mechanic Apresyan (En-Ru)

- **1.** [mı'kænık] *n*
 - 1. механик; машинист; оператор motor mechanic автомеханик dental mechanic зубной техник
 - 2. ремесленник; мастеровой
- 2. [mı'kænık] ycm. = mechanical II

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mech-an-ic [mechanic mechanics] BrE [məˈkænɪk] ** NAmE [məˈkænɪk] **

noun

- 1. countable a person whose job is repairing machines, especially the engines of vehicles
 - a car mechanic
- 2. mechanics uncountable the science of movement and force

see also †quantum mechanics

- 3. mechanics uncountable the practical study of machinery
- the school's car maintenance department where students learn basic mechanics
- **4. the mechanics** plural the way sth works or is done
 - The exact mechanics of how payment will be made will be decided later.

Word Origin:

late Middle English (as an adjective in the sense 'relating to manual labour'): via Old French or Latin from Greek mēkhanikos, from mēkhanē, from mēkhos 'contrivance'.

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[Word Family: noun: †machine, †machinery, †machinist, †mechanic, mechanics, †mechanism, †mechanization; adjective: †mechanical, †mechanized, †mechanistic; verb †machine, †mechanize; adverb †mechanically, †mechanistically]



- 1. [countable] someone who is skilled at repairing motor vehicles and machinery:
 - a garage mechanic
- 2. the mechanics of (doing) something the way in which something works or is done:

The mechanics of the process are quite complex.

- 3. mechanics [uncountable] the science that deals with the effects of forces on objects:
 - fluid mechanics ⇒ †quantum mechanics
- 4. mechanics [uncountable] the study of machines:
 - He is studying mechanics at college.

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