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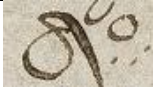
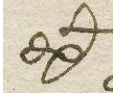
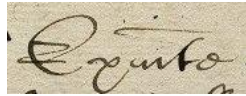
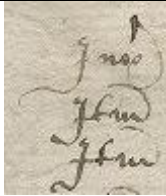
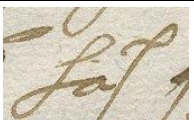

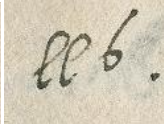
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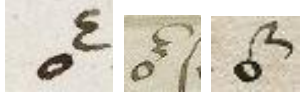
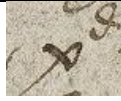
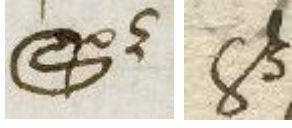
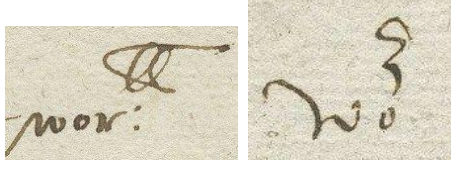

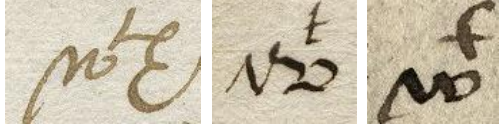
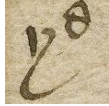

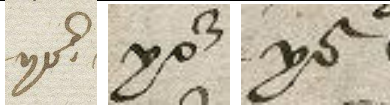
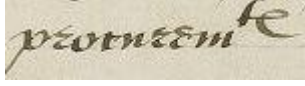
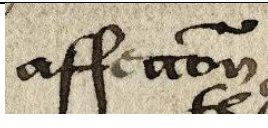
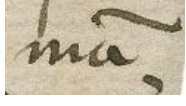
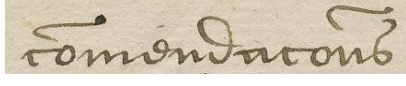
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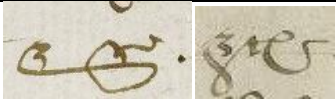
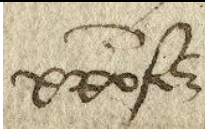

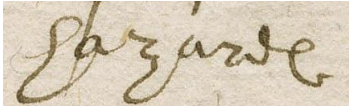
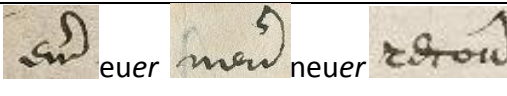
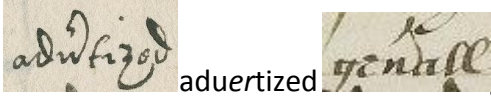
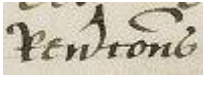
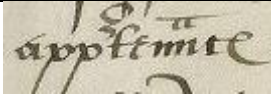
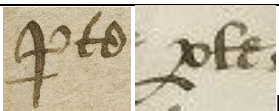
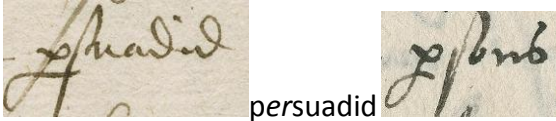
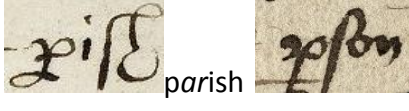
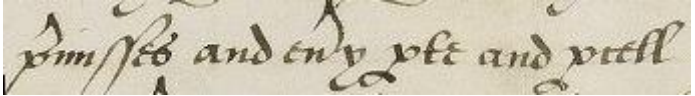
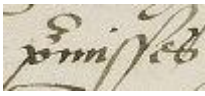
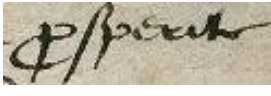
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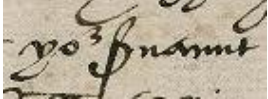
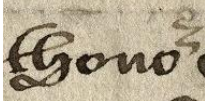
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Common abbreviations

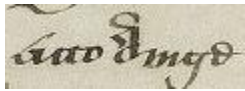
A^o	Anno	
Esq.	Esquire	 Esquires
Ex^t, Exaite	Examinant	  Examinante
Ho:, hono^{ble}	Honorable	 honorable
Imp, inp	Imprimis, in primis (in the first place)	 In primis
Itm, it	Item	 Inprimis, Item, Item
La:, La^p	Lady; Ladyship	 
Ire, Ires	lettre, lettres	 
L:, Lo, L^d, L^p Lls, Llps, Lopps	Lord or Lordship Lords or Lordships	  
Ma^{ty}, Ma^{tie}	Maiesty, Maiestie	
M^r	Master or Mister	 
m^d, mem.	memorandum	

M ^{rs} , M ^{ris}	Mistress	
o ^r	our	
p ^d	paid	
s ^r	Sir	
wor ^{ll} , wo ^r	Worshipful, worship	
w ^{ch}	which	
w th , w ^t	with	
y ^e	the	
y ^m	them	
y ^t	that	
yo ^r , y ^r	your	
-m ^t	-ment	 procurementes
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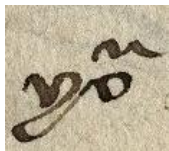
&c.	et cetera, or etc.	
xp	used for Christ (Greek <i>chi</i> & <i>rho</i> , the first two letters of the Greek word for Christ)	 Christofer
-es graph	looped down stroke at end of word, signifying an -es	 buttes poundes  hazardes
-er graph	hook-shaped upstroke, usually for -er but could also be used for ar/or/re	 euer neuer recouer  aduertized generall  Reuercions
-ur graph	superscript r, often at end of word	 appurtenances
"special" p	pre-, pro-, par-, per-, depending on style and use	 parte  persuadid persons  parish person  premisses and euery parte and parcell  premisses  prosperitie

pnt[-es graph]	presentes (often found in bargain and sale documents)	 presentes
"special" s	ser- or sir	 your seruaunt
"the" elisions	e is dropped	 thonor, or "the honor"

Sometimes something looks like an abbreviation, but actually isn't. It may contain a superfluous tittle or a letter that has been superscripted for no apparent reason.

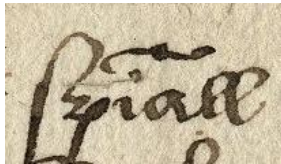


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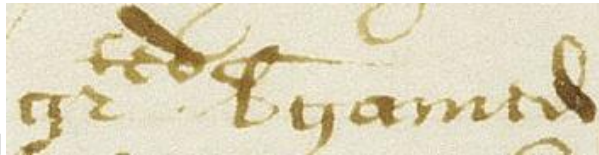


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Sometimes a word is abbreviated, but not according to any of the rules above.



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granted bargained