

## ventifact

**ventifact** (ven'-ti-fact). A general term introduced by Evans (1911) for any stone or pebble shaped, worn, faceted, cut, or polished by the abrasive or sandblast action of windblown sand, generally under desert conditions; e.g. a *dreikanter*. See also: *windkanter*. Syn: *glyptolith*; *wind-worn stone*; *wind-cut stone*; *wind-polished stone*; *wind-grooved stone*; *wind-scoured stone*; *wind-shaped stone*.

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