

Latin suffix **-ion (-sion) (-tion)**

TABLE 1

Use **-sion** (pronounced /zhun/) with base verbs that end with **-de** or **-se**.

<i>VERB</i>	<i>NOUN</i>	<i>SENTENCE</i>
invade	invasion	Our troops were ready for the invasion .
divide	division	Practice your division facts.
decide	decision	He made the best decision .
collide	collision	Two cars crashed in a terrible collision .
provide	provision	Your food provisions are in the bag.
conclude	conclusion	What is the final conclusion ?
seclude	seclusion	He is hiding in lonely seclusion .
televise	television	Please turn off the television .
revise	revision	I made a revision to my essay.
supervise	supervision	Recess supervision is a busy time.

So, **-ion** means “act, process, or condition of” (*noun*).