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## WORD ROOT

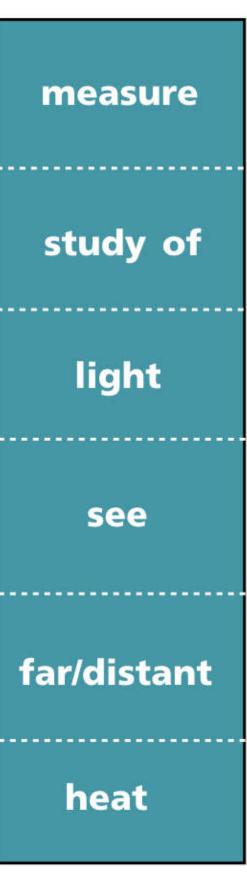
### Word Root รากศัพท์ของค่าศัพท์

เป็นหน่วยที่เล็กที่สุด ถ้าเอาไปรวมกับ prefix หรือ suffix จะได้ค่าศัพท์ค่าใหม่

- dem (means people) => democracy (ประชาธิปไตย)
- auto (means self / same) => automobile (รถยนต์)
- equi (means equal) => equity (ความเสมอภาค / ความถูกต้อง / ความ ยุติธรรม)
- bio (means life) => biology (ชีววิทยา)



COMMON GREEK me				
R	OOTS		ology	
auto	self	automobile, automatic, autograph, autotrophy	photo	
bio	life	biography, biology, biodegradable, biopsy, antibiotic	scope	
graph	written or drawn	graph, graphic, graphite, seismograph	tele	
hydro	water	dehydrate, hydrogen, hydrant, hydrodynamic, hydrophobic	therm	



barometer, centimeter, diameter, thermometer

geology, biology, hydrology

photograph, photocopy, photogenic, photosynthesis

microscope, periscope, stethoscope, telescope

telephone, telescope, telecast, telegram

thermometer, thermos, thermal, thermosphere

COMMON
LATIN
ROOTS

audi	hear	audience, auditorium, audible, inaudible, audition	spect
dict	speak	dictate, predict, contradict, verdict, diction	struct
port	carry	import, export, portable, porter, transport	tract
rupt	break	abrupt, bankrupt, erupt, interrupt, rupture	vis



scrib

script

describe, inscribe, prescribe, scribe, describe, script, transcript, prescription

inspect, respect, spectacles, spectator, suspect, perspective

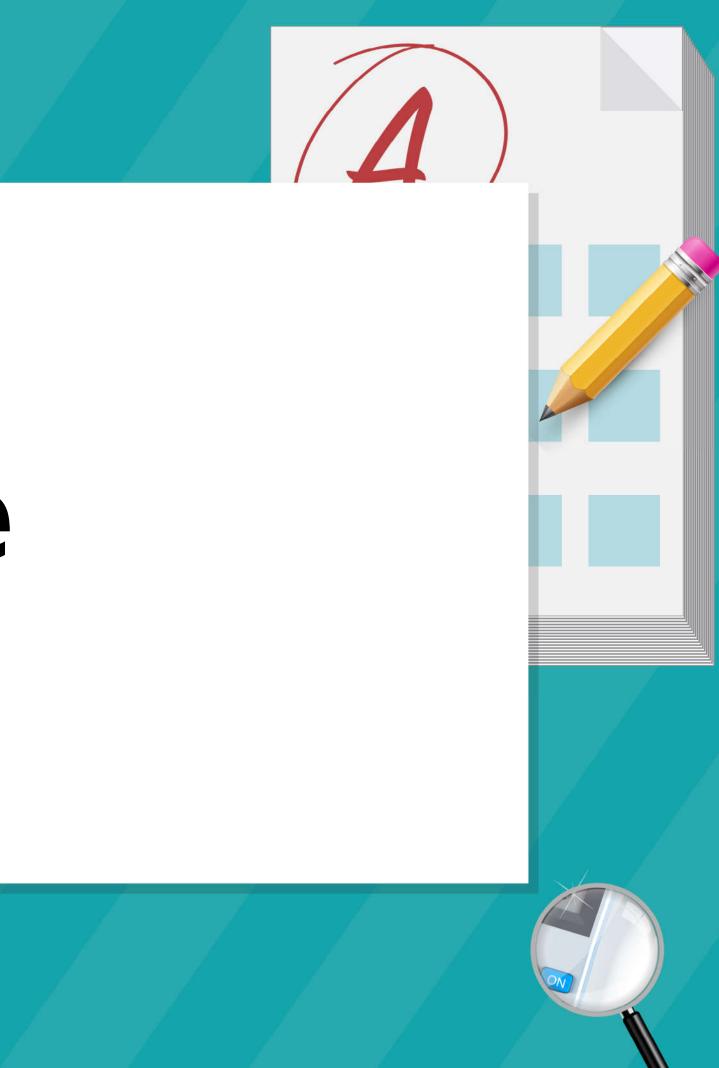
construct, destruct, destruction, instruct, structure

attract, detract, contract, subtract, traction, tractor

visible, supervise, vision, visionary







- 1. If you know in advance that the examination is going to be easy, you have no incentive to study very much. 1) incident
  - 2) motive
  - 3) time
  - 4) interest



- 2. When there are severe shortages of fuel, prices soar.
  - 1) tower
  - 2) slow
  - 3) fall
  - 4) rise



#### Exercise

- 3. Geranium thrive if you transplant them from indoors
  - to your garden in the hot weather.
  - 1) transfer
  - 2) substitute
  - 3) trade
  - **4) dig**



### <u>nt</u> them from indoors her.

- 4. Nutritionists believe that vitamins <u>circumvent</u> disease.
  - 1) defeat
  - 2) nourish
  - 3) treat
  - 4) feed



- 5. Sometime <u>hyperactive</u> children are given drugs.
  - 1) excessively lively
  - 2) slow-moving
  - 3) very intelligent
  - 4) physically disabled



- 6. Manufacturers are <u>dubious</u> about predictions of an economic recovery.
  - 1) dumbfounded
  - 2) delighted
  - 3) driven
  - 4) doubful



- 7. Because children are inoculated against measles, there are currently very few cases of the disease in the United States.
  - 1) treated
  - 2) injected
  - 3) isolated
  - 4) subjected



- 8. Kevin cannot take elevators because she has claustrophobia.
  - 1) unreasonable fear of heights
  - 2) unreasonable fear of closed spaces
  - 3) unreasonable fear of elevators
  - 4) unreasonable fear of people



- 9. The hurricane caused incalculable damage in New England.
  - 1) very great
  - 2) very little
  - 3) very calculating
  - 4) very abusive



- 10. Increasingly ominous economic signs, namely rising inflation, the decreasing value of the currency, etc., caused a change in government. 1) noticeable
  - 2) threatening
  - 3) prosperous
  - 4) promising



- 11. The Education Ministry plans to franchise about 10 prestigious Bangkok schools next year to <u>alleviate</u> overcrowding.
  - 1) exaggerate
  - 2) envisage
  - 3) lure
  - 4) minimize



- 12. The Royal Irrigation Department will review its consumptions in building dams to withstand the most powerful earthquakes that could possibly occur.
  - 1) confront
  - 2) encounter
  - 3) resist
  - 4) persist



#### Exercise

### 13. The cabinet approved 84 million baht for the Water **Resource Development and the Groundwater Resource** Department to <u>rehabilitate</u> sources of clean water in areas affected by the droughts.

1) regulate 3) preserve 2) allocate 4) improve



- 14. In the 1860s, James Clerk Maxwell \_\_\_\_\_\_ a set of equations describing how waves in the lines of force would \_\_\_\_\_\_ across space. 1) founded – connect 2) developed – travel 3) implied – swing
  - 4) invented explode



#### Exercise

- 15. The dense cloudy atmosphere of Venus surface from even the most powerful telescope. Only radar can \_\_\_\_\_\_ to map the planet's features. 1) disguises – concentrate 2) reveals – deviate
  - 3) conceals penetrate
  - 4) blankets interfere



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- **16.** Hobart, Tasmania's capital, was reputed for being hell for English \_\_\_\_\_ in the early 19th century. However, today it is recognized as a \_\_\_\_\_ place, with a beautiful harbor front and colonial architecture. 1) settlers – harsh 2) nobles – congested 3) immigrants – vicious
  - 4) prisoners heavenly

