

# compensation

[ˌkɒmpənˈseɪʃ(ə)n] *n*

1. 1) возмещение, компенсация

to make /to pay/ compensation for smth. - заплатить компенсацию за что-л

claim for compensation - иск о возмещении убытков /ущерба/

by way of compensation - в качестве компенсации

compensation for injury - компенсация за увечье

his hearing has become acute in compensation for loss of sight - потеря зрения у него компенсируется слухом

2) вознаграждение; жалование, денежное вознаграждение

the compensation of employees - выплаты служащим

2. *спец.*

1) балансирование; уравнивание

2) уравнивание; компенсация

compensation gear - *авт.* дифференциал дифференциальная передача

compensation winding - *эл.* уравнивательная обмотка

3. *физиол., мед.* восстановление, уравнивание, компенсация

compensation disturbance - *мед.* расстройство /нарушение/ компенсации

4. *психол.* компенсирующее поведение

his hearty manner was a compensation for his feeling of insecurity - за его непринуждённым поведением скрывалось чувство неуверенности

5. *радио* коррекция, компенсация

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com·pen·sa·tion **AW** [compensation compensations] *BrE* [ˌkɒmpənˈseɪʃn]

*NAmE* [ˌkɑmpənˈseɪʃn] *noun*

1. **uncountable, countable** ~ (for sth) something, especially money, that sb gives you because they have hurt you, or damaged sth that you own; the act of giving this to sb

• to **claim/award/receive compensation**

• to pay compensation for injuries at work

• to receive £10 000 **in compensation**

• She received a cash sum by way of compensation.

2. **countable, usually plural** ~ (for sth) things that make a bad situation better

• I wish I were young again, but getting older has its compensations.

### Word Origin:

late Middle English: via Old French from Latin *compensatio(n)-*, from the verb *compensare* 'weigh against', from *com-* 'together' + *pensare* (frequentative of *pendere* 'weigh').

### Thesaurus:

**compensation** *noun* **U, C**

• She received a cash sum in compensation.

**refund** • **award** • **rebate** • |*formal* **reimbursement** • |*formal law* **restitution** •

(a/an) compensation/refund/award/rebate/reimbursement/restitution **from sb to sb**

(a/an) compensation/refund/award/rebate/reimbursement/restitution **for sth**

**seek/demand** (a) compensation/refund/reimbursement/restitution

**receive** (a/an) compensation/refund/award/rebate/reimbursement/restitution

### Example Bank:

• She got some compensation for damages.

• She received £7 000 as compensation for her injuries.

• The money was small compensation for unfair dismissal.

• They will have to pay £5 000 in compensation.

• compensation from the government

• compensation to Mrs Parker

• the rules used for determining compensation

• Compensation has cost the company a lot of money.

• He has made a compensation claim to an industrial tribunal.

• The businesses that had to relocate received £10 000 each in compensation from the local council.

• The court awarded her compensation of £58 000 for unfair dismissal.

• The employer has a duty to pay full compensation for injuries received at work.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

com·pen·sa·tion **AC** /ˌkɒmpənˈseɪʃən \$ ˌkɑmp-/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun*

[*Word Family*: **verb**: ↑compensate; **noun**: ↑compensation; **adjective**: ↑compensatory]

1. [**uncountable**] money paid to someone because they have suffered injury or loss, or because something they own has been damaged

**compensation for**

compensation for injuries at work

**compensation from**

She received compensation from the government for the damage caused to her property.

**in compensation**

" The jury awarded Tyler \$1.7 million in compensation.

**as compensation**

" The workers were given 30 days' pay as compensation.

" People who are wrongly arrested may be paid compensation.

**demand/seek/claim compensation**

" The parents are seeking compensation for birth defects caused by the drug.

**award/grant compensation**

" The court awarded Jamieson £30,000 compensation.

2. **[uncountable and countable]** something that makes a bad situation better:

" One of the few compensations of losing my job was seeing more of my family.

**by way of compensation (=in order to make a situation better)**

" By way of compensation he offered to take her out for a meal.

3. **[uncountable and countable]** when someone behaves in a particular way in order to replace something that is missing or to balance the bad effects of something

**compensation for**

" Linda's aggressiveness is just a compensation for her feelings of insecurity.

**as compensation (for something)**

" Lip-reading can act as compensation for loss of hearing.

4. **[uncountable]** *American English* the money someone is paid for doing their job **SYN remuneration**

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**COLLOCATIONS**

■ **verbs**

- **pay somebody compensation** Passengers will be paid compensation if their baggage is lost or damaged.
- **receive compensation** Some people have received compensation from the government for the loss of their homes.
- **be awarded compensation (=be given it)** Many victims have been awarded compensation by the courts.
- **claim compensation (=ask for it because you have a right to it)** You can claim compensation for unfair dismissal from your job.
- **seek compensation (=try to get it)** Survivors of the rail disaster are seeking compensation.
- **demand compensation (=ask for it in an angry way)** Political prisoners are demanding financial compensation.
- **fight for compensation (=try hard to get it)** Alan, who hurt his back and hasn't worked since, is still fighting for compensation.
- **offer compensation** The health authority offered compensation to the families.

■ **adjectives**

- **financial compensation** You may wish to claim financial compensation.
- **full compensation (=fully covering the loss, damage etc)** Full compensation is only paid very rarely.
- **partial compensation (=partly covering your loss, damage etc)** The woman received partial compensation of £5,000.

■ **compensation + NOUN**

- **a compensation claim** He was seeking legal advice on a compensation claim.
- **a compensation payment** UK farmers may be in line for compensation payments.
- **a compensation scheme (=system for providing compensation)** There is a compensation scheme for radiation-linked diseases.

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