



Sort the Suffix

I can convert nouns or adjectives into verbs using suffixes.



You can change nouns and adjectives into verbs by adding the suffixes -ate, -ise, and -ify.

Remember, the usual spelling rules apply:

- For words ending in 'y' change to 'i' before adding the ending.
- For words ending in 'e' remove the 'e' before adding the ending.
- For words ending with a short vowel, sound double the consonant before adding the ending.

Sort these words into the right boxes (note: some words may fit into more than one box):

popular	advert	captive	pure	real	computer
oxygen	equal	active	author	valid	

-ate	-ise	-ify



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Challenge: Add some words of your own to each list.



1. Sort these words into the right boxes (note: some words may fit into more than one box):

-ate	-ise	-ify
<i>populate</i>	<i>advertise</i>	<i>purify</i>
<i>captivate</i>	<i>computerise</i>	
<i>oxygenate</i>	<i>oxygenise</i>	
<i>activate</i>	<i>equalise</i>	
<i>validate</i>	<i>authorise</i>	
	<i>realise</i>	
	<i>popularise</i>	
<i>liquidate</i>	<i>glamourise</i>	<i>glorify</i>
<i>hyphenate</i>	<i>scandalise</i>	<i>intensify</i>
	<i>liquidise</i>	<i>horrify</i>
	<i>hospitalise</i>	<i>falsify</i>
	<i>pressurise</i>	
<i>motivate</i>	<i>terrorise</i>	<i>simplify</i>
<i>notate</i>	<i>centralise</i>	<i>terrify</i>
<i>hyphenate</i>	<i>materialise</i>	<i>notify</i>
	<i>legalise</i>	
	<i>fictionalise</i>	
	<i>academise</i>	
	<i>fossilise</i>	

