energy Apresyan (En-Ru)

['enədʒı] n

1. энергия; сила

a man of indomitable energy - человек неукротимой энергии

to work with energy - работать энергично

through their own energy and enterprise - благодаря собственной энергии и предприимчивости

2. р/ усилия, активность, деятельность

to apply /to devote/ one's energies - приложить усилия

to brace one's energies - собраться с духом

3. физ., тех. энергия

electrical energy - электроэнергия

potential [kinetic /motive/, static, latent] energy - потенциальная[кинетическая, статистическая, скрытая] энергия

4. тех. энергетика

### energy

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en·ergy AW [energy energies] BrE ['enədʒi] \* NAmE ['enərdʒi] \* noun

- 1. uncountable the ability to put effort and enthusiasm into an activity, work, etc
  - It's a waste of time and energy.
  - She's always full of energy .
  - nervous energy (= energy produced by feeling nervous)
- 2. energies plural the physical and mental effort that you use to do sth
  - She put all her energies into her work.
  - creative / destructive energies
- 3. uncountable a source of power, such as fuel, used for driving machines, providing heat, etc
  - solar/nuclear energy
  - It is important to conserve energy.
  - an energy crisis (= for example when fuel is not freely available)
  - The £500 million programme is centred around energy efficiency and renewable power sources.
- 4. uncountable (physics) the ability of matter or fradiation to work because of its mass, movement, electric charge, etc
- kinetic/potential, etc. energy

### Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (denoting force or vigour of expression): from French énergie, or via late Latin from Greek energeia, from en- 'in, within' + ergon 'work'.

# Thesaurus:

# energy noun

**1.** U

· She's always full of energy.

vitality · · dynamism · · life · · fire · · spark · · gusto · · zest · |BrE vigour · |AmE vigor ·

do sth with energy/vitality/dynamism/gusto/zest/vigour

have energy/vitality/dynamism/spark/zest/vigour

lack energy/vitality/dynamism/spark/vigour

be full of energy/vitality/dynamism/life/fire/zest/vigour

**2.** U

The plant provides a fifth of the nation's energy.

power •

electrical/nuclear/atomic/solar/wind/tidal energy/power

generate /produce/provide/supply/use/harness energy/power

an energy/a power supply

a **source** of energy/power

**Energy or power? Energy** is the source of power: the fuel, the light and heat from the sun or a nuclear reaction, etc. **Power** is energy that has been collected and used to produce electricity, etc. The **energy supply** is all the power that has not yet been used up; the **power supply** is the continuous flow of power to where it is being used

- The world's energy supply is heading for crisis.
- · interruptions in the power supply

# Collocations:

## The environment

Environmental damage

cause/contribute to climate change/global warming

produce pollution/CO2/greenhouse (gas) emissions

damage /destroy the environment/a marine ecosystem/the ozone layer/coral reefs

degrade ecosystems / habitats/the environment

harm the environment/wildlife/marine life

threaten natural habitats/coastal ecosystems /a species with extinction

deplete natural resources/the ozone layer

pollute rivers and lakes/waterways/the air/the atmosphere/the environment/oceans

contaminate groundwater/the soil/food/crops

log forests/rainforests/trees

Protecting the environment

address/combat/tackle the threat/effects/impact of climate change

fight/take action on/reduce/stop global warming

limit/curb/control air/water/atmospheric/environmental pollution

cut/reduce pollution/greenhouse gas emissions

offset carbon/CO2 emissions

reduce (the size of) your carbon footprint

achieve/promote sustainable development

preserve/conserve biodiversity/natural resources

protect endangered species/a coastal ecosystem

prevent/stop soil erosion/overfishing/massive deforestation/damage to ecosystems

raise awareness of environmental issues

save the planet/the rainforests/an endangered species

Energy and resources

conserve/save/consume/waste energy

manage /exploit/be rich in natural resources

dump/dispose of hazardous/toxic/nuclear waste

dispose of/throw away litter/(especially BrE) rubbish/(especially NAmE) garbage/(NAmE) trash/sewage

use/be made from recycled/recyclable/biodegradable material

recycle bottles/packaging/paper/plastic/waste

promote/encourage recycling/sustainable development the use of renewable energy

develop/invest in/promote renewable energy

reduce your dependence/reliance on fossil fuels

get/obtain/generate/produce electricity from wind, solar and wave power/renewable sources

build/develop a (50-megawatt/offshore) wind farm

install/be fitted with/be powered by solar panels

## Example Bank:

- Football gives them an outlet for their energy.
- · He neverseems to lack energy.
- · I admire her boundless energy.
- I don't have the time or energy to argue with you.
- I don't seem to have any energy these days.
- I will put all my energies into improving the situation.
- · It was late and my energy was beginning to flag.
- It's a waste of energy cutting this grass— nobody's going to see it.
- My energy levels are still low.
- No battery could store enough energy to turn over a car's engine.
- Prisoners are encouraged to channel their energy into exercise.
- · She always works with energy and enthusiasm.
- She eventually summoned up the energy to cook dinner.
- · Sugar provides an energy boost.
- The children are always full of energy.
- The cost of solar power needs to fall before it makes an impact on the energy market.
- The country could face an energy crisis if demand continues to rise.
- The demand for energy and fuel is expected to increase dramatically.
- The hills sapped his energy and he got off his bike for frequent rests.
- The kids were running around crazily, working off their surplus energy.
- The new power station produces vast amounts of energy.
- The nuclear plant provides a fifth of the nation's energy supplies.
- The volunteers' energy was dissipated by the enormous amounts of paperwork involved in the project.
- There is a lack of creative energy in the industry.
- · We don't want to waste our energy trying to persuade people who are just not interested.
- We must invest our time and energy in the development of our craft.
- We're trying to deal with young offenders by channelling their energy into sport rather than crime.
- With a sudden burst of energy, he ran to the top of the hill.
- You can judge how healthy you are by the amount of energy you have.
- You could feel the energy coming back to you from the audience.
- · a government-sponsoredrenewable energy project
- · attempts to harness solar energy
- energy-saving features that can reduce energy bills by 50%
- · equipment that offers long-term energy savings
- state control of the energy industries
- the change from fossil fuels to renewable energy
- total energy requirements for the coming year
- It's a waste of time and energy.
- Provide a means of channelling your child's creative energies.
- She's always full of energy.
- kinetic/potential energy

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[Word Family: adjective: †energetic, †energizing; verb. †energize; noun: †energy; adverb. †energetically]

[Date: 1500-1600, Language: Late Latin, Origin: energia, from Greek energeia 'activity', from ergon 'work]

- 1. [uncountable] power that is used to provideheat, operate machines etc:
  - The water is heated using energy from the sun.
  - The problem with nuclear energy is dealing with the waste.
- 2. [uncountable] the physical and mental strength that makes you able to do things:
  - Where do those kids get their energy from?
  - Are you suffering from a lack of energy?
  - The city is full of <u>creative energy</u>.
  - I really <u>put</u> a lot of <u>energy</u> <u>into</u> what I do.
  - He wants to <u>conserve</u> his <u>energy</u> for next week's game (=use as little energy as possible now, so that you have more energy to use later).
- 3. [uncountable] a special power that some people believe exists in their bodies and in some buildings:

There was a lot of energy in the room this morning – did you feel it?

- **4.** [uncountable] *technical* in physics, the ability that something has to work or move: kinetic energy
- 5. sb's energies the effort and interest that you use to do things

### apply/devote/channel your energies into/to something

She's devoting all her energies to the wedding plans.

# **COLLOCATIONS** (for Meaning 1)

#### verbs

energy

- generate /produce energy a power plant that generates energy from household waste
- **supply/provide energy** The wind farm will provide enough energy for 100,000 homes.
- store energy Batteries store the energy from the solar panels.
- use energy Washing machines use a lot of energy.
- conserve energy (=not waste any energy) An efficient boiler will conserve energy and save you money.

# ■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + energy

- solar energy The water pump is powered by solar energy.
- nuclear/atomic energy a report on the cost of nuclear energy
- wind/wave energy The windmill uses wind energy to crush grain and pump water.
- renewable energy (=energy such as solar or wind energy that can be replaced naturally) Switching to sources of renewable energy will reduce carbon emissions.
  alternative energy (=energy from sources other than oil, coal, or nuclear energy) It is the first form of public transport to be
- powered by alternative energy.

   clean energy (=which does not cause pollution) Iceland possesses sufficient quantities of clean energy sources that it does
- clean energy (=which does not cause pollution) Iceland possesses sufficient quantities of clean energy sources that it does not need to rely on fossil fuels.

### energy + NOUN

- energy use 30% of all our energy use is in the home.
- energy efficiency This guide provides advice on ways of improving energy efficiency.
- energy consumption We all need to reduce our energy consumption.
- energy needs/requirements 65% of the country's energy needs are met by imported oil.
- energy production hydro-electricity and other methods of energy production
- energy resources The world's energy resources are being used up at an alarming rate.
- an energy shortage California experienced energy shortages that in turn led to power outages.
- an energy crisis Europe could soon face an energy crisis.
- energy supplies We must secure the country's future energy supplies.
- an energy company a state-owned energy company
- the energy industry regulation of the energy industry
- an energy bill We are looking at ways of cutting our energy bill.
- energy prices Energy prices are likely to rise significantly in the near future.

## phrases

- a source/form of energy Coal is more expensive than other sources of energy.
- the demand for energy The demand for energy in developing countries will continue to grow.

## **COLLOCATIONS** (for Meaning 2)

### verbs

- have energy He always has plenty of energy!
- put some energy into something Try to put more energy into your game.
- channel your energy into something (also devote your energy to something) (=use most of your energy doing something) She should channel more of her energy into her studies.
- conserve energy (=use as little energy as possible) The lions spend much of the day sleeping, conserving energy for the hunt.
- run out of energy (=have no more energy) The players seemed to be running out of energy.
- lack energy (=have no energy) She lacked the energy to continue.
- something takes/requires energy Climbing with a full backpack takes a lot of energy.
- your energy flags (=it becomes less and you become tired) After eight laps of the running track, my energy began to flag.

## phrases

- be full of energy/be bursting with energy (=have a lot of energy) I felt happy and full of energy. | The stage was bursting with energy.
- a lack of energy Common symptoms include a loss of appetite and a lack of energy.
- a burst of energy (=a short sudden increase in energy) He tried to summon up one final burst of energy, but his legs wouldn't respond.

## adjectives

- boundless energy (=that seems to have no limit) The children ran up and down the beach with boundless energy.
- youthful energy (=energy that young people naturally have) She is very talented and full of youthful energy.
- creative energy (=that makes you want to write, draw, paint etc) We have seen an explosion of creative energy from the band this year.
- nervous energy (=energy that comes from being nervous or excited) She seems to thrive on nervous energy.

## ■energy + NOUN

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• energy levels (=the amount of energy someone has) Regular exercise increases your energy levels.

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