

dint1. [dɪnt] **n**

1. вмятина, впадина; отпечаток след
a deep dint - глубокая вмятина

2. **редк.** нанесение ударов; натиск; сила

◇ by dint of - посредством (чего-л.), с помощью (чего-л.)
by dint of hard work we achieved success - мы добились успеха благодаря упорному труду

2. [dɪnt] **v**

делать вмятину; оставлять отпечаток или след

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

dint [dɪnt dints dinted dinting] *BrE* [dɪnt] *NAmE* [dɪnt] noun

Idiom: ↑by dint of doing something

Word Origin:

Old English dynt 'stroke with a weapon', reinforced in Middle English by the related Old Norse word **dyntr**; of unknown ultimate origin. Compare with ↑dent.

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dint /dɪnt/ *BrE* *AmE* noun

[Language: Old English; Origin: dynt 'blow, hit']

by dint of (doing) something by using a particular method:

By dint of hard work and persistence, she had got the job of manager.

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