

available[ə'veɪləb(ə)] *а*

1. (при)годный, полезный
 - available capacity - *тех.* полезная мощность
 - available hydrogen - *хим.* активный водород
 - available head - *гидр.* используемый напор
 - available moisture - *с.-х.* доступная влажность (*почвы для растений*)
2. 1) наличный, имеющийся в распоряжении, доступный
 - available supplies - наличные запасы
 - available assets - *эк.* легко реализуемые /ликвидные/ активы
 - available capital - *эк.* ликвидный капитал
 - to make smth. available - предоставлять что-л., делать что-л. доступным
 - by all available means - всеми доступными средствами
- 2) имеющийся в продаже
 - these shoes are not available in your size - такой обуви вашего размера в продаже нет
- 3) свободный; имеющий время (*для чего-л.*)
 - the doctor is not available now - доктор сейчас занят
 - are you available tomorrow morning? - вы свободны /вы сможете уделить мне время/ завтра утром?
3. действительный, имеющий силу, годный
 - tickets available for three days only - билеты действительны только на трое суток
4. *амер. полит.*
 - 1) перспективный, популярный (*о кандидате в президенты*)
 - 2) согласившийся баллотироваться

available

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avail-able *AW BrE* [ə'veɪləb] ^а *NAmE* [ə'veɪləb] ^а **adjective**

1. (*of things*) that you can get, buy or find
 - available resources/facilities
 - **readily/freely/publicly/generally available**
 - Tickets are available free of charge from the school.
 - When will the information be **made available** ?
 - Further information is available on request.
 - This was the only room available
 - We'll send you a copy as soon as it **becomes available** .
 - Every available doctor was called to the scene.
2. (*of a person*) free to see or talk to people
 - Will she be available this afternoon?
 - The director was not available for comment.

Derived Word ↑availabilityWord Origin:

late Middle English (in the senses 'effectual, serviceable' and 'legally valid'): from ↑avail + ↑-able. The sense 'at someone's disposal' dates from the early 19th cent.

Thesaurus:**available** *adj.***1.**

• They were the only tickets available.

for sale • • on the market • • on sale •available/on sale **from** sb/sth**go** on the market/on sale**now/still** available/for sale/on the market/on sale**2.**

• The director was not available for comment.

free • • spare •available/free **for** sthavailable/free **to do** sthavailable/free/spare **time**a free/spare **afternoon/morning/weekend/moment**Example Bank:

- All holiday bookings are subject to availability.
- Before travelling we must ensure the availability of petrol and oil.
- Check the availability of bottled water before you set off.
- They want to restrict the availability of abortion.
- the easy availability of many illegal drugs
- the seemingly unlimited availability of mortgage credit
- This offer is subject to availability.

Example Bank:

- Grants should be available for all students.
- He has \$10 000 of immediately available funds.
- She is in a meeting at present, but I will let you know as soon as she becomes available.
- The DVDs are available for purchase.
- The chairman was not available for comment.
- The houses are built using locally available materials.
- The product will now be made available throughout the market.
- This information is freely available to anyone wishing to see it.
- Further information is available upon request.
- The information is freely available.
- We have used all available resources.
- When will the information be made available?

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

available **S1 W1 AC** /ə'veɪləbəl/ BrE " AmE " adjective

[Word Family: noun: ↑availability; adjective: ↑available ≠ ↑unavailable]

1. something that is available is able to be used or can easily be bought or found:

" Tickets are available from the box office.

available to

" Not enough data is available to scientists.

available to do something

" Funds are available to assist teachers who want to attend the conference.

available for

" No figures are available for the number of goods sold.

available in

" There are plenty of jobs available in the area.

readily/widely available (=very easy to obtain)

" Parking is readily available near the station entrance.

" Meetings were held to update employees as soon as new information became available

" Further building can continue when money is made available

" Every available space on the wall was covered in pictures.

REGISTER

In everyday English, people usually say that a book, record etc is **out** rather than **available** :

▪ His new album is out now.

2. [not before noun] someone who is available is not busy and has enough time to talk to you:

" Collins was not available for comment on Thursday night.

3. someone who is available does not have a wife, ↑boyfriend etc, and therefore may want to start a new romantic relationship with someone else

—availability /ə'veɪlə'bɪləti, ə'veɪlə'bɪlɪti/ noun [uncountable]:

" the availability of affordable housing

" Rooms are offered subject to availability.

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COLLOCATIONS

verbs

▪ **become available** Luckily a house soon became available for us.

▪ **make something available** With the Internet it is possible to make learning available wherever it is needed.

adverbs

▪ **be easily/readily/freely available** (=easy to get) The material used was cheap and readily available.

▪ **be widely available** (=available in many places) Organic food is now widely available.

adjectives

▪ **the best available** We use the best available technology.

phrases

▪ **the only available something** One small tree was the only available protection from the sun.

▪ **the nearest available something** Ruth sat down in the nearest available armchair.

▪ **every available something** You should practise speaking the language at every available opportunity.

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THESAURUS

▪ **available** if something is available, you can buy it, get it, or use it: Are there any tickets still available for Saturday? | There's no room for more books – we've used up all the available space.

▪ **free** if a seat or room is free, it is not being used by anyone: Excuse me, is this seat free? | The hotel never has any free rooms over the Christmas period.

▪ **vacant** if a house or room is vacant, it is available for someone to use or rent: If you're looking for somewhere to rent, I think there's a vacant apartment in my building. | I'll ask around and see if there's a room vacant somewhere. | The sign on the toilet said 'vacant'.

▪ **spare** a spare room, key, tyre etc is one that you have in addition to the ones that you normally use, and is therefore available to be used: We have a spare room you can stay in. | There's a spare key in this drawer. | I got the spare tyre out of the back of the car.

▪ **empty** an empty room, building etc has no one in it: The house was empty for two months before it was sold. | They have three

empty rooms now that the kids have moved out.

▪ **on offer** if something is on offer, it is available for people to choose from: There is a huge network of cycle tracks on offer. | Other facilities on offer in this excellent hotel include a hairdressing salon, a coffee shop, and a children's play room. | the variety of delicious fruits on offer

▪ **taken** [not before noun] if a seat or room is taken, it is not available for other people to use, because someone has already arranged to use it: I'm sorry – that seat is taken. | I'm afraid all our rooms are taken at the moment.

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