

**invert**

1. [ɪn'vert] **n**
  1. **архит.** обратный свод; обратная арка
  2. **психол.** человек с половыми извращениями; гомосексуалист
2. [ɪn'vert] **v**
  1. 1) перевёртывать; переворачивать; опрокидывать; ставить вверх дном, вверх ногами
  - 2) выворачивать  
to invert the soil - взрыхлять почву
  2. переставлять, менять порядок, положение или соотношение на обратные  
to invert the order of words in a sentence - изменить порядок слов в предложении  
to invert the relation of cause and effect - изменить соотношение причины и следствия на обратное
  3. **хим.** инвертировать; обращать

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**in·vert** [in'vert inverts inverted inverting] **BrE** [ɪn'vert] **t<sup>3</sup>** **NAmE** [ɪn'vert] **t<sup>3</sup>** **verb**

~ sth (formal)

to change the normal position of sth, especially by turning it upside down or by arranging it in the opposite order

- Place a plate over the cake tin and invert it.
- In questions, the subject and verb are often inverted
- The shape looked like an inverted V.

**Verb forms:** verb forms

present simple	
I / you / we /they	Invert
	BrE /ɪn'vert/
	NAmE /ɪn'ver:t/
he / she /it	Inverts
	BrE /ɪn'ver:ts/
	NAmE /ɪn'ver:ts/
past simple, past participle	Inverted
	BrE /ɪn'vertid/
	NAmE /ɪn'ver:tid/
-ing form	Inverting
	BrE /ɪn'ver:tiŋ/
	NAmE /ɪn'ver:tɪŋ/

**Word Origin:**mid 16th cent. (in the sense 'turn back to front'): from Latin **invertere**, literally '**turn inside out**', from **in-** 'into' + **vertere** 'to turn'.**invert**

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**inVert** /ɪn'vert/ **vt** **BrE** **AmE** **v** **verb** [transitive] **formal**[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: **invertere**, from **vertere** 'to turn']to put something in the opposite position to the one it was in before, especially by turning it upside down (=the bottom is on the top and the top is on the bottom) ⇒ **upside down****invert**

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