

## Did you know that the root word **'tract'** means 'to pull or draw'?

prefix	root	word	literal meaning	definition
re (back)	tract (pull, draw)	retract (v)	draw back	draw back (retract claws or confession)
con (with, together)	tract (pull, draw)	contract (n)	draw things together	a binding agreement between two or more people or parties
dis (apart)	tract (pull, draw)	distract (v)	draw away	to draw attention away to something else
pro (forward)	tract (pull, draw)	protract (v)	draw forward	prolong or delay
de (down)	tract (pull, draw)	detract (v)	draw down	make something less valuable or deserving
ex (out)	tract (pull, draw)	extract (v)	pull out	remove or take something out
sub (under)	tract (pull, draw)	subtract (v)	draw under	take one number away from another number
at (to)	tract (pull, draw)	attract (v)	draw towards	someone or something that draws towards itself

Can you make up new words with the root word 'tract'? How about 'smell-tract' (perfume)?

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