

walrus['wɔ:lɹəs] *n*

1. *зоол.* морж (*Odobenus spp.*)
2. *разг.* длинные свисающие усы, усы как у моржа (*мж.* walrus moustache)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

wal·rus ['wɔ:lɹəs] *n* noun

an animal like a large **↑seal** (= a sea animal with thick fur, that eats fish and lives around coasts), that has two long outer teeth called **↑tusks** and lives in Arctic regions

Word Origin:

early 18th cent.: probably from Dutch **walrus**, perhaps by an inversion of elements (influenced by **walvis** 'whale fish') of Old Norse **hrosshvalr** 'horse whale'.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

wal·rus /'wɔ:lɹəs/ *n* noun [countable]

[Date: 1700-1800; Language: Dutch; Origin: perhaps from Old Norse hrosshvalr 'horse-whale']

a large sea animal with two long **↑tusks** (=things like teeth) coming down from the sides of its mouth ⇒ **seal**

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