directing

- giving orders or instructions-

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engineering

- the work that uses scientific knowledge for practical things-

gleaming

- shining; reflecting bright light-

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scouted

-searched for in order to bring back information-

squirmed

-twisted and turned one's body-

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technology

-the use of scientific knowledge for practical purposes-

decade

-a time period of ten years-

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tinkering

-attempting to fix something in an aimless way-