

impromptu

1. [im'prɒmptju:] *n*

- 1) экспромт, импровизация
- 2) *муз.* экспромт

2. [im'prɒmptju:] *a*

импровизированный

impromptu speech [poems] - импровизированная речь [-ые стихи]

impromptu visit - неожиданный /случайный/ визит

impromptu shooting - *воен.* ведение огня по внезапно появляющейся цели; стрельба без предварительной подготовки; неплановый огонь

3. [im'prɒmptju:] *adv*

без подготовки, экспромтом

to speak impromptu - говорить без подготовки

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

im·promp·tu [im'prɒmptu im'prɒmptus] *BrE* [im'prɒmptju] *NAmE*

[im'prɒmptju] *adjective*

done without preparation or planning

Syn: improvised

- an impromptu speech
- They of·teheld impromptu meetings in their house.

Word Origin:

mid 17th cent. (as an adverb): *f*rom French, *f*rom Latin *in promptu* 'in readiness', *f*rom *promptus* 'brought to light', also 'prepared, ready', past participle of *promere* 'to produce', *f*rom *pro-* 'out, forth' + *emere* 'take'.

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[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** French; **Origin:** Latin *in promptu* 'in readiness']

done or said without any preparation or planning

impromptu speech/party/meeting etc

* The band gave an impromptu concert.

—*impromptu* *adverb*

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