

expend

[ɪk'spend] *v*

1. (on, upon)

1) **кани**, тратить, затрачивать, расходовать
 to expend money on smth. - тратить деньги на что-л.
 to expend \$1,000,000 upon a project - затратить 1 000 000 долларов на какое-л. мероприятие

2) тратить
 to expend time [energy] in doing smth. - тратить время [силы] на что-л.
 to expend blood - проливать кровь

2. истратить, использовать (до конца)

to expend itself - израсходоваться; кончиться, прийти к концу
 having expended their arrows, they drew their swords - когда у них кончился запас стрел, они обнажили мечи

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ex·pend [expend expends expended expending] *BrE* [ɪk'spend] *AmE*

[ɪk'spend] *verb* ~ sth (in/on sb) | ~ sth (in/on/doing sth) (formal)

to use or spend a lot of time, money, energy, etc

- She expended all her efforts on the care of home and children.
- Smith had expended large sums in pursuing his claim through the court.
- Most animals expend a lot of energy searching for food.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	expend
	BrE /ɪk'spend/
	NAme /ɪk'spend/
he / she / it	expends
	BrE /ɪk'spendz/
	NAme /ɪk'spendz/
past simple, past participle	expended
	BrE /ɪk'spendɪd/
	NAme /ɪk'spendɪd/
-ing form	expending
	BrE /ɪk'spendɪŋ/
	NAme /ɪk'spendɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Latin *expendere*, from *ex-* 'out' + *pendere* 'weigh, pay'. Compare with *↑spend*.

Example Bank:

- Do you know how much energy you have to expend on just being a star?
- I am not prepared to expend any more effort on this project.
- the amount of time expended in cleaning
- The government has expended large sums of public money on a failing project.
- Try to get the best result without expending too much time and effort
- Unlike most animals, mussels do not expend energy looking for food.

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ex·pend /ɪk'spend/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* [transitive]

[Word Family: noun: *↑expenditure*, *↑expense*, expenses; verb: *↑expend*; *advert*: *↑expensively* ≠ *↑inexpensively*; adjective: *↑expensive* ≠ *↑inexpensive*]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: *expendere* 'to weigh out, pay', from *pendere* 'to weigh']

to use or spend a lot of energy etc in order to do something

expend energy/effort/time/resources etc

- People of different ages expend different amounts of energy.
- Manufacturers have expended a lot of time and effort trying to improve computer security.

expend something in/on (doing) something

- A great deal of time and money has been expended on creating a pleasant office atmosphere.

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