

click

I

1. [kɪk] *n*
 1. щёлканье (*затвора, щеколды*)
 2. *фон.* щёлкающий звук (*в некоторых южноафриканских языках*)
 3. *тех.* собачка, защёлка; трещотка
 4. *св.* щелчок (*в телефонной трубке*)
click method - настройка по щелчку
2. [kɪk] *v*
 1. щёлкать (*о задвижке, задвижкой и т. п.*)
the door clicked shut - дверь защёлкнулась
to click one's tongue - прищёлкнуть языком
to click one's heels (together) - щёлкнуть каблуками
 2. *разг.*
 - 1) пользоваться успехом
a movie that clicks with young people - фильм, нравящийся молодёжи
the writer clicked with his first story - первый же рассказ принёс этому писателю известность
 - 2) нравиться (*особ. представителям другого пола*)
they clicked with each other as soon as they met - они понравились друг другу с первого взгляда
 3. ладить (*с кем-л.*)
your nephew and I did not click - мы с вашим племянником не ладили
 4. *разг.* (вдруг) оказаться уместным, попасть в точку
her joke suddenly clicked (with us) and we all laughed - её шутка наконец дошла до нас, и мы все засмеялись
 5. 1) выпадать на долю, доставаться
 - 2) *воен.* быть убитым
 6. *прост.* понести, забеременеть

II

- [kɪk] *n*
1. = creak I
 2. дёрганье крючком

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- [kɪk] *n* *амер. проф. жарг.*
километр

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

click [click clicks clicked clicking] *verb, noun* *BrE* [kɪk] ^m *NAme* [kɪk] ^m

verb

1. **intransitive, transitive** to make or cause sth to make a short sharp sound
 - (+ **adv./prep.**) The cameras clicked away.
 - The bolt clicked into place.
 - + **adj.** The door **clicked shut**.
 - ~ **sth** He **clicked his fingers** at the waiter.
 - Polly **clicked her tongue** in annoyance.
 - The corporal clicked his heels.
 - The police officer clicked a pair of handcuffs around his wrists.
2. **transitive, intransitive** to choose a particular function or item on a computer screen, etc, by pressing one of the buttons on a mouse or ↑touch pad
 - ~ **sth** Click the OK button to start.
 - ~ **(on sth)** I clicked on the link to the next page of the website.
 - To run a window, just double-click on the icon.
 - Click here to add your opinion to the survey.

see also ↑double-click
3. **intransitive** (*informal*) to suddenly become clear or understood
 - Suddenly **it clicked** — we'd been talking about different people.
 - It all **clicked into place**.
 - Pieces of the puzzle suddenly clicked together.
4. **intransitive** (*informal*) to become friends with sb at once; to become popular with sb
 - We met at a party and clicked immediately.
 - ~ **with sb** He's never really clicked with his students.
5. **intransitive** (*informal*) to work well together
 - The team don't seem to have clicked yet.
 - We have clicked well together recently.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	click
	BrE /kɪk/
	NAmE /kɪk/
he / she / it	clicks
	BrE /kɪks/
	NAmE /kɪks/
past simple, past participle	clicked
	BrE /kɪkt/
	NAmE /kɪkt/
-ing form	clicking
	BrE /kɪkɪŋ/
	NAmE /kɪkɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late 16th cent. (as a verb): imitative.

Derived ↑click through

noun

1. a short sharp sound

- The door closed with a click.

2. the act of pressing the button on a computer mouse or ↑touch pad

3. (phonetics) a speech sound made by pressing the tongue against the top of the mouth or the part of the mouth behind the upper front teeth, then releasing it quickly, causing air to be sucked in. **Clicks** are found especially in southern African languages

- click languages

4. = ↑klick

Word Origin:

late 16th cent. (as a verb): imitative.

Example Bank:

- She heard the click of shoes on the marble floor.
- The answering machine gave a sharp click.
- a double click on the filename

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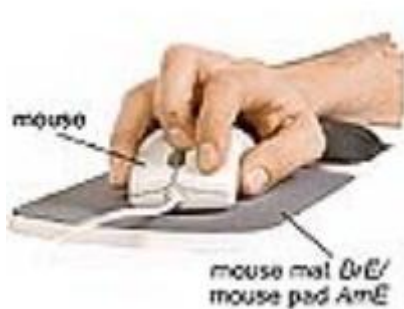
Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. **click**¹ S3 /kɪk/ BrE " AmE " verb

1. [intransitive and transitive] to make a short hard sound, or make something produce this sound:

- The door clicked shut behind me.
- Mother clicked her tongue (=made a short sound to show disapproval) and sighed.
- Edmund clicked his fingers (=made a short sound to get someone's attention) for John to follow him.
- Vogel clicked his heels (=hit the heels of his shoes together) and bowed.
- Twist the lever and the gears click into place.

2.



[intransitive and transitive] to press a button on a computer ↑mouse to choose something from the screen that you want the computer to do, or to press a button on a ↑remote control:

- Choose the image you want by clicking twice.

click on

- Children can click on a sentence to hear it read aloud.

3. [intransitive] *informal* to suddenly understand or realize something:

- It's hard work, but one day it will just click.
- I thought, 'What is he doing?' and then suddenly it all clicked into place (=I understood how all the events related to each other).

4. [intransitive] *informal* if two people click, they like, understand, and agree with each other:

- They clicked straight away.

5. [intransitive] *informal* to happen in a good or successful way, especially because people are working together well:

- If everything clicks, we should have a good season.

COLLOCATIONS

■ click + NOUN

- **click your fingers** (=make a short sound with your fingers to get someone's attention) She clicks her fingers and he comes running.
- **click your tongue** (=make a short sound with your tongue to show disapproval) She clicked her tongue in annoyance.
- **click your heels** (=hit the heels of your shoes together, as a soldier does) He clicked his heels and saluted.

■ phrases

- **click into place/position** Make sure the lid clicks firmly into place.
- **click open/shut** (=open with a short hard sound) I heard the gate at the front of the house click open.

II. **click**² *BrE* ¹ *AmE* ¹ noun [countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: From the sound]

1. a short hard sound:

▪ The door closed with a click.

2. **the click of a mouse** used to show how quickly something can be done on a computer:

▪ Your photos can be viewed with the click of a mouse.

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COLLOCATIONS

■ verbs

- **hear a click** She heard a click, and then the line went dead.
- **make/produce a click** He made a click of disapproval.
- **go click** Soon there were photographers all around him going click, click, click.
- **shut/close with a click** The front door shut with a click.

■ adjectives

- **a sharp click** (=loud and quick) There was a sharp click, and the panel opened like a tiny door.
- **a loud click** I heard the loud click of heels on the stone floor.
- **a faint/soft click** (=not loud) There was only a faint click from the gun's trigger mechanism.
- **a metallic click** (=like something made of metal) She strapped herself in with a metallic click of the belt.
- **a little click** The neon sign made little clicks as it changed colour.

■ phrases

- **a series/succession of clicks** (=several clicks one after another) A series of loud clicks came from the car's engine.
- **the click of a latch/door/lock etc** The click of the latch told me Michele was back.

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RANGE: **3k** CLICK 12120

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clicking 1697

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clickers 55

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

1872 **8693**³⁷⁴² *vv0*

1512 **13104**²⁰⁹¹ *nn1*

770 **22689**⁸⁸⁹ *vvi*

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