

tank

I

1. [tæŋk] *n*

1. водоём; резервуар
rowing tank - *спорт.* бассейн для гребли
2. цистерна, бак, чан
water tank - бак для воды
petrol tank, *амер.* gas(oline) /storage/ tank - бензобак
auxiliary /service/ tank - запасной бак
tank capacity - ёмкость бака
3. *фото* бачок для проявления (*мж.* developing tank)
4. (атомный) реактор (*мж.* reactor tank)
5. отсек
watertight tank - водонепроницаемый отсек
water ballast tank - балластный отсек
to blow the tanks - освободить (балластные) отсеки
6. *мор.* опытный бассейн (*мж.* experimental, model или trial tank)
7. *элк.* колебательный контур
8. *информ., вчт.* накопитель
information tank - накопитель информации

2. [tæŋk] *v*

1. наливать в бак
2. 1) сохранять в баке
2) обрабатывать в баке

II

1. [tæŋk] *n воен.*

- танк
- light [medium, heavy] tank - лёгкий [средний, тяжёлый] танк
amphibious tank - танк-амфибия
accompanying /close support/ tank - танк сопровождения /поддержки/
breakthrough tank - танк прорыва
tank attack [trap, defile] - танковая атака [ловушка, -ый коридор]
tank barrier /obstacle/ [mine, ditch] - противотанковое препятствие [-ая мина, -ый ров]
tank crew [equipment] - экипаж [вооружение и оборудование] танка
tank country - местность, пригодная для использования танков; танкодоступная местность

2. [tæŋk] *v разг.*

- идти напролом; ≅ переть как танк

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tank [tank tanks tanked tanking] **noun, verb** *BrE* [tæŋk] ^o *NAmE* [tæŋk] ^o

noun

1. a large container for holding liquid or gas
 - a hot water tank
 - a fuel tank
 - a fish tank (= for keeping fish in)

see also ↑septic tank, ↑think tank
2. (also **tank-ful** *BrE* [tæŋkfʊl] ^o ; *NAmE* [tæŋkfʊl] ^o) the contents of a **tank** or the amount it will hold
 - We drove there and back on one tank of petrol.
3. a military vehicle covered with strong metal and armed with guns. It can travel over very rough ground using wheels that move inside metal belts.
4. (I **nd** **Ean** artificial pool, lake or ↑reservoir)

Word Origin:

early 17th cent.: perhaps from Gujarati **tānkū** or Marathi (a language spoken in the western I **ndia** state of Maharashtra) **tānke** **‘underground cistern’**, from Sanskrit **tadāga** **‘pond’**, probably influenced by Portuguese **tanguê** **‘pond’**, from Latin **stagnum**. The military vehicle took its name from the use of **tank** as a secret code word during manufacture in 1915.

Example Bank:

- Put a little fish food into the tank.
- Tanks rolled in to end the siege.
- The truck crashed into a wall and ruptured a fuel tank.
- a full tank of gasoline/gas
- a water storage tank
- the hot and cold water tanks
- Firefighters sometimes need to use air tanks and special breathing masks.
- Water from the boiler is pumped into the hot water tank.
- a fuel/petrol/fish tank

Derived ↑tank up

verb

1. **intransitive** (NAme) (of a company or a product) to fail completely
 - The company's shares tanked on Wall Street.
2. **transitive, intransitive ~ (sth)** (NAme, sport) to lose a game, especially deliberately
 - She was accused of tanking the match.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	tank
	BrE /tæŋk/
	NAme /tæŋk/
he / she / it	tanks
	BrE /tæŋks/
	NAme /tæŋks/
past simple, past participle	tanked
	BrE /tæŋkt/
	NAme /tæŋkt/
-ing form	tanking
	BrE /tæŋkɪŋ/
	NAme /tæŋkɪŋ/

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[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Portuguese; Origin: tanque 'pool']



1. a large container for storing liquid or gas:
 - " The **water tank** is leaking.
 - " Somehow the chemical got from a **storage tank** into water supplies.

fish/marine/breeding tank (=for keeping or breeding fish in)

" the plane's **fuel tank**

petrol tank *British English* **gas tank** *American English*

2. (also **tankful**) the amount of liquid or gas held in a tank:

" We set off next day on a full tank.

tank of

" a tankful of petrol

- 3.



a heavy military vehicle that has a large gun and runs on two metal belts fitted over its wheels

4. a large artificial pool for storing water
5. **in the tank** *American English informal* failing and losing money

be/go in the tank

" Sales can't keep going up, but that doesn't mean the industry is going in the tank.

⇒ ↑**think tank**, ↑**septic tank**, ↑**drunk tank**

II. **tank**² BrE " AmE " verb

1. [**intransitive**] to decrease quickly or be very unsuccessful:

Not long after the chairman resigned, shares in the company tanked.

2. [intransitive] *British English informal* to travel very fast in a car or vehicle

3. [intransitive] *informal* to fail badly and be very unsuccessful **SYN flop**:

His last film tanked in the States, but did well in the UK.

4. (also **tank it**) [transitive] to deliberately lose a sports game that you could have won

tank up *phrasal verb*

especially American English to put petrol in your car so that the tank is full **SYN fill up**

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