

## Abbreviations Used in This Dictionary

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### Listed by Functions

#### General

*AltSp:* Alternative spelling

*Morph:* Morphological constitution

*From:* The source of loan words

Jap. Japanese

Eng. English

Fr. French

Ger. German

Sp. Spanish

Chu. Chuukese

orig. originally from

A question mark (?) indicates the source indicated is possible, but needs confirmation.

*Syn:* Synonym

headword<sub>x</sub> The subscript “x” indicates that the word has been taken from a source which utilized a different orthography. Such forms may or may not match the orthography used in this dictionary.

#### Sources of cultural descriptions

See the abbreviations listed in the bibliography/references section.

#### Grammatical categories

##### 1. Nouns

Note that when the category of a noun is not clear, it is marked simply as *n*.

*n.* Noun, inflectable in all categories including the independent form; or its category is unclear

*ni.* Noun, occurs in inflected forms only, and is not found as an independent form

*nu.* Noun, uninflectable, found only in independent and relational forms

*n.cmpd.* Compound noun, idiom or noun phrase, either inflectable or uninflectable

*ni.rel.* Relational noun

##### 2. Pronouns

*pron.* Pronoun

## 3. Possessive Classifiers

- poss.cl* Possessive Classifier (as the word category of the entry form)  
*PCL* Possessive Classifier (to be used with the entry form)

## 4. Demonstratives

- dem.* Demonstrative

## 5. Numerals

- num.* Numeral  
*num.cl.* Numeral classifier (as the word category of the entry form)  
*NCL* Numeral classifier (to be used with the entry form)

## 6. Verbs

- Dist.* Distributive  
*vi.* Intransitive verb, includes those that carry adjectival meanings  
*vt.* Transitive verb, transitive, inflected with object suffixes  
*vs.* Semi-transitive verb, not inflected but capable of taking complements  
*v.* Verb, category unknown  
*compd.* Compound verb  
*comp.* Intransitive verb capable of taking a clausal complement  
*caus.* Causative verb, could be intransitive, semi-transitive, or transitive

7. Adjectives (see *vi.*)

- adj.* Adjectives

## 8. Aspect Markers

- asp.* Aspect marker

## 9. Adverbs

- adv.* Adverb

## 10. Conjunctions

- conj.* Conjunction

## 11. Prepositions

- prep.* Preposition

## 12. Interjections

- interj.* Interjection

### 13. Miscellaneous

<i>excl.</i>	Exclamation
<i>pref.</i>	Prefix
<i>suf.</i>	Suffix
<i>dir.suf.</i>	Directional suffix
<i>base.</i>	Base
redup.	Reduplicated form
db.	Doubled base
pers.comm.	personal communication
sg.	singular
pl.	plural
incl.	inclusive
excl.	exclusive

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<i>base.</i>	Base
<i>caus.</i>	Causative verb, could be intransitive, semi-transitive, or transitive
<i>Chu.</i>	Chuukese
<i>conj.</i>	Conjunction
<i>db.</i>	Doubled base
<i>dem.</i>	Demonstrative
<i>dir.suf.</i>	Directional suffix
<i>Dist.</i>	Distributive
<i>Eng.</i>	English
<i>excl.</i>	Exclamation
<i>excl.</i>	exclusive
<i>Fr.</i>	French
<i>From:</i>	The source of loan words
<i>Ger.</i>	German
<i>incl.</i>	inclusive
<i>interj.</i>	Interjection
<i>Jap.</i>	Japanese
<i>Morph:</i>	Morphological constitution
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<i>orig.</i>	originally from
<i>PCL</i>	Possessive Classifier (to be used with the entry form)
<i>pers.comm.</i>	personal communication
<i>pl.</i>	plural

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<i>sg,</i>	singular
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<i>Syn:</i>	Synonym
<i>v.</i>	Verb, category unknown
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<i>vs.</i>	Semi-transitive verb, not inflected but capable of taking complements
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