CRY -- dictionary definitions

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1  cry; cries; crying; cried
   When you cry, tears come from your eyes, usually because you are unhappy or hurt.
   I hung up the phone and started to cry.
   Please don't cry.
   He cried with anger and frustration.
   ...a crying baby.
   VB

2  cry; cries; crying; cried
   If you cry something, you shout it or say it loudly.
   `Nancy Drew,' she cried, `you're under arrest!'.
   I cried: `It's wonderful news!'
   VB

5  cry; cries
   You can refer to a public protest about something or appeal for something as a cry of some kind. (JOURNALISM)
   There have been cries of outrage about this expenditure.
   Many other countries have turned a deaf ear to their cries for help.
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