

pejorative1. [pɪˈdʒɒrətɪv] *n*

1. *лингв.* слово уничижительного, пейоративного значения
2. бранное слово

2. [pɪˈdʒɒrətɪv] *a*

1. *лингв.* уничижительный, пейоративный
pejorative names - уничижительные имена
2. бранный

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pe·jor·a·tive [pejorative pejoratives] *BrE* [pɪˈdʒɒrətɪv] ^ˈ *NAmE* [pɪˈdʒɒrətɪv] ^ˈ*NAmE* [pɪˈdʒɑːrətɪv] ^ˈ **adjective** (formal)

a word or remark that is pejorative expresses disapproval or criticism

Syn: ↑derogatory

• I'm using the word 'academic' here in a pejorative sense.

Derived Word ↑pejorativelyWord Origin:late 19th cent.: from French *péjoratif*, *-ive*, from late Latin *pejorare* 'make worse', from Latin *pejor* 'worse'.**pejorative**

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pe·jor·a·tive /pɪˈdʒɒrətɪv \$ -ˈdʒɒr-,-ˈdʒɑː-/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **adjective formal**[**Date:** 1800-1900; **Language:** Late Latin; **Origin:** *pejoratus*, past participle of *pejorare* 'to make worse'; from Latin *pejor* 'worse']

a word or expression that is pejorative is used to show disapproval or to insult someone:

* For hard-line Republicans, the word 'liberal' had become a pejorative term.

—pejoratively *adverb***pejorative**

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