['ju:zidʒ,'ju:sidʒ] n

1. обращение

rough [good] usage - грубое [хорошее] обращение

2. 1) употребление, применение, использование

in accordance with the general usage - согласно общепринятой практике

2) узус, обычное употребление (слов, выражений и т. п.)

of current usage - общеупотребительный

expression that has come into usage - выражение, вошедшее в употребление

a new meaning sanctioned by usage - новое значение (слова), санкционированное узусом /употребительностью

3. 1) обычай, обыкновение

ancient usage - старинный обычай

sanctified by usage - освящённый обычаем

2) юр. торговый обычай

usage of trade - торговый обычай, узанс, узанция

usage

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usage [usage usages] BrE ['jusdd NAmE ['jusdd BrE [']]]]]]

NAmE ['ju□z□dื noun

- 1. uncountable, countable the way in which words are used in a language
 - · current English usage
- It's not a word in common usage .
- 2. uncountable the fact of sth being used; how much sth is used
 - land usage
 - Car usage is predicted to increase.

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'customary practice'): from Old French, from us 'a use', from Latin usus, from uti 'to use'.

Example Bank:

- · Dictionaries show typical patterns of usage.
- Dictionary definitions tend to show stereotypical patterns of usage.
- Drug usage by teenagers has increased in recent years.
- That word is no longer in common usage.
- The term 'eco-tourism' entered common usage in the 1990s.
- The word has a slightly different meaning in popular usage.
- Usage of computers in schools is increasing.
- With normal usage, the equipment should last at least five years.
- · a book on current English usage
- · high energy usage
- · It's not a word in common usage.
- The dictionary focuses on the more usual words of the language and avoids rare usages of these words.

usage

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usage /'ju□s□d□ju□zŁBrE "AmE noun

[Word Family: noun: †usage, †use, †disuse, †misuse, †reuse, †usefulness \neq †uselessness, †user; adjective: †reusable, used \neq †unused, †disused, †useful \neq †useless, †useless, †useless, †usefully \neq †uselessly]

1. [uncountable and countable] the way that words are used in a language:

a book on modern English usage

2. [uncountable] the way in which something is used, or the amount of it that is used:

Water usage is increasing.

usage

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