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export	ex	port	carry out
import	im	port	carry in
portable	port	able	able to be carried
porter	port	er	one who carries bags