dialect Apresyan (En-Ru)

['daıəlekt] n лингв.

1. диалект, наречие, говор

local dialect - местный диалект peasant dialect - крестьянская речь

- 2. язык (как член семьи или группы языков)
- 3. профессиональный жаргон; специальный язык

the lawyers' dialect - язык судопроизводства

dialect

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

dia-lect [dialect dialects] BrE ['daɪəlekt] * NAmE ['daɪəlekt] * noun countable,

uncountable

the form of a language that is spoken in one area with grammar, words and pronunciation that may be different from other forms of the same language

- · the Yorkshire dialect
- dialect words/expressions

compare †accent, †idiolect

Derived Word †dialectal

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (denoting the art of investigating the truth of opinions): from French dialecte, or via Latin from Greek dialektos 'discourse, way of speaking', from dialegesthai 'converse with', from dia 'through' + legein 'speak'.

Example Bank:

- · All languages and dialects change overtime.
- · She spoke in broad Yorkshire dialect.
- The poet uses a variety of Scots dialect words and expressions.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

dialect /'darəlekt/ BrE * AmE * noun [uncountable and countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: French; Origin: dialecte, from Greek dialektos 'conversation, dialect', from dialegesthai 'to talk to someone']

a form of a language which is spoken only in one area, with words or grammar that are slightly different from other forms of the same language \Rightarrow accent

Chinese/Yorkshire etc dialect

- The people up there speak a Tibetan dialect.
- the local dialect

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different kinds of language

- dialect a form of a language that is spoken in one area of a country, with different words, grammar, or pronunciation from other areas: Cantonese is only one of many Chinese dialects. I the local dialect
- accent the way that someone pronounces words, because of where they were born or live, or their social class: Karen has a strong New Jersey accent. | an upper class accent
- slang very informal spoken language, used especially by people who belong to a particular group, for example young people or criminals: Teenage slang changes all the time. I 'Dosh' is slang for 'money'.
- **terminology** *formal* the technical words or expressions that are used in a particular subject: musical terminology | Patients are often unfamiliar with medical terminology.
- jargon especially disapproving words and phrases used in a particular profession or subject and which are difficult for other people to understand: The instructions were written in complicated technical jargon. | 'Outsourcing' is business jargon for sending work to people outside a company to do. | The letter was full of legal jargon.

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