

widget['wɪdʒɪt] *n* *амер. разг.*

- 1) штука, штукovina; нечто бесполезное; украшение (*на одежде*); несущественное приспособление (*на автомобиле*)
- 2) приманка для дураков; средство околпачивания
2. гипотетический пример

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

widget ['wɪdʒɪt] *BrE* ['wɪdʒɪt] *AmE* *noun*

1. (*informal*) used to refer to any small device that you do not know the name of
2. (*business*) a product that does not exist, used as an example of a typical product when making calculations
 - Company A produces two million widgets a year.
 - Calculate the profit per widget.
3. (*computing*) a small box on a web page that delivers changing information, such as news items or weather reports, while the rest of the page remains the same
 - widgets include search boxes, weather guides, pop-up windows and drop-down lists
 - The widget is a link to the latest news headlines.

Word Origin:

1930s (originally US): perhaps an alteration of †gadget.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

widget /'wɪdʒət, 'wɪdʒɪt/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable]

[Date: 1900-2000; Origin: gadget]

1. *spoken* a small piece of equipment that you do not know the name for
2. *informal* used to refer to an imaginary product that a company might produce:
 - Company A produces 6,000 widgets a month at a unit price of \$0.33.

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