

heroin[ˈherəvɪn] *n*героин (*наркотик*)**heroin**

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

her·oin *BrE* [ˈherəvɪn] ^m *NAmE* [ˈheroʊɪn] ^m **noun uncountable**a powerful illegal drug made from ↑**morphine**, that some people take for pleasure and can become ↑**addicted** to

- a heroin addict

Word Origin:[**heroin**] late 19th cent.: from German **Heroin**, from Latin **heros** ‘**hero**’ (because of its effects on the user's self-esteem).Example Bank:

- a fatal heroin overdose

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