Singular and Plural Nouns

Nouns are made plural by adding

-s	to most nouns	dogs, boys, months
	to nouns ending in **sounds** + **s** or **double s**	cashes, videos, roses
	to **abbreviations** ending in **s**	photos, autos, kilos, stereos
	to **musical instruments**	cookies
	to **proper nouns**	Lutrinos
-es	to some nouns ending in **-s**	tomatoes, gooseses, volcanoes
	to nouns ending in **-s, -ss, -x, -ch, -sh**	lunas, dresses, churches, tuxes
-ies	to nouns ending in **consonant** + **y** (**y** → **i** + **es**)	ukes, cosmetics, flutes, flies
-ves	to some nouns ending in **-f, -fe** (**f/fe** → **v** + **es**)	lives, leaves, wolves, wives
	but	chiefs, roofs, chifs, sales, tabels, handkerchiefs

Irregular plurals

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Latin nouns ending in **-us**	alumnus - alumni, calculus - calculi, focus - foci, fractus - fractis, terminus - termini, cactus - cacti/cactuses, syllabus - syllabi/syllabuses, cumulus - cumuli, terminus - termini, etc.