

**acumen**[ˈækjʊmən] *n*

1. проицательность, сообразительность; острота ума  
business acumen - деловая хватка
2. *бom.* заострённый кончик (*стебля, побега*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**acu·men** *BrE* [ˈækjəmən] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [ˈækjəmən] <sup>ˈ</sup> *BrE* [əˈkjuːmənt̩] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [əˈkjuːmənt̩] <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun uncountable*

the ability to understand and decide things quickly and well

- **business/commercial/financial acumen**

Word Origin:

[**acumen**] late 16th cent.: from Latin, sharpness, point, from *acuere* ‘sharpen’ from *acus* ‘needle’.

Example Bank:

- He had demonstrated considerable business acumen.
- She has great financial acumen.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[*Date:* 1500-1600; *Language:* Latin; *Origin:* ‘point’, from *acuere*; ⇔ ↑*acute*]

the ability to think quickly and make good judgments

**business/political/financial etc acumen**

- ˈ The firm’s success is largely due to Brannon’s commercial acumen.

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