

Appendix 3

Type Frequencies of Phonaesthemes in French

/sl/ (pejoration)

Type Frequency = 2/12 (17%)

slalom	slalom
slavisant(e)	slavist
Slavonie	Slavonia
slavophile	slavophile
sleeping	sleeping car
slice	(tennis etc) slice
slip	underwear
slogan	slogan
sloop	sloop
Slovaquie	Slovakia
Slovènie	Slovenia
slow	slow

/sm/ (pejoration)

Type Frequency = 0/5 (0%)

smala	tribe
smicard	minimum wage earner
smocks	smocking
smoking	dinner suit; evening suit; dress suit
smurf	break dancing

/sn/ (pejoration)

Type Frequency = 3/3 (100%)

snif(f)	boo-hoo; [onomatopoeic] sound of crying
sniffer	to sniff
sniper	sniper

No /skw/ in French

/st/ (strength/stoicism)

Type Frequency = 23/106 (22%)

stabilisant	stabilizer
stable	stable; steady
stabulation	stalling (stabling)
staccato	staccato
stade	stadium
stadier	steward (in a stadium)
staff	staff (personnel)
staffeur	plasterer (working in staff)
stage	placement; internship
stagnant(e)	stagnant
stalactite	stalacite
stalag	stalag
stalagmite	stalagmite
stalle	stall; box
stance	stanza
stand	stand
standard	(i) switchboard (ii) standard
standardiser	standardize
standing	standing
staphylocoque	staphylococcus
star	star (celebrity)
starking	starking (apple)
starlette	starlet
starter	choke (car/motoring)
stase	stasis
station	(i) station (ii) petrol etc station (iii) site (iv) resort (v) posture; stance (vi) stop (vii) ...of the cross
stationner	to be parked
statique	static
statisme	statis
statisticien(ienne)	statistician
statistique	statistics
stator	stator
statuaire	statuary
statue	statue
statuer	to give a verdict
statu quo	status-quo
stature	stature (calibre)
statut	status
statutaire	statutory
steak	steak
stéarine	stearin
stéatite	steatite
steeple	steeple
stèle	stele

stellaire	stellar
stem(m)	stem
stencil	stencil
sténographie	short-hand; stenography
sténopé	pinhole
stenotype	stenotype
stentor	stentor
steppe	steppe
stepper	stepper
stercoraire	skua (sea bird)
stère	stere
stereo	stereo
stéréophonique	stereophonic
stéréoscope	stereoscope
stereotype	stereotype
stérile	sterile; infertile
stérilet	coil (inter-uterine device)
stériliser	to sterilize
sterling	sterling
sterne	Arctic tern
sternum	sternum; breastbone
stéroïde	steroid
stethoscope	stethoscope
Stetson	Stetson
steward	steward; flight attendant
stick	stick
stigmaté	mark; scar; stigmata
stigmatiser	stigmatize
stimulant(e)	stimulating
stimulateur	pacemaker
stimulus	stimulus
stipendié(e)	hired
stipuler	to state; to stipulate
stock-car	stock-car
stocker	to stock; to store
Stockholm	Stockholm
stockiste	stockist (dealer)
stock-option	stock-option
stoïcien(ienne)	stoic
stomacal	stomach
stop	stop
stoppage	invisible mending
store	blind; awning; shade
stuc	stucco
studette	small studio flat
studieux (ieuse)	studious
studio	studio flat
stupéfaire	to stun; to dumfound; to astound
stupide	stupid
stupre	debauchery; depravity

stups	brigade
style	style
stylé (e)	perfectly trained
stylet	(i) stiletto (ii) stylet (iii) proboscis
styliser	to stylize
stylisme	dress designing
stylist(e)	designer
stylistique	stylistics
stylo	ball-point (pen); biro
stylographe	fountain-pen
Styx	the Styx

/st./ (straightness/stretching)

Type Frequency = 7/34 (21%)

strabisme	squinting
stradivarius	Stradivarius
strangulation	strangulation
strapontin	jump seat; foldaway seat
Strasbourg	Strasbourg
strass	paste
strate	stratum
stratégie	strategy
stratigraphie	stratigraphy
stratocumulus	stratocumulus
stratosphère	stratosphere
stratus	stratus
streptocoque	streptococcus
streptomycine	streptomycin
stress	stress
stresser	to put under stress
stretch	stretch
strict(e)	strict
stricto sensu	strictly speaking
strident(e)	shrill; strident
striduler	to stridulate; to chirr
strie	streak
strié(e)	striated
strier	to streak
string	G-string
striptease	striptease
strip-teaseur (euse)	stripper; striptease artist
stroboscope	stroboscope
strontium	strontium
strophe	strophe; verse; stanza
structuralisme	structuralism
structurant(e)	founding; formative

structure structure
strychnine strychnine

/sw/ (fast or strong movement)

Type Frequency = 1/5 (20%)

swaheli(e) Swahilian
Swaziland Swaziland
sweat(er) sweatshirt
swing swing (music)
swinguer to swing

/gl/ (light)

Type Frequency = 7/76 (9%)

glabre hairless
glaçage glazing
glace (i)ice (ii) mirror
glacer to freeze
glaceuse glazing machine
glaciaire glacial; the ice age
glaciairist ice-climber
glaciation glaciation
glacier (i) glacier (ii) ice-cream maker
glacière icebox; cool box
glacis (i) glaze (ii) weathering
glaçon block of ice; icicle
gladiateur gladiator
glâieul gladiola, gladiolus
glaire white
glaireux (euse) slimy
glaise clay
glaisière clay pit
glaiue two-edged sword
glamour glamorous; glitzy
gland (i) acorn (ii) glans (iii) tassel
glande gland
glander to footle about; to kick one's heels
glandulaire glandular
glaner to glean
glapir to bark; to yap; to yelp
glas knell
glasnost glasnost
glaucome glaucoma

glauque	(i) blue-green (ii) shabby
glavioter	to spit; to gob
glèbe	glebe
glissade	to slide; to slip; to skid
glissage	sledging (of wood)
glisse	glide
global(e)	total; comprehensive
globalisation	globalization
globalité	global nature
globe	globe
globe-trotter	globe-trotter
globine	globin
globule	globule
glockenspiel	glockenspiel
gloire	glory; fame
Gloria	(i) Gloria (ii) laced coffee
gloriette	gazebo
glorieux (ieuse)	glorious; triumphant
glorifier	to glorify; to extol
gloriole	misplaced vanity; vain-glory
glossaire	glossary
glossématique	glossematics
glossine	glossina
glossolalie	glossolalia
glotte	glottis
glouglouter	to gurgle; to gobble
glousser	(i) to chuckle (ii) to cluck
gloutonnerie	gluttony; greed
gloxinia	gloxinia
glu	birdlime
gluant (e)	sticky; slimy
glucide	carbohydrate
glucose	glucose
glutamate	glutamate
gluten	gluten
glutineux	glutinous
glycémie	glycaemia
glycerine	glycerine; glycerol
glyceriné(e)	glycerine-coated
glycérique	glyceric acid
glycérol	glycerine; glycerol
glycérophtalique	oil-based
glycine	wisteria
glycocolle	glycene
glycogène	glycogen
glycol	glycol
glyphe	glyph

/gʁ/ (gripping)

Type Frequency = 2/268 (0.8%)

Graal	Grail
grabat	pallet
grabataire	bedridden
grabuge	ructions; a ruckus
grâce	grace; charm
gracier	to pardon
gracile	slender
Gracques	the Gracchi (Roman nobles)
gradation	gradation
grade	rank
gradé (e)	officer
gradient	gradient
gradin	tier
graduation	graduation
gradué	graded
gradual (elle)	gradual
grader	to increase in difficulty
graffiti	graffiti
graille	grub; nosh; chow
graillon	a piece of burnt fat
graillonner	to cough
grain	(i) grain (ii) bean (iii) pellet (iv) particle; speck
graine	seed
graisser	to grease;
graminée	grass
grammaire	grammar
gramme	gramme
gramophone	gramophone
grand(e)	(i) tall; high; (ii) older (iii) big; large (iv) great (v) loud; intense (vi) leading (vii) important (viii) main (ix) hard; intensive (x) remarkable (xi) grand (xii) noble
grand-angle	wide-angle lens
grand-chose	not much
grand-croix	holder of the Grand Cross
grand-duc	grand duke
grand-ducal(e)	grand ducal
grand-duché	grand duchy
Grande-Bretagne	Great Britain
grande-duchesse	grand duchess
grandement	to be greatly mistaken
grandesse	Spanish grandeeship
Grand-Guignol	Grand Guignol [theatre]
grandiloquent(e)	grandiloquent; bombastic
grandiose	imposing; grandiose
grandir	(i) to grow (ii) to increase

grandissement	magnification
grandissime	tremendous
grand-livre	ledger
grand-mère	grandmother
grand-messe	high mass
grand-oncle	great uncle
grand-papa	grandpa; granddad
grand-peine	with great difficulty
grand-père	grandfather
grand-rue	the high street
grand-parents	grand-parents
grand-tante	great-aunt
grand-vergue	main yard
grand-voile	mainsail
grange	barn
granit(e)	granite
granivore	grain-eating
granulat	aggregate
granulation	grainy effect (esp. photography)
granule	granule
grape-fruit	grapefruit
graphe	graph
graphème	grapheme
grapheur	graphics software
graphie	written form
graphisme	graphics
graphiste	graphic designer
graphite	graphite
graphologie	graphology
grappe	cluster; bunch
grappillage	gathering; picking
grappiller	to glean
grappin	grapnel
gras(se)	(i) fatty; fat (ii) podgy (iii) greasy (iv) thick (v) phlegm (vi) coarse, crude (vii) rich, luxuriant
grass-double	tripe
grassement	(i) generously; handsomely (ii) coarsely
grasseyant(e)	guttural
grassouillet (ette)	podgy; plump
gratifiant (e)	rewarding; gratifying
gratification	(i) bonus (ii) gratification
gratifier	to present with; to favour
gratin	cheese (topped) dish
gratiné (e)	(i) au gratin (ii) (really) stiff
gratiner	to cook au gratin
gratis	free; for nothing
gratitude	gratitude
grattouiller	(i) to make itch (ii) to strum
grattage	scratching
grate	pickings

gratte-ciel	scraper
gratte-cul	rose-hip
gratte-dos	back-scratcher
gratte-papier	pen-pusher
gratte-pieds	shoe-scraper
grater	(i) to scratch (ii) to strum
grattoir	scraper
grattons	pork-scratchings
gratuiciel	freeware
gratuit(e)	free
gratuité	grant (monetary)
gratuitement	(i) free of charge (ii) wantonly; gratuitously
gravats	rubble
grave	solemn; grave
graveleux (euse)	(i) smutty (ii) gravelly; gritty
gravelure	smut
gravement	(i) gravely; solemnly (ii) seriously
graver	to engrave
gravide	gravid
gavier	(little) stone; piece of gravel
gavière	gravel pit
gravillonner	to gravel
gravimétrie	gravimetry
gravir	to climb (up)
gravissime	extremely serious
gravitation	gravitation
gravité	gravity, solemnity
graviter	(i) to revolve (ii) to gravitate towards
gravure	(i) engraving (ii) cutting
gré	preference; choice
grèbe	grebe
grec/grecque	Greek
Grèce	greece
gréco-latin(e)	Graeco-Latin
gréco-romain(e)	Graeco-Roman
gredin	scoundrel
gréement	rigging
green	green
gréer	to rig
greffage	grafting
greffe	(i) graft (ii) clerk's office
greffé (e)	heart transplant patient
greffer	to transplant
greffier	clerk (of the court)
grégaire	gregarious
grège	(i) raw (ii) dove-coloured
grégeois	firey
grégorien (ienne)	Gregorian
grêle	(i) spindly (ii) hail
grêlé(e)	damaged by hail; pock-marked

grelot	(little spherical) bell
grelotter	to shiver
greluche	bird; chick
Grenade	Granada
grenade	(i) pomegranate (ii) grenade
grenadin(e)	(i) Grenadian (ii) grenadine
grenaille	shot
grenat	garnet
grener	to granulate; to grain
grenier	attic; loft
grenouillage	shady dealings
grenouille	churchy old man
grenouillère	sleep suit
grenu(e)	coarse grained
grenure	graining
grès	(i) sandstone (ii) stoneware
grésil	(fine) hail
grésiller	(i) to sizzle; to crackle (ii) to chirp
gressin	breadstick
grève	(i) strike (ii) shore
grever	to put a strain on
gréviste	striker
gribiche	sauce
gribouille	short-sighted idiot; rash fool
gribouilleur	to scribble; to scrawl; to doodle
grief	grievance
grièvement	seriously injured
griffade	scratch
griffe	claw
griffé (e)	designer
griffer	(i) to scratch; to claw (ii) to put one's name to
griffon	griffon
griffonner	to scribble; to jot down; to sketch hastily
grignotage	(i) snacking (ii) erosion, eroding; whittling away
grignoter	(i) to nibble at; to gnaw at (ii) to eat away; to erode
grigou	curmudgeon
grigri/gri-gri	charm
gril	(i) steak pan; grill pan (ii) rib cage
grill	grill-room
grillade	grill
grillage	(i) toasting (ii) wire netting
grillager	to put wire netting on
grille	railings
grillé (e)	found-out (adj.)
grille-pain	toaster
griller	(i) to toast (ii) to burn (iii) to grill
grillon	cricket
grimaçant(e)	twisted; grimacing
grimacer	to grimace; to wince

grimacier (ière)	affected
grimer	to apply make-up
grimoire	piece of mumbo jumbo
grim pant(e)	climbing plant
grimpe	rock-climbing
grimper	to climb (up); to clamber up
grim pereau	creeper
grinçant(e)	darkly humorous; grating
grincer	to grate; to creak
grincheux (euse)	grumpy
gringalet	puny
gringo	gringo
gringue	to chat up
griot	griot (African musician and poet)
griotte	morello cherry
grip	grip
grippé(e)	(the) flu
gripper	to jam; to seize up; to bunch up
grippe-sou	penny-pincher; skinflint
gris(e)	(i) grey (ii) colourless
grisant(e)	exhilarating
grisbi	loot
griser	to intoxicate; to make tipsy
grisette	coquettish working-girl
gris-gris	charm
grison (onne)	of Graubünden
grisou	firedamp
grisoumètre	firedamp detector
grive	thrush
grivèlerie	ordering food/drink in restaurant and not being able to pay
griveton	soldier
grivna	grivna (Ukrainian unit of currency)
grivois(e)	saucy
grivoiserie	saucy expression
grizzli/grizzly	grizzly bear
groenendaels	sheepdog
Groenland	Greenland
grog	hot toddy
groggy	groggy
grognard	soldier of the old guard of Napoleon
grognaſſe	old bag
grogne	rumbling; simmering discontent
grognement	grunt; snort
grogner	to grumble; to moan
grognon (onne)	grumpy; gruff; surly
groin	snout
grolle	shoe
grommellement	muttering; indistinct grumbling
gronder	to tell off; to scold
grondin	gurnard

groom	bellboy; bellhop
gros/grosse	(i) big; fat (ii) important (iii)very (intens.) (iv) full
gros-bec	hawfinch
gros-cul	juggernaught
groseille	currant
groseiller	currant bush
gross-grain	closely woven silk or rayon [usually ribbon]
Gros-Jean	the common-man; a worker or peasant
grosse	engrossment; gross
grossesse	pregnancy
grosneur	(i) size (ii) lump
grossier (ière)	(i) coarse; unrefined; crude (ii) roughly done (iii) crass (iv) base (v) (insolent) rude (vi) (vulgar) uncouth
grossièrement	(i) roughly (ii) coarsely (iii) grossly mistaken
grossir	to gain weight; swell; grow
grossiste	wholesaler
grosso modo	more or less; roughly
grotesque	grotesque; ludicrous; ridiculous
grotte	cave; grotto
grouiller	to mill about; to be swarming or teeming
grouillot	messenger boy
groupage	(i) bulking (ii) blood grouping
groupe	(i) group (ii) party; band (iii) club (iv) cluster
groupement	(i) grouping words (ii) group; organisation
groupie	groupie
grouse	grouse
Grozny/Groznyĭ	Grozny
grau	hulled grain; groats
grue	crane
gruger	to swindle
grume	bark; undressed timber; rough lumber
grumeau	lump
grunge	grunge (music)
gruppetto	gruppetto, turn
gruter	to crane
grutier (ière)	crane driver
guyère	Gruyère (Swiss) cheese

/kl/ (clumsiness/thickness/stupidity)

Type Frequency = 0/153 (0%)

clabauder	to moan; to whinge
clabaudeur (euse)	gossiping; yapping
clac	slam
clafoutis	clafoutis (tart made with fruit set in batter)
clai(e)	rack
clair(e)	(i) bright; light (ii) light coloured (iii) clear (iv) thin

	(vi) obvious
claire	oyster bed
claire-voire	open fencework
clairière	clearing; glade
clair-obscur	twilight
clairon	bugle
claironnant (e)	strident; resonant
claironner	to trumpet; to shout from the roof
clairsemé (e)	scattered; thin; sparse
clairvoyant (e)	clear-sighted; perceptive
clam	clam
clamecer	to kick the bucket; to snuff it
clamer	to shout out; to proclaim
clameur	clamour
clan	clan
clandé	brothel
clandestin(e)	secret; clandestine
clanique	clan
clap	clapperboard
clapet	valve
clapier	hutch
clapoter	to lap
clapper	to click
claquage	pulling, straining (of a muscle)
claquant,e	killing, exhausting
claque	(i) slap (ii) fed-up (iii) cheer (iv) galosh (v) opera hat (vi) brothel
claqué (e)	all-in; dead beat
claquemurer	coop-up
claquer	(i) to bang; to crack (ii) to click (iii) to snap (iv) to conk out
claquette	tap dancing
claquoir	clapper
clarifier	to clarify
clarine	cowbell
clarinette	clarinet
clarisse	(poor) Clare
clarté	(i) light (ii) brightness
clash	clash
classable	classifiable
classe	(i) class (social) (ii) grade; group (iii) class (transport) (v) class (distinction) (vi) class (school) (vii) class (lesson)
classé (e)	listed
classement	(i) classification (ii) grading (iii) ranking (iv) league table
classeur	filing cabinet
classicisme	classicism
classifier	to classify
classique	(i) classical (ii) classic (iii) standard
claudication	limp
claudiquer	to limp
clause	clause

claustral (e)	monastic
claustrer	to confine
claustrophobie	claustrophobia
clausule	clausula
clavecin	harpsichord
clavette	key; cotter pin
clavicorde	clavichord
clavicule	collarbone; clavicle
clavier	keyboard
clayette	wicker or wire rack
clayon	rack; tray
clé	(i) key (ii) spanner (iii) clef (iv) clue (v) lock
clean	clean
clébard	dog; mutt
clef	(i) key (ii) spanner (iii) clef (iv) clue (v) lock
clématite	clematis
clément (e)	mild; clement
clémentine	clementine
clenche	latch
Cléopâtre	Cleopatra
cleptomane	kleptomaniac
clerc	(i) clerk (ii) cleric (iii) scholar
clergé	clergy
clérical(e)	clerical
clac	click
clac-clac	clickety-clack
cliché	(i) cliché; (ii) (photo) negative (iii) (typo) plate
client(e)	client; customer
clientélisme	clientilism; vote-catching
clientéliste	client list; based on patronage
cligner	to blink
clignotant(e)	indicator; warning light
clignoter	to blink; to twinkle; to flash; to flicker
climat	climate
climatisation	air conditioning
climatologie	climatology
clin	wink
clinfoc	flying jib
clinician (-ienne)	clinician
clinique	(i) private clinic/hospital (ii) clinic
cliniquement	clinically
clinqant(e)	flashy
clip	(i) brooch (ii) clip-on (iii) video clip (iv) clamp
clipper	clipper
cliquable	clickable
clique	(i) clique; set (ii) band
cliquer	to click
cliquet	pawl
cliqueter	to clink; to jingle; to chink; to rattle
clisser	to cover with wickerwork

clitoridectomie	clitoridectomy
clitoris	clitoris
clivage	cleavage
cliver	to cleave
cloaque	cloaca; cesspool; cesspit; pigsty; dump; tip
clochard(e)	down and out; tramp
cloche	bell
Clochemerie	petty small town squabbling; parish pump politics
cloche-pied	hopping
clocher	(i) steeple; church tower (ii)village (ii) to be cockeyed
clocheton	pinnacle
clochette	small bell
clodo	tramp
cloison	(i) partition (ii) bulkhead (iii) septum
cloisonné(e)	isolated or cut off
cloisonner	to divide up; to partition off; to compartmentalize
cloître	to shut away; to cloister
cloner	to clone
clope	cigarette
cloper	to smoke
clopiner	to hobble along; to limp along
clopinette	to work for peanuts
cloporte	woodlouse
cloque	blister; leaf curl
clore	(i) to close; to end (ii) to conclude
clôturé	(i) fence; hedge; wall (ii) closing; closure
clôturer	(i) to enclose; to fence (ii) to close
clou	(i) nail (ii) stud (iii) boil (iv) attraction (v) to pawn (vi) ancient machine/implement (vii) no way!
clouer	(i) to nail down (ii) to pin down
clouté(e)	studded
clouterie	nail factory
clovisse	clam
clown	clown
club	club
cluse	transverse valley
clystère	clyster
klaxon	horn
klaxonner	to sound one's horn
kleb(s)	dog; mutt
kleptomane	kleptomaniac

/kʁ/ (crookedness)

Type Frequency = 21/281 (7%)

crabe	crab
crac	crack
craché(e)	spitting image
cracher	(i) to spit (ii) to splutter
cracheur (euse)	fire-eater
crachin	drizzle
crachiner	to drizzle
crachoir	spittoon
crachoter	to crackle; to splutter
crack	(i) crack (ii) ace (iii) crack-cocaine
Cracovie	Cracow
cracra	dirty; grotty
craie	chalk
craignos	shady; dodgy
craindre	to fear; to be afraid or scared of
craintif(ive)	timid
cramé(e)	burnt
cramer	to burn down; to go up in flames
cramoisi (e)	crimson
crampe	cramp
crampon	(i) crampon; (ii) cramp iron; clamp; stud
cramponnage	crampon technique
cramponner	(i) to cling to (ii) to cramp/clamp together
cran	(i) notch (ii) nick (iii) wave (iv) guts
crâne	(i) skull; cranium (ii) gallant
crâner	to show-off
crânerie	gallantry
crânier (ienne)	cranial
cranter	to put notches in
crapahuter	(i) to yomp (trek) (ii) to bonk
crapaud	(i) toad (ii) brat (iii) flaw
crapaud-buffle	buffalo frog
crapaudine	grating
crapoter	failure to inhale [smoking]
crapoteux (euse)	murky; gloomy; grimy-looking
crapouillot	trench mortar
crapule	crook
crapulerie	villainy
craquage	cracking
craquant(e)	crunchy
craque	whopper; whopping lie
craqueler	to crack; to crackle
crash	crash
crasher(se)	to crash; to have a crash
crassane	a variety of winter pear
crasse	(i) grime; filth (ii) dirty trick (iii) dross; scum; slag

crassier	slag-heap
cratère	crater
cravache	(riding) crop
cravacher	to whip
cravate	(i) tie (ii) headlock (iii) sling
cravater	(i) to put a tie on (ii) to grab around the neck
crawl	crawl
crawler	to swim the crawl
crayeux (euse)	chalky
crayon	pencil; crayon
crayonner	to scribble; to jot down (in pencil); to sketch
créance	(i) claim; debt (ii) credence
créancier	creditor
créateur (trice)	creator (artist/designer)
créatif	creative
créatine	creatine
créatinine	creatinine
creation	(i) creation (ii) setting up (iii) production
créationnisme	creationism
créature	creature
crécelle	rattle
crécerelle	kestrel
crèche	(i) nativity scene (ii) crèche; day nursery
crécher	to hang out
crédece	credence
crédibiliser	to back up; to give credibility to
crédible	credible
crédirentier (ière)	recipient of an annuity
credit	(i) credit (ii) loan (iii) bank (iv) to credit a sum to (v) funds (vi) reputation
credit-bail	leasing
créditer	to credit
créditeur (trice)	creditor
crédit-relais	bridging loan
credo	(i) Creed (ii) credo; creed
crédule	credulous; gullible
créer	(i) to create; to design (ii) to set up; to form (iii) to produce
crémaillère	house-warming party
crémant	sparkling-wine
crémation	cremation
crématorium	crematorium
crème	(i) cream (dessert) (ii) cream (skin/body) (iii) cream of the crop
crèmerie	dairy
crèmeux (euse)	creamy
crémier (ière)	person working in dairy
crémone	window catch
créneau	(i) crenelations (ii) to park between two cars (iii) gap; niche
crénelage	milling
créneler	to crenellate; to notch
crénelom	confound it!

créole	Creole
créolité	Creole identity
Créon	Creon (Greek mythology)
créosote	creosote
crêpage	(i) back combing (ii) dust-up; free for all
crêpé	(i) pancake (ii) crepe
crêper	(i) backcomb (ii) to crimp
crêperie	pancake house/restaurant
crêpi (e)	roughcast
crêpier (ière)	pancake seller
crépine	(i) strainer; fringe (ii) caul
crépinette	flat sausage
crépiter	to crackle; to sputter
crépon	seersucker
crépu (e)	frizzy
crépusculaire	(i) crepuscular (ii) twilight glow
crépuscule	twilight; dusk
crescendo	(i) crescendo (ii) to grow louder and louder
cresson	watercress
cressonnette	lady's smock
cressonnière	bed of watercress
Crésus	Croesus
Crésyl	type of disinfectant containing cresol
crétac(e)	Cretaceous
crête	(i) comb; crest (ii) top; ridge
Crête	Crete
crétin(e)	cretinous; idiotic; moronic
crétiniser	to turn into a moron or half-wit
crétinisme	cretinism
crétois (e)	Cretan
cretonne	cretonne (fabric)
creuser	(i) to hollow out; to dig out (ii) to sink/bore (iii) to look into
creuset	(i) crucible (ii) melting pot
creux / creuse	(i) hollow; empty (ii) concave; deep-set; sunken (iii) empty; barren (iv) slack period
crevaision	puncture
crevant(e)	gruelling; killing
crevasse	crack; fissure; crevice
crevasser	to cause cracks or fissures in; to crack; to chap
crève	bad cold
crève-couer	heartbreak
crève-la-faim	miserable wretch
crever	(i) to burst; to puncture (ii) to wear out; exhaust (iii) to be starving (iv) to kill
crevette	prawn; shrimp
cri	cry; shout; scream; screech; yell
criailler (euse)	grouch; grouser
criant(e)	glaring; blatant
criblé (e)	riddled with
cribler	to sift; to riddle; to screen

cric	(car) jack
cric-crac	creak; click
cricket	cricket
cricoïde	cricoid
cricri	chirping
criée	(sale by) auction
crier	(i) to shout; to scream; to cry out (ii) to call; to quack; to screech; to hoot; (iii) to nag; to scold
crieur (euse)	newspaper seller
crime	(i) murder (ii) crime; offence (iii) it's criminal (iv) sin
Crimée	The Crimea
criminaliste	criminal lawyer
criminel (elle)	criminal
criminogène	encouraging criminality or crime
criminologie	criminology
crin	hair
crincrin	squeaky fiddle
crinière	(i) mane; (ii) mane of hair (iii) plume
crinoline	crinoline petticoat
crique	creek; inlet
criquet	locust
crise	(i) crisis (ii) fit or attack (iii) outburst; fit (iv) rage; tantrum (v) shortage
crispant(e)	irritating; aggravating; annoying
crispation	(i) tensing; contraction; shrivelling (ii) twitch (iii) state of tension
crispé (e)	nervous; tense; on edge
crisper	(i) to tense; to flex; to clench (ii) to shrivel (up) (iii) to get on one's nerves
crispin	gauntlets
criss	crease (arms and armour, excluding firearms)
crisser	to crunch; to screech; to squeal; to rustle
cristal	(i) crystal (ii) crystalware
cristallerie	crystal (glass) making
cristallier	crystal seeker
cristallin (e)	crystalline; crystal clear
cristalliser	to crystallize
cristallisoir	crystallizing dish
cristallographie	crystalography
cristallomancie	crystal gazing
criste-marine	samphire
critère	(i) criterion (ii) requirement
cretérium	(i) rally; gala (ii) criterion
criticisme	critical approach
critiquable	reprehensible; open to criticism
critique	(i) critical (crucial) (ii) critical (analysis) (iii) critical (censorious)
critiquer	to criticize
croasser	to caw
croate	Croatian

Croatie	Croatia
croato-musulman(e)	Muslim-Croat
crobard	sketch
croc	fang
croc-en-jambe	to trip (up); pull a fast one on
croche	quaver
croche-pied	to trip (up); pull a fast one on
crochet	(i) hook; spiked stick (ii)crochet hook (iii) left or right hook (iv) sudden swerve (v) square brackets (vi) serpent fang (vii) croquet (viii) talent show
crocheter	(i) to pick (ii) to trip up (iii) to crochet
crocheteur	picklock
crochu (e)	hooked; claw-like
croco	crocodile skin
crocodile	crocodile
crocus	crocus
croire	believe
croisade	crusade
croisé	(i) double breasted (ii) crusader
croisée	(i) junction; crossroads; crossing (ii) window casement
croisement	(i) crossing (ii) cross breeding (iii) crossroads
croiser	(i) to fold (ii) to cross; to cut across (iii) to pass
croiseur	cruiser
croisière	cruise
croisiériste	cruise passenger
croisillon	crosspiece; crossbar; transept
croissance	growth; development
croissant (e)	(i) crescent (ii) croissant (iii) growing; increasing; rising
croissanterie	croissant shop
Croissant-Rouge	Red Crescent
croître	(i) to grow; to increase in size (ii) to swell; to rise; to wax
croix	cross
Croix-Rouge	the Red Cross
cromlech	cromlech
cromorne	crumhorn (musical instrument)
croquant (e)	(i) yokel; country bumpkin (ii) crisp; crunchy
croquet	<i>abbrev</i> croque-monsieur
croque-au-sel	with salt (and nothing else)
croque-madame	toasted ham and cheese sandwich with fried egg on top
croquembouche	pyramid of cream filled choux pastry balls
croque-mitaine	bogey-man; ogre
croque-monsieur	toasted ham and cheese sandwich
croque-morte	undertaker's or mortician's assistant
croquenot	clod-hopper
croquer	(i) to crunch (ii) to squander (iii) to sketch
croquet	croquet
croquette	croquette
croqueuse	gold digger; fortune-hunter
croquinolet (ette)	sweet; cute; dinky
croquis	(rough) sketch

crosne	Chinese artichoke
cross-country	cross-country race or run
crosse	(i) butt (revolver); grip (ii) crook; crosier (iii) head; scroll
crotale	rattlesnake
crotchon	crust
crotte	(i) dropping (excrement) (ii) mud
crotter	(i) to make dirty/muddy (ii) to do its business
crouillat	North African
crouler	(i) to collapse; to fall down (ii) submerge
croup	croup
croupe	(i) crupper; hindquarters (ii) rump (iii) hilltop
croupetons	to be crouching; to be squatting
croupi(e)	stagnant
croupier (ière)	croupier
croupion	rump; parson's nose; rear end; backside
croupir	to stagnate
croustade	pie crust
croustillant (e)	(i) crusty; crisp; crunchy (ii) spicy
croûte	(i) crust; rind (ii) food; grub (iii) layer; scab (iv) veneer (v) undressed leather or hide
croûté (e)	crusted snow
croûter	to eat
croûteux (euse)	scabby; covered with scabs
crouton	(i) crust (ii) crouton (iii) fuddy-duddy; old fossil
crovable	unbelievable; incredible
croyant (e)	to believe
cru (e)	(i) raw; uncooked (ii) untreated; crude (iii) harsh (iv) forthright; blunt (v) coarse
cru	(i) vineyard (ii) wine (iii) local
cruauté	(i) cruelty (ii) cruel act
cruche	(i) jug; pitcher (ii) twit; imbecile
crucial(e)	crucial
crucifère	cruciferous
crucifier	to crucify
crucifix	crucifix
cruciverbiste	crossword enthusiast
crudité	(i) crudeness; bluntness (ii) coarseness (iii) raw vegetables
crue	rise in water level; flood
cruel (elle)	(i) cruel (ii) harsh; bitter; severe
crûment	bluntly; forthrightly
crustacé	shellfish
cryobiology	cryobiology
cryohirurgie	cryosurgery
cryogénie	cryogenics
crypte	crypt
crypter	to encrypt
cryptique	cryptic
cryptocommuniste	crypto-communist
cryptogame	cryptogamic
cryptogramme	cryptogram

cryptographie	cryptography
crypton	krypton

krach	crash
kraft	craft paper
Kremlin	The Kremlin
krill	krill
krypton	krypton

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tweed	tweed
twin-set	twinsset
twist	twist
twister	to twist