

**plastic**

1. ['plæstɪk] *n*

- 1. *часто pl* пластик, пластмасса  
foam plastic - пенопласт  
laminated plastic - слоистый пластик  
vinyl plastic - винилит, виниловый пластик  
the plastics industry - промышленность по производству пластических масс

2. (the plastic) пластика

- 3. *фин. жарг.* кредитная карточка, банковская карточка

2. ['plæstɪk] *a*

- 1. 1) **пластичный, поддающийся лепке, формовке**  
plastic clay - пластичная /горшечная/ глина, суглинок  
plastic material /substance/ - пластичный материал [см. тж. 1, 3])
- 2) **попслушный, податливый**  
plastic nature - податливая натура  
plastic mind - гибкий /восприимчивый/ ум
- 3) *мех.* **пластичный, пластический**  
plastic material - пластмасса [см. тж. 1, 1])  
plastic flow /deformation/ - пластическая деформация
- 4) **придающий форму, формообразующий**  
plastic forces in nature - силы природы, постоянно изменяющие лицо планеты
- 2. **лепной, скульптурный**  
plastic images - скульптурные изображения /портреты/
- 3. **пластический**  
plastic art(s) - искусство ваяния, пластическое искусство; скульптура  
a great plastic artist - великий ваятель  
plastic means - *иск.* пластические средства
- 4. *мед.* **пластический, восстановительный**  
plastic surgery - восстановительная /пластическая/ хирургия
- 5. **пластмассовый; сделанный из пластика; пластиковый**  
plastic tablecloth - полиэтиленовая скатерть  
plastic cup [bottle] - пластмассовая чашка [бутылка]
- 6. **синтетический, искусственный**  
plastic food - искусственные /синтетические/ пищевые продукты
- 7. **поддельный; деланный, неискренний; ненатуральный, неестественный**  
plastic living - жизнь, основанная на лжи

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**plastic** [plæstɪk] *noun, adjective* BrE ['plæstɪk] <sup>m</sup> NAmE ['plæstɪk] <sup>m</sup>

**noun**



- 1. **uncountable, countable, usually plural** a light strong material that is produced by chemical processes and can be formed into shapes when heated. There are many different types of **plastic**, used to make different objects and ↑fabrics
  - The pipes should be **made of plastic** .
  - a sheet of clear plastic
  - the plastic industry
- 2. **plastics uncountable** the science of making **plastics**
- 3. **uncountable (informal)** a way of talking about ↑credit cards
  - Do they take plastic?

Word Origin:

mid 17th cent. (in the sense 'characteristic of moulding'): from French **plastique** or Latin **plasticus**, from Greek **plastikos**, from **plassein** 'to mould' .

Example Bank:

- chairs made from plastic
- dashboards moulded in plastic

**adjective**

- 1. **made of plastic**
  - a plastic bag/cup/toy
- 2. *(of a material or substance)* easily formed into different shapes

**Syn:** †malleable

- Clay is a plastic substance.

3. (disapproving) that seems artificial; false; not real or sincere

**Syn:** †false

- TV game show hosts with their banal remarks and plastic smiles
- The flight attendants served up plastic food with little taste or texture.

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I. **plastic**<sup>1</sup> **S2 W2** /'plæstɪk/ *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun*

1. [**uncountable and countable**] a light strong material that is produced by a chemical process, and which can be made into different shapes when it is soft:

- children's toys made of plastic
- the plastics industry

2. [**uncountable**] *informal* small plastic cards that are used to pay for things instead of money **SYN credit cards**:

- 'I haven't got any cash.' 'Don't worry, I'll stick it on the plastic (=pay for it using a credit card).'
- Do they take plastic? (=can you pay using a credit card?)

II. **plastic**<sup>2</sup> *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *adjective*

[**Date:** 1500-1600; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** *plasticus* 'of shaping', from Greek *plastikos*, from *plassein* 'to shape, form, plaster']

1. made of plastic:

- a plastic spoon
- plastic bags

2. *technical* a plastic substance can be formed into many different shapes and keeps the shape it is formed into until someone changes it

3. something that is plastic looks or tastes artificial or not natural:

- plastic food
- I hate that plastic smile of hers.

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