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Keeping Count with Prefixes

Directions: Some popular prefixes can tell how a number is related to the word you are learning. For example, if you know *uni* means “one,” then you can figure out that a *unicycle* has one wheel. Here are three prefixes that indicate numbers and some words containing them. Look up each of the following words on the Visual Thesaurus and write their definitions on the blanks provided to the right of the words. Then use wildcard searching on the Visual Thesaurus to add one more word to each group that starts with the same prefix.

Words starting with the prefix *mono-* (one)

1. monocle _____

2. monopoly _____

Now, find one more word containing the prefix “mono” on the Visual Thesaurus by entering “mono*” into the search box.

3. _____ means _____

Words starting with the prefix *bi-* (two)

1. biannual _____

2. biped _____

Now, find one more word containing the prefix “bi” on the Visual Thesaurus by entering “bi*” into the search box.

3. _____ means _____

Words starting with the prefix *quad-* (four)

1. quadrant _____

2. quadruplet _____

Now, find one more word containing the prefix “quad” on the Visual Thesaurus by entering “quad*” into the search box.

3. _____ means _____