

tinge**1. [tɪndʒ] n****1. лёгкая окраска, оттенок тон**

- a yellowish tinge - желтоватый оттенок
- with a tinge of blue - с голубым оттенком
- to give smth. the necessary tinge - придать чему-л. нужный оттенок

2. примесь, налёт, след

- a tinge of archaism - налёт архаичности
- subjective tinge - субъективная нотка
- a tinge of irony [of sadness] - ироническая [грустная] нотка
- a tinge of lemon in the tea - привкус лимона в чае
- this gives her manners a charming tinge - это придаёт её манерам неповторимую прелесть
- his piety had a tinge of hypocrisy - в его набожности проглядывало лицемерие

2. [tɪndʒ] v**1. 1) слегка окрашивать, придавать оттенок**

- the setting sun tinged the sky with a rosy flush - заходящее солнце окрасило небо в нежные розовые тона
- the summit of the mountain was tinged with the red light of morning - на вершине горы лежал красный отсвет утренней зари

2) окрашиваться; меняться в цвете

- the solution tinges a kind of orange colour - раствор приобретает оранжевый оттенок

2. 1) придавать запах или привкус (чего-л.)

- the air was tinged with the smell of roses - в воздухе чувствовался аромат роз

2) примешивать; влиять, изменять

- songs tinged with melancholy - песни, в которых звучит грустная нотка
- memories tinged with sadness - воспоминания, окрашенные в грустные тона
- everything he said seemed to be tinged with irony - всё, что он говорил, звучало иронически
- his admiration was tinged with envy - к его восхищению примешивалось чувство зависти
- the influence of Plato tinges his work - в его работах чувствуется влияние Платона

tinge

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tinge [tinge tinges tinged tingeing tinging] verb, noun BrE [tɪndʒ] ^u NAmE

[tɪndʒ]

verb usually passive

1. ~ sth (with sth) to add a small amount of colour to sth

- white petals tinged with blue
- Pink tinged her pale cheeks.

2. ~ sth (with sth) to add a small amount of a particular emotion or quality to sth

- a look of surprise tinged with disapproval
- Sadness tinged his voice.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	tinge
	BrE /tɪndʒ/
	NAmE /tɪndʒ/
he / she / it	tinges
	BrE /tɪndʒɪz/
	NAmE /tɪndʒɪz/
past simple, past participle	tinged
	BrE /tɪndʒd/
	NAmE /tɪndʒd/
-ing form	tingeing
	BrE /tɪndʒɪŋ/
	NAmE /tɪndʒɪŋ/

Word Origin:late 15th cent.: from Latin **tingere** 'to dip or colour'. The noun dates from the mid 18th cent.Example Bank:

- The sky was tinged with crimson.

noun usually singular

a small amount of a colour, feeling or quality

- to feel a tinge of envy
- There was a faint pink tinge to the sky.

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shade • hue • tint • tinge

These words all describe the appearance of things, resulting from the way in which they reflect light.

colour/color • the appearance that things have, resulting from the way in which they reflect light. Red, green and blue are colours:

▪ What's your favourite colour? ◊▪ bright/dark/light colours

shade • a particular form of a colour, especially when describing how light or dark it is. Sky blue is a shade of blue.

hue • (*literary* or *technical*) a colour or a particular shade of a colour: ▪ His face took on an unhealthy, whitish hue.

tint • a shade or small amount of a particular colour; a faint colour covering a surface: ▪ leaves with red and gold autumn tints

tinge • a small amount of a colour: ▪ There was a pink tinge to the sky.

tint or tinge?

You can say: ▪ a reddish tint/tinge or: ▪ a tinge of red but not: a tint of red. **Tint** is often used in the plural, but **tinge** is almost always singular.

a **warm/rich** colour/shade/hue/tint

a **bright/vivid/vibrant/dark/deep** colour/shade/hue

a **pale/pastel/soft/subtle/delicate** colour/shade/hue

a **light/strong/neutral/natural** colour/shade

Example Bank:

- The sky had a slight pink tinge to it.
- a slight reddish tinge
- a tinge of regret
- blue with a slight tinge of purple
- He felt a tinge of sadness as the train began to pull away.

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I. **tinge**¹ /tɪndʒ/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun* [countable]

a very small amount of a colour, emotion, or quality

tinge of

▪ There was a tinge of sadness in her voice.

▪ This glass has a greenish tinge.

II. **tinge**² *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *verb* (present participle **tinging** or **tingeing**) [transitive]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: tingere 'to dip, make wet, tinge with color']

literary to give something a small amount of a particular colour, emotion, or quality

tinge something with something

▪ The light of the setting sun tinges the buildings with delicate colours.

▪ Pink tinged her cheeks.

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