

y = /I/

On the end of short words.

my

by

buy*

guy*

cry 5

dry

fly

fry

ply

pry 10

shy

sky

sly

spy

sty 15

try

why

butterfly

dragonfly

blowfly 20

pigsty

reply

apply

rely

deny 25

defy

notify

amplify

terrify

satisfy 30

qualify

justify

unify 33

* bu = /b/, gu = /g/

(↑↑ Harder words. When reading, if /i/ doesn't work, try /I/. See also page 49.)

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