

involved[ɪnˈvɒlvd] *a*

сложный, запутанный

involved mechanism - сложный механизм

involved reasoning - туманная аргументация

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involved**in·volved** *AW BrE* [ɪnˈvɒlvd] *a* *NAmE* [ɪnˈvɑːlvd] *a* *adjective***1. not before noun** ~ (in sth) taking part in sth; being part of sth or connected with sth

- to **be/become/get involved** in politics
- We need to examine all the costs involved in the project first.
- We'll make our decision and contact the people involved
- Some people tried to stop the fight but I didn't want to get involved In this meaning, **involved** is often used after a noun.

Opp: ↑uninvolved**2. not usually before noun** giving a lot of time or attention to sb/sth

- ~ (with sth/sb) She was deeply involved with the local hospital.
- ~ (in sth/sb) I was so involved in my book I didn't hear you knock.
- He's a very involved father (= he spends a lot of time with his children).

Opp: ↑uninvolved**3. not usually before noun** having a close personal relationship with sb

- They're not romantically involved
- ~ with sb/sth You're too emotionally involved with the situation.

Opp: ↑uninvolved**4. complicated and difficult to understand****Syn:** ↑complex

- an involved plot

Thesaurus:**involved** [involved] *adj.* not usually before noun

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occupied • • **active** • • **busy** • |formal **engaged** •

involved occupied/busy with sth

involved occupied/active/engaged in sth

actively involved engaged in sth**Involved or occupied?** **Involved** usually suggests a personal or emotional connection; **occupied** suggests that sb has a lot to do.Example Bank:

- He wanted to be actively involved in school life.
- He was involved in a road accident.
- I never wanted to get emotionally involved with him.
- It all seems extremely involved and complicated.
- She became heavily involved in politics.
- She first became involved with the organization in 1998.
- Avoid long, involved debates which could be just delaying tactics.
- He's a very involved father.
- I was so involved in my book I didn't hear you knock.
- It's an involved process with hours of testing.
- Just how does this rather involved system work?

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in·volved *S2 W3* /ɪnˈvɒlvd/ \$ /ɪnˈvɑːlvd/ *BrE* *a* *AmE* *a* *adjective*

[Word Family: verb: ↑involve noun: ↑involvement adjective: ↑involved ≠ UNINVOLVED]

1. be/get involved to take part in an activity or event, or be connected with it in some way**be/get involved in**

- More than 30 software firms were involved in the project.
- I don't want to get involved in some lengthy argument about who is to blame.
- I'm afraid your son's been involved in an accident (=he is one of the people in an accident).

be/get involved with

- Landel has been involved with the Hercules project for years.

actively/deeply/heavily involved (=involved very much)

- Mrs. Cummings has been actively involved with the church for years.

2. work/effort etc involved in doing something the amount of work, effort etc that is needed in order to make something succeed:

- Most people don't realize the amount of effort involved in writing a novel.

3. be involved with somebody**a) to be having a romantic relationship with someone, especially a sexual one:**

- The senator denied that he was romantically involved with a member of his staff.

b) to spend time with someone that you have a relationship with:

- Fathers are encouraged to be more involved with their families.

4. having so many different parts that it is difficult to understand **SYN complicated** :

" The plot was so involved that very few people knew what was going on.

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THESAURUS

- **complicated** consisting of a lot of different parts or details and therefore difficult to understand: The rules of the game seemed very complicated. | I didn't realize programming the VCR would be so complicated. | The brain is like a very powerful, very complicated computer. | a complicated issue
- **complex** a complex process, relationship etc is difficult to understand because it has a lot of parts that are all connected in different ways: The chemical processes involved are extremely complex. | the complex relationship between government and the media
- **elaborate** having a lot of parts or details and very carefully planned, but often more complicated than is necessary: Mike had worked out an elaborate system for categorizing his collection of DVDs. | The plan to kidnap her had become even more elaborate. | Sociologists have been coming up with increasingly elaborate theories to explain unsafe sexual practices.
- **involved** very long and complicated – use this especially about something that you think should be made simpler: The system for choosing candidates is very involved, and I won't go into it here. | Adopting a child can be a long involved process.
- **convoluted** too complicated and difficult to understand – used especially about someone's language or arguments, or about a system: convoluted sentences | Procedures for government funding have become more convoluted. | James's books are full of long paragraphs and convoluted sentences, which many people do not find appealing.
- **intricate** having a lot of small parts or details – used especially about something that is cleverly designed or made: Lasers are used to cut intricate designs in the metal. | The farmers use an intricate system of drainage canals. | the intricate workings of a watch | intricate patterns of coloured marble

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