

ingredient[ɪnˈɡriːdiənt] *n*

составная часть, компонент, элемент, ингредиент
 the ingredients of a medicine - состав лекарства
 an ingredient of a character - черта характера

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ingredient [ingredient ingredients] *BrE* [ɪnˈɡriːdiənt] *AmE* [ɪnˈɡriːdiənt]

noun ~ (of/in/for sth)

- one of the things from which sth is made, especially one of the foods that are used together to make a particular dish
 - Coconut is a basic ingredient for many curries.
 - Mix all the ingredients in a bowl.
 - Our skin cream contains only natural ingredients.
 - The only active ingredient in this medicine is aspirin.
- one of the things or qualities that are necessary to make sth successful
 - the essential ingredients for success
 - I **has all the ingredients** of a good mystery story.

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Latin **ingredient-** ‘entering’, from the verb **ingredi**, from **in-** ‘into’ + **gradi** ‘walk’.

Example Bank:

- All food products carry a list of ingredients.
- All food products should carry a list of ingredients on the packet.
- Blend all the ingredients together in a bowl.
- Forecasting is a basic ingredient of business planning.
- Hard work is a vital ingredient for success.
- I only use natural ingredients.
- Individualism has been the secret ingredient in developing his chain of fashion stores.
- I always pay to use the best ingredients when cooking.
- Mix the marinade ingredients and pour over the goose.
- Pour all of the ingredients into a blender.
- She hopes the change of career will supply the missing ingredient in her life— excitement.
- The Australian team had the added ingredient of perseverance.
- The little town has all the right ingredients for a murder mystery.
- The two drugs contain the same active ingredients.
- Tolerance is an essential ingredient for a happy marriage.
- Use a spoon to mix the dry ingredients.
- a style which incorporated ingredients from the music of many different countries
- salicylic acid, the active ingredient in aspirin
- the chemical composition of the individual ingredients
- the principal ingredient of smog
- Coconut is a basic ingredient in many curries.
- Determination is one of the essential ingredients for success.
- The magic/secret ingredient is love.

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ingredient /ɪnˈɡriːdiənt/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: present participle of ingredi, from gradi ‘to go’]

- one of the foods that you use to make a particular food or dish:
 - Combine all the ingredients in a large bowl.
 - The food is home-cooked using fresh ingredients.
- a quality you need to achieve something:
 - John has all the ingredients of a great player.
 - Investment in new product development is an essential ingredient of corporate success.
- active ingredient** the substance in a product such as a medicine that causes the product’s intended result:
 - Acetic acid is the chief active ingredient in vinegar.

COLLOCATIONS■ **adjectives**

- fresh** All the ingredients we use are fresh, and bought locally.
- natural** We use only natural ingredients in our products.
- artificial** Nowadays much of what we eat contains artificial ingredients.
- the main ingredient** The main ingredient of the sauce is tomatoes.
- a basic ingredient** (=an important ingredient) This mixture of spices is a basic ingredient of the curry sauce.
- the remaining ingredients** (=the ingredients that are added later when you are preparing a dish) Add all of the remaining ingredients and mix well.

■ **verbs**

- use ingredients** Many recipes in this book use Chinese ingredients.

- **combine the ingredients** (=mix them together) Combine all the ingredients to form a smooth dough.
- **add ingredients** Add the other ingredients and stir thoroughly.
- **stir in/mix in ingredients** (=add them by stirring or mixing) Heat the sauce gently, then stir in the remaining ingredients.

■ **phrases**

- **a list of ingredients** You should check the list of ingredients on fruit juice cartons.

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