

fry

I

[fraɪ] *n*

1. 1) мальки, молодь
salmon fry - лососёвые мальки
- 2) мелкая рыбёшка
2. **разг.** мелюзга; малыши
◇ small fry - а) **пренебр.** мелкота; мелкая сошка; б) дети, ребятня

II

1. [fraɪ] *n*

1. жареное мясо; жаркое
2. **амер.** пикник
fish fry - пикник, на котором жарят рыбу
3. **разг.** волнение, возбуждение
to be in a fry - волноваться, беспокоиться

2. [fraɪ] *v*

1. 1) жарить
to fry fish and chips - жарить рыбу с мелконарезанным картофелем
- 2) жариться
eggs were frying in the pan - на сковороде жарилась яичница
we shall fry if we stay long in the sun - если мы долго пробудем на солнце, то совсем изжаримся /сгорим/
2. **разг.**
 - 1) получать нагоняй
 - 2) давать нагоняй, мылить шею (кому-л.)
3. **амер. сл.**
 - 1) казнить на электрическом стуле
 - 2) умереть на электрическом стуле
◇ to have other fish to fry **см.** fish1 I ◇
to fry in one's own grease /fat/ - расплачиваться за свои поступки /за собственное безрассудство/

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fry [fry fries fried frying] **verb, noun** **BrE** [fraɪ] ^ˈ **NAme** [fraɪ] ^ˈ
verb (fries, fry-ing, fried, fried)



1. **transitive, intransitive ~ (sth)** to cook sth in hot fat or oil; to be cooked in hot fat or oil

- fried fish
- the smell of bacon frying

related noun ↑fry-up

see also ↑stir-fry

2. **intransitive (informal)** to be burnt by the sun

- You'll fry on the beach if you're not careful.

see have bigger/other fish to fry **at** ↑fish *n.*

Verb forms:

| verb forms | |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| present simple | |
| I / you / we /they | fry |
| | BrE /fraɪ/ |
| | NAme /fraɪ/ |
| he / she /it | fries |
| | BrE /fraɪz/ |
| | NAme /fraɪz/ |
| past simple, past participle | fried |
| | BrE /fraɪd/ |
| | NAme /fraɪd/ |
| -ing form | frying |
| | BrE /fraɪɪŋ/ |
| | NAme /fraɪɪŋ/ |

Word Origin:

v. and **n. sense 2** Middle English Old French **frire** Latin **frigere**

n. sense 1 Middle English Old Norse **frjó**

Collocations:

Cooking

Preparing

prepare a dish/a meal/a menu/dinner/the fish
weigh out 100g/4oz of sugar/the ingredients
wash/rinse the lettuce/spinach/watercress
chop/slice/dice the carrots/onions/potatoes
peel the carrots/onion/potatoes/garlic/orange
grate a carrot/the cheese/some nutmeg
remove /discard the bones/seeds/skin
blend/combine/mix (together) the flour and water/all the ingredients
beat/whisk the cream/eggs/egg whites
knead/shape/roll (out) the dough

Cooking

heat the oil in a frying pan
preheat /heat the oven/(BrE) the grill/(NAme) the broiler
bring to (BrE) the boil/(NAme) a boil
stir constantly/gently with a wooden spoon
reduce the heat
simmer gently for 20 minutes/until reduced by half
melt the butter/chocolate/cheese/sugar
brown the meat for 8-20 minutes
drain the pasta/the water from the pot/in a colander
mash the potatoes/banana/avocado

Ways of cooking

cook food/fish/meat/rice/pasta/a Persian dish
bake (a loaf of) bread/a cake/(especially NAme) cookies/(BrE) biscuits/a pie/potatoes/fish/scones/muffins
boil cabbage/potatoes/an egg/water
fry/deep-fry/stir-fry the chicken/vegetables
grill meat/steak/chicken/sausages/a hot dog
roast potatoes/peppers/meat/chicken/lamb
sauté garlic/mushrooms/onions/potatoes/vegetables
steam rice/vegetables/spinach/asparagus/dumplings
toast bread/nuts
microwave food/popcorn/(BrE) a ready meal

Serving

serve in a glass/on a bed of rice/with potatoes
arrange the slices on a plate/in a layer
carve the meat/lamb/chicken/turkey
dress/toss a salad
dress with/drizzle with olive oil/vinaigrette
top with a slice of lemon/a scoop of ice cream/whipped cream/syrup
garnish with a sprig of parsley/fresh basil leaves/lemon wedges/a slice of lime/a twist of orange
sprinkle with salt/sugar/herbs/parsley/freshly ground black pepper

Example Bank:

- Fry the vegetables gently in oil.
- Add the onion, garlic and ginger and stir- fry for 10 seconds.
- Heat the oil and deep-fry the carrot and cabbage.
- I woke up to the smell of bacon frying.
- fried fish/eggs

noun

1. plural very small young fish
see also ↑small fry
2. countable (usually fries plural) (especially NAme) = ↑French fry
• Would you like ketchup with your fries?

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Example Bank:

- He ordered a side of fries.
- Noah dipped his fries in the ketchup,
- two double cheeseburgers with medium fries

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1. French 'fry BrE " AmE " (also fry) noun (plural French fries) [countable usually plural]
especially American English

a long thin piece of potato that has been cooked in hot oil **SYN chip** *British English*
II. **fry**¹ **S3** /fraɪ/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* (past tense and past participle **fried**, present participle **frying**, third person singular **fries**)
[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: frire, from Latin frigare]

1. [intransitive and transitive] to cook something in hot fat or oil, or to be cooked in hot fat or oil:

" Fry the potatoes, covered, for about 20 minutes.

" I could smell onions frying. ⇒ ↑**deep fry**, ↑**stir-fry**¹

2. [intransitive and transitive] *American English informal* to kill someone in an ↑**electric chair**, or to be killed in an electric chair, as a punishment

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ways of cooking something

- **bake** to cook things such as bread or cakes in an oven: Tom baked a cake for my birthday.
- **roast** to cook meat or vegetables in an oven: Roast the potatoes for an hour.
- **fry** to cook food in hot oil: She was frying some mushrooms.
- **stir-fry** to fry small pieces of food while moving them around continuously: stir-fried tofu and bean sprouts
- **sauté** /'səʊteɪ \$ sou'teɪ/ to fry vegetables for a short time in a small amount of butter or oil: Sauté the potatoes in butter.
- **grill** to cook food over or under strong heat: grilled fish
- **broil** *American English* to cook food under heat: broiled fish
- **boil** to cook something in very hot water: He doesn't even know how to boil an egg. | English people seem to love boiled vegetables.
- **steam** to cook vegetables over hot water: Steam the rice for 15 minutes.
- **poach** to cook food, especially fish or eggs, slowly in hot water: poached salmon
- **toast** to cook the outside surfaces of bread: toasted muffins
- **barbecue** to cook food on a metal frame over a fire outdoors: I thought we could barbecue some mackerel.
- **microwave** to cook food in a microwave oven: The beans can be microwaved.

III. **fry**² *BrE* *AmE* (also **french fry**) *noun* (plural **fries**) [countable usually plural] *especially American English*
a long thin piece of potato that has been cooked in fat **SYN chip** *British English*

IV. **fry**³ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [plural]

very young fish

⇒ ↑**small fry**

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Freakuency Pack

12500 **1273**^{MCW}

15000 **2552**^{COCA}

RANGE: **3k FRY** 12182

fry 2421

fries 2569

fried 5033

frying 1871

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fryers 30

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

638 **22671**⁸⁹⁰ *vv0*

373 **25763**⁷²¹ *np1*

408 **33625**⁴⁵⁶ *vvi*

278 **38843**³⁵⁴ *nn*