swig

I

1. [swɪg] *n разг.*
   большой глоток (*спиртного*)
   to take a swig of whisky (at the bottle) - сделать большой глоток /глотнуть/ виски (из бутылки)

2. [swɪg] *v разг.*
   потягивать (*вино*)
   to swig off a glass - опрокинуть стаканчик

II

[swɪg] *n мор.*
   1. тали с лопарями, расходящимися под углом
   2. надёргивание (*троса*)

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▪ **I. swig** [swig swigs swigged swigging] *BrE* [swɪg]   *NAmE* [swɪg]   verb

(-gg-)**~ sth** (informal)
   to take a quick drink of sth, especially alcohol
   • They sat around swigging beer from bottles.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we /they	swig
	BrE /swɪg/
	NAmE /swɪg/
he / she /it	swigs
	BrE /swɪgz/
	NAmE /swɪgz/
past simple, past participle	swigged
	BrE /swɪgd/
	NAmE /swɪgd/
-ing form	swigging
	BrE /swɪgɪŋ/
	NAmE /swɪgɪŋ/

Word Origin:
mid 16th cent. (as a noun in the obsolete sense 'liquor'): of unknown origin.

Example Bank:
   • He sat next to me, swigging at a bottle of vodka.

Example Bank:
   • She had a quick swig of water and then set off again.
   • They exchanged a few words in between swigs from the bottle.

▪ **II. swig** noun
• She took a swig of wine.
   Main entry: ↑swig_derived

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swig /swɪg/ *BrE*   *AmE*   verb (*past tense and past participle* **swigged**, *present participle* **swigging**) [transitive]
   informal to drink something in large mouthfuls, especially from a bottle **SYN gulp**:
      He sat swigging beer and smoking.
   —swig *noun* [countable]:
      She took a long swig of Coke.
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   THESAURUS
      ▪ **sip** (*also* **take a sip**) to drink something very slowly
      ▪ **slurp** *informal* to drink something in a noisy way
      ▪ **gulp something down** (*also* **down something**) to drink all of something very quickly
      ▪ **knock something back** *informal* to drink all of an alcoholic drink very quickly
      ▪ **swig** (*also* **take/have a swig**) *informal* to drink something quickly with large mouthfuls, especially from a bottle
      ▪ **swallow** to make food or drink go down your throat and towards your stomach: She swallowed the bitter medicine instead of spitting it out.

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