

isolate1. ['aɪsəleɪt] *a*

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2. ['aɪsəleɪt] *v*

1. изолировать, отделять; обособлять

to isolate from the whole world - изолировать/отрезать/ от всего мира

to isolate a patient - изолировать больного, подвергнуть больного карантину

2. *хум.* выделять3. *эл.* изолировать**isolate**

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isol-ate *AW* [isolate isolates isolated isolating] *BrE* ['aɪsəleɪt] *NAmE*['aɪsəleɪt] *verb*

- to separate sb/sth physically or socially from other people or things
 - ~ **sb/yourself/sth** Patients with the disease should be isolated.
 - ~ **sb/yourself/sth from sb/sth** He was immediately isolated from the other prisoners.
 - This decision will isolate the country from the rest of Europe.
- ~ **sth (from sth)** (*formal*) to separate a part of a situation, problem, idea, etc. so that you can see what it is and deal with it separately
 - It is possible to isolate a number of factors that contributed to her downfall.
- ~ **sth (from sth)** (*technical*) to separate a single substance, cell, etc. from others so that you can study it
 - Researchers are still trying to isolate the gene that causes this abnormality.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	isolate
	BrE / 'aɪsəleɪt/
	NAmE / 'aɪsəleɪt/
he / she / it	isolates
	BrE / 'aɪsəleɪts/
	NAmE / 'aɪsəleɪts/
past simple, past participle	isolated
	BrE / 'aɪsəleɪtɪd/
	NAmE / 'aɪsəleɪtɪd/
-ing form	isolating
	BrE / 'aɪsəleɪtɪŋ/
	NAmE / 'aɪsəleɪtɪŋ/

Word Origin:

early 19th cent. (as a verb): back-formation from ↑ **solated**.

Thesaurus:

isolate *verb T, often passive*

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cut sb/sth off • **quarantine** • *formal* **segregate** •isolate/cut off/segregate sb/sth **from** sb/sth elseisolate **yourself** /cut **yourself** offisolate/quarantine/segregate a **patient****community** is isolated/cut off/segregated**isolate**

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isolate *AC* /'aɪsəleɪt/ *BrE* *AmE* *verb* [transitive][Word Family: **noun**: ↑ **solation**, ↑ **solationism**, ↑ **solationist**; **adjective**: ↑ **solated**, ↑ **solationist**; **verb**: ↑ **solate**]

[Date: 1800-1900; Origin: isolated]

1. to separate one person, group, or thing from other people or things:

▪ The town was isolated by the floods.

▪ The US has sought to isolate Cuba both economically and politically.

isolate somebody from somebody

▪ Presley's phenomenal early success isolated him from his friends.

isolate somebody from something

▪ New born babies must be isolated from possible contamination.

2. if you isolate an idea, problem etc, you consider it separately from other things that are connected with it

isolate something from something

▪ It is impossible to isolate political responsibility from moral responsibility.

3. *technical* to separate a substance, disease etc from other substances so that it can be studied**isolate something from something**

▪ The hepatitis B virus has been isolated from breast milk.

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