

extricate

[ˈɛkstrikeɪt] *v*

1. выпутывать; высвобождать; выводить (*из затруднительного положения*)
 to extricate an animal from a net - высвободить животное из сетей
 to extricate a carriage from the mud - вытащить экипаж из грязи
 to extricate a friend from debt - выручить друга, запутавшегося в долгах
2. *refl* выпутываться, высвободиться
 to extricate oneself from difficulties - выпутаться из затруднительного положения
 he extricated himself from /out of/ a crisis - он выкарабкался из критического положения

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ex·tri·cate [extricate extricates extricated extricating] *BrE* [ˈɛkstrikeɪt]

NAmE [ˈɛkstrikeɪt] *verb* (formal)

1. ~ **sb/sth/yourself (from sth)** to escape or enable sb to escape from a difficult situation
 • He had managed to extricate himself from most of his official duties.
2. ~ **sb/sth/yourself (from sth)** to free sb/sth or yourself from a place where they/it or you are trapped
 • They managed to extricate the pilot from the tangled control panel.

Verb forms:

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present simple	
I / you / we / they	extricate
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪt/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪt/
he / she / it	extricates
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪts/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪts/
past simple, past participle	extricated
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪtɪd/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪtɪd/
-ing form	extricating
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪtɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈɛkstrikeɪtɪŋ/

Word Origin:

early 17th cent. (in the sense 'unravel, untangle'): from Latin *extricat-* 'unravelling', from the verb *extricare*, from *ex-* 'out' + *tricae* 'perplexities'.

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ex·tri·cate /ˈɛkstrikeɪt, ˈɛkstrikeɪt/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* [transitive]

[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: past participle of *extricare*, from *tricae* 'small difficulties']

1. to escape from a difficult or embarrassing situation, or to help someone escape
extricate yourself/somebody from something
 * How was he going to extricate himself from this situation?
2. to remove someone from a place in which they are trapped
extricate somebody/yourself from something
 * Firemen had to extricate the driver from the wreckage.

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