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baby		+ish	babyish = _____
measure		+ment	measurement = _____
care		+less	careless = _____
quick		+ly	quickly = _____
paint		+er	painter = _____
yellow		+ish	yellowish = _____
bake		+ery	bakery = _____
awe		+some	awesome = _____

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paint	NOUN OR VERB	+er	painter = NOUN
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bake	VERB	+ery	bakery = NOUN
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