; 交通的主線; *the ~ course of a meal*. 一餐的主菜. 'have an eye to the ~ chance. 留心機會 (3). 2 exerted to the full. 盡全力的. *do sth by ~ force*, using one's strength to the utmost. 盡最大力量做某事. 3 (compounds) (複合字) 'deck *n* upper deck. 上層甲板; 主甲板. 'land /-lənd/; -lənd/ *n* country, continent or land mass, without its islands 大陸. 'mass *n* principal mass of a sailing-ship. 帆船的主桅. 'spring *n* (a) principal spring of a clock or watch. 鐘錶的主發條. (b) (fig) driving force or motive. (喻) 推動的力量或動機. 'stay /-steɪ/; -steɪ/ *n* rope from the top of the ~mast to the bottom of the foremast. (fig) chief support. 從主桅頂至前桅底的支索; 大樑支索; (喻) 主要的支持. 'stream *n* a dominant trend, tendency, etc. (潮流, 傾向等) 主流; *the ~stream of political thought*. 政治思想的主流. 2 style of jazz between traditional and modern. 傳統與現代爵士樂間之爵士樂. 'ly *adv* chiefly; for the most part. 主要地; 大部分: *The people in the streets were ~ly tourists.* 街上的人大部分是遊客. *You are ~ly to blame.* 你應負大部分責任 (應該受責備的是你).

main /meɪn; men/ *n* 1 [C] (often 常作 the ~s) principal pipe bringing water or gas, principal wire transmitting electric current, from the source of supply into a building (contrasted with pipes from a cistern inside the building, etc); principal sewer to which pipes from a building are connected: (自來水, 煤氣, 電氣, 下水道等) 總管; 總線; 幹管; 幹線 (以對於建築物內的支線): *My new house is not yet connected to the ~s.* 我的新房子 (的水電) 還沒有接上幹線. *We take our electric current from the ~s.* 我們從電網線上取電. 's set, radio set

to be connected to the ~s for current, not a battery set. 用電網電線的收音機 (不用電池的). 2 *in the ~*, for the most part; on the whole. 大體上; 從全體看來; 就一般而論. 3 *with might and ~*, 'might'. 4 (poet) sea, esp a wide expanse of sea. (詩) 海; (尤指) 大海; 瀚海. 5 *the Spanish M~*, that part of the NE coast of S America and the adjoining part of the Caribbean Sea, visited by the early Spanish navigators. 拉丁美洲大陸 (指早年西班牙航海者所到達的南美洲東海岸以及鄰近的加勒比海部分海面).

main-tain /meɪn'teɪn; men'ten/ *vt* 1 [VP6A] keep up; retain; continue. 保持; 維持; 繼續: ~ friendly relations (with...); (與...) 保持友好關係. ~ prices, keep them steady; 保持物價的平穩. ~ law and order, 維持治安: ~ a speed of 60 miles an hour. 保持一小時六十哩的速度. *The improvement in his health is being ~ed.* 他的健康仍然繼續在進步中. ~ an open mind on sth, be ready to listen to and consider the views of others on a subject. 願意聽取他人對某事的意見. 2 [VP6A] support; 供給; 贍養: ~ a son at the university; 供給一個兒子讀大學; neglect to ~ one's family, 忽視贍養家裏. *Can you ~ my daughter (ie if you marry her) in the style she has been accustomed to?* 你能供養我的女兒 (如果你娶了她) 過她所習慣的那種生活嗎? *It's difficult to ~ a family on £30 a week.* 每週三十鎊難以贍養一個家庭. 3 [VP6A, 9, 25] assert as true; 堅持; 主張: ~ one's innocence; 堅持自己的無辜. ~ that one is innocent of a charge. 堅持自己對某項罪名是無辜的. 4 [VP6A] keep in good repair or working order; 保養: ~ the roads, 保養道路. 5 [VP6A] defend; 維護: ~ one's rights. 維護自己的權利. ~able /-əbəl/; -əbəl/ *adj* that can be ~ed. 可維持的; 可支持的; 可維護的.

main-ten-ance /məɪntənəns; 'mentənəns/ *n* [U] maintaining or being maintained; (esp) what is needed to support life. 維持或養育; 保養; (尤指) 維持生活所需的東西; 生活費用; 贍養費. 'order *n* (legal) order made by a court of law obliging sb to support sb, eg a husband to support his wife from whom he is separated. (法律) 庭判令; 扶養令 (由法院頒發的命令, 判定某人須養育某人, 如夫婦分居時, 丈夫應負擔妻子生活費用). 'men-gang *n* workmen who maintain roads and other public services. 道路或其他公共設施之修護工人; 修護大隊. 'retail, 'price /-rɪt, 'prɪs/ *n*, practice of maintaining fixed retail prices. 保持固定零售價格; 維持不二價. 'cut prices at cut' (3).

mai-son-nette /məɪ'sɒn'net; meɪ'sɒn'net/ *n* flat on two floors (2). (二層樓) 公寓.

maize /meɪz; meɪz/ *n* [U] (also called 玉米 Indian corn) sort of grain plant. 玉蜀黍; 玉米. 'the illu at cereal. 參看 cereal 之條目.

ma-jes-tic /mə'dʒestɪk; mə'dʒestɪk/ *adj* having, showing, majestic. 有威嚴的; 莊嚴的; 高貴的; 宏大的.

ma-jes-ti-cal-ly /-kəl; -kəl/ *adv*

ma-jes-ty /mə'dʒestɪ; mə'dʒestɪ/ *n* (pl -ties) 1 [U] kingly or queenly appearance, conduct, speech, causing respect; stateliness; royal power. 君主或皇后之令人敬仰的威儀; 舉止; 言詞; 莊嚴; 威嚴; 王權. 2 *His/Her/Your M~; Their/Your Majesties*, form used when speaking of or to a sovereign ruler or rulers. 陛下 (對君主們的稱呼).

ma-jol-ica /mə'dʒolɪkə; mə'dʒolɪkə/ *n* [U] (kinds of) Italian ornamented pottery; modern imitations of these, with white or coloured glazes. (數種) 義大利的花彩陶器; 此類陶器的現代仿製品 (帶有白色或彩色的釉).

ma-jor /'meɪdʒə(r); 'medʒə/ *adj* 1 (contrasted with minor) greater or more important; (與 minor 相對) 較大的; 較重要的; 主要的: ~ roads; 要道; the ~ portion; 較大的部分: a ~ operation, (surgery) one that may be dangerous to the person's life. (外科) 大手術. ~ premise *n* ⇨ premise. ~ scale

n (music) scale having two full tones between the key note and the third note. (音樂) 大音階; 大音階。~ suit *n* (cards, bridge) either spades or hearts. (紙牌, 橋牌) 大將 (黑桃或紅心)。2 (placed after a name) elder or first of two persons of the same name, eg in a school: (置於姓名後) 同姓名的二人中較長的 (例如在同一學校內): Smith ~ 較長的史密斯。~ minor, senior. □ *vt* [VP3A] ~ in sth, specialize in (a certain subject) at college or university. 主修; 專研 (大學裏某一科目): Christina ~ed in two subjects at Keele University. 克里斯蒂娜在基爾大學主修兩門科目。Brian ~ed in economics. 布萊恩主修經濟學。□ *n* subject ~ed in. 主修學科。

ma-jor /ˈmeɪdʒə(r); ˈmedʒə/ *n* army officer between a captain and a colonel. 陸軍少校。~ *gen-eral* *n* army officer next above a brigadier and under a lieutenant-general. 陸軍少將。

ma-jor-domo /ˈmeɪdʒə ˈdaʊməʊ; ˈmedʒə ˈdomoʊ/ *n* (pl ~s /-maʊz; -moʊ) head steward in a large household, esp of a prince in Italy or Spain in former times. (尤指前時義大利或西班牙王公家中的) 總管家。

ma-jor-ity /maˈdʒɔrəti/ *US*; ˈdʒɔr-i; maˈdʒɔrəti/ *n* (pl -ties) 1 (with sing or pl *v*) *a* /the ~ (of), the greater number or part (of): (動詞可用單數或複數) 多數; 大半: The ~ of people seem to prefer watching games to playing games. 大部分的人似乎都喜歡看比賽, 而不喜歡參加比賽。The ~ were / was in favour of the proposal. 多數人贊成這個建議。2 [C] number by which votes for a side exceed those for the other side: (投票時) 超過對方的票數: He was elected by a large ~ / by a ~ of 3749. 他以大多數票 (超過對方 3749 票) 當選。The Government's ~ was a small one. 政府的多數票多得很。~ *be in the a* ~, have the ~. 擁有多數; 佔多數。~ *verdict*, verdict of the ~ (of a jury, etc). (陪審團的) 多數判決。3 *one's* ~, (a) legal age of reaching manhood or womanhood: 達到成年的法定年齡: He will reach his ~ next month. 下個月他將達到法定年齡。(b) army rank of major: 少校的階級: obtain *one's* ~ 獲授少校階級。

make /mek; ˌmek/ *vt, vi* (pl, pp made /meɪd; med/) (For uses with *nn*, see 25, 26 below; for uses with *adj*, see 27 below; for uses with adverbial particles and preps, see 30 below) (與名詞連用, 參看下列 25, 26 頁; 與形容詞連用, 參看 27 頁; 與副詞連用及介詞連用, 參看 30 頁。) 1 [VP6A, 14, 12B, 13B] ~ sth from / (out) of sth; ~ sth into sth, construct or produce by combining parts or putting materials together; form or shape from material; bring into existence (esp by effort): 建造; 製造; 產生 (尤指費力而做): ~ bricks; 造磚; ~ bread; 製麵包; ~ a coat; 做一件外衣; ~ (= manufacture) paper, 造紙。She made (= prepared) coffee for all of us. 她為我們大家煮咖啡。I made myself a cup of tea. 我為自己泡一杯茶。Cloth is made of cotton, wool, silk and other materials. 布是棉、毛、絲和其他原料製成的。Wine is made from grapes. 葡萄酒是葡萄釀成的。We ~ bottles (out) of glass. 我們用玻璃製成瓶子。Glass is made into bottles. 玻璃可以製成瓶子。God made man. 上帝創造了人。show sb / let sb see what one is made of, show sb one's qualities, powers, abilities, etc. 讓人知道自己的品格、力量、能力等。be as clever etc as they ~ am, be very clever etc. 非常精明等。~ come (10). 2 [VP6A] cause to appear by breaking, tearing, removing material: 弄打破、撕破、移去而形成: ~ a hole in the ground / a gap in a hedge. 在地上挖一個洞 (在籬牆上弄一缺口)。~ a hole / dent in one's savings / resources / finances etc. reduce them by a considerable amount. 用去大量儲蓄 (準備金、資金等)。3 [VP6A, 16A] enact; establish: 制定; 規定: The regulations were made to protect children. 這些規則係為保護兒童而制定的。Who made

this ridiculous rule? 這個荒謬的規則是誰定的? 4 [VP6A] draft; draw up: 草擬; 起草: Father is making a fresh will. 父親正重新立遺囑。A treaty has been made with our former enemies. 我們過去的最敵人間的一項條約經擬定。I'll get my solicitor to ~ a deed of transfer. 我要找我的律師擬一遺囑書。5 [VP6A] eat, have (a meal): 吃; 進(餐): We made a good breakfast before leaving. 我們在離開前吃了一頓豐富的早餐。He made a hasty lunch. 他匆匆吃了午餐。6 [VP6A, 13B] cause to be; 引起: Why ~ a disturbance at this time of night? 值此深夜為何如此騷擾? I don't want to ~ any trouble for you. 我不想為你惹麻煩。7 [VP16A] (passive only) be meant or intended: (僅作動詞語態) 預定; 指定: John and Mary seem to have been made for each other, eg because they get on so well together. 約翰和瑪麗似乎是天生的一對。In England we think bacon and eggs were made to be eaten together. 在英國我們認為臘肉和雞蛋是配在一起食用的。8 [VP22; 24A] cause to be or become; 使; 使成爲: The news made her happy. 這消息使她高興。He made his meaning clear. 他把他的意思說得很明白。He made clear his objections / made it clear that he objected to the proposal. 他明白表示他的異議 (反對此項提議)。His actions made him universally respected. 他的行為使他到處受尊敬。He soon made himself understood. 他立刻把他想說的意思明白。Can you easily ~ yourself understood in English? 你使用英語輕易地表明你的意思嗎? The full story was never made known / public. 全部情況從未公開過。He couldn't ~ himself / his voice heard above the noise of the traffic. 在交通的喧囂中聽不見他的聲音讓別人聽到。~ oneself useful (about the house etc), do sth to help; 做有用的事: Don't stand about doing nothing ~ yourself useful! 不要閒站在這裏——做點有用的事! ~ it worth sb's while (to do sth), pay or reward him: 使某人值得(做某事); 酬謝某人: If you'll help me with this job, I'll ~ it worth your while. 如果你願意幫我做這件工作, 我會酬謝你。~ sth good, 好; 好(20). 9 [VP6A] earn; win; gain; acquire: 贏; 得; 獲: ~ £5000 a year, 一年賺五千元。~ a profit / loss of £100, 獲利(損失)一百鎊。He first made his name / reputation as a junior Minister. 他以次長之職聲望顯赫。He made a name / reputation for himself at the Bar, as a barrister. 他為律師他贏得了好名譽。He soon made a fortune on the Stock Exchange. 他不久便買賣股票發了財。~ a pile / pocket, (colloq) acquire a great deal of money. (俗) 賺許多錢; 發財。~ one's living (as / at / by / from), have as one's work or livelihood: 謀生; (以做...) 爲生: He ~s his living by giving piano lessons. 他以教授鋼琴爲生。Can you ~ a living from freelance journalism? 你能靠寫稿上自由寫稿爲生嗎? Does he ~ a living at it? 他以此爲生嗎? 10 [VP2A, 6A] (various uses in card games, eg bridge) (在橋牌等紙牌遊戲中的各種用法) (a) win (a trick); play to advantage: 贏(一連牌); 打出能贏的(一張牌): He made his Queen of Hearts. 他打出紅心女王。(b) (of a card) win a trick: (指紙牌) 贏一連: Your ace and king went. Make until you've drawn trumps. 非等到你把王牌用光, 你的A點和老K贏不到牌。(c) win (what one has set out to win): 贏到(所叫的分數或遊戲); 做成: Little slam bid and made. 叫小滿貫而做成了。(d) shuffle, mix (the cards): 洗(牌): Will you ~ the pack? 請你洗牌好嗎? My turn to ~. 輪到我洗牌 (或洗牌) 了。11 [VP6A] score (at cricket): (板球戲中) 得分: ~ a century in a test match. 在決賽中得一百分。50 runs were made in the first hour. 第一小時得五十分。12 [VP2A] (of the tide) begin to flow or ebb: (指潮) 開始漲或退: The tide is making fast. 潮水正在很快地漲。The ebb was now making. The ebb tide was flowing. 正在退潮。13 ~ or break / make, either be successful or be ruined. 不是成功就

是失敗;孤注一擲。a *made man*, one whose success has been assured: 確定會成功的人: Get the Minister's help and you'll be a *made man*, 去找部長幫忙,你一定會成功。14 [VP18B] compel; force; persuade; cause (sb) to do sth; cause (sth) to happen: 迫;強使;說服;使(某人)做某事;使(某事)發生: They made me repeat / I was made to repeat the story. 他們要我重述那個故事。Can you ~ this old engine start? 你能發動這個舊引擎嗎? The children never behave well and no one ever tries to ~ them (= ~ them behave well). 那些小孩子從不守規矩,也從沒有人要他們守規矩。What ~s the grass grow? 什麼東西使得青草生長? I can't ~ anyone hear, eg by ringing the doorbell, knocking, calling. 我沒法子使任何人聽得見(如按門鈴,敲門,叫喊)。His jokes made us all laugh. 他的笑話使我們都笑起來。~ one's blood boil; ~ one's hackles rise, anger one. 使人大怒。~ one's hair stand on end, shock or frighten one: 使人毛髮豎起: His ghost stories made our hair stand on end. 他的鬼故事令我們毛髮豎起。~ (sth) do; ~ do with sth, manage with it although it may not be really adequate or satisfactory: 用某種東西勉強應付;勉強用;湊合著用: You'll have to ~ do with cold meat for dinner. 晚餐你只好將一下吃冷肉了。There's not much of it but I'll try to ~ (it) do. 東西不多,但我會勉強著用。~ do and mend, manage without buying new articles, eg clothing, bed linen, household articles, esp by repairing and remaking old ones. (如衣服、床單、傢具等)修補好湊合使用。~ sth go round, make it last or be enough: 使某物能維持或足夠分配: I don't know how she ~s the money go round. 我不知道她如何能靠這筆錢維持。~ believe (that.../to be...), pretend: 假裝;假扮: Let's ~ believe that we're Red Indians. 我們來假扮紅番。The children made believe that they were / made believe to be shipwrecked on a desert island. 孩子們假裝他們在荒島上遭遇船難。Hence, 由此產生。~ believe n [U] pretending; [C] pretence. 假裝;托辭;口實。15 [VP22, 18B, 23] represent as; cause to appear as; allege (to be, to do); 表現;使顯現為;主張;斷定: Olivier, in the film, ~s Hamlet a figure of tragic indecision. 在該影片中,奧立佛把哈姆雷特演成了優柔寡斷的悲劇人物。Most of the old Chronicles ~ the king died in 1026, give 1026 as the date of his death. 古史多半認為那個國王死於1026年。In the play the author ~s the villain commit suicide, describe him as doing this. 在這部戲裏,作者讓歹徒自殺了。You've made my nose too big, eg in a drawing or painting. 你把我的鼻子畫得太大了。16 [VP6A, 23] estimate or reckon (to be); put (a total, etc) at: 估計;推斷;算定: What time do you ~ it? 你認為現在幾點鐘了? What do you ~ the time? 你認為現在幾點鐘? How large do you ~ the audience? 你估計觀眾(聽眾)有多少? I ~ the total (to be) about £50. 我算總數約為五十鎊。I ~ the distance about 70 miles. 我估計那段距離大約有七十哩。17 [VP6A] come to, equal; add up to; constitute; amount to (in significance): 總計;合計;等於;構成: Twenty shillings used to ~ one pound. 二十先令在過去等於一鎊。Twelve inches ~ one foot. 十二吋等於一呎。3 and 7 is 12, and 3 is 15, and 4 more ~s 19. 五加七等於十二,再加三等於十五,再加四等於十九。How many members ~ a quorum? 多少人才構成法定人數? His adventures ~ excellent reading. 他的冒險故事是非常好的讀物。The play ~s an excellent evening's entertainment. 那劇是一個很好的晚間娛樂。~ (good / not much) sense, seem to have (plenty of / little) sense: 有意義(很有意義;沒有什麼意義): His arguments have never made much sense. 他的論據從來沒有什麼意義。One swallow doesn't ~ a summer. ~ swallow. 18 [VP 6A] be (in a series); count as: 為...之一份子;算為: This ~s the fifth time you've failed this examination. 這次是你第五次參加這項考試失敗。Will you ~

a fourth at bridge? 我們打牌時選缺一個人,你要不要參加?(你要不要做第四個打牌的人?) 19 [VP6A, 23] turn into; turn out to be, prove to be: 變為;結果為;證明為: If you train hard, you will ~ a good footballer. 假若你加緊鍛鍊,你會成爲一個好的足球員。He will ~ an excellent husband. 他會成爲一個非常好的丈夫。She will ~ him a good wife, will be one. 她將成爲他的好妻子。This length of cloth will ~ me a suit, can be made up into one. 這塊地料可以縫一套衣服。20 [VP6A] (colloq uses) travel over (a distance); reach, maintain (a speed); be in time to catch or reach; (US) gain the rank or place of: (俗語用法)旅行(某一路段);達到或維持(某一速度);趕上(火車等);到達(某地);(美)獲...之階級或地位: We've made 80 miles since noon. 從中午以來我們趕了八十哩的路。We've made good time, travelled the distance in good time, ie fast. 我們這一段路走得很快了。The ship was making only nine knots. 這艘船僅以每小時九哩的速度航行。The disabled cruiser was only just able to ~ (= reach) port. 那艘損壞的巡洋艦只能夠到達港口。The train leaves at 7. 13, can we ~ it, reach the station in time? 火車在七點三十分開,我們能趕得上嗎? He's tired out already—he'll never ~ the summit. 他已經疲倦了,他趕不到山頂。His new novel has made the best-seller list, has sold enough copies to be on this list. 他的新小說被列為暢銷書之一。He'll never ~ (ie win a place on) the team. 他永遠沒有加入那個球隊的機會。Jones made (= reached the rank of) sergeant in six months. 瓊斯經六個月獲得了士官。21 [VP23] elect; appoint; nominate; raise to the dignity of: 選舉;被任命;派遣;獲高位顯爵: ~ sb King / an earl / a peer. 擁某人為王(封某人為伯爵;封某人為侯爵)。Newton was made President of the Royal Society. 牛頓被選為皇家學會會長。He was made General Manager by the directors. 他被董事們推選為總經理。We ~ you our spokesman. 我們指定你做我們的發言人。He made her his wife, married her. 他娶她為妻。22 [VP12A, 13A] offer, propose, hold out (to sb); 提供;提出;出價: M ~ me an offer, suggest a price! 請開價! We made them two or three attractive proposals. 我們向他們提供兩三個動人的建議。The Chairman of British Rail has made a new offer to the men, eg of a rise in wages during a strike. 英國鐵路主席向工人提出新的建議(例如在罷工時提出增加工資)。I made him a bid for the antique table. 我向他出價購買那張古老的桌子。I made her a present of the vase. 我給她一個花瓶作禮物。23 ~ sth of sb / sth; ~ sth / sb sth, cause sb / sth to be or become sth: 使某人(某物)成爲: His parents want to ~ a doctor of him, want him to be educated for the medical profession. 他的父母要他將來做醫生。We must ~ an example of him, eg by punishing him as a warning to others. 我們必須懲罰他以儆他人。Don't ~ a habit of it / Don't ~ it a habit. Don't let it become a habit. 不要使它成爲習慣。Don't ~ a hash / mess / muddle of it. Don't do the job badly. 不要把事情弄糟了。He has made a business of politics, has made politics his chief concern. 他已經把政治作爲他的事業。Don't ~ an ass / fool of yourself, behave foolishly. 不要像驢子那樣蠢(不要做傻瓜)。Don't ~ a practice of cheating at exams. 不要養成考試作弊的習慣。Don't ~ cheating a practice. 不要養成欺騙的習慣。~ n entries esp in 25 and 26 below for other examples of this pattern. 參看下列第25和26條中其他使用此一句型之例。24 [VP2C] behave as if about to do sth: 做出...的舉動;好像要: He made as if to strike me. 他做出要打我的樣子。He made to reply (= seemed to be about to do so) and then became silent. 他好像要回答,然後又停住了。25 [VP 6A, 14] (used with many an where ~ + n have the same meaning as a v related in form to the n). (與許多名詞連用,其意義和該名詞的相關動詞的含義相同)。~ allowance(s) (for). ~ allowance(s). ~

(an) application (to sb) (for sth), apply (to sb) (for sth). (向某人)申請。~ arrangements for, arrange for. 安排。~ a decision, decide. 決定。~ a guess (at), guess (at). 推測。~ an impression (on), impress. 予以印象。~ a request (to sb) (for sth), request (sth) (from sb). (向某人)要求。~ a success of sth, succeed with it/in doing it. 成功地取得成功。 (For other phrases of this kind, cf. the n entries.) (其他此類片語請參看各片語的名詞。)

26 [VP6A, 14] (used with a large number of nn in special senses; cf. do²(2) for nn used with do, the examples below are a selection only; cf. the n entries) (與許多名詞連用形成特殊含義的片語; 參見 do² 第2義中與 do 連用之名詞; 以下各例係為選出的一部分; 參看各片語中的名詞): ~ much sb do (about); 忙忙一陣; 費盡力氣; ~ advances (to); (向…)表示友好; (向…)獻殷勤; ~ amends (to sb/for sth); (為某事)賠償(某人); ~ an appointment; 約會; ~ an attempt; 嘗試; 試圖; ~ the bed(s); 鋪牀; ~ a bee-line (for); 取捷徑前往; 迅速前往; ~ the best of; 盡量利用; ~ a bid (for); 企圖獲得; ~ no bones about; 毫不猶豫; ~ a break for sth; 逃脫; 逃脫; ~ a clean breast of; 坦白供認; ~ capital (out) of sth; 利用; ~ a change; 改變; ~ one's day; 使某人非常快樂地過一天; ~ a deal (with sb); (與某人)做買賣; (與某人)妥協; ~ demands (of/on); 要求; ~ some/little difference; 甚為重要(不重要); ~ an effort; 努力; 盡力; ~ an excuse; 找藉口; ~ eyes at; 斜視且轉睛; ~ a face/faces (at); (向…)拍胸脯; ~ fun of; 嘲弄; 取笑; ~ a fuss (of); 小题大做; 大驚小怪; ~ game of; 嘲弄; 取笑; ~ a gesture; 作手勢; 表示; ~ a go of sth; 使某事成功; ~ hay off; 使促眠; ~ head or tail of; 明白; 了解; ~ a hit (with); 給予一及好印象; ~ inroads into; 侵犯; 襲擊; ~ a good/poor job of; 把(某事)做好(弄糟); ~ a man of; 使有男子氣; 使成男子漢; ~ one's mark; 成名; ~ mince meat of; 徹底擊敗(某人); 完全駁倒(某論點); ~ mischief; 撒弄是非; ~ a mockery of; 嘲弄; 愚弄; ~ money; 賺錢; ~ the most of; 充分利用; ~ a mountain out of a mole-hill; 小题大做; ~ much of; 瞭解; 重慶; 誇張; ~ a name for oneself; 成名; ~ a night of it; 痛痛快快地玩一酒晚上; ~ nonsense of; 硬說; 使無效; ~ a pass at; 向…獻殷勤; ~ one's peace (with); (與…)和解; ~ a point (of); 堅持; 決心; ~ room (for); 騰出空間; ~ a secret of; 隱瞞; ~ shift with; 虛假說; ~ a song and dance about; 大驚小怪; 小题大做; ~ war (on); (向…)開戰; ~ water; 小便; (指船)漏水; ~ one's way in the world; 有成就; 發達; ~ heavy weather of; 發現某事極為棘手; ~ the worst of; 對…做最壞的打算。27 [VP2D] (used with adj in special senses; cf. the adj entries) (與形容詞連用的特殊用法; 參看各片語中之形容詞): ~ so bold (as sb); 不顧忌憚; ~ certain (of/than); 弄清楚; 弄確實; ~ sth fast; 靈明; ~ free with; 隨意使用; 擅用; ~ sth good; 情懷; 態度; 實況; 確實; 修復; ~ light of; 輕視; ~ merry; 作樂; 行樂; ~ sure; 確實; 查明。28 [VP2C, 3A] (of arguments, evidence, etc) point; tend: (指辯論、證據等)指向; 趨於: All the evidence ~s (points is more usual) in the same direction. 所有的證據都指向同一方向 (point 一半較常用)。~ against, (rare) be contrary, unfavourable, prejudicial or harmful to: (與…)相反; 不利於; 有表於; 有損於: These dissipation ~ against your chance of success. 這些不正當的消遣有損你成功的機會。29 (compounds) (複合字) ~ believe n ~ 14 above. 參看上列第14條。~ shift n sth used for a time until sth better is obtainable: 暫時的代用品: use an empty crate as a ~ shift for a table/ as a ~ shift table. 用一個空箱子做桌子的代用品(代換桌子)。~ up n (~ in 30 below) (參看下列第30條之 ~ up) (a) arrangement of type, etc on a printed page. (印刷品之字圖等的)編排; 版面。(b) character, temperament: 性格; 氣質: people of that ~ up. 那種性格的人。(c) [C, U] cosmetics, etc as used by actors; result of using these: 化粧品(加演

其所用者); 使用化粧品後的樣貌: What a clever ~ up! 多妙的化妝! [d] [U] cosmetics as used on the face: 面部用的化粧品: use too much ~ up/the wrong kind of ~ up. 使用太多(不當的)化粧品。~ weight n small quantity added to get the weight required; (fig) sth or sb of small value that fills a gap, supplies a deficiency. 補足重量的小量東西; (喻)填補欠缺的不重要的人或物。30 [VP2C, 14, 15B, 1A] (uses with adverbial particles and preps): (與副詞或介詞及全詞連用的用法): make after sb. (formal) pursue; chase: (正式用語)追求; 追趕: She made after him like a mad woman. 他像個瘋女人似地追趕他。make at sb, move aggressively towards: 襲擊; 攻擊: The angry woman made at me with her umbrella. 那個憤怒的女人用雨傘襲擊我。~ come at sb come (to) 16). make away with oneself, commit suicide: 自殺: Why did he ~ away with himself? 他為什麼自殺? ~ away with sth, destroy or steal it. 摧毀; 竊取。make for sb/sth, (a) move in the direction of; head for: 向某方向移動; 走向: The frigate made for the open sea. 那艘巡防艦開向大海。It's late; we'd better turn and ~ for home. 時間晚了, 我們最好折轉向回家。(b) charge at, rush towards: 攻擊; 襲擊; 衝向: The bull made for me and I had to run. 那隻公牛向我衝來, 我不得不逃跑。When the interval came everyone made for the bar, ie to buy drinks. 休息時間一到, 每個人都跑向酒吧。(c) contribute to, tend towards: 有助於; 傾向於: Does early rising ~ for good health? 早起對健康有益嗎? The improved lid of this jar ~s for easier opening. 這個改良過的蓋口祇靠手易於開啓。make sth/sb into sth, change or convert to: 使變為; 轉變為: The huts can be made into temporary houses. 這些簡陋的小屋可改變為臨時住宅。He wasn't always a bully ~ you made him into one. 他並不是個恃強凌弱的人, 是你使他變成那樣的。make sth of sb/sth, understand, interpret: 了解; 解釋: What do you ~ of it all? 你對這一切作何解釋? What are we to ~ of his behaviour? 我們怎麼解釋他的行為? I can ~ nothing of all this scribble. 這些草草的筆跡我一點也不懂。make off, hurry away (esp in order to escape): 匆匆離開(尤指逃跑): The get-away car made off at top speed. 那輛逃走的汽車極速駛去。~ off with sth, steal and hurry away: 搬走: The cashier made off with the firm's money. 那個出納營業公司裏的款逃走了。make sth out, (a) write out: complete or fill in: 寫出; 開出; 填寫: ~ out a cheque for £10; 開出一張十英鎊支票; ~ out a list for the grocer; 把要與雜貨商購買的東西列成一張單子; ~ out a document in duplicate. 將一文件寫成一式兩份。(b) manage to acc. read (using implying difficulty): 看出來; 讀出來; 認出來 (通常含示經過困難): We made out a figure in the darkness. 我們在黑暗中看出一個人影。The outline of the house could just be made out. 那屋子的輪廓勉強可以看出。~ out that. / ~ sb out to be, claim; assert; maintain: 聲稱; 斷言; 肯定: He made out that he had been badly treated. 他聲稱他曾經受到虐待。He ~s himself out to be cleverer than he really is. 他認為他比實際上更聰明。He's not such a good lawyer as some people ~ out, ie ~ him out to be. 他不是像某些人所說的那樣好的律師。~ sb out, understand sb's nature: 了解某人的性情: What a queer fellow he is! I can't ~ him out at all. 他是多麼奇怪的一個人! 我完全不能了解他。~ it out; ~ (it) out if/whether, understand: 了解: I can't ~ out what he wants. 我不了解他要什麼。I couldn't ~ it out ~ did they want our help or not? 我不了解他們到底需不需要我們幫忙? How do you ~ does he, etc ~ that out? How do you/does he reach that conclusion, support that contention? 你(他等)怎麼會得到那個結論(支持那個論

點)? ~ out (with sb), progress, get on: 進展: How are things making out? 一切事情進展如何? How are you making out with Lucy? How's your friendship progressing? 你和露西的友誼進展如何? ~ out a case for/against/that... argue for/against: 為贊成(反對)而爭論: He has made out a strong case for prison reform. 他為監獄改革而力爭。A case could be made out that Smith should be released. 我們主張史密斯應被釋放。

make sth/sb over, (a) change, transform, convert: 改變;變更;轉變: The basement has been made over into a workshop. 地下室已改作工場。You can't ~ over a personality in one day. 一個人的個性非一日所能改變。(b) transfer the possession or ownership of: 轉讓所有權;移交: He has made over the whole of his property to the National Trust. 他把全部財產交給該國立信託局。How much did he ~ over? 他轉讓多少?

make sth up, (a) complete: 完成;補足: We still need £5 to ~ up the sum we asked for. 我們還需要五英鎊,以補足我們所要求的數目。They need ten more men to ~ up their full complement. 他們尚需十個人以補足。(b) supply; ~ good: 補充;彌補: Our losses have to be made up with more loans. 我們的損失必須靠更多的貸款來補充。(c) invent; compose (esp. to deceive): 捏造;編造(尤指用詞欺騙): The whole story is made up. 整個故事是虛構的。It's all a made-up story. 這完全是捏造的故事。Stop making things up! 不要再編造了! (d) arrange type, illustrations, etc in columns or pages for printing: 將鉛字、插圖等排成版或頁;排版;盤整: Who is in charge of making up the ~up of the financial pages? 誰負責排財務版? (e) form; compose; constitute: 組成;組成;組織: Are all animal bodies made up of cells? 所有動物的身體都是細胞組成的嗎? What are the qualities that ~ up Hamlet's character? 哈姆雷特的性格是由那些特質構成的? I object to the way the committee is made up. 我反對這委員會的組織方式。(f) prepare, eg medicine, a prescription, tonic, by mixing ingredients: 配製: Ask the chemist to ~ this up for you. 請藥師為你配這藥。(g) put together; shape: 整理;收拾: ~ up a bundle of old clothes for the church bazaar. 整理出一包舊衣服給教會義賣。The grocer was making up the butter into packages of half a kilo. 雜貨店老闆正在把奶油分成半公斤包裝。Have you made up Mrs Smith's order yet, ie collected the items, articles, etc she ordered? 你把史密斯太太要的貨收好了沒有? (h) ~ (material, cloth, etc) into a garment: 把(布料等)縫製成衣服;裁製: Customer's own materials made up. 顧客自備材料,本店代為縫製衣服。Can you ~ up this suit length for me? 你能用這塊料子為我裁成一套衣服嗎? This material will ~ up into two dresses. 這塊料子可裁製兩件衣服。(i) add fuel to, eg a fire in a fireplace or stove: 加燃料於(火爐爐): The fire needs making up, needs to have more coal put on it. 這火需要添柴。If the stove isn't made up, it will go out. 如果爐子不加燃料,火會熄滅。(j) prepare (a bed) not at present in use (as for a new hospital patient); prepare (a new makeshift bed, eg on the floor): 準備(床鋪)以備用(例如為醫院新病人);準備(臨時床鋪,如在地板上): You can't go into the ward yet; your bed's still to be made up. 你現在還不能進入病房,你的床鋪尚未備妥。They made up a bed on the sofa for the unexpected visitor. 他們為那意外之客在沙發上鋪個床鋪。~ sb/oneself up, prepare (an actor/oneself) for the stage by applying grease-paint, hair, etc to his/one's face or body; apply cosmetics to the face: 使某演員(自己)裝扮好準備登臺;化妝;打扮: It takes him more than an hour to ~ up/dress himself ~ up for the part of Othello. 他花費一個多小時化妝裝成奧賽羅。Isn't she badly made up? 她化粧得太多難看! Hence, 由此產生,

~ up n ~ up one's/sb's mind, come/cause sb to come to a decision: 下決心;決定;使某人下決心: I've made up my mind. 我已決定了。My mind's made up. 我的心意已定。He needs someone to ~ up his mind for him. 他需要別人替他作決定。~ up for sth, compensate for; outweigh: 補償;彌補;勝過: Hard work can often ~ up for a lack of intelligence. 勤能補拙。Do you think her beauty could ~ up for her stupidity? 你認為她的美貌能彌補她的愚蠢嗎? ~ up for lost time, hurry, work hard, etc after losing time, starting late, etc. 加緊努力補回失去或落後的時間。~ up to sb for sth, atone; redress; ~ amends for: 為某事而補償某人: How can we ~ it up to them for what they have suffered? 我們如何能補償他們所遭受的損害? ~ up to sb, ~ oneself pleasant to sb, to win favours: 向某人獻殷勤;向某人獻殷勤: He's always making up to influential people. 他經常向有勢力的人獻殷勤。He doesn't welcome being made up to. 他不喜歡別人向他獻殷勤。~ it up to sb, compensate sb for sth missed or suffered, or for money etc spent: 補償某人: Thanks for buying my ticket—I'll ~ it up to you later, by refunding you. 謝謝你為我買票—我稍後會還你錢的。~ it up (with sb), end a quarrel, dispute or misunderstanding: (與某人)和解;和好: They quarrel every morning and ~ it up every evening. 他們每天早上吵架;晚上和好。Why don't you ~ it up with her? 你為什麼不跟她和解?

make' /meɪk/; meɪk/ n [C, U] 1 way a thing is made; method or style of manufacture: 製造的方法;樣式: cars of all ~s; 各種廠牌的車; an overcoat of first-class ~. 第一流質地的外套。Is this your own ~, made by you? 這是你自己做的嗎? on the ~, (sl) concerned with making a profit, gaining sth. (俚) 念求得利; 念求獲得某種東西。2 (electr) completion of an electric circuit. (電) 電路接通。maker /'meɪkə(r); 'meɪkə/ n 1 the ~our M~, the Creator; God. 創造者;造物主;上帝;神。2 (esp in compounds) person or thing that makes (尤指於複合字中)製造者;能製造的機器或工具: 'dress~, 女裁縫。

mak-ing /'meɪkɪŋ; 'meɪkɪŋ/ n 1 be the ~ of, cause the well-being of; cause to develop well: 茁~; 成功(發展)的因素: The two years he served in the Army were the ~ of him, made him develop well (physically, etc according to context). 兩年中軍役使他身心發展良好(體格或心智發展,視上下文而定)。2 have the ~s of, have the necessary qualities for becoming: 有成為...所需的性質: He has in him the ~s of a great man. 他有成為偉大人物的特質。

ma-lacca /mə'lækə; mə'lækə/ n ~ cane, cane walking-stick. 藤六甲手杖。

ma-la-chite /'mæləkait; 'mæləkait/ n [U] green mineral, a kind of stone used for ornaments, decoration, etc. 孔雀石(一種綠色礦物,用作首飾、裝飾等)。

mal-adjusted /'mælədʒəstɪd; 'mælədʒəstɪd/ adj badly adjusted; (esp of a person) unable to adapt himself properly to his environment, eg social or occupational. 不適應的;適應情形不良的;(指人)不能適應(社會或職業)環境的。mal-adjust-ment n [U] condition of being ~. 不適應;適應不良;失調。

mal-adroit /'mælədrait; 'mælədrait/ adj not adroit; clumsy; tactless. 不熟練的;笨拙的;無機智的。

~ly adv ~ness n

mal-ady /'mælədi; 'mælədi/ n (pl -dies) [C] disease; illness: 疾病; a social ~: 社會的病態(弊端); spiritual maladies. 道德敗壞;放蕩。

mal-aise /'mælə'ez; 'mælə'ez/ n [U, C] feeling of bodily discomfort, but without clear signs of a particular illness: 身體不舒服;小病;疲勞(fatigue) years of ~ in industrial relations. 數年勞務關係上的不愉快。

mal-a-prop-ism /'mæləprɒzɪzəm; 'mæləprɒzɪzəm/ n [C] misuse of a word, esp in mistake for one

that resembles it, causing amusement, eg 'Come girls, this gentleman will exhort (for escort) us!' 文半的錯用; 誤用文字 (尤指因相似而造成可笑的錯誤, 例如將 escort 誤作 exhort)。

mal-apro-pos /məˈlæprəˈpoʊ/ *adj.*
adv. inappropriate(ly); inopportune(ly). 不適當的(地); 不合時宜的(地); 不適合的(地)。

ma-lar-ia /məˈleəriə/ *n* [U] kinds of fever conveyed by mosquitoes; which introduce the germs into the blood. 瘧疾。ma-lar-i-al /-tʃəl/ *adj* of ~; having ~. 瘧疾的; 患瘧疾的。a ~ patient; 瘧疾病人; a ~ district. 瘧疾地區(瘧疾傳染病流行地區)。

Ma-lay /məˈleɪ/ *adj.* *n* (language, member) of the people living in the ~ peninsula and adjacent areas. 馬來人的; 馬來半島的; 馬來人。

mal-con-tent /ˈmælkəntent/ *adj.* *n* [C] (person who is) discontented and inclined to rebel. 不滿的; 反叛的; 不滿者; 意圖反叛者。

male /meɪ/ *adj* 1 (of the sex) that does not give birth to offspring; of or for this sex: 男性的; 公的; 雄的: a ~ voice 'choir, of men and/or boys. 男聲唱詩班。2 (of parts of tools, etc.) designed for insertion into a bore or socket, the corresponding female part: (指工具的零件等) 陽的: a ~ screw. 陽螺絲釘。□ *n* ~ person, animal, etc. 男人; 公的動物; 雄性動物等。

mal-ed-ic-tion /ˈmældɪkʃən/ *n* [C] curse; prayer to God that sb or sth may be destroyed, hurt, etc. 詛咒。

mal-efac-tor /ˈmælfæktər/ *n* wrongdoer; criminal. 作惡者; 罪犯。

mal-efi-cent /ˈmælfɪsnt/ *adj* hurtful (to). (對...)有害的; 惡行的(與 to 連用)。

ma-levo-lent /məˈlevələnt/ *adj* wishing to do evil or cause harm to others; spiteful (to/towards). 惡意的; 惡毒的; (對...)懷恨的(與 to 或 towards 連用)。~ly *adv* ma-levo-lence /-ləns/ *n* [U] ill will. 惡意; 敵意; 怨恨。

mal-feas-ance /ˈmælfɪzəns/ *n* [U] (legal) wrongdoing; [C] illegal act, esp an instance of official misconduct. (法律) 惡事; 惡行; (尤指公務員之) 不法行為; 濫職。

mal-for-ma-tion /ˈmælfɔːmeɪʃən/ *n* [U] state of being badly formed or shaped; [C] badly formed part: 畸形; 不正常的部份: a ~ of the spine. 脊椎骨的畸形。mal-formed /ˈmælfɔːmd/ *adj* badly formed or shaped. 畸形的。

mal-func-tion /ˈmælfʌŋkʃən/ *vi* [VP2A] fail to function in a normal or satisfactory manner. 發生故障; 不起作用。□ *n* [U, C] failure of this sort. 發生故障。

mal-ice /ˈmæɪsɪs/ *n* [U] ~ (towards), active ill will; desire to harm others. 敵意; 惡意; 怨恨: bear sb no ~. 不怨恨某人; with ~ towards none. 不對任何人類惡意。(with) ~ aforethought. (legal) (with) conscious intention to cause harm, do wrong. (法律) 蓄意。ma-licious /məˈlɪʃəs/ *adj* feeling, showing, caused by, ~. 懷惡意的; 出於惡意的; 存心不良的: ma-licious gossip. 惡意的閒話。

ma-licious-ly *adv*
ma-lign /məˈlæɪn/ *adj* (of things) injurious: (指事物)有害的: exercise a ~ influence. 適用不良的影響。□ *vi* [VP6A] speak ill of (sb); tell lies about: 誹謗(某人); 中傷; 誣蔑: ~ an innocent person. 誣毀一個無辜的人。

ma-lig-nant /məˈlɪgnənt/ *adj* 1 (of persons, their actions) filled with, showing, a desire to hurt (~ is stronger in meaning than ma-licious and malevolent). (指人, 其行為) 惡毒的; 惡意的 (the malignant 的含義較 malicious 及 malevolent 強烈): ~ fairies. 惡毒的妖怪; ~ glances. 兇惡的眼光。2 (of diseases) harmful to life; violent: (指疾病) 致命的; 惡性的: ~ cancer. 惡性的癌。~ly *adv* ma-lig-

nancy /-nænsɪ; -nænsi/ *n* [U] the state of being ~. 惡毒; 惡性; 惡念。

ma-lig-nity /məˈlɪgnəti/ *n* [pl -ties] 1 [U] deep-rooted ill will: [C] instance of this; act, remark, etc. caused by such ill will. 極度的惡意; 惡意的言行; 憤恨。2 (of diseases) malignant character. (指疾病) 惡性。

ma-lin-ger /məˈlɪŋɡər/ *vi* [VP2A] pretend to be ill, protract an illness, in order to escape duty or work. 裝病以逃避責任; 詐病。~ or a person who ~s. 裝病以逃避責任的人; 詐病者。

mal-lard /ˈmæliəd/ *n* [U] a kind of wild duck. 一種野鴨; 鶉。

mal-leable /ˈmæliəbəl/ *adj* 1 (of metals) that can be hammered or pressed into new shapes. (指金屬) 可鍛的; 可壓製的; 有延展性的。2 (fig. eg of a person's character) easily trained or adapted. (喻, 如指人的性格) 易訓練的; 易適應的。

mal-lea-bility /ˈmæliəbɪləti/ *n* mal-lea-bility

mal-let /ˈmælt/ *n* 1 hammer with a wooden head, eg for striking the handle of a chisel. 木鎚(如用於敲擊鑿子把柄者)。2 the illus at tool. 參看 tool 之條目。2 long-handled wooden-headed hammer for striking a croquet or polo ball. 球槌(玩槌球或馬球時用的)。

mal-low /ˈmæliə/ *n* wild plant with hairy stems and leaves and pink, mauve or white flowers; garden varieties of this. 錦葵; 錦葵屬植物。

mal-m-ey /ˈmæmzi/ *n* [U] a sweet wine from Greece, Spain, etc. (希臘, 西班牙等國出產的) 一種甜葡萄酒。

mal-nu-trition /ˈmælnjuːtrɪʃən/ *n* [U] condition caused by not getting enough food or (enough of) the right kind(s) of food. 營養不良。

mal-odor-ous /ˈmælədərəs/ *adj* (formal) ill-smelling. (正式用語) 惡臭的。

mal-prac-tice /ˈmælpɹæktɪs/ *n* (legal) [U] wrongdoing; neglect of duty; [C] instance of this, eg the dishonest use of a position of trust for personal gain. (法律) 不法行為; 疏忽職守; 利用職位謀私舞弊; 濫職。

malt /mɔːlt/ *n* [U] grain (usu barley) allowed to germinate, used for brewing or distilling. 麥芽 (attrib) (形容用法) ~ liquor, eg beer, stout. 麥芽酒(如啤酒, 黑啤酒)。□ *vt*, *vi* 1 [VP 6A] make (grain) into ~. [VP2A] (of grain) come to the condition of ~. 使(麥)發芽; (指麥)發芽。2 [VP6A] prepare with ~. 以麥芽調製: ~ed milk. 麥芽乳。

Mal-tase /ˈmæltɪz/ *adj.* *n* (pl unchanged) (language, native) of Malta: (後數不變) 馬爾他島的; 馬爾他語; 馬爾他人: ~ cross, ~ the illus at cross. 馬耳他式十字架(參看 cross 之條目)。

Mal-thu-sian /ˈmæltʃuːziən/ *n* [U] (supporter) of the principles of T R Malthus, who declared that the growth of the world's population would, unless checked, lead to a world shortage of food. 馬爾薩斯人口論的; 維護馬爾薩斯人口論者(馬爾薩斯官稱, 世界人口之增加如不加以前制, 將導致糧食不足)。

mal-treat /ˈmæltɹiːt/ *vi* [VP6A] treat roughly or cruelly. 虐待; 虐待。~ment *n* [U] ~ing or being ~ed. 虐待; 被虐待。

mal-tre-s /ˈmæltɹɪs/ *n* [U] a person who makes malt. 製麥芽者。

mal-ver-sa-tion /ˈmælvəːseɪʃən/ *n* [U] (formal) corrupt administration (eg. public money, etc.). (正式用語) (公款等的) 濫用; 貪污(與 of 連用)。

mamba /ˈmæmbə/ *n* a black or green poisonous African snake. 非洲黑色或綠色毒蛇。2 the illus at snake. 參看 snake 之條目。

mam(m)a /ˈmæmə/ *n* [U] 'mama; 'mommy a familiar word for mother. 媽媽。

- able /-əbl; -əb/ *adj* that can be ~d; easily controlled. 能控制的; 容易管理的。~ability /'mænɪdʒə-'bɪləti; 'mænɪdʒə-'bɪləti/ *n*
- man-age-ment** /'mænɪdʒmənt; 'mænɪdʒmənt/ *n* 1 [U] managing or being managed: 管理; 處理; 經營; 支配: *The failure was caused by bad ~.* 這個失敗是因管理不善造成的。 *The business is under new ~.* 這個商號現在用新的方式經營。 2 [U] skilful treatment, delicate contrivance (and perhaps tricky): 手段; 與世的策畫 (或欺詐): *It needed a good deal of ~ to persuade them to give me the job.* 要用很多手段才能說服他們給我那個差事。 3 [C, U] (with *ing* or *pl v*) all those concerned in managing an industry, enterprise, etc. (被組織或複雜動作的) 經理人員; (工業、企業等的) 管理人員; 主管層; 資方: *joint contrivance between workers and ~.* 勞資聯合會。 *What this department store needs is a stronger ~.* 這家百貨公司所需要的是個較健全的統理者。
- man-ager** /'mænɪdʒə(r); 'mænɪdʒə/ *n* 1 person who controls a business, a hotel, etc. 經理。 2 (usu with an *adj*) one who conducts business, manages household affairs, etc. in a certain way: (通常與形容詞連用) 管理業務者; 管理家務者: *My wife is an excellent ~.* 我內人是一個非常好的管家。 ~ess /'mænɪdʒə-'res; 'mænɪdʒəri/ *n* woman ~ (1) 女經理。
- mane-gerial** /'mænɪdʒəriəl; 'mænɪdʒəriəl/ *adj* of managers; 經理的: *the ~ class*, people such as managers, directors, etc. 經理階級。
- mane-tee** /'mænɪ'ti; 'mænɪ'ti/ *n* a large sea mammal with flippers and a broad, flat tail; sea-cow. 一種巨大的海洋哺乳動物。 海牛。 ~ dugong.
- man-da-rin** /'mændərɪn; 'mændərɪn/ *n* 1 (old use) name for high Chinese government official. (舊用法) 滿清高級官吏。 2 standard spoken Chinese language. 中國國語。 3 ~ duck, small Chinese duck with brightly coloured feathers. 鸚鵡。 4 ~ orange, tangerine. 橘。 5 person whose behaviour and language seems deliberately remote and difficult: 行為和語言似乎故作隱秘難懂的人: (attrib) (形容用出) *the ~ prose* of some civil servants. 某些文官之隱秘難懂的文章。
- man-date** /'mændet; 'mændet/ *n* [C] 1 order from a superior, command given with authority. 命令; 訓令。 2 (hist) authority to administer a territory authorized by the League of Nations after the First World War. (史) (第一次世界大戰後國際聯盟授予的) 託管權。 3 authority given to representatives by voters, members of a trade union, etc. 選舉人、工會會員等對代表的授權: 代表所獲之權限: *the ~ given to us by the electors.* 選舉人授與我們的權限。 [v] [VP6A] put (a territory) under a ~ (2): 將(某地)委託統治; 託管: *the ~d territories.* 託管地。 **man-da-tory** /'mændətɔːri; 'mændətɔːri/ *adj* of, conveying a command; compulsory, obligatory: 命令的; 含有命令的; 委託的; 強制性的; 義務性的: *the mandatory power.* 受委託統治的國家; 託管國。 [n] (also with -tary) [tari] *US*: -tari; -tary) person or state to whom a ~ has been given. 受託者; 受委託統治的國家。
- man-dible** /'mændɪbl; 'mændɪbl/ *n* 1 jaw, esp the lower jaw in mammals and fishes. 顎(尤指哺乳動物和魚的下顎)。 2 either part of a bird's beak. 鳥喙的上部或下部。 3 (in insects) either half of the upper pair of jaws, used for biting and seizing. (昆蟲之) 上顎之一半; 大顎(用於咬和抓)。
- man-do-lin** /'mændəlɪn; 'mændəlɪn/ *n* musical instrument with 6 or 8 metal strings stretched in pairs on a rounded body. 曼陀鈴(一種六弦或八弦的樂器, 每二弦為一組, 弦架和圓形共鳴箱上)。
- man-drag-ora** /'mændrəɡɔːrə; 'mændrəɡɔːrə/ *n* [U] poisonous plant used in medical preparations (as an emetic and for causing sleep). 曼陀羅素(可製成催吐劑及能催眠的有毒植物)。
- man-drake** /'mændreɪk; 'mændreɪk/ *n* = mandragora.
- man-drill** /'mændrɪl; 'mændrɪl/ *n* large baboon of

- West Africa. 山魈(一種大獼猴, 產於西非)。
- mane** /meɪn; men/ *n* [C] long hair on the neck of a horse, lion, etc. (colloq or hum) thick hair on a man's head. (馬、獅子等動物頸上的) 鬃(俗或諷) 濃密的頭髮: *the illius at cat, domestic* 家貓的鬃毛。
- manes** /'mæneɪz; 'menɪz/ *n pl* (Lat) (among the ancient Romans) spirits of the dead, esp of ancestors worshipped as guardian influences. (古) (古羅馬人所信的) 陰魂: (古希臘神話中守護神祇的) 祖先的靈魂。
- ma-neu-ver** /mə'nuvə(r); mə'nuvə/ *n, v* (US spell: ing of) manoeuvre. 爲 manoeuvre 之美國拼法。
- man-ful** /'mænfl; 'mænfl/ *adj* brave; resolute; determined. 勇敢的; 堅決的。 ~ly /-fəli; -fəli/ *adv*
- man-ga-nese** /'mæŋɡənɪz; 'mæŋɡənɪz/ *n* [U] hard, brittle, light-grey metal (symbol Mn) used in making steel, glass, etc. 錳(用以製鋼, 玻璃等的一種極硬易碎的淡灰色金屬, 符號爲 Mn)。
- mange** /'mæŋdʒ; 'mændʒ/ *n* [U] contagious skin disease, esp of dogs and cats. (狗貓所患的) 皮膚病。 *mangy* /'mæŋɡi; 'mændʒi/ *adj* 1 suffering from ~: 生疥癩的: *a mangy dog* 生疥癩的狗。 2 squalid; neglected. 污穢的; 被丟棄的。 *mangily* /'mæŋɡɪli; 'mændʒɪli/ *adv*
- man-gel-wur-zel** /'mæŋɡl wɜːzl; 'mæŋɡl wɜːzl/ *n* [C] large round root, a kind of beet, used as cattle food. 飼料甜菜(一種甜牛用的甜菜)。
- manger** /'mæŋdʒə(r); 'mændʒə/ *n* long open box or trough for horses or cattle to feed from. 飼牛馬用的槽。 *dog in the ~.* 狗(2)。
- mangle** /'mæŋɡl; 'mæŋɡl/ *n* [C] machine with rollers for pressing out water from and for smoothing clothes, etc. that have been washed. (洗衣用的) 軋乾機; 軋壓機。 [v] [VP6A] put (clothes, etc) through a ~: 將(衣服等)用此機軋乾或軋平。 *mangle* /'mæŋɡl; 'mæŋɡl/ *vt* [VP6A] 1 cut up, tear, damage, badly: 切碎; 損壞; 毀壞: *He was knocked down by a lorry and badly ~d.* 他被一輛卡車撞倒而皮肉內破。 2 (fig) spoil by making bad mistakes. (喻) (因重大錯誤而) 損壞; 毀壞: *a piece of music* 損害了一首樂曲。
- mango** /'mæŋɡəʊ; 'mæŋɡəʊ/ *n pl* ~es or ~s /-ɡəʊz; -ɡəʊz/ (tropical tree bearing) pear-shaped fruit with yellow flesh: 芒果; 芒果樹: *~ chutney*, kind made with (green) unripe ~s. 芒果醬(用未成熟的芒果製成)。 *the illius at fruit* 參看 fruit 之條目。
- man-go-steen** /'mæŋɡə'stiːn; 'mæŋɡə'stiːn/ *n* (E Indian tree bearing) fruit with thick red rind and white juicy pulp. (東印度群島之) 山竹果樹; 山竹果。
- man-grove** /'mæŋɡrəʊv; 'mæŋɡrəʊv/ *n* [C] tropical tree growing in swamps and sending down root roots from its branches. 紅樹(一種熱帶樹, 生於沼澤地, 自枝上向下生長根)。
- mangy** /'mæŋɡi; 'mændʒi/ *adj* mangy.
- man-handle** /'mæn'hætl; 'mæn'hætl/ *vt* man-handle.
- man-hat-tan** /'mæn'hætɪn; 'mæn'hætɪn/ *n* (US) cocktail of whisky and vermouth. (美) 曼哈頓酒(威士忌與苦艾酒合成)。
- man-hood** /'mæn'hud; 'mæn'hud/ *n* [U] 1 the state of being a man: (男子之) 成年; 成人: *reach ~* 到達成年: *~ suffrage*, giving the vote to male citizens. 男性公民選舉權。 2 manly qualities; courage; sexual virility. 男人氣質; 勇氣; 剛強; 男子氣概。 3 all the men (collectively, of a country): 男人的總稱(指一國之男子; 與 of 連用): *the ~ of Scotland* 蘇格蘭男人。
- mania** /'meɪniə; 'menɪə/ *n* 1 [U] violent madness. 瘋狂; 癡狂。 2 [C] ~ (for), extreme enthusiasm (for sth): 熱中; 狂熱: *a ~ for collecting china ornaments*. 收藏瓷製飾物癖。 *maniac* /'memɪæk; 'menɪæk/ *n* receiving madman: (fig) extreme enthusiast. 狂熱的瘋子(喻) 極端狂熱者。 *ma-niacal* /mə'niækəl; mə'niækəl/ *adj* violently mad: (fig)

extremely enthusiastic. 瘋狂的; (喻) 極端狂熱的。
maniacally /mə'niækli; mə'niækli/ *adv*
manic-depressive /ˌmænik dɪ'presɪv; 'mænik dɪ'presɪv/ *adj. n.* (person) suffering from alternating periods of happy excitement and melancholic depression. 癲狂與鬱交替發作的(患者); 躁鬱性精神病患者。

manicure /ˌmænikʃə(r); 'mæntʃə(r)/ *n* [U] care of the hands and finger-nails. 修指甲; *have a manicure* 去修指甲; [C] treatment of this kind. 修指甲. *She has a ~ once a week.* 她每星期修指甲一次。□ *vt* [VP6A] give ~ treatment to; cut, clean and polish the finger-nails. 為...修指甲; 修剪; 洗淨及塗染(指甲)。'manicure-ist' /-ɪst; -ɪst/ *n* person who practises ~ as an occupation. 以修指甲為業的人。

mani-fest /ˌmænfest; 'mænoʊ, fest/ *n* list of a ship's cargo; list of passengers in an aircraft; list of trucks of a goods train. (船舶的)載貨單; (飛機的)旅客名單; (運貨火車的)無運貨清單。

mani-fest /ˌmænfest; 'mænoʊ, fest/ *adj* clear and obvious. 明白的; 明顯的: *a ~ truth*; 明顯的真理; *sth that should be ~ to all of you*. 你們全體應該明白的事情。□ *vt* [VP6A] 1 show clearly; 明白顯示; 清楚表示: ~ the truth of a statement. 明白顯示一項陳述的真實性。2 give signs of; 顯露(...的徵象): *She doesn't ~ much desire to marry him.* 她沒有顯露很想嫁給他的樣子。3 (reflex) come to light; appear; (反身)顯明; 顯現: *No disease ~ed itself during the long voyage.* 在這長久的航行中沒有發生任何疾病。4 *Has the ghost ~ed itself recently?* 最近那鬼魂又出現了嗎? **mani-fest-a-tion** /ˌmænfes'teɪʃn; 'mænfes'teɪʃn/ *n* [U] ~ing; making clear; [C] act or utterance that ~s; 顯示; 表明; 明白表示的言行; 發表。~ly *adv* clearly; obviously. 明白地; 顯然地。

mani-festo /ˌmænfestəʊ; 'mænoʊ, festəʊ/ *n* (pl. ~s or ~es /-təʊz; -toʊz/) public declaration of principles, policy, purposes, etc by a ruler, political party, etc or of the character, qualifications of a person or group. 宣言; 聲明; 布告。

mani-fold /ˌmæmfəʊld; 'mænoʊ, fəʊld/ *adj* having or providing for many (uses, forms, parts etc); many and various. 有多種用途的; 有多種形式的; 多樣的; 多方位的。□ *vt* [VP6A] (now usu. *duplicate*) make a number of copies of (a letter, etc) on a machine. (現在通常用 *duplicate*) 用複印機印(信件等)。□ *n* pipe or chamber with several openings, for connections, eg for leading gases into or out of cylinders. 接管; 多支管(即用於使氣體通入或派出(缸者))。

mani-kin /ˌmænikɪn; 'mænoʊ, kɪn/ *n* 1 small, undersized man; dwarf. 矮人; 侏儒。2 anatomical model of the human body; figure of the human body used by artists, eg for drapery, clothes. 人體解剖模型; 藝術家用的人體模型; 模特兒(例如用於穿戴衣物、衣服者)。

Man-illa (US also *Ma-nila*) /mə'mɪlə; mə'mɪlə/ *n* 1 ~ (hemp), plant fibre used for making ropes, mats, etc. 呂宋麻。2 m ~ paper, strong, brown wrapping paper made from ~ hemp. 呂宋紙(呂宋麻製成的強韌的棕色包裝紙)。m ~ envelopes, strong variety. 呂宋紙袋。3 cheroot made in ~, the capital of the Philippine Islands. 呂宋煙(菲律賓首都馬尼拉製造的煙)。

ma-nip-u-late /mə'nɪpjʊleɪt; mə'nɪpjə, leɪt/ *vt* [VP 6A] 1 operate, handle, with skill. 熟練地使用; 操縱: ~ the gears and levers of a machine. 操縱機件。2 manage or control (sb or sth) skillfully or craftily, esp by using one's influence or unfair methods. 操縱; 控制; 利用(尤指使用影響力或不公平手段): *A clever politician knows how to ~ his supporters.* ~ public opinion. 一個變明的政治家知道如何利用他的擁護者(輿論)。**ma-nip-u-la-tion** /mə'nɪpjʊleɪʃn; mə'nɪpjə, leɪʃn/ *n* [U] manipulating,

or being ~d; [C] instance of this: 操作; 操縱; 被操縱: *make a lot of money by clever manipulation of the Stock Market*. 由於巧妙的操縱股票市場而獲大錢。

man-kind *n* [U] 1 /ˌmæn'kaɪnd; 'mænkaind/ the human species. 人類。2 /ˌmænkaind; 'mænkaind/ the male sex (contrasted with 'womankind'). 男性(與 *womankind* 相對)。

man-like /ˌmænliːk; 'mæn, laɪk/ *adj* having the qualities (good or bad) of a man. 有男人(好或壞)氣質的; 像男人的。

man-ly /ˌmænlɪ; 'mænlɪ/ *adj* (-er, -iest) having the good qualities expected of a man; (of a woman) having a man's qualities; (of things, qualities, etc) right for a man. 有男子氣概的; (指女人)有男人氣質的; 男性化的; (指物品、性質等)適合於男人的。**man-li-ness** *n*

manna /ˈmænoʊ; 'mænə/ *n* [U] (in the Bible) food provided by God for the Israelites during their forty years in the desert (cf Exod 16); (fig) sth unexpectedly supplied or that gives spiritual refreshment. 嗎哪(聖經中以色列人在曠野四十年中所獲得的神降食物; 參看舊約出埃及記第十六章); (喻) 不期而來的東西; 精神食糧。

man-ne-quin /ˌmænnɪkɪn; 'mænə, kɪn/ *n* 1 woman employed to display new clothes for sale by wearing them (model is the usual word today). 時裝模特兒(現在通常用 *model*)。2 life-size dummy of a human body, used by tailors and in shops and shop-windows for the display of clothes. (裁縫、商店及櫥窗中用以展示衣服的人體模型)。

man-ner /ˈmæns(r); 'mænə/ *n* [C] 1 way in which a thing is done or happens. 方式; 方法: *Do it in this ~*. 以這種方式來做。2 (as) to be ~ born, as if knowing how to deal with a situation, practice, custom, etc from birth, naturally fitted for a position, duty, etc. 好像生來就知道如何應付某種情況; 習俗等; 天生適合於某種職位的。3 (sing. only) person's way of behaving towards others; (僅用單數)態度: *He has an awkward ~*. 他的舉止笨拙。4 *I don't like his ~*. 我不喜歡他的態度。5 (pl) habits and customs; social behaviour. (複)習慣; 風俗; 社交行為; 禮貌: *good/bad ~s*; 有(沒)禮貌: *He has no ~s at all*, is very badly behaved. 他毫無禮貌。6 *It is bad ~s to stare at people*. 盯着眼睛看人是不禮貌的。7 *Aren't you forgetting your ~s, Mary?* (eg to a child who forgets to say 'Thank you' for a present). 瑪莉, 你是不是忘記了禮貌? (例如小孩收了禮物忘記說「謝謝」時, 問她這句話)。8 *comedy of ~s*, play which is a satire on the customs of (a certain section of) society. 諷刺(某階層)社會風俗的喜劇。9 style in literature or art: (文學或藝術的)風格; 文體; 作風: *a painting in the ~ of Raphael*. 一幅仿拉斐爾作風的畫。10 kind, sort; 種類: *What ~ of man is he?* 他是哪種人? 11 *all ~ of*, every kind of. 各種的。12 *in a ~*, in a certain degree, to a certain extent. 有幾分; 有點兒; 在某種意義上。13 *in a ~ of speaking*, as one might say (used to weaken or qualify what one says). 可以說; 可謂。14 *by no ~ of means*, in no circumstances. 絕不; 任何情況之下均不。15 *~ed adj* 1 (in compounds) (用於複合字中): *ill-/well-/rough-~ed*, having bad/good/rough ~s (3). 無禮貌的/有禮貌的; 粗魯的。2 showing mannerisms. 表現出特殊習慣或癖好的。

man-ner-ism /ˌmænərɪzəm; 'mænə, rɪzəm/ *n* [C] peculiarity of behaviour, speech, etc, esp one that is habitual; excessive use of a distinctive manner in art or literature. (行為、言語等的)特殊習慣; 癖好; (文學或藝術的)過份強調獨特風格。

man-ner-ly /ˌmænlɪ; 'mænə, lɪ/ *adj* having good manners; polite. 有禮貌的; 謙恭的; 客氣的。

man-nish /ˌmænlɪ; 'mænɪʃ/ *adj* 1 (of a woman) like a man. (指女人)像男人的; 巾幗鬚髯的。2 more suitable for a man than for a woman. 較適合男人的(較不適合女人的): *a ~ style of dress*; 男式的

服裝: characteristic of a man. 男人特有的。

ma-nœuvrē (US = *ma-neuver*) /mɑˈnu:və(r); mɑˈnu:v/ *n* 1 planned movement (of armed forces); (pl) series of such movements, eg as training exercises: (軍隊的)調遣; (機動)性; (海)演習; *army/fleet* ~s; 陸軍(海軍)演習; *troops on* ~s 調遣(或演習)中的部隊。2 movement or plan, made to deceive, or to escape from sb, or to win or do sth: 用於欺騙、逃避或取勝等的行動或計畫; 策略; 巧計; *the despicable* ~s of some politicians 政客的不恥策略。□ *vi*, *vt* [VP2A, C, 6A, 15A] (cause to) perform ~s 調遣; 演習; 計畫; 策進: *The fleet is manoeuvring off the east coast.* 艦隊正在東海岸外演習。Can we ~ the enemy out of their strong position? 我們能不能用計誘騙敵軍離開他們的陣地? She ~d her car into a difficult parking space. 她就把車開進了一個不方便停車的地方。Can you ~ me into a good job, use your influence, etc in order to get a good job for me? 你能不能想辦法給我找個好差事? The yachts were manoeuvring for position, moving about to get advantageous positions (in a race). 那些小艇正在移動以取得有利位置。ma-nœuvr-able (US = *ma-neuver-able*) /-vrəbl; -vrəbl/ *adj* that can be ~d. 能調遣的; 能演習的; 可運用的; 可操縱的。ma-nœuvr-abil-ity (US = *neuver-ity*) /mɑˈnu:vəbɪləti; mɑˈnu:vəbɪləti/ *n* ~r (US = *ma-neuverer*) *n*

manor /ˈmænər; ˈmænə/ *n* (in England) (在英國) 1 unit of land under the feudal system, part of which was used directly by the lord of the ~ (≈ lord(4)) and the rest occupied and farmed by tenants who paid rent in crops and service. 封建制度下貴族的領地; 采邑; 采邑(此種土地部分為貴族自用,其餘租給佃農耕種)。2 (modern use) area of land with a principal residence (called manor the ~house). (現代用法)大宅邸的莊園。ma-nor-ial /mɑˈnɔ:riəl; mɑˈnɔ:riəl/ *adj* of a ~, 領地的; 采邑的; 領主出地的; 莊園的。

man-sard /ˈmænsəd; ˈmænsəd/ *n* ~ (roof), roof with a double slope, the lower being steeper than the upper. 雙折屋頂(下部分坡度比上部分陡)。

manse /ˈmæns; ˈmæns/ *n* church minister's house, esp in Scotland. 牧師住宅(尤指在蘇格蘭者)。

man-sion /ˈmænʃn; ˈmænʃn/ *n* 1 large and stately house. 大屋; 莊宅; 官邸。the 'M' House, the official residence of the Lord Mayor of London. 倫敦市長官邸。2 (pl, in proper names) block of flats (複, 用於專有名詞中)公寓大廈: *Victoria M* ~s. 維多利亞公寓。

man-tel /ˈmæntl; ˈmæntl/ *n* structure of wood, marble, etc above and around a fireplace; (in modern houses, usu ~piece) shelf projecting from the wall above a fireplace. 壁爐上部及側面的木石等構造; (現代房屋裏,通常稱 mantelpiece) 壁爐架(壁爐上突出的架子); 壁爐前飾。

man-tilla /ˈmæntɪlə; ˈmæntɪlə/ *n* large veil or scarf worn by Spanish women to cover the hair and shoulders. (西班牙婦女覆蓋頭髮和肩部的)披肩; 頭巾。

man-tis /ˈmæntɪs; ˈmæntɪs/ *n* (praying) ~, (kind of) long-legged insect. 螳螂; ~ the illus at insect. 螳螂的禱語。

mantle /ˈmæntl; ˈmæntl/ *n* 1 loose, sleeveless cloak; (fig) covering: 無袖外衣; 斗篷; (喻)覆蓋物: *hills with a ~ of snow*. 覆蓋一層雪的群山。2 lace-like cover fixed round the flame of a gas lamp and becoming incandescent, to provide bright light. (裝於煤氣燈大焰周圍使燈光明亮的)白熱紗罩; 燈罩。

mantle /ˈmæntl; ˈmæntl/ *vt*, *vi* 1 [VP6A] cover in, or as in, a mantle. 覆蓋; 蓋; 包: *an ivy ~d wall*. 爬滿常春藤的牆。2 [VP6A, 2C] (old use, or liter) flow into the blood-vessels of, (of the face) flush: (舊用法或文學用語)(指血液)流入...之血管; (指臉)漲紅; *Blushes* /*Blush* ~d (over) her cheeks. 她的兩頰漲紅。Her face ~d

with blushes. 她滿臉羞紅。(fig) (喻) Down ~d in the sky. 朝霞紅了天際。

man-ual /ˈmænjuəl; ˈmænjuəl/ *adj* of, done with, the hands: 手的; 手製的: ~ labour, 手工; 體力勞動: ~ training, eg in schools, training in carpentry, metal work; 手工藝訓練(例如在學校內學習木工、金工等); ~ exercises, eg drill in handling a rifle. 操槍教練。□ *n* 1 handbook or textbook: 手冊; 教科書: a shorthand ~. 速記手冊。2 keyboard of an organ, played with the hands. (風琴之)手鍵盤。~ly /-juəl; -juəl/ *adv*

manu-fac-ture /ˈmænjuːfæktʃə(r); ˈmænjuːfæktʃə/ *vt* [VP6A] 1 make, produce (goods, etc) on a large scale by machinery: 製造; 以機器大量生產(貨物等): ~ shoes/cement, 製造鞋子(水泥); manufacturing industries; 製造工業: ~d goods (contrasted with raw materials, hand-made goods, etc). 機器製造物品; 製造品(以別於原料、手工製品等)。2 invent (a story, an excuse, etc). 捏造(故事、託辭等)。□ *n* 1 [U] the making or production of goods and materials: 製造; 生產: firms engaged in the ~ of plastics; 從事製造塑膠的公司; goods of foreign ~. 外國產品。2 (pl) ~d goods and articles. (複)機器製造物品; 製造品; 產品。manu-fac-tur-er *n* person, firm, etc that ~s things. 製造者; 製造商; 製造廠; 生產者。

manu-mit /ˈmænjuːmɪt; ˈmænjuːmɪt/ *vt*, (t-t) (in former times) set (a slave) free. (古時)釋放(奴隸)。

manu-mission /ˈmænjuːmɪʃn; ˈmænjuːmɪʃn/ *n*

ma-nure /ˈmænjuər; ˈmænjuər/ *n* [U] animal waste, eg from stables and cow barns, or other material, natural or artificial, spread over or mixed with the soil to make it fertile. 肥料(指糞糞,或其他天然的及人造的物質,施於土壤上或混合於土壤中以便之肥沃)。~ fertilizer, the usu word for chemical or artificial manure, at fertilizer. (複)機器製造物品; 製造品; 產品。manu-fac-tur-er *n* person, firm, etc that ~s things. 製造者; 製造商; 製造廠; 生產者。

manu-script /ˈmænjuːskript; ˈmænjuːskript/ *n* (shortened to 縮寫為 MS, pl 複數縮寫為 MSS) book, etc as first written out or typed: 手稿; 原稿; 原稿: send a ~ to the printers. 將一份原稿送往印刷廠。In ~, not yet printed: 尚未付印的: poems still in ~. 尚未付印的詩稿。

Manx /ˈmæŋks; ˈmæŋks/ *adj* of the Isle of Man. 曼島的。~ cat, tailless kind of cat. 曼島貓(一種無尾的貓)。□ *n* ~ language. 曼島語。

many /ˈmeni; ˈmeni/ *adj*, *n* (contrasted with few; 與few相對): ~ more, most) 1 (used with pl an; 與複數名詞連用): ~ much, in purely affirm sentences it is often preferable to use 在純粹的肯定句中,最好用 a large number (of), numerous, or (colloq) (俗) a lot (of), lots (of), plenty (of); ~ (things) ~ Where there ~ people at the meeting? 有很多人到會嗎? I have some, but not ~. 我有一些,但並不是很多。M~ people think so. 很多人這麼想。M~ of them were broken. 其中許多是破的。M~ of us left early. 我們有很多人早離開了。How ~ do you want? 你要多少? How ~ of them were absent? 他們當中有多少人缺席呀? You gave me two too ~. 你多給了我兩個。Do you need so ~? 你需要這麼多嗎? He made ten spelling mistakes in an ~ lines. 他在十行裏拼錯了十個字。I have six here and as ~ again (ie six more) at home. 我這裏有六個,在家裏還有六個。a great/good ~, a large number (of); 很多(的): I have a good ~ things to do today. 我今天有很多事情要做。one too ~, one more than the correct or needed number. 比正確或所需要的多了一個; 不需要的; 多餘的: I wish Jane would go away; she's one too ~ here. We don't want her company. 我希望珍走開,她在這裏礙手礙腳。He's had one too ~ again, is slightly drunk. 他又多喝了一點酒(有點醉了)。be one too ~ for, be more than a match(2) for; get the better of; 勝於; 勝過: He was one too ~ for you that