

**hungry**1. ['hʌŋɡrɪ] *n* (the hungry) *pl* *собир.*

голодные

2. ['hʌŋɡrɪ] *a*

1) голодный, проголодавшийся, чувствующий голод

hungry stomach - голодный /пустой/ желудок

to get /grow/ hungry - проголодаться

I'm good and hungry - я здорово проголодался

I am not hungry - я не голоден

I am not hungry for breakfast - я не хочу завтракать

2) голодный, голодающий

hungry children - голодные дети

hungry look - голодный взгляд

the Hungry Forties - *уст.* голодные сороковые годы (XIX века в Англии)

to go about hungry - ходить голодным

we went /remained/ hungry that day - в тот день мы остались голодными

2. бесплодный, неплодородный

hungry soil - бесплодная почва

3. (for) жаждущий, сильно желающий (чего-л.)

hungry for knowledge - жаждущий знаний

hungry for home - истосковавшийся по дому

hungry for money - жадный до денег

4. *редк.*

1) скудный (о пище)

2) вызывающий голод

hungry work - работа, после которой очень хочется есть

5. *редк.* аппетитный

◇ as hungry as a hunter - ≅ голодный как волк

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**hun·gry** ['hʌŋɡrɪ] *adj.* *BrE* ['hʌŋɡrɪ] *AmE* ['hʌŋɡrɪ]**adjective** (hun·grier, hun·gri·est)

1. feeling that you want to eat sth

• I'm really hungry.

• She wasn't feeling very hungry.

• Is anyone getting hungry?

• All this talk of food is making me hungry.

• I have a hungry family to feed.

2. not having enough food to eat

• Thousands are **going hungry** because of the failure of this year's harvest.3. **the hungry** *noun plural* people who do not have enough food to eat4. **only before noun** causing you to feel that you want to eat sth

• All this gardening is hungry work.

5. ~ (for sth) having or showing a strong desire for sth

• Both parties are hungry for power.

• power-hungry

• The child is simply hungry for affection.

• His eyes had a wild hungry look in them.

Derived Word ↑**hungrily**Word Origin:Old English hungrig, of West Germanic origin; related to Dutch **hongerig**, German **hungrig**, also to ↑**hunger**.Thesaurus:**hungry** *adj.*

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**starving** • • **ravenous** •

hungry/starving for sth

hungry/starving children/people

Example Bank:

• We were all ravenously hungry after the walk.

• the number of children who have to go hungry

• His eyes had a wild, hungry look in them.

• I'm really hungry.

• There were eight hungry mouths to feed at home.

• They've compiled a list of the ten most power-hungry companies in the country.

• Thousands are going hungry because of the failure of this year's harvest

• We like to use small agencies that are hungry for our business.

**hungry****hun**ɡrɪ S2 /'hʌŋɡrɪ BrE ˈ AmE ˈ adjective (comparative **hungrier**, superlative **hungriest**)

[Word Family: noun: †hunger; adverb: †hungrily; adjective: †hungry]

- wanting to eat something ⇒ **thirsty**.  
 " I was cold, tired, and hungry.  
 " If you get hungry, there's some cold chicken in the fridge.  
 " Do you still feel hungry?
- ill or weak as a result of not having enough to eat for a long time:  
 " We can't justify wasting food when half the world is hungry.
- go hungry** to not have enough to eat:  
 Thousands of families go hungry every day.
- wanting or needing something very much **SYN eager**  
**hungry for**  
 " She is hungry for success.  
**hungry to do something**  
 " Stan was hungry to learn.
- the hungry** [plural] people who do not have enough food to eat
- power-hungry/news-hungry etc** wanting power, news etc very much:  
 " a power-hungry politician  
 . . .

**THESAURUS**■ **wanting to eat**

- **hungry** wanting to eat something: We were really hungry after our long walk. | It's hard work cooking for a bunch of hungry kids.
- **peckish** [not before noun] *British English informal* a little hungry: I'm feeling a bit peckish. What's in the fridge?
- **starving/ravenous** /'rævənəs/ (also **starved** *American English*) [not before noun] *spoken* very hungry and wanting to eat as soon as possible: I missed lunch and I'm absolutely starving. | Sam's always ravenous when he gets home from school.
- **famished** very hungry. **Famished** is less common and sounds a little more formal than **starving** or **ravenous**: Everyone was famished by the time they arrived.
- **I could eat a horse!** *spoken* used to say that you are very hungry: 'Are you hungry?' 'Yeah, I could eat a horse.'
- **appetite** the desire for food that you have when you are hungry: Exercise usually gives me an appetite. | It's healthy to have a good appetite.

■ **ill because of lack of food**

- **hungry** ill or weak because of not having enough to eat: terrible pictures of hungry children in Africa
- **starving** not having had enough food for a long time and likely to die soon without food: Because of the drought, millions of people were starving. | the starving refugees from the war
- **malnourished** *formal* unhealthy and thin because you have not had the right kinds of food over a long period of time: According to the report, one-fifth of the world's population are malnourished. | malnourished infants

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