

leverage

1. ['li:v(ə)rɪdʒ] *n*
 1. действие рычага
 2. система рычагов
 3. 1) усилие рычага; выигрыш в силе
2) рычаг, двигатель; средство для достижения цели
political leverage- политические связи
 4. *амер. фин.* использование кредита для биржевой игры
2. ['li:v(ə)rɪdʒ] *v амер. фин.*
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le-ver-age [leverage leverages leveraged leveraging] *noun, verb* BrE ['li:vəɹɪdʒ] NAmE ['levərɪdʒ]

noun uncountable

1. (formal) the ability to influence what people do
 - diplomatic leverage
 - Retailers can exert leverage over producers by threatening to take their business elsewhere.
2. (technical) the act of using a **↑lever** to open or lift sth; the force used to do this
 - A longer piece of wood would give you greater leverage
3. (NAmE) (BrE **gear-ing**) (finance) the relationship between the amount of money that a company owes and the value of its shares

Example Bank:

- Position the piece of wood so that maximum leverage can be applied.
- They are determined to gain more political leverage
- They suddenly had more leverage in negotiations.
- Their actions were seen as an attempt to use economic leverage to force political change.

verb ~ sth (business)

to get as much advantage or profit as possible from sth that you have

- The company needs to leverage its resources.
- This system will help you to leverage your time so that you get more done.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	leverage
	BrE / 'li:vəɹɪdʒ/
	NAmE / 'levərɪdʒ/
he / she / it	leverages
	BrE / 'li:vəɹɪdʒz/
	NAmE / 'levərɪdʒz/
past simple, past participle	leveraged
	BrE / 'li:vəɹɪdʒd/
	NAmE / 'levərɪdʒd/
-ing form	leveraging
	BrE / 'li:vəɹɪdʒɪŋ/
	NAmE / 'levərɪdʒɪŋ/

See also: **↑gearing**

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. **le-ver-age** ¹ /'li:vəɹɪdʒ \$ 'le-, 'li:v- BrE ⁿ AmE ⁿ *noun* [uncountable]

1. influence that you can use to make people do what you want:
 - diplomatic leverage by the US

2. the action, power, or use of a lever

II. **leverage** ² BrE ⁿ AmE ⁿ *verb* [transitive] *American English technical*

1. to make money available to someone in order to **↑invest** or to buy something such as a company:
 - the use of public funds to leverage private investment

2. to spread or use **↑resources** (=money, skills, buildings etc that an organization has available), ideas etc again in several different ways or in different parts of a company, system etc

leverages something across something

- Reusable software is leveraged across many applications.

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