

negate[ni'geɪt] *v*

1. отрицать существование *или* истинность (*чего-л.*); отвергать
to negate free-will - отрицать свободу воли
2. сводить на нет, опровергать
our actions often negate our principles - наши действия часто противоречат нашим принципам

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negate **AW** [negate negates negated negating] *BrE* [ni'geɪt] ^m *NAmE*[ni'geɪt] ^m *verb* (formal)

1. ~ **sth** to stop sth from having any effect

Syn: ↑nullify

• Alcohol negates the effects of the drug.

2. ~ **sth** to state that sth does not exist

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	negate
	<i>BrE</i> /ni'geɪt/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ni'geɪt/
he / she / it	negates
	<i>BrE</i> /ni'geɪts/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ni'geɪts/
past simple, past participle	negated
	<i>BrE</i> /ni'geɪtɪd/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ni'geɪtɪd/
-ing form	negating
	<i>BrE</i> /ni'geɪtɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> /ni'geɪtɪŋ/

Word Origin:early 17th cent.: from Latin **negat-** 'denied', from the verb **negare**.**negate**

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negate **AC** /ni'geɪt/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *verb* [transitive] *formal*[**Word Family:** **verb:** ↑negate; **noun:** ↑negation][**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** past participle of negare 'to say no', from neg- 'no, not']

1. to prevent something from having any effect:

Efforts to expand the tourist industry could be negated by reports that the sea is highly polluted.

2. to state that something does not exist or is untrue **SYN** deny

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