

submerge

[səb'mɜ:dʒ] *v*

1. 1) погрязать в воду; покрывать водой, затоплять
the flood submerged the town - наводнение затопило город
rocks were submerged at high tide - во время прилива скалы уходили под воду
- 2) погружаться в воду
- 3) наводнять, заваливать, засыпать
the factory is submerged with orders - фабрика завалена заказами
2. затмевать; отводить подчинённое место
personal lives submerged by professional responsibilities - личная жизнь, отодвинутая на второй план профессиональными обязанностями

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sub-merge [submerge submerges submerged submerging] *BrE* [səb'mɜ:dʒ]

NAme [səb'mɜ:rdʒ] *verb*

1. **intransitive, transitive** to go under the surface of water or liquid; to put sth or make sth go under the surface of water or liquid
 - The submarine had had time to submerge before the warship could approach.
 - ~ **sth** The fields had been submerged by floodwater.
2. **transitive** ~ **sth** to hide ideas, feelings, opinions, etc. completely
 - Doubts that had been submerged in her mind suddenly resurfaced.

Derived Words ↑submerged ▪ ↑submersion

Verb forms: verb forms

present simple	
I / you / we / they	submerge
	<i>BrE</i> /səb'mɜ:dʒ/
	<i>NAme</i> /səb'mɜ:rdʒ/
he / she / it	submerges
	<i>BrE</i> /səb'mɜ:dʒɪz/
	<i>NAme</i> /səb'mɜ:rdʒɪz/
past simple, past participle	submerged
-ing form	submerging
	<i>BrE</i> /səb'mɜ:dʒɪŋ/
	<i>NAme</i> /səb'mɜ:rdʒɪŋ/

Word Origin:

early 17th cent.: from Latin **submergere**, from **sub-** 'under' + **mergere** 'to dip'.

Example Bank:

- Hippopotamuses cool down by submerging themselves in water.
- The fields had been submerged by flood water.

Example Bank:

- The car was submerged under 20 feet of water.
- The machine can be totally submerged in water.
- barely submerged antagonism

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[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** submergere, from mergere; ⇨ ↑merge]

1.
 - a) **[transitive]** to cover something completely with water or another liquid:
The tunnel entrance was submerged by rising sea water.
 - b) **[intransitive]** to go under the surface of the water and be completely covered by it:
The submarine submerged.
 2. **[transitive]** to hide feelings, ideas, or opinions and make yourself stop thinking about them **SYN suppress**
Feelings she thought she'd submerged were surfacing again.
 3. **submerge yourself in something** to make yourself very busy doing something, especially in order to forget about something else:
Alice submerged herself in work to try and forget about Tom.
- submerged** *adjective*:
submerged rocks
- submergence** *noun* [uncountable]

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submersible 361
submersibles 98

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