

scythe

1. [saɪð] *n* *c.-x.*
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2. [saɪð] *v* *c.-x.*
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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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scythe [scythe scythes scythed scything] *noun, verb* *BrE* [saɪð] ^ˈ *NAmE* [saɪð]

noun

a tool with a long handle and a slightly curved blade, used for cutting long grass, etc.

Word Origin:

Old English *sīthe*, of Germanic origin; related to Dutch *zeis* and German *Sense*.

verb transitive, intransitive ~ (sth)

to cut grass, etc. with a ^ˈscythe

- the scent of newly scythed grass

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	scythe
	BrE /saɪð/
	NAmE /saɪð/
he / she / it	scythes
	BrE /saɪðz/
	NAmE /saɪðz/
past simple, past participle	scythed
	BrE /saɪðd/
	NAmE /saɪðd/
-ing form	scything
	BrE /saɪðɪŋ/
	NAmE /saɪðɪŋ/

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I. **scythe**¹ /saɪð/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun* [countable]

[Language: Old English; Origin: *sithe*]

a farming tool that has a long curved blade attached to a long wooden handle, and is used to cut grain or long grass

II. **scythe**² *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *verb*

1. [intransitive and transitive] to move through or destroy something quickly and violently:

Bullets scythed through the crowd.

2. [transitive] to cut with a scythe

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Freakuency Pack

12500 **9630**^{MCW}

15000 **12819**^{COCA}

RANGE: **9k** SCYTHE 334

scythe 228

scythed 17

scything 23

scythes 66

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

¹³⁰**54198**¹⁹² *nn1*

⁹**209849**¹⁵ *jj*

⁸**278328**⁹ *np1*

⁶**350360**⁶ *vv0*

⁶**350958**⁶ *vvi*