

QUICK ACCESS TABLE FOR COMBINING FORMS
(Definition to Combining Form)

<u>DEFINITION</u>	<u>COMBINING FORM</u>
abdomen	abdomin/o
abdomen; front side	ventr/o
abdominal wall	lapar/o
acetabulum	acetabul/o
adrenal glands	adren/o
adrenal glands	adrenal/o
air	pneum/o
albumin; protein	albumin/o
alveolus	alveol/o
amnion	amni/o
aneurysm	aneurysm/o
animal (man)	zo/o
ankle bones; flat of the foot	tars/o
anus	an/o
anus; rectum	proct/o
aorta	aort/o
appendix	append/o
appendix	appendic/o
arteriole	arteriol/o
artery	arter/o

artery	arteri/o
attraction to; tendency toward	phil/o
away from	dist/o
back	dors/i
back	dors/o
back	poster/o
bacteria	bacteri/o
band of fibrous tissue	fasci/o
base	bas/o
bearing	phor/o
beside; beyond; abnormal	par/a
beside; near	par/o
bile	bil/l
bile	chol/e
birth	nat/o
black	melan/o
bladder; sac; cyst	cyst/o
blood	hem/o
blood	hemat/o
blood clot	thromb/o
blood serum	ser/o
blue	cyan/o
body	corpor/o

body	somat/o
bones	oste/o
bones of the fingers and toes	phalang/o
brain	encephal/o
brain; cerebrum	cerebr/o
breakdown	lys/o
breast	mamm/o
breast	mast/o
breathing	pne/o
bronchus	bronchiol/o
bronchus; airway	bronch/o
burn	caus/o
burn	caut/o
bursa	burs/o
calcium	calc/i
calcium	calc/o
calyx; calyces	cali/o
calyx; calyces	calic/o
cancer	carcin/o
cartilage	chondr/i
cecum	cec/o
cell	cyt/o
cerebellum	cerebell/o

cervix	cervic/o
cheek	bucc/o
chemical reaction	chem/o
chest	pector/o
chest	thorac/o
child	ped/o
child	pedi/a
childbirth	toc/o
circular; ciliary body	cycl/o
clotting	coagul/o
coal	anthrac/o
coccyx	coccyg/o
cold	cry/o
collarbone	clavicul/o
colon	col/o
colon	colon/o
color	chrom/o
color	chromat/o
conjunctiva	conjunctiv/o
cornea	corne/o
cornea of the eye	kerat/o
cortex	cortic/o
crooked bent	scoli/o

cul-de-sac	culd/o
darkness	scot/o
development; nourishment	troph/o
diaphragm	phren/o
digestion	peps/o
distance; end	tel/e
double	dipl/o
drug; medicine	pharmac/o
dry	xer/o
dull, dim	ambly/o
duodenum	duoden/o
dura mater	dur/o
dusky	phe/o
ear	aur/o
ear	auricul/o
ear	ot/o
eardrum	myring/o
eardrum	tympan/o
egg; ovum	o/o
elbow	olecran/o
electrical; electricity	electr/o
embryonic stage of development	blast/o
enlarged	megal/o

epididymis	epididym/o
epiglottis	epiglott/o
equal	is/o
esophagus	esophag/o
eustachian tube	salping/o
extremity	acr/o
eye	ocul/o
eye	ophthalm/o
eye; vision	opt/o
eye; vision	optic/o
eyelid	blephar/o
eyelid	palpebr/o
fallopian tube	salping/o
false	pseud/o
fat	lip/o
fat	steat/o
fatty	ather/o
feeling; sensation	esthesi/o
femur	femor/o
fetus	fet/o
few; little; scanty	olig/o
fiber	fibr/o
fibrous growth	kel/o

fibula	fibul/o
fire; heat	pyr/o
fish-like; scaly	ichthy/o
flesh	sarc/o
foot	ped/o
foot bones	metatars/o
form; shape	morph/o
formation; development	plas/o
formation; development	plast/o
four	tetr/a
front	anter/o
fungus	fung/o
fungus	myc/o
gallbladder	cholecyst/o
ganglion	ganglion/o
gland	aden/o
glans penis; glans clitoridis	balan/o
glassy	vitre/o
glomerulus	glomerul/o
granules	granul/o
gray matter of the nervous system	poli/o
gray; silver	glauc/o
green	chlor/o

groin	inguin/o
gums	gingiv/o
hair	pil/o
hair	trich/o
hand bones	metacarp/o
hard	scler/o
hard; hard tumor	scirr/o
hard; horny	kerat/o
head	capit/o
head	cephal/o
hearing	acous/o
hearing	audi/o
heart	card/o
heart	cardi/o
heart	coron/o
heel bone	calcane/o
hidden	crypt/o
humerus	humer/o
humpback; pertaining to a hump	kyph/o
ileum	ile/o
ilium	ili/o
immune; protection	immun/o
infection	sept/o

inner ear	labyrinth/o
internal organs	viscer/o
intestine	enter/o
iris	ir/o
iris	irid/o
iron; steel	sider/o
ischium	ischi/o
jejunum	jejun/o
joint	arthr/o
joint	articul/o
ketone bodies	ket/o
kidney	nephr/o
kidney	ren/o
kneecap	patell/o, patell/a
lamina	lamin/o
large	macr/o
larynx	laryng/o
leg; thigh	crur/o
lens	phak/o
lens of the eye	phac/o
ligament	ligament/o
light	phot/o
lips	cheil/o

liver	hepat/o
loins; lower back	lumb/o
luminous	fluor/o
lungs	pulmon/o
lungs; air	pneum/o
lungs; air	pneumon/o
lymph	lymph/o
lymph gland	lymphaden/o
man; male; masculine	andr/o
mandible (jaw bone)	mandibul/o
mastoid process	mastoid/o
measure	metr/o
meatus	meat/o
meninges	mening/o
menstruation	men/o
middle	medi/o
midwife	obstetr/o
milk	lact/o
mind	ment/o
mind	phren/o
mind	psych/o
mouth	or/o
mouth	stomat/o

movement	kinesi/o
mucus	muc/o
muscle	muscul/o
muscle	my/o
nail	ungu/o
nail (finger or toe)	onych/o
navel	omphal/o
navel	umbilic/o
near	proxim/o
neck	cervic/o
nerve	neur/o
neuroglia; gluey substance	gli/o
new; recent	ne/o
night	noct/i
night	noct/o
night; darkness	nyct/o
nitrogen	azot/o
nose	nas/o
nose	rhin/o
nucleus	kary/o
nucleus	nucle/o
of or relating to usage	nom/o
old age	presby/o

one; single	mon/o
order	tax/o
out of place	ect/o
outward	ex/o
ovary	oophor/o
ovary	ovari/o
ovum, egg	ov/o
oxygen	ox/o
pain	algos/o
pancreas	pancreat/o
paralysis; stroke	pleg/o
parathyroid glands	parathyroid/o
pelvis	pelv/i
perineum	perine/o
peritoneum	peritone/o
pertaining to a physician or treatment	iatr/o
pertaining to birth	nat/i
pertaining to fat	adip/o
pertaining to the abdomen	celi/o
pharynx	pharyng/o
pleura	pleur/o
poison; toxin	tox/o
poison; toxin	toxic/o

polyps	polyp/o
potassium	kal/i
pregnancy	gravid/o
pressure	bar/o
prostate gland	prostat/o
pubis	pub/o
pupil	cor/o
pupil	pupill/o
purple	purpur/o
pus	py/o
radiation	radi/o
record	graph/o
rectum; straight	rect/o
red	erythr/o
red; rosy	eosin/o
relating to mucus	myx/o
relating to the sclera	scler/o
renal pelvis	pyel/o
resembling a nipple	papill/o
retina	retin/o
rhythm	arrhythm/o
rhythm	rhythm/o
ribs	cost/o

root	radicul/o
root	rhiz/o
rose-colored	rose/o
round; sphere	spher/o
running	drom/o
sacrum	sacr/o
saliva; salivary gland	sial/o
scales	squam/o
sebum	seb/o
secrete	crin/o
semen	semin/i
sex glands	gonad/o
sheath; case; receptacle	thec/o
shoulder	scapul/o
side	later/o
sigmoid colon	sigmoid/o
sinus	sinus/o
skeleton	skelet/o
skin	cutane/o
skin	derm/o
skin	dermat/o
skull; cranium	crani/o
sleep	narc/o

small	micr/o
smaller	mi/o (mei/o)
smooth	lei/o
smooth muscle	leiomy/o
sodium	natr/i
sodium	natr/o
softening	malac/o
sound	son/o
sound; voice	phon/o
sour; bitter	acid/o
speech	phas/o
sperm	sperm/o
sperm	spermat/o
spinal cord; bone marrow	myel/o
spine	rach/i
spine	spin/o
spine; vertebra	spondyl/o
spleen	splen/o
split; division	schiz/o
stapes	staped/o
starch	amyl/o
star-shaped	astr/o
sternum	stern/o

stiff	ankyl/o
stomach	gastr/o
stone; calculus	lith/o
straight; correct; normal	orth/o
striated muscle; skeletal muscle	rhabdomy/o
string; cord	chord/o
sugar; sweet	gluc/o
sugar; sweet	glyc/o
swayback	lord/o
sweat	hidr/o
swelling; mass; tumor	onc/o
tail	caud/o
tear sac	dacryocyst/o
tears	dacry/o
tears	lacrim/o
teeth	odont/o
temples of the head	tempor/o
tendon	tend/o
tendon	tendin/o
tension; tone	ton/o
testicle	orch/o
testicle	orchi/o
testicle	orchid/o

testis, testes	test/o
thirst	dips/o
thymus gland	thym/o
thyroid gland	thyr/o
thyroid gland	thyroid/o
tissue	hist/o
to clump	agglutin/o
to cut; section; layer	tom/o
to eat; ingestion	phag/o
to know	gnos/o
to produce	gen/o
to throw	embol/i
to view	scop/o
tongue	gloss/o
tongue	lingu/o
tonsils	tonsill/o
tooth	dent/o
trachea; windpipe	trache/o
tree; branches	dendr/o
unequal	anis/o
upper jaw	maxill/o
ureter	ureter/o
urethra	urethr/o

urinary bladder	vesic/o
urine	ur/o
urine	urin/o
uterus	hyster/o
uterus	metr/o
uterus	metri/o
uterus	uter/o
vagina	colp/o (kolp/o)
vagina	vagin/o
varied, irregular	poikil/o
vas deferens	vas/o
vein	phleb/o
vein	ven/o
ventricle of the brain	ventricul/o
ventricle of the heart	ventricul/o
vertebra	vertebr/o
vessel	angi/o
vessel	vas/o
vulva	episi/o
vulva; covering	vulv/o
water	hydr/o
watery	aque/o
white	albin/o

white

leuk/o

widen

mydr/o

within

es/o

woman

gynec/o

wrist

carp/o

yellow

xanth/o

yellow; tawny

cirrh/o