

1. ['sɪ(ə)ri:z] *n* (*pl* без измен.)1. ряд (*мж. мат.*)

a series of years [of events, of victories] - ряд лет [событий, побед]

a series of brilliant statesmen - плеяда блестящих государственных деятелей

infinite series - бесконечный ряд

binomial series - *мат.* биномиальный ряд

in series - по порядку; последовательно

time series - временной ряд (*в статистике*)

2. серия, выпуск; комплект, группа

in a series of 40 lessons - выпусками по 40 уроков

the men of letters series - серия «великие писатели»

to complete [to conclude] a series - закончить [завершить] серию

3. *геол.* свита; отдел, система4. *кино, тлв.* многосерийный фильм, в котором каждая серия составляет законченный эпизод2. ['sɪ(ə)ri:z] *а эл.*

последовательный

series connection - последовательное соединение

series winding - последовательная /серийная/ обмотка сети

series

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series *AW BrE* ['sɪəriɪz] *NAmE* ['sɪriɪz] *noun* (pl. **ser-ies**)

1. **countable, usually singular** ~ **of sth** several events or things of a similar kind that happen one after the other

• The incident sparked off a whole **series of events** that nobody had foreseen.

• the latest in a series of articles on the nature of modern society

• The movie consisted of a series of flashbacks.

2. **countable** a set of radio or television programmes that deal with the same subject or that have the same characters

• The first episode of the new series is on Saturday.

3. **countable** (*sport*) a set of sports games played between the same two teams

• the **World Series** (= in ↑*baseball*)

• England have lost the **Test series** (= of ↑*cricket* matches) against India

4. **uncountable, countable** (*technical*) an electrical ↑*circuit* in which the current passes through all the parts in the correct order

• batteries connected in series

• a series circuit

Word Origin:

early 17th cent.: from Latin, literally row, chain, from *serere* 'join, connect'.

Thesaurus:

series [**series**] *noun* **C** (always followed by **of**)

• This is the first in a series of articles about rock 'n' roll legends.

sequence • • **succession** • • **string** • • **order** • • **chain** • • **line** • • **chronology** • |*especially BrE* **catalogue** • |*AmE also catalog*

• a series/sequence/succession/string/chain/line/chronology/catalogue **of** sth

a/an **long/endless/continuous/unbroken** series/sequence/succession/string/chain/line

the first/last/latest in a series/sequence/succession/string/line

Series or sequence? A **series** of things is usually a set of individual items that are similar in some way. It does not have to be in any logical order. **Sequence** suggests that each number or event is connected in some way to the previous one.

Collocations:**Television***Watching*

watch television/TV/a show/(*BrE*) a programme/(*NAmE*) a program/a documentary/a pilot/a rerun/a repeat

see (*especially BrE*) an ad/(*especially NAmE*) a commercial/the news/the weather

catch/miss a show/a programme/a program/an episode/the news

pick up/reach for/grab the remote (control)

change/switch channel

surf (through)/ (*especially NAmE*) **flip through/** (*especially BrE*) **flick through** the channels

sit in front of/switch on/switch off/turn on/turn off the television/the TV/the TV set

have/install satellite (TV)/cable (TV)/a satellite dish

Showing

show a programme/a documentary/an ad/a commercial

screen a programme/a documentary

run an ad/a commercial

broadcast/ (*especially NAmE*) **air/repeat** a show/a programme/a documentary/an episode/a series

go out/air/be recorded live

attract/draw (in)/pull (in) viewers

be a hit with viewers/audiences/critics

get (low/high) ratings

Appearing

be on/appear on television/TV/a TV show

take part in a phone-in/a game show/a quiz show/a reality TV show

host a show/a programme/series/a game show/a quiz show/a talk show/(BrE) a chat show

be/become/work as a (BrE) TV presenter/talk-show host/sports commentator/anchorman/(BrE) newsreader

read/present the news

appear/perform live (on TV)

Programme-making

do/film/make a show/a programme/a documentary/an episode/a pilot/a series/an ad/a commercial

work on a soap (opera)/a pilot (episode)/a sitcom

write/produce a drama/sitcom/spin-off/comedy series

Example Bank:

- Australia won the Test series against England.
- HBO has begun releasing the series on DVD.
- He had a whole series of tests.
- He is in hospital for a whole series of tests.
- I ~~l~~ the first of a special two-part series on the economy...
- I ~~l~~ndia must win to level the series.
- She has a small part in a drama series for radio.
- The BBC has already commissioned a second series.
- The Bronx Bombers won two of three in a weekend series with the Red Sox.
- The quartet will be performing in a series of lunchtime concerts.
- They took the first two games in the series.
- We watched the final part of a series on Australian wildlife.
- a complex series of events
- a series of events/interviews/meetings/lectures
- a series of experiments/studies/tests
- a time series showing the pattern of global warming
- an anime series based on novels by Hiroyuki Morioka
- the Harry Potter book series
- the final book in the series
- the hit comedy series 'Friends'
- He had committed a series of minor criminal offences.
- He's already looking forward to this summer's Ashes series against Australia.
- She wrote a whole series of novels between 1985 and 2005.
- So far England are 2-0 up in the Test series against I ~~l~~ndia
- The Boston Red Sox have won baseball's World Series for the first time in 86 years.
- The incident sparked off a series of events that no one had foreseen.
- The shooting was the latest in a series of violent attacks in the city.
- This is the first in a series of articles about rock 'n' roll legends.
- You will need to have a series of vaccinations before you visit the area.

series

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series **S2 W1 AC** /'sɪəriəz/ 'sɪr-/ BrE ^u AmE ^u noun (plural **series**) [countable usually singular]

[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: serere 'to join']

1. **series of something** several events or actions of a similar type that happen one after the other:

- the series of events that led to the outbreak of war
- The police are investigating a series of attacks in the area.
- There's been a whole series of accidents on this road.

2. **PLANNED EVENTS** a group of events or actions that are planned to happen one after the other

series of

- This autumn the BBC will be showing a series of French films.
- Staff will hold a series of meetings over the next few weeks.
- a summer lecture series

3. **TV/RADIO** a set of television or radio programmes that have the same characters or deal with the same type of subject, and are usually broadcast every week or several times a week:

- a new comedy series

4. **BOOKS/ARTICLES ETC** several books, articles etc that deal with the same subject or tell stories about the same characters

series of

- a series of articles on community care
- a science fiction series

5. **SIMILAR THINGS** several things of the same kind

series of

- a series of laws against discrimination
- The area is linked by a series of canals.

6. **SPORT** a set of sports games played between the same two teams

the World Series (=in baseball)

Test series (=in ↑cricket)

7. **in series** *technical* being connected so that electricity passes through the parts of something electrical in the correct order

series

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