

erase [i'reiz] *v*

1. 1) стирать, соскабливать, подчищать (*резинкой, ножом*)
- 2) вычёркивать; исключать
to erase a name from the list - вычеркнуть фамилию из списка
to erase from the agreement the following provisions - исключить из соглашения следующие положения
- 3) стирать запись с магнитной ленты
2. изглаживать, стирать, вычёркивать (*из памяти*)
memories that will not easily be erased - воспоминания, которые нелегко стереть из памяти
3. 1) стереть с лица земли
- 2) *сл.* убить; ликвидировать (*человека*)

erase [erase erases erased erasing] BrE [i'reiz] NAme [i'reis] verb

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

1. to remove sth completely
 - ~ **sth** She tried to **erase the memory** of that evening
 - ~ **sth from sth** All doubts were suddenly **erased from his mind** .
 - You cannot erase injustice from the world.
2. ~ **sth** to make a mark or sth you have written disappear, for example by rubbing it, especially in order to correct it
 - He had erased the wrong word.
 - All the phone numbers had been erased.
 - The tide had erased the footprints.
3. ~ **sth** to remove a recording from a tape or information from a computer's memory
 - Parts of the recording have been erased.
 - He had erased more than 5 000 files from the memory of his computer.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	erase
	BrE /i'reiz/
	NAme /i'reis/
he / she / it	erases
	BrE /i'reizɪz/
	NAme /i'reisɪz/
past simple, past participle	erased
	BrE /i'reizd/
	NAme /i'reist/
-ing form	erasing
	BrE /i'reizɪŋ/
	NAme /i'reisɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late 16th cent. (originally as a heraldic term meaning 'represent the head or limb of an animal with a jagged edge'): from Latin **eras-** 'scraped away', from the verb **eradere**, from **e-** (variant of **ex-**) 'out' + **radere** 'scrape'.

Example Bank:

- These people have been virtually erased from the history book.
- They are determined to erase the bad memories of last year's defeats.
- This event has been effectively erased from written records.
- All doubts were suddenly erased from his mind.

erase [ɪ'reɪz \$ i'reɪs] BrE AmE verb [transitive]

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[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: past participle of eradere, from radere 'to rub roughly, scrape']

1. to remove information from a computer memory or recorded sounds from a tape:
The computer crashed, and all our records were erased.
2. to remove writing from paper:
Some of the names had been accidentally erased.
3. to get rid of something so that it has gone completely and no longer exists:
Their dream is to erase poverty and injustice from the world.

erase something from your mind/memory

- He couldn't erase the image from his mind.
- She had tried to erase the memory of that day.

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