sulk Apresyan (En-Ru)

1. [sʌlk] *n*

плохое настроение; хандра

to be in a sulk - хандрить, дуться

he had a case of the sulks - он впал в хандру

to have a fit of the sulks - быть в дурном настроении, дуться, хандрить

2. [s∧lk] \

дуться; быть сердитым, мрачным; хандрить

to sulk with smb. - дуться /сердиться/ на кого-л.

sulk

sulk [sulk sulks sulked sulking] verb, noun BrE [salk] NAmE [salk]

verb intransitive (disapproving)

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

to look angry and refuse to speak or smile because you want people to know that you are upset about sth

He went off to sulk in his room.

Verb forms:

| verb forms | |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| present simple | |
| I / you / we /they | suk |
| | BrE /salk/ |
| | NAmE /sxlk/ |
| he / she /it | suks |
| | BrE /sxlks/ |
| | NAmE /sxlks/ |
| past simple, past participle | suked |
| | BrE /salkt/ |
| | NAmE /salkt/ |
| -ing form | suking |
| | BrE /salktry/ |
| | NAmE /salkin/ |

Word Origin:

late 18th cent.: perhaps a back-formation from \(^\sulky\).

Example Bank:

- · He was still sulking about the break-up of his band.
- · She sulked all the way to the theatre.

noun (BrE also the sulks plural)

a period of not speaking and being bad-tempered because you are angry about sth

- Jo was in a sulk upstairs.
- · to have the sulks

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Example Bank:

• Ed's got the sulks again.

• Eu s got til

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I. sulk¹ /sʌlk/ BrE * AmE * verb [intransitive]

[Date: 1700-1800; Origin: sulky]

to be silently angry and refuse to be friendly or discuss what is annoying or upsetting you – used to show disapproval:

Nicola sulked all morning.

II. sulk² BrE AmE noun [countable]

a time when someone is sulking

in/into a sulk

- Mike could go into a sulk that would last for days.
- She's having a sulk.

the sulks

a fit of the sulks

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