

Consonant Sound /s/ spelled "se"

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1-Syllable

lapse
dense
else
sense
tense
glimpse
rinse
pulse
sparse
corpse
horse
blouse
house
louse
mouse
spouse
coarse
course
hoarse
curse
hearse
nurse
purse
verse
worse
cease
crease
geese
grease
lease
false
goose
loose
moose
noose

2-Syllable

sense less
expanse
immense
incense
intense
premise
collapse
condense
nonsense
promise
impulse
suspense
adverse
converse
immerse
purpose
diverse
license
crease
eclipse
increase
pretense
rehearse
release
remorse
response
reverse
purchase
porpoise**
toroise**

3-Syllable

universe

**contains a rare
spelling of a sound