

**develop**[di'veləp] *v*

1. 1) **развивать, совершенствовать**  
to develop one's business [memory, mind] - развить дело [память, ум]  
to develop a melody - *муз.* развивать тему
- 2) **развиваться, расти; расширяться (о деле, предприятии); превращаться**  
his character is still developing - его характер ещё не сложился окончательно  
let things develop - пусть всё идёт своим чередом
2. 1) **развиваться, проходить, протекать**  
the fever develops normally - лихорадка протекает/течёт нормально  
the situation developed rapidly - события развивались стремительно
- 2) **начинаться**  
a developing snowstorm - начинающийся буря
3. 1) **показывать, обнаруживать**  
to develop a passion for art - проникнуться страстной любовью к искусству  
he developed symptoms of fever - у него обнаружили симптомы лихорадки  
he developed a strange habit - у него появилась странная привычка  
at school he developed a great gift for mathematics - в школе у него обнаружили недюжинные математические способности
- 2) **проявляться, оказываться, обнаруживаться**  
a new feature of the case developed today - сегодня дело приняло другой оборот  
it develops that ... - оказывается, что ...
4. **излагать, раскрывать**  
to develop an argument [an idea] - развивать аргумент [идею]  
to develop a case [one's plans] to an audience - излагать дело [свои планы] слушателям
5. 1) **разрабатывать**  
to develop mineral resources - разрабатывать полезные ископаемые  
it was at a time when atomic energy has not yet been developed - это произошло в эпоху, когда атомной энергетики ещё не существовало
- 2) *горн.* **развить (добычу)**
- 3) *горн.* **вскрыть (месторождение)**
6. **создавать**  
to develop a strong organization - создать сильную организацию
7. 1) **создавать, вырабатывать, получать**  
to develop heat - получать тепловую энергию
- 2) **создавать, разрабатывать**  
to develop a system - разработать систему
- 3) *с.-х.* **выводить (сорт или породу)**
- 4) *спец.* **развивать, достигать; иметь (мощность, скорость и т. п.)**  
the motor develops 100 horsepower - мощность двигателя составляет 100 лошадиных сил
- 5) *спорт.* **разучивать**  
to develop new routines - разучить новые элементы (о гимнастике)
8. *амер., арх.* **выявлять, выяснять, раскрывать**  
to develop smb.'s position - выяснить чью-л. позицию  
the inquiry has developed some new facts - расследование вскрыло несколько новых фактов
9. *фото*  
1) **проявлять**  
2) **проявляться**
10. *шахм.*  
1) **выводить (фигуру); развивать (фигуры)**  
to develop a rook - вывести ладью
- 2) **развиваться**
11. *воен.* **расчленять, развёртывать (войска)**
12. *воен.* **развивать (успех)**  
to develop an attack - развивать наступление
13. *мат.*  
1) **разлагать, раскрывать (выражение)**  
2) **развёртывать (кривую поверхность)**

**develop****de-velop** [develop develops developed developing] *BrE* [di'veləp] <sup>m</sup> *NAmE*[di'veləp] <sup>m</sup> *verb*

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**GROW BIGGER/STRONGER**

1. **intransitive, transitive** to gradually grow or become bigger, more advanced, stronger, etc; to make sth do this
  - The child is developing normally.
  - ~ **(from sth) (into sth)** The place has rapidly developed from a small fishing community into a thriving tourist resort.
  - ~ **sth (from sth) (into sth)** She developed the company from nothing.

## NEW IDEA/PRODUCT

2. **transitive** ~ **sth** to think of or produce a new idea, product, etc. and make it successful

- The company develops and markets new software.
- A new type of painkilling drug has recently been developed

## DISEASE/PROBLEM

3. **intransitive, transitive** ~ **(sth)** to begin to have sth such as a disease or a problem; to start to affect sb/sth

- Her son developed asthma when he was two.
- The car developed engine trouble and we had to stop.

## HAPPEN/CHANGE

4. **intransitive** to start to happen or change, especially in a bad way

- A crisis was rapidly developing in the Gulf.
- We need more time to see how things develop before we take action.

## BECOME BETTER

5. **transitive, intransitive** ~ **(sth)** to start to have a skill, ability, quality, etc. that becomes better and stronger; to become better and stronger

- He's developed a real flair for management.
- Their relationship has developed over a number of years.

## BUILD HOUSES

6. **transitive** ~ **sth** to build new houses, factories, etc. on an area of land, especially land that was not being used effectively before

- The site is being developed by a French company.

## IDEA/STORY

7. **transitive** ~ **sth** to make an idea, a story, etc. clearer by explaining it further

**Syn:** elaborate on

- She develops the theme more fully in her later books.

## PHOTOGRAPHS

8. **transitive** ~ **sth** to treat film which has been used to take photographs with chemicals so that the pictures can be seen

- I had the film developed yesterday.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	develop
	BrE /dɪˈveləp/
	NA.mE /dɪˈveləp/
he / she / it	develops
	BrE /dɪˈveləps/
	NA.mE /dɪˈveləps/
past simple, past participle	developed
	BrE /dɪˈveləpt/
	NA.mE /dɪˈveləpt/
-ing form	developing
	BrE /dɪˈveləpɪŋ/
	NA.mE /dɪˈveləpɪŋ/

Word Origin:

mid 17th cent. (in the sense 'unfold, unfurl'): from French **développer**, based on Latin **dis-** 'un-' + a second element of unknown origin found also in **↑envelop**

Thesaurus:

**develop** verb

1. I

- It developed from a small fishing village into a thriving resort.

**progress** • **evolve** • **advance** • **mature** • **move** • |informal **come along/on** • |especially **journalism shape up** •

develop/evolve/mature **into** sth

develop/progress/evolve/advance/move **towards/beyond** sth

a/an **idea/style/theory** develops/evolves

2.

- The company develops and markets new software.

**create** • **build** • **pioneer** • |written, especially **business evolve** •

develop/create/build/pioneer a **model/technology/new product**

develop/create/pioneer/evolve a **technique/method/policy/plan**

develop/pioneer/evolve an **idea**

3. T, no passive

- She developed lung cancer at the age of forty.

**get** • **have** • **suffer from sth** • |especially BrE, especially spoken **have got** • |formal **contract** •

develop/get/have/suffer from/have got/contract a/an **disease/illness**

develop/get/have/suffer from/have got/contract **cancer/AIDS**

develop/get/have/suffer from/have got a **condition/arthritis/diarrhoea**  
develop/have/suffer from/have got a/an **allergy/disorder**

4.

• A crisis was rapidly developing

**break out** • **erupt** • **especially journalism blow up** •

(a) **crisis/row/storm/trouble** develops/breaks out/erupts/blows up

a/an **argument/controversy/dispute** develops/breaks out/erupts

(a) **fight/fighting/riot/violence** breaks out/erupts

Synonyms:

**make**

do • create • develop • produce • generate • form

These words all mean to make sth from parts or materials, or to cause sth to exist or happen.

**make** • to create or prepare sth by combining materials or putting parts together; to cause sth to exist or happen: ▫ She makes her own clothes. ◇ ▫ She ▫ made a good impression ▫ on the interviewer.

**do** • (rather informal) to make or prepare sth, especially sth artistic or sth to eat: ▫ He did a beautiful drawing of a house. ◇ ▫ Who's doing the food for the party?

**create** • to make sth exist or happen, especially sth new that did not exist before: ▫ Scientists disagree about how the universe was created.

**make or create?**

**Make** is a more general word and is more often used for physical things: you would usually **make a table/dress/cake** but **create jobs/wealth**. You can use **create** for sth physical in order to emphasize how original or unusual the object is: ▫ Try this new dish, created by our head chef.

**develop** • (used especially in business contexts) to think of and produce a new product: ▫ to develop new software

**produce** • to make things to be sold; to create sth using skill: ▫ a factory that produces microchips

**generate** • to produce or create sth, especially power, money or ideas: ▫ to generate electricity ◇ ▫ Brainstorming is a good way of generating ideas.

**form** • [often passive] to make sth from sth else; to make sth into sth else: ▫ Rearrange the letters to form a new word. ◇ ▫ The chain is formed from 136 links.

to make/create/develop/produce/generate/form sth **from/out of** sth

to make/form sth **into** sth

to make/produce **wine**

to create/develop a **new product**

to create/produce/generate **income/profits/wealth**

to produce/generate **electricity/heat/power**

Example Bank:

• The situation is developing into a crisis.

• Some children develop more slowly than others.

• The conflict quickly developed into full-scale war.

• The place developed from a small fishing village into a major port.

• We are gradually developing better treatments for these conditions.

• an opportunity to develop new skills

• A coherent strategy for getting more people back to work needs to be developed

• She developed lung cancer at the age of sixty.

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de|vel|op **S2 W1** /dɪ'veləp BrE = AmE = verb

[Word Family: noun: ↑developer, ↑development, ↑redevelopment, verb: ↑develop, ↑redevelop, adjective: ↑developed ≠ ↑undeveloped, ↑developing]

[Date: 1600-1700; Language: French; Origin: développer, from Old French voloper 'to wrap']

1. **GROW** [intransitive and transitive] to grow or change into something bigger, stronger, or more advanced, or to make someone or something do this ⇒ **advance**:

▫ Knowledge in the field of genetics has been developing very rapidly.

▫ Corsica has developed its economy around the tourist industry.

**develop into**

▫ Chicago developed into a big city in the late 1800s.

**develop from**

▫ It's hard to believe that a tree can develop from a small seed.

▫ exercises to develop muscle strength

2. **NEW IDEA/PRODUCT** [transitive] to design or make a new idea, product, system etc over a period of time:

▫ Scientists are developing new drugs to treat arthritis.

▫ She should have developed her own style instead of copying him.

▫ Researchers are developing technology for the US military.

3. **FEELING** [transitive] to start to have a feeling or quality that then becomes stronger:

▫ He had developed a certain affection for me.

**develop a sense/awareness/knowledge of something**

▫ The children are beginning to develop a sense of responsibility.

▫ It was in college that he developed a taste for (=started to like) rugby football.

4. **SKILL/ABILITY** [intransitive and transitive] if you develop a skill or ability, or if it develops, it becomes stronger or more advanced:
    - " The course is designed to help students develop their speaking skills.
  5. **DISEASE** [intransitive and transitive] if you develop a disease or illness, or if it develops, you start to have it:
    - " Some alcoholics develop liver disease.
    - " Pneumonia can develop very quickly.
  6. **FAULT/PROBLEM** [transitive] to begin to have a physical fault:
    - " The oil tank had developed a small crack.
    - " The plane developed engine trouble and was forced to land.
  7. **PROBLEM/DIFFICULTY** [intransitive] if a problem or difficult situation develops, it begins to happen or exist, or it gets worse:
    - " Trouble is developing in the cities.
- develop into**
- " Regional clashes could develop into larger quarrels.
8. **IDEA/ARGUMENT** [transitive] to make an argument or idea clearer, by studying it more or by speaking or writing about it in more detail:
    - " We will develop a few of these points in the seminar.
  9. **LAND** [transitive] to use land for the things that people need, for example by taking minerals out of it or by building on it:
    - " The land was developed for low-cost housing.
  10. **PHOTOGRAPHY** [intransitive and transitive] to make a photograph out of a photographic film, using chemicals:
    - " Did you ever get the pictures developed?

## THESAURUS

- **make** used about things you make yourself, or things that are made in a factory: Diane makes all her own clothes. | My camera was made in China.
- **produce** to make something in large quantities to be sold, or to make something as the result of a natural process: The factory produces high-quality steel. | Japan produces some of the most advanced mobile phones. | The pancreas is a gland in your body which produces hormones.
- **create** to make something new and original: Tarantino created a whole new style of films. | Many companies invest a lot of money in creating new products. | Potter was famous for creating characters such as 'Peter Rabbit'. | This technique is used to create images of beautiful forests.
- **manufacture** to make machines, cars, equipment etc in factories: The company manufactures aircraft parts.
- **mass-produce** to make very large quantities of something in a factory: They developed a way to mass-produce the drug.
- **develop** to design and make something new over a period of time: In 1962, Enders developed an effective vaccine against measles. | The company is developing new anti-virus software.
- **form** to make something as the result of a natural process or chemical reaction: Hydrogen and oxygen combine to form water. | The research will help us understand how planets are formed.
- **generate** to make something such as heat, electricity, or power: Wind can be used to generate electricity.

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