

indebted[ɪnˈdeɪtɪd] *a*

1. (to) находящийся в долгу (у кого-л.), должный (кому-л.)
2. обязанный (кому-л.); признательный (кому-л.)
to be indebted to smb. for smth. - быть обязанным /признательным/ кому-л. за что-л

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in-debt-ed *BrE* [ɪnˈdeɪtɪd] ^ˌ *NAmE* [ɪnˈdeɪtɪd] ^ˌ **adjective**

1. ~ (to sb) (for sth) (formal) grateful to sb for helping you
 - I am **deeply indebted** to my family for all their help.
2. (of countries, governments, etc.) owing money to other countries or organizations
 - a list of the fifteen most **heavily indebted** nations

Derived Word ↑ **indebtedness**Word Origin:

[**indebted indebtedness**] Middle English endetted, from Old French **endette** 'involved in debt', past participle of **endetter**. The spelling change in the 16th cent. was due to association with medieval Latin **indebitare** (based on Latin **debitum** 'debt').

Example Bank:

- I did not want to be financially indebted to him.
- Thank you— I am forever indebted to you.
- The company is heavily indebted.
- highly indebted countries
- indebted to the bank

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in-debt-ed /ɪnˈdeɪtəd, ɪnˈdeɪtɪd/ *BrE* ^ˌ *AmE* ^ˌ **adjective**

1. **be (deeply/greatly) indebted to somebody** to be very grateful to someone for the help they have given you:

^ˌ We are deeply indebted to Dr Allen.

2. owing money to someone:

^ˌ the 17 most heavily indebted nations

—**indebtedness** *noun* [uncountable]**indebted**

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