

scope[skəʊp] *n*1. пределы, рамки, границы (*возможностей, понимания, знаний и т. п.*)

the scope for investment - возможности для капиталовложений

the scope of smb.'s knowledge [of smb.'s interests] - широта чьих-л. знаний [чьих-л. интересов]

a mind of wide [of limited] scope - широкий [ограниченный] ум

to be beyond the scope of a small child's mind - быть непостижимым для ребёнка /для детского ума/

subjects which lie beyond smb.'s scope - вопросы, выходящие за пределы чьих-л. (по)знаний

we wonder at the scope of the Greek intellect - нас поражает широта кругозора древних греков

it is outside the scope of our authority - это не в нашей власти

that is beyond /outside/ my scope - я тут некомпетентен это не входит в мою компетенцию

within the scope of this volume - в рамках этого тома

2. пределы; масштаб, размах, сфера, поле (*деятельности*)

the scope of an inquiry - область исследования

the scope of (gun-)fire - *воен.* поле обстрела

the scope of smb.'s activities - поле /сфера/ чьей-л. деятельности

the scope of the convention - *юр.* сфера применения (данной) конвенции

the scope of a scientific work - масштаб /размах/ научной работы

an undertaking of wide scope - крупное предприятие

it lies within the scope of possible events - это вполне может произойти

to be with in the scope of a trade-union's activities - входить в компетенцию профсоюза

work within the scope of an amateur - работа, доступная и неспециалисту в этой области

to be excluded from the scope of work - не входить в план /не предусматриваться планом/ работы

to prevent any extension of the scope of the incident - локализовать происшествие

the scope of the negotiations - рамки (данных) переговоров

to be within the scope of the agreement - охватываться (данным) соглашением; входить в сферу действия соглашения

3. возможность, простор, свобода (*действий*)

to give smb. full /ample, abundant, wide/ scope (for smth.) - давать кому-л. полный простор (для какой-л. деятельности),

предоставить кому-л. широкие возможности (для чего-л.)

to have full /free/ scope to act /for one's activities/ - иметь полную свободу действий

to give full /free/ scope to one's imagination - давать полную волю своей фантазии открывать простор для фантазии

/воображения/

to leave no scope for imagination - не давать простора для воображения

to offer more /better/ scope for smth. /for doing smth./ - предоставлять больше возможностей для чего-л. /для выполнения чего-л./

he has no scope for his abilities - его способностям негде развернуться

to seek scope for one's energies - искать область применения своей энергии

his position affords him ample scope - его пост даёт ему полную свободу действий

4. *арх.*

1) конечная цель

2) замысел, основная идея (*автора, книги и т. п.*)5. *мор.* длина вытравленной (якорной) цепи

II

[skəʊp] *сокр.* от *microscope, telescope, periscope* и от названий других оптических приборов; *см. тж.* -scope**scope**

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scope *AW* [scope scopes] *noun, verb* *BrE* [skəʊp] [ⓘ] *NAmE* [skoup] [ⓘ]*noun uncountable*

1. the opportunity or ability to do or achieve sth

Syn: ↑potential

- ~ (for sth) There's still plenty of scope for improvement
- Her job offers very little scope for promotion.
- ~ (for sb) (to do sth) The extra money will give us the scope to improve our facilities.
- First try to do something that is **within your scope** .

2. the range of things that a subject, an organization, an activity, etc. deals with

- Our powers are limited **in scope** .
- This subject lies **beyond the scope of** our investigation.
- The police are broadening the scope of their investigation.
- These issues were **outside the scope** of the article.

3. **-scope** (in nouns) an instrument for looking through or watching sth with

- microscope
- telescope

Word Origin:*n.* senses 1 to 2 mid 16th cent. 'target for shooting at' Italian *scopo* 'aim' Greek *skopos* 'target' *skeptesthai* 'look out'*n.* sense 3 and *v.* early 17th cent. modern Latin *-scopium* Greek *skopein* 'look at'Thesaurus:

scope noun U

- Her job offers very little scope for creativity.

room • • margin •

scope/room/margin for sth

have scope/room for sth**give/allow sb** scope/room for sthExample Bank:

- The geographical scope of product markets has widened since the war.
- The scope of the exhibition is disappointingly narrow.
- The sheer scope of the project was impressive.
- The subject lies outside the scope of this book.
- The survey is too limited in (its) scope.
- There is limited scope for creativity in my job.
- These courses give students more scope for developing their own ideas.
- These criteria were used to determine the scope of the curriculum.
- These disputes fall within the scope of the local courts.
- This is a novel of epic scope and grand passions.
- the proper scope of the criminal law
- First try to do something that is within your scope.
- Her job offers very little scope for creativity.
- Our powers are limited in scope.
- There's still plenty of scope for improvement

Derived ↑scope something out

verb

1. ~ sth (informal) to look at or examine sth thoroughly

- His eyes scoped the room, trying to spot her in the crowd.

2. ~ sth (out) (especially NAmE) to examine sth carefully before you start work on it so that you know the size of the task

- The information helped us scope the project.
- They had already scoped out project needs and costs.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	scope
	BrE /skəʊp/
	NAmE /skoʊp/
he / she / it	scopes
	BrE /skəʊps/
	NAmE /skoʊps/
past simple, past participle	scoped
	BrE /skəʊpt/
	NAmE /skoʊpt/
-ing form	scoping
	BrE /skəʊpɪŋ/
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I. scope¹ **W3 AC** /skəʊp \$ skoʊp/ **BrE** ^m **AmE** ^e **noun**

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Italian; Origin: *scopo* 'purpose', from Greek *skopos*]

1. [uncountable] the range of things that a subject, activity, book etc deals with**scope of**

- the need to define the scope of the investigation
- measures to limit the scope of criminals' activities

beyond/outside/within the scope of something

- A full discussion of that issue is beyond the scope of this book.

widen/broaden/extend etc the scope of something

- Let us extend the scope of the study to examine more factors.

narrow/limit etc the scope of something

- The court's ruling narrowed the scope of the affirmative action program.

limited/wider etc in scope

- His efforts were too limited in scope to have much effect.

2. [uncountable] the opportunity to do or develop something**scope for**

- The scope for successful gardening increases dramatically with a greenhouse.

there is considerable/great/little etc scope for something

- There is considerable scope for further growth in the economy.

3. [singular] *informal* a particular set of activities and the people who are involved in them **SYN scene**
the music/cinema/club etc scope

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COLLOCATIONS

■ adjectives

- **broad** The new book has a broader scope.
- **limited/narrow** The scope of the research was quite limited.

■ verbs

- **widen/broaden the scope of something** The police are widening the scope of their investigation.
- **extend/expand the scope of something** They may extend the scope of the project.
- **narrow/limit the scope of something** He had severely limited the scope of his autobiography.
- **define the scope of something** (=say *exactly what the scope is*) The group's first task was to define the scope of the review.
- **come/fall within the scope of something** (=be *included in it*) Banks and building societies fall within the scope of the new legislation.
- **fall outside the scope of something** (=not be *included in it*) His later exploits in Persia fall outside the scope of this book.

■ phrases

- **be limited/restricted in scope** The law is quite limited in scope.
- **be national/international/global in scope** (=include a *whole country, several countries, or the whole world*) Some markets are local while others are national or international in scope.

II. **scope**² *BrE* ¹ *AmE* ¹ *verb*

scope somebody/something ↔ **out** *phrasal verb American English informal*

to look at something or someone to see what they are like:

¹ Let's go inside and scope out the menu.

scope

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