whatsoever Apresyan (En-Ru)

- 1. [ˌwɒtsəv'evə] книжн., эмоц.-усил. = whatever I и II
- 2. [ˌwɒtsəv'evə] книжн., эмоц.-усил. = whatever I и II

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what-ever [whatever] determiner, pronoun, adverb BrE [wpt'eve(n)] \*\* NAmE [wa□t□evjer NAmE [wa□t]evjer NAmE [wa□t□evjer NAmE [wa□t]evjer NamE [wa]evjer NamE [w

determiner, pronoun

- 1. any or every, anything or everything
- Take whateveraction is needed.
- · Do whatever you like.
- 2. used when you are saying that it does not matter what sb does or what happens, because the result will be the same
  - Whatever decision he made I would support it.
  - · You have our support, whatever you decide.
- 3. (especially BrE) used in questions to express surprise or confusion
  - Whateverdo you mean?
  - Chocolate-flavouredcarrots! Whatever next ?
- 4. (informal, ironic) used as a reply to tell sb that you do not care what happens or that you are not interested in what they are talking about
  - 'You should try a herbal remedy.' 'Yeah, whatever.'
- 5. (informal) used to say that you do not mind what you do, have, etc. and that anything is acceptable
- 'What would you like to do today?' 'Whatever.'

Idioms: for whatever • fwhatever you do

## adverb

- 1. (also what·so·ever) no, nothing, none, etc. ~ not at all; not of any kind
  - They received no help whatever.
- 'Is there any doubt about it?' 'None whatsoever.'
- 2. (informal) used to say that it does not matter what sb does, or what happens, because the result will be the same
- · We told him we'd back him whatever.

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[Date: 1200-1300, Origin: whatso 'whatever' (12-20 centuries) (from what so) + ever

used to emphasize a negative statement  ${\bf SYN}$  whatever :

He's had no luck whatsoever.

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