yacht Apresyan (En-Ru)

1. [jɒt] *n* яхта

cruiser [racer] yacht - крейсерская [гоночная] яхта ice yacht - буер

2. [jpt] *V*

ходить, плавать на яхте

yacht

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yacht [yacht yachts yachted yachting] BrE [jɒt] NAmE [jɑ□] (NAmE also

sail·boat) noun



a large sailing boat, often also with an engine and a place to sleep on board, used for pleasure trips and racing

- · a yacht club/race
- · a motor yacht
- a luxury yacht

compare †dinghy
See also: †sailboat

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent.: from early modern Dutch jaghte, from jaghtschip 'fast pirate ship', from jag(h)t 'hunting' + schip 'ship'.

Example Bank:

- They are cruising on a large motor yacht.
- · a yacht club/race

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yacht /jpt \$ ja□t BrE AmE noun [countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: Early modern Dutch jaght, from Middle Low German jachtschiff 'hunting ship']



a large boat with a sail, used for pleasure or sport, especially one that has a place where you can sleep \Rightarrow sailing boat, sailboat

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types of boat

- yacht a large boat with a sail, used for pleasure or sport
- sailing boat British English, sailboat American English a boat that uses one or more sails
- rowing boat British English, rowboat American English a small boat that you move through the water with oars
- dinghy a small open boat used for pleasure, or for taking people between a ship and the shore
- catamaran a sailing boat with two separate hulls (=the part that goes in the water)
- trimaran a sailing boat with three separate HULLSs
- barge a large low boat with a flat bottom, used for carrying heavy goods on a canal or river
- canal boat (also narrow boat British English) a boat that you use on canals
- canoe a long light boat that is open at the top and pointed at both ends, which you move along using a †paddle. Canoes are for one to three people
- **kayak** a light boat for one or two people, that is pointed at both ends and covered on top. A kayak has round holes on top in which the people sit, and you move it along using a paddle.
- punt a long thin boat with a flat bottom that you move by pushing a long pole against the bottom of the river used for pleasure
- houseboat a boat that is specially made so that you can live on it

pleasure boat a small boat, for example a sailing boat or a rowing boat, that people use on a lake, river etc: People were out on the lake in pleasure boats.
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