

curry

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1. ['kʌrɪ] *n*
 1. карри (*острая индийская приправа*)
 2. карри, блюдо, приправленное карри (*подаётся с рисом*)
chicken [egg] curry - карри из курицы [крутых яиц]
2. ['kʌrɪ] *v*
приправлять кушанья карри [*см. curry1* I]

II

- ['kʌrɪ] *v*
1. чистить (*коня*) щёткой со скребницей
 2. выдирать кожу
 3. бить, колотить; задать трёпку
- ◇ to curry favour with smb. - заискивать перед кем-л., подлизываться к кому-л.

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

curry [curry curries curried currying] *noun, verb* BrE ['kʌrɪ] ^m NAmE ['kʌrɪ] ^m

noun countable, uncountable

a S Asian dish of meat, vegetables, etc. cooked with hot spices, often served with rice

- a chicken curry
- Would you like some more curry?

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: from Tamil karɪ.

Idiom: ↑curry favour

verb (cur-ries, currying, curried, curried) ~ sth

to make ↑curry out of meat or vegetables

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	curry
	BrE / 'kʌrɪ/
	NAmE / 'kʌrɪ/
he / she / it	curries
	BrE / 'kʌrɪz/
	NAmE / 'kʌrɪz/
past simple, past participle	curried
	BrE / 'kʌrɪd/
	NAmE / 'kʌrɪd/
-ing form	currying
	BrE / 'kʌrɪɪŋ/
	NAmE / 'kʌrɪɪŋ/

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I. **curry**¹ /'kʌrɪ \$ 'kʌrɪ BrE ^m AmE ^m *noun* (plural **curries**) [uncountable and countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Tamil; Origin: kari]

a type of food from India, consisting of meat or vegetables in a spicy sauce:

chicken curry

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COLLOCATIONS

■ **ADJECTIVES/NOUN + curry**

- **hot** (=with a strong, burning taste that comes from strong spices) I love really hot curry.
- **medium** (=quite hot) She ordered a medium curry.
- **mild** (=not hot) Children often enjoy mild curry.
- **chicken/beef/vegetable etc curry** I think I'll have a chicken curry.
- **an Indian/Thai etc curry** (=made from Indian, Thai etc recipes)

■ **curry + NOUN**

- **curry powder** (=a mixture of spices for making curry)
- **curry sauce** (=a sauce for making curry, often in a jar)
- **a curry house** *British English* (=a restaurant that serves curry) Let's try that new curry house in town.

■ **verbs**

- **have curry** For dinner we had curry and rice.
- **go for a curry** (=go to a restaurant to eat a curry) How about going for a curry on Saturday night?

II. **curry**² BrE ^m AmE ^m *verb* (past tense and past participle **curried**, present participle **currying**, third person singular **curries**)

[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: corree 'to prepare, curry', from Vulgar Latin conredare;]

[Origin: favor from favel 'brown horse (as a sign of dishonesty)' (14-16 centuries), from Old French fauve]

curry favour (with somebody) to try to make someone like you or notice you in order to get something that you want – used to show disapproval:

" a businessman who made several attempts to curry favourwith politicians

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