

HETEROGRAMS AND THEIR ALPHOMES

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For the benefit of new readers, allow me to explain the terms *heterogram* and *alphome*. Heterogram is my preferred term for *isogram*, a word such as *AMBIDEXTROUS* in which no letter is repeated. In "Alphomes" in the November 1995 *Word Ways*, I defined an alphome as follows: a set of alphabetically-ordered letters of which at least one arrangement is a word. Thus the alphome *ABINR* makes the word *BRAIN*.

Heterograms can be classified according to the alphabetical content of their alphomes:

1. Those whose alphomes are made exclusively of alphabetically-isolated letters. The alphome of *CARPET* can be written *A+C+E+P+R+T*.
2. Those whose alphomes consist of both alphabetically-isolated letters and alphabetically-consecutive letter groups. *MOCKED* = *CDE+K+M+O*.
3. Those whose alphomes consist of two or more alphabetically-consecutive letter groups and no isolated letters. *MOUTHING* = *GHI+MNO+TU*.
4. Those whose alphomes consist of a single group of alphabetically-consecutive letters. *BACED* = *ABCDE*, *STRUUV* = *RSTUV*.

In the August 1983 *Kickshaws*, Eugene Ulrich called words of type 1 *non-vicinals* and words of type 3 and 4, *vicinals*. (In fact, his definition also applied to words having repeated letters, like *POSTS* = *OP+ST*.)

It is type 3 words with which we are currently concerned. The headings to each list in the following pages indicate (a) the number of alphabetically-consecutive letter groups in the alphome and (b) the size of the letter groups in ascending order irrespective of the order in which they occur in the alphome. Thus *SCORNED*, whose alphome *CDE+NO+RS* consists of groups of 3, 2 and 2 letters respectively, appears under the heading *2+2+3*. A few phrases are included. Pluralised place names indicate that more than one place of that particular name was found.

The majority of the words can be found in the *Oxford English Dictionary* or are inferred from words therein. The other sources are: *Webster's First Edition*, *Webster's Second Edition*, *Webster's Third Edition*, *The Official Scrabble Players Dictionary*, *Pulliam and Carruth's The Complete Word Game Dictionary*, *Chambers English Dictionary*, *English Dialect Dictionary*, *Cassell's Latin Dictionary*, *Stedman's Medical Dictionary*, *Dorland's Medical Dictionary*, *Nomenclator Zoologicus*, *Roget's Thesaurus*, *The Times Index-Gazetteer of the World*, and *Bartholomew's Gazetteer of Britain*.

2+2

ab+de	ABED	bc+no	BONC	de+st	TEDS	gh+no	HONG	ij+no	JOIN	no+uv	VOUN
ab+ef	BEAF	cd+hi	CHID	de+tu	DUET	gh+op	POGH	ij+st	JIST	no+xy	ONYX
ab+hi	BAHI	cd+no	COND	de+uv	DUVE	gh+tu	THUG	jk+no	JONK	no+yz	NOYZ
ab+ij	BIJA	cd+tu	DUCT	de+yz	YZED	gh+uv	VUGH	kl+no	LONK	op+rs	ROSP
ab+kl	BALK	de+gh	DEGH	ef+hi	HEIF	hi+mn	MINH	kl+op	POLK	op+st	POST
ab+lm	LAMB	de+hi	HIDE	ef+kl	KELF	hi+no	INOH	kl+tu	TULK	op+tu	POUT
ab+no	OBAN	de+kl	KELD	ef+lm	FLEM	hi+op	IPOH	lm+op	PLOM	op+xy	POXY
ab+rs	BARS	de+lm	MELD	ef+no	FONE	hi+rs	SHIR	lm+tu	MULT	op+yz	ZOPY
ab+st	STAB	de+mn	MEND	ef+rs	SERF	hi+st	THIS	mn+tu	MUNT	st+xy	XYST
ab+tu	TUBA	de+no	NODE	ef+st	FEST	hi+tu	HUIT	no+rs	NORS	tu+xy	TUYX
ab+yz	BAYZ	de+op	DOPE	ef+tu	FUTE	ij+lm	MLJL	no+st	TONS		
bc+hi	BICH	de+rs	REDS	fg+no	FONG	ij+mn	MIJN	no+tu	UNTO		

2+3

abc+hi	CHIBA	cde+op	COPEd	de+tuv	DUVET	ijk+rs	JIRKS	nop+st	PONTS
abc+kl	BLACK	cde+rs	SCRED	efg+lm	FLEGM	ijk+st	KIJTS	nop+tu	UNPOT
abc+lm	CLAMB	cde+tu	EDUCT	efg+no	FONGE	ij+rst	JIRTS	no+rst	SNORT
abc+no	BACON	cd+stu	DUCTS	efg+rs	GREFS	klm+op	KLOMP	no+stu	SNOUT
abc+op	BACOP	def+no	FEOND	ef+rst	FRETS	kl+nop	PLONK	no+uvw	UNVOW
abc+rs	CRABS	def+rs	DERFS	ef+stu	FUSTE	kl+stu	TULKS	no+wxy	XOWYN
ab+ghi	BIGHA	def+tu	FUTED	ghi+no	HONGI	lm+stu	SMULT	op+rst	SPORT
ab+hij	HAJIB	de+ghi	DIGHE	ghi+rs	SHRIG	mno+rs	MORNS	op+stu	SPOUT
ab+mno	AMBON	de+ijk	JIKEd	ghi+st	SIGHT	mno+st	MONTS	st+xyz	ZYXST
ab+rst	BRATS	de+mno	DEMON	gh+stu	THUGS	mno+tu	MOUNT		
ab+stu	TUBAS	de+nop	PEDON	hi+qrs	QIRSH	mno+uv	NOVUM		
cde+hi	CHIDE	de+rst	STRED	hi+rst	HIRST	mn+stu	MUNTS		
cde+no	CONED	de+stu	DUETS	hi+stu	SUITH	nop+rs	SPORN		

2+4

abcd+tu	ABDUCT	cdef+no	CONFED	de+stuv	DUVETS	fg+rstu	GRUFTS	lmno+tu	MULTON
ab+lmno	BLAMON	de+lmno	DOLMEN	efgh+st	FEGHTS	gh+rstu	GURTHS	no+rstu	UNSORT
ab+rstu	ARBUST	de+mnop	DOMPNE	ef+rstu	FUSTER	hi+rstu	TRUISH	op+rstu	STUPOR
bcde+hi	BICHED	de+rstu	RUDEST	fg+st	FIGHTS	ij+rstu	JURIST		

2+5

abcde+kl	BLACKED	abcde+st	CAT-BEDS	abcdef+no	BACON-FED
abcde+lm	CLAMBED	de+rstuv	STURVED		
abcde+no	BEAN-COD	ef+klmno	MENFOLK		
abcde+rs	SCABERD				

2+6

3+4

abc+rst	BRACTS	def+stu	DEFUST	ghi+rst	RIGHTS	abcd+stu	ABDUCTS
abc+stu	SUBACT	efg+mno	FOGMEN	hij+rst	THRIJS	abc+rstu	CRABUTS
cde+ghi	CHIGED	efg+rst	GREFTS	hij+stu	JUTISH	cde+mnop	COMPEND
cde+mno	COMEND	fgh+stu	FUGHTS	klm+stu	KLUMST	cde+rstu	CRUDEST
cde+nop	PONCED	ghi+mno	HOMING	mno+stu	MOUNTS	def+rstu	DUFTERS
cde+stu	EDUCTS	ghi+nop	HOPING	nop+stu	UNSPOT	fghi+rst	FRIGHTS
						fghi+stu	FISH-GUT
						ghi+rstu	THURGIS
						mno+rstu	NOSTRUM
						nop+rstu	SPROUT

3+5

abcde+stu **SUBACTED** cde+klmno **NECKMOLD**
 abc+klmno **BLOCKMAN** efghi+rst **FIGHTERS**

4+4

cdef+rstu **DEFRICTS**
 mnop+rstu **NO TRUMPS**

2+2+2

ab+de+hi	HABIDE	ab+ij+rs	BAJRIS	de+hi+st	DEHIST	ef+no+st	SOFTEN
ab+de+kl	BALKED	ab+lm+op	APLOMB	de+ij+no	JOINED	ef+no+tu	FOUNTE
ab+de+lm	AMBLEM	ab+mn+tu	NUMBAT	de+kl+op	POLKED	ef+op+rs	FOSPER
ab+de+mn	BEDAMN	ab+no+rs	BARONS	de+mn+op	PENDOM	gh+no+st	THONGS
ab+de+rs	BEARDS	ab+no+st	BATONS	de+no+rs	DRONES	gh+no+tu	NOUGHT
ab+de+st	BASTED	ab+no+tu	UNBOAT	de+no+st	OSTEND	gh+op+yz	PHYZOG
ab+de+tu	TABUED	ab+op+rs	ABSORP	de+no+tu	DEUTON	hi+kl+st	KHLIST
ab+ef+lm	FLAMBE	ab+op+xy	PAYBOX	de+no+uv	VOUNDE	hi+no+rs	RHINOS
ab+ef+rs	FABERS	bc+hi+op	PHOBIC	de+no+yz	DOZYNE	hi+no+st	SHINTO
ab+ef+st	BEFAST	cd+hi+op	PHOCID	de+op+rs	PROSED	hi+no+tu	INOUTH
ab+gh+no	BONAGH	cd+hi+st	DICHTS	de+op+st	DESPOT	hi+op+rs	ROPISH
ab+gh+tu	HAGBUT	cd+no+tu	CONDUT	de+op+tu	POUTED	hi+op+st	PITHOS
ab+hi+kl	KIBLAH	de+gh+no	HODGEN	de+op+uv	UPDOVE	ij+no+st	JOINTS
ab+hi+op	PHOBIA	de+gh+op	DOG-HEP	ef+hi+rs	FISHER	kl+no+yz	ZYKLON
ab+hi+rs	BARISH	de+hi+lm	MILEDH	ef+hi+st	FETISH	no+st+xy	XYSTON
ab+hi+st	HABITS	de+hi+no	HONIED	ef+kl+rs	FLERKS		
ab+ij+mn	JIBMAN	de+hi+rs	DISHER	ef+no+rs	FREONS		

2+2+3

abc+ef+rs	BESCARF	ab+ij+tuv	JUVABIT	def+hi+rs	RED-FISH	de+op+stu	SPOUTED
abc+hi+op	PHOBIAC	ab+lm+stu	ALMS-TUB	def+hi+st	SHIFTED	de+rst+yz	DYZERTS
abc+hi+st	BICHATS	ab+mn+stu	NUMBATS	def+ij+rs	DRIJFES	ef+hi+rst	SHIFTER
abc+ij+no	JACOBIN	ab+no+rst	BARTONS	def+no+st	FONDEST	ef+lm+stu	MESTFUL
abc+kl+no	NABLOCK	ab+no+stu	OUTBANS	de+ghi+st	SIGHTED	ef+mno+rs	ENFORMS
abc+kl+tu	BLU-TACK	ab+op+rst	BARPOST	de+ghi+tu	DUGHTIE	ef+mno+st	FOMENTS
abc+no+rs	CARBONS	bc+no+stu	COBNUTS	de+hi+nop	DIPHONE	ef+op+rst	FORPETS
ab+def+st	BEDFAST	cde+hi+lm	MILCHED	de+hi+rst	DITHERS	ghi+kl+no	HOLKING
ab+de+ghi	BIGHEAD	cde+hi+no	HEDONIC	de+ijk+st	JETSKID	ghi+mn+tu	THINGUM
ab+de+hij	JIB-HEAD	cde+hi+rs	HERDICS	de+jkl+no	DJENKOL	ghi+no+rs	HORSING
ab+de+mno	ABDOMEN	cde+hi+st	DITCHES	de+kl+nop	PLONKED	ghi+no+st	HOSTING
ab+de+rst	BRASTED	cde+hi+tu	DUCHTIE	de+mno+rs	MODERNS	ghi+no+tu	THOUING
ab+de+stu	SUBDATE	cde+ij+st	DISJECT	de+mno+st	ENDMOST	ghi+op+rs	GRISHOP
ab+ef+mno	FENOBAM	cde+kl+no	CLONKED	de+mno+tu	MOUNTED	ghi+op+tu	HIP-GOUT
ab+de+nop	BEN DOPA	cde+kl+tu	DUCKLET	de+mno+uv	UNMOVED	ghi+rs+yz	ZIGHYRS
ab+efg+st	GABFEST	cde+lm+op	CLOMPED	de+mn+stu	DUSTMEN	gh+no+rst	THRONGS
ab+ef+rst	BERAFTS	cde+lm+tu	MULCTED	de+nop+rs	RESPOND	gh+no+stu	NOUGHTS
ab+ghi+nm	BINGHAM	cde+no+rs	SCORNED	de+no+rst	RODENTS	hi+nop+st	NIPSHOT
ab+ghi+rs	GARBISH	cde+no+st	DOCENTS	de+no+stu	SNOUTED	hi+no+stu	UNHOIST
ab+ghi+st	BAIGHTS	cde+no+tu	COUNTED	de+no+tuv	UNVOTED	hi+op+stu	POUTISH
ab+gh+stu	HAGBUTS	cde+rs+uv	SCURVED	de+no+uvw	UNVOWED	mno+st+yz	MYZONTS
ab+hi+stu	BHUTIAS	cd+no+stu	CONDUTS	de+op+rst	SPORTED		

2+2+4

abcd+hi+rs **DIBRACHS**
 abcd+kl+no **BOCK-LAND**
 ab+de+lmno **LEMON-DAB**
 ab+de+rstu **ABSTRUDE**
 ab+lmno+st **LAMBTONS**
 ab+no+rstu **TABROUNS**
 bcde+no+tu **OBDUCENT**
 bc+no+rstu **CONTURBS**
 cdef+no+tu **CONFUTED**

cd+op+rstu **PRODUCTS**
 de+hi+mnop **DOMIPHEN**
 de+lmno+tu **MOUNDLET**
 de+no+rstu **ROUNDEST**
 de+no+stuv **UNSTOVED**
 de+op+rstu **SPROUTED**
 efgh+no+tu **FOUGHTEN**
 ef+lmno+st **LOFTSMEN**
 ef+lm+rstu **FULMERTS**

ef+op+rstu **POUFTERS**
 ef+no+rstu **FORTUNES**
 fghi+lm+tu **MIGHTFUL**
 fghi+no+tu **INFOUGHT**
 fghi+op+rs **HIP-FROGS**
 fghi+op+st **GIFT-SHOP**
 hi+lmno+st **SHILMONT**
 hi+op+rstu **PHOTURIS**

2+2+5

abcde+hi+rs **BED-CHAIRS**
 abcde+kl+tu **DUCK TABLE**
 abcde+lm+rs **SCRAMBLED**

abcde+no+rs **ABSCONDER**
 abcde+no+tu **DOUBTANCE**
 de+lmnop+st **POND SMELT**

efghi+no+st **NIGHT-FOES**

2+2+7

cdefghi+kl+st **FLIGHTDECKS**

2+3+3

abc+op+rst **CRAB-POTS**
 ab+ghi+lmn **HAMBLING**
 ab+ghi+rst **BAR SIGHT**
 ab+nop+rst **PROBANTS**
 cde+hi+rst **DITCHERS**
 cde+kl+stu **DUCKLETS**
 cde+mno+tu **DOCUMENT**
 cde+no+rst **CONSTRED**
 cde+no+stu **CTENODUS**

cde+ij+stu **JUSTICED**
 def+hi+rst **RED-SHIFT**
 def+nop+rs **FORSPEND**
 de+ghi+rst **DRIGHTES**
 de+hij+mno **DEMIJOHN**
 de+mno+rst **MORDENTS**
 de+mno+stu **UNMODEST**
 de+nop+rst **PORTENDS**
 ef+mno+rst **FORSMENT**

ef+nop+rst **FORSPENT**
 ghi+mno+tu **MOUthing**
 ghi+mn+stu **THINGUMS**
 ghi+no+rst **SHORTING**
 ghi+no+stu **SHOUTING**
 ghi+op+rst **OPRIGHTS**
 gh+mno+stu **NUGHTSOM**
 hi+nop+rst **HORN-TIPS**

2+3+4

abcd+ijk+rs **JACK-BIRDS**
 abc+no+rstu **OBSCURANT**
 ab+mnop+rst **BRAMPTONS**
 ab+mno+rstu **UMBROSANT**
 ab+nop+rstu **SUBPATRON**
 bcd+hi+rstu **DITCH-BURS**
 cde+hi+rstu **DISCURETH**

cde+ijkl+no **DJENKOLIC**
 cde+mnop+rs **COMPRENDS**
 cde+no+rstu **CONSTRUED**
 cde+op+rstu **PRODUCEST**
 def+no+rstu **UNFROSTED**
 de+lmno+stu **MOUNDLETS**
 de+mnop+stu **EMPOUNDST**

de+mno+rstu **UNDERMOST**
 de+nop+rstu **UNSPORTED**
 efg+no+rstu **UNFORGETS**
 fghi+no+rst **FROTHINGS**
 fghi+op+rst **PROFIGHTS**
 ghi+mnop+rs **MORPHINGS**

2+3+5

abcde+hi+rst **BREAD-STICH**
 abcde+kl+stu **DUCK TABLES**
 abcde+mno+tu **UNCOMBATED**

abcde+no+stu **DOUBTANCES**
 ab+efghi+rst **BEAR-FIGHTS**
 de+lmnop+stu **PLUMSTONED**

efghi+mno+rs **FISHMONGER**
 efghi+no+rst **FORENIGHTS**
 efghi+no+stu **TONGUE-FISH**

2+3+6

defghi+mno+rs **HEMINGFORDS**

(Hemingford Abbots and Hemingford Grey are two villages in Cambridgeshire, England)

2+4+4

ab+lmno+rstu **MULBARTON'S**
bcde+no+rstu **CURBSTONED**

bc+fghi+rstu **FITCHBURGS**
fghi+no+rstu **FOUR THINGS**

2+4+5

abcde+hi+rstu **SCHUBERTIAD**
abcde+no+rstu **CRAB-SNOUTED**

3+3+3

cde+mno+stu **DOCUMENTS**
cde+nop+stu **CONSPUTED**
ghi+mno+stu **MOUTHINGS**
ghi+nop+rst **HOT SPRING**

3+3+4

cde+nop+rstu **PRODUCENTS**
cde+mno+stu **CONSUMPTED**

3+3+5

abc+efghi+rst **BRIGHT FACES**

2+2+2+2

ab+de+gh+rs **BEGHARDS**
ab+de+hi+rs **BREADISH**
ab+de+hi+st **SHITABED**
ab+de+kl+no **A-KENBOLD**
ab+de+mn+tu **ADUBMENT**
ab+de+no+rs **BROADENS**
ab+de+no+st **DAB-STONE**
ab+de+no+tu **UNBOATED**
ab+de+op+st **STOP BEAD**

ab+gh+no+tu **BONAUGHT**
ab+hi+lm+rs **MARBLISH**
ab+hi+mn+rs **BRAHMINS**
ab+hi+op+rs **BOARSHIP**
ab+hi+op+st **SHIP-BOAT**
ab+ij+no+st **BANJOIST**
bc+ef+hi+no **BONCHIEF**
bc+hi+op+rs **CORBSHIP**
cd+hi+no+rs **CORNDISH**

de+hi+lm+op **DEMOPHIL**
de+hi+no+st **HEDONIST**
de+hi+no+rs **HORDEINS**
de+hi+op+rs **SPHEROID**
de+ij+no+rs **JOINDERS**
ef+hi+mn+st **SHIFTMEN**
ef+hi+op+rs **FORESHIP**
ef+kl+no+tu **FOLK TUNE**

2+2+2+3

abc+hi+op+rs **COARBSHIP**
abc+kl+no+xy **BLACK ONYX**
abc+kl+op+st **BLACK-POTS**
ab+de+hi+rst **RHABDITES**
ab+de+hi+stu **HABITUDES**
ab+de+mno+rs **DOBERMANS**
ab+de+mno+tu **UMBONATED**
ab+de+mn+rst **EMBRANDST**
ab+de+mn+stu **UMBESTAND**
ab+de+nop+rs **ROPE-BANDS**
ab+de+no+rst **ADSORBENT**
ab+de+no+stu **EASTBOUND**
ab+de+op+rst **ABSORPTED**
ab+efg+lm+rs **FLAMBERGS**
ab+ef+hi+rst **FATHER SIB**

ab+ef+kl+stu **BASKETFUL**
ab+ghi+no+tu **BAI THOUNG**
ab+hi+lmn+tu **THUMBNAIL**
ab+hi+nop+rs **BARONSHIP**
ab+hi+no+rst **HOT-BRAINS**
ab+hi+op+stu **ABOUT-SHIP**
ab+ij+no+rst **BAR JOINTS**
bc+ef+mno+rs **COMB FERNS**
bc+ghi+no+st **BOTCHINGS**
cde+gh+no+tu **GONE DUTCH**
cde+hi+no+st **CHEDISTON**
cde+hi+st+yz **SCYTHIZED**
cd+ghi+no+rs **CHORDINGS**
cd+hi+mno+rs **RICHMONDS**
def+hi+no+rs **HEINSDORF**

de+gh+mno+st **THEGNDOMS**
de+ghi+no+st **DEIGHTONS**
de+ghi+st+yz **DISGYSETH**
de+hi+mno+rs **MODERNISH**
de+hi+mn+rst **THIRDSMEN**
de+hi+nop+st **DISPONETH**
de+hi+no+rst **DISTRHONE**
de+hi+no+stu **HUDSONITE**
de+lm+op+rst **PREMOLDST**
de+no+rs+uvw **VERWOUNDS**
ef+hi+no+rst **INFORSETH**
ef+hi+op+rst **POT-FISHER**
ef+kl+no+stu **FOLK TUNES**
hi+no+rst+xy **THYROXINS**
hi+op+rst+wx **SPIXWORTH**

2+2+2+4

abcd+hi+op+rs **CHIP-BOARDS**
abcd+hi+no+st **COSH BANDIT**
ab+de+lmno+tu **METALBOUND**
ab+ghij+no+rs **JOB SHARING**

ab+hi+mno+tu **THUMB PIANO**
ab+hi+no+rstu **RHINOBATUS**
cd+fghi+no+rs **CHINGFORDS**
cd+ij+no+rstu **DISJUNCTOR**

de+hi+no+rstu **DISONURETH**
hi+lm+op+rstu **PSILOTHRUM**

2+2+2+6

abcdef+hi+kl+rs **FLASHED BRICK**

2+2+3+3

abc+ef+mno+rs	FARNCOMBE'S	ab+ghi+mn+stu	MASHING TUB	cde+ij+op+stu	POSTJUDICE
abc+ghi+kl+st	BACKLIGHTS	ab+ghi+nop+tu	PAIN-BOUGHT	cd+ghi+no+stu	COUNDIGHTS
abc+ghi+no+rs	BROACHINGS	ab+hi+lmn+stu	THUMBNAILS	de+ghi+lmn+st	MIDLENGTHS
abc+hi+klm+st	BLACKSMITH	cde+ghi+kl+st	DECK-LIGHTS	de+ghi+nop+st	DISPONGETH
abc+hi+kl+rst	BLACKSHIRT	cde+hi+nop+st	DOCENTSHIP	de+hi+mno+rst	HINDERMOST
abc+hi+no+rst	ROBIN-CHATS	cde+hi+no+rst	CHONDRITES	ef+ghi+mno+rs	FISH-MONGER
abc+ijk+no+st	BACKJOINTS	cde+hi+op+rst	PEDORTHICS		

2+2+3+4

abcd+hi+op+rst **PITCH-BOARDS**
 abc+hi+op+rstu **BURSOPATHIC**
 ab+de+lmno+rst **MANDELBROT'S**
 ab+hi+mnop+stu **THUMB PIANOS**

2+2+3+5

abcde+hi+kl+rst **BLACKSHIRTED**
 abcde+klm+op+rs **DAMPER BLOCKS**

2+2+4+4

ef+hi+lmno+rstu **FLOURISHMENT**

2+3+3+4

abc+ghi+no+rstu **BRUSH COATING**

2+3+3+5

abc+efghi+kl+stu **BUCKFASTLEIGH**

3+3+3+4

cde+ghi+nop+rstu **SPRING-TOUCHED**

2+2+2+2+3

abc+hi+kl+op+tu **BATHUKOLPIC**

2+2+2+3+3

ab+de+ghi+mno+rs **HEMADSORBING**

2+2+2+3+4

ab+de+hi+mno+rstu **STENORHABDIUM**

Buried in these lists is a handful of rather special words and these examples are taken from words with five or more letters:

1. In some cases each alphabetically-consecutive group of letters which appears in the alphome also occurs in alphabetical order in the word itself:

Word		Alphome
KLOMP	= KL M O P	= KLM+OP
SHINTO	= S T HI N O	= HI+NO+ST
ALMS-TUB	= A B LM STU	= AB+LM+STU

DJENKOL = D E = DE+JKL+NO
 J K L
 N O

2. In other cases each alphabetically-consecutive group of letters which appears in the alphome appears in reverse alphabetical order:

PLONKED = P ON = DE+KL+NOP
 L K
 ED

POUTISH = PO = HI+OP+STU
 UT S
 I H

3. A word may be exactly the same as its alphome in which case it is called an alphomic word. Thus the word HIRST is the same as its alphome HI+RST, whilst DEHIST is the same as its alphome DE+HI+ST.
4. If a word is a reversal of its alphome it is called a reverse alphomic word. Thus POLKED is the reverse of its alphome DE+KL+OP.