- **1.** [twɪg] *n*
 - 1. 1) веточка, прут; лоза, хворостинка

willow twigs - ивовые прутики

- 2) сосудистое или нервное ответвление
- 2. *pl* розги
- 3. ивовый прут, помогающий отыскивать подпочвенные воды или металлы

to work the twig - искать подпочвенные воды (с помощью такого прута)

- \Diamond to hop the twig a) умирать; б) *уст.* удирать (*особ.* от кредиторов)
- 2. [twig] v pase.
 - 1. пороть, сечь
 - 2. 1) дёргать
 - 2) дёргаться
 - 3. понимать

he soon twigged their game - он скоро разгадал их намерение now I twig it - теперь до меня дошло

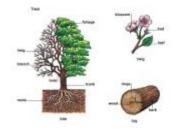
4. наблюдать, замечать

the hunter twigged an animal in front of him - охотник заметил впереди себя зверя

twig

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twig [twig twigs twigged twigging] noun, verb BrE [twig] ** NAmE [twig] **



a small very thin branch that grows out of a larger branch on a bush or tree

Word Origin:

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- v. mid 18th cent.

verb (-gg-) intransitive, transitive ~ (sth) | ~ what... | ~ (that)... (BrE, informal) to suddenly understand or realize sth

- Haven'tyou twigged yet?
- I finally twigged what he meant.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
1 / you / we /they	twig
	BrE /twig/
	NAmE /twog/
he / she /it	twigs
	BrE /twigz/
	NAmE /twigz/
past simple, past participle	twigged
	BrE /twigd/
	NAmE /twigd/
-ing form	twigging
	BrE /twigin/
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I. twig 1 /twig/ BrE * AmE " noun [countable]

[Language: Old English; Origin: twigge]

- a small very thin stem of wood that grows from a branch on a tree
- —twiggy adjective
- II. twig² BrE AmE verb (past tense and past participle twigged, present participle twigging) [intransitive and transitive] British English informal to suddenly realize something about a situation:
 - It took ages before he twigged.

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