subsist Apresyan (En-Ru)

- **1.** [səb'sıst] n (сокр. om subsistence) разг.
 - аванс (в счёт зарплаты)
- 2. [səb'sist] V
 - 1. жить, существовать; оставаться в живых
 - superstition still subsists there там до сих пор живы предрассудки a custom that still subsists обычай, который до сих пор существует
 - 2. жить, кормиться (чем-л.)

to subsist on vegetables - жить на овощах, питаться овощами

to subsist on other men's charity - жить за счёт чьей-л. благотворительности

to subsist by begging - жить попрошайничеством

- 3. редк. содержать, кормить
- 4. 1) считать нормальным; признавать
- 2) филос. быть логически понятным

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sub-sist[subsistsubsistssubsisted subsisting] BrE [səb'sɪst] NAmE

[səb'sɪst] verb

- 1. intransitive ~ (on sth) to manage to stay alive, especially with limited food or money
- Old people often subsist on very small incomes.
- 2. intransitive (formal) to exist; to be valid
 - · The terms of the contract subsist.

Verb forms: verb form

verb forms	
present simple	
1 / you / we /they	subsist
	BrE /sab 's1st/
	NAmE /sab 'sist/
he / she /it	subsists
	BrE /sab 's1sts/
	NAmE /sab 'sists/
past simple, past participle	subsisted
	BrE /səb 'sɪstɪd/
	NAmE /sab 'sistid/
-ing form	subsisting
	BrE /sab 'sistin/
	NAME /sab 'sistin/

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (in the sense 'continue to exist'): from Latin subsistere 'stand firm', from sub- 'from below' + sistere 'set, stand'.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

[Date: 1500-1600, Language: Latin; Origin: subsistere 'to come to a stop, remain, exist', from sistere 'to come to a stand']

- 1. to stay alive when you only have small amounts of food or money SYN survive
- subsist on
 - We had to subsist on bread and water.
 - Old people often have to subsist on very low incomes.
- 2. especially law to continue to exist SYN survive

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