Common Kanji Radicals and their Meanings

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| 口 | mouth |  | 肉 | meat/organ |
| 水/氵 | water |  | 月 | moon |
| 木 | tree |  | 土 | ground |
| 人/亻 | person |  | ⻌ | go/road |
| 手/扌 | hand |  | 艹 | grass/plant |
| 心/忄/⺗ | heart |  | 宀 | roof/crown |
| 言 | word |  | 貝 | shell |
| 日 | sun/day |  | 女 | woman |
| 糸 | silk |  | 阝 | village(right)/wall (left) |
| 幺 | thread |  | 金 | gold/metal |
| 一 | one |  | 刀/刂 | sword |
| 十 | ten |  | 田 | rice field |
| 火/灬 | fire |  | 大 | big |
| 山 | mountain |  | 食 / 飠 | eat/food |
| 車 | vehicle |  | 彳 | walking person |
| 目 | eye |  | 雨 | rain |
| 犬 / 犭 | dog |  | 玉（王） | king/ball |
| 石 | stone |  | 力 | power |
| 衣/衤 | garment |  | 弓 | bow |
| 竹/⺮ | bamboo |  | 又 | again |
| 攵/夂 | action |  | 示/礻 | altar |
| 酉 | alcohol |  | 囗 | enclosure |
| 禾 | grain |  | 广 | building |
| 疒 | sickness |  | 巾 | cloth |
| 尸 | corpse |  | 寸 | Inch/sundial degree |