

**abominable**[ə'bɒmɪnəb(ə)] *a*

1. отвратительный гнусный  
abominable crime - гнусное преступление
2. противный, гадкий; ужасный  
abominable weather - отвратительная/ужасная/ погода  
abominable dinner - дрянной обед

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**abom·in·able** *BrE* [ə'bɒmɪnəbəl] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [ə'boʊmɪnəbəl] <sup>ˈ</sup> **adjective**

extremely unpleasant and causing disgust

**Syn:** ↑appalling, **Syn:** ↑disgusting

- The judge described the attack as an abominable crime.
- We were served the most abominable coffee.

Derived Word ↑abominablyWord Origin:

[**abominable abominably**] Middle English: via Old French from Latin *abominabilis*, from *abominari*, from *ab-* 'away, from' + *omen*, *omin-* 'omen'. The term was once widely believed to be from *ab-* 'away from' + Latin *homine* (from *homo* 'human being'), thus 'inhuman, beastly', and frequently spelled *abhominable* until the 17th cent.

Example Bank:

- I think you are utterly selfish and your behaviour has been abominable.

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[**Date:** 1300-1400; **Language:** Old French; **Origin:** Latin *abominabilis*, from *abominari* 'to treat as a bad omen, abominate', from *ab-* 'away' + *omen* (⇒ ↑*omen*)]

extremely unpleasant or of very bad quality **SYN** terrible :

- abominable cruelty

—**abominably** *adverb*:

- Mavis behaved abominably.

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