

Common things appended to Hebrew Roots
(not complete but sufficient)

The primary goal here is to locate a Hebrew word in the Lexicon
Remove what is added or add what is missing to find the root of the word

Prefixed:	
וְ	Conjunction, generally translated “and” sometimes, “then” or “but”. If there is a ו on the front of a Hebrew word it is the conjunction.
וְהָ	Definite Article, “the”. Notice the pointing and the Dagesh Forte.
וְהָ?	He Interrogative (introduces a question). Notice the pointing
וְבָ	Preposition, generally “in”. Notice the pointing with and without the Definite Article.
וְלָ	Preposition, generally “to”. Notice the pointing with and without the Definite Article.
וְכָ	Preposition, generally “because”, “such that”. Notice the pointing with and without the Definite Article.
וְתִיְנָ	Pronominal prefixes of the Imperfect/Yiqtol/Prefixed form of the verb
וְנָ	נָs are sometimes participial indicators or remnants of participial forms that have been turned into nouns. If you have four letters and the first is a נָ then the following three are the root letters you are looking for.
Suffixed:	
וּמָ	Masculine plural absolute
וּתָ	Feminine plural absolute
וּנָ	Feminine singular absolute
וּמָ'	Masculine plural in the construct (genitival) state
Things that drop off and go missing	
וְנָ	The נָ drops off the back end easily. If it looks like a root is missing a letter, see if there is a נָ missing in BDB.
וְנָ	נָs disappear easily when they are the first radical and things get prefixed. This is true of all languages with an /n/ as the first phoneme or the last phoneme in a prefixed (i.e., in+logical => illogical). In Hebrew they shrink down into a Dagesh Forte.
וְנָ	Same as the נָ above
Other Common Changes	
וְנָ	Many times these two trade places, i.e. one becomes the other. If you fail to locate the root using one, substitute the other.
וְנָ	The נָ shows up between the 2 nd & 3 rd radicals in the Hiphil Stem