

extravagant[ɪk'strævəɡənt] *a*

- расточительный
extravagant tastes and habits - вкусы и привычки требующие больших расходов
extravagant of time - тратающий время попусту
- сумасбродный, нелепый, экстравагантный (*об одежде, поведению*)
- 1) непомерный (*о требованиях и т. п.*)
to be extravagant in one's admiration of - неуместно восторгаться (*кем-л.*)
- 2) крайний (*о мнении, убеждениях*)
- арх.* скитающийся; блуждающий

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ex·trava·gant *BrE* [ɪk'strævəɡənt] ^ˈ *NAmE* [ɪk'strævəɡənt] ^ˈ **adjective**

- spending a lot more money or using a lot more of sth than you can afford or than is necessary
 - I felt very extravagant spending £100 on a dress.
 - She's got very extravagant tastes.
 - Residents were warned not to be **extravagant with** water, in view of the low rainfall this year.
- costing a lot more money than you can afford or is necessary
 - an extravagant present
- (*of ideas, speech or behaviour*) very extreme or impressive but not reasonable or practical

Syn: ↑exaggerated

- the **extravagant claims/promises** of politicians
- I was embarrassed by all the extravagant praise I was getting.
- He had the extravagant gestures and loud voice of an actor.

Derived Word ↑extravagantly**Word Origin:**late Middle English (in the sense 'unusual, unsuitable'): from medieval Latin **extravagant-** 'diverging greatly', from the verb **extravagari** from Latin **extra-** 'outside' + **vagari** 'wander'.**Thesaurus:****extravagant** [**extravagant** **extravagantly**] **adj.** (sometimes disapproving)

- He bought extravagant presents that he couldn't really afford

lavish • |disapproving **wasteful** •**Opp:** thriftythe extravagant/lavish/wasteful **use** of sthextravagant/wasteful **consumption**an extravagant/a lavish **present/gift/lifestyle****Example Bank:**

- I go to that restaurant for lunch if I'm feeling extravagant
- You mustn't be so extravagant with other people's money.
- He bought us all these extravagant presents he couldn't really afford
- I felt very extravagant spending £500 on a dress.
- She has very extravagant tastes.

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ex·trav·a·gant /ɪk'strævəɡənt/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **adjective**[**Date:** 1300-1400; **Language:** Medieval Latin; **Origin:** Latin vagans, present participle of vagari 'to wander about']

- spending or costing a lot of money, especially more than is necessary or more than you can afford:
 - Would it be too extravagant to buy both?
 - an extravagant lifestyle
- doing or using something too much or more than is necessary
extravagant with
 - Don't be too extravagant with the wine.
 - an extravagant display of loyalty
- if someone makes extravagant claims, promises etc, they make big claims or promises that are not true or real:
 - extravagant claims about the drug's effectiveness
- very impressive because of being very expensive, beautiful etc:
 - extravagant celebrations

—**extravagantly** *adverb*—**extravagance** *noun* [uncountable and countable]:

- the extravagance of the Royal Palace
- His only extravagance (=the only expensive thing he bought) was fine wine.

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