

1. [heɪst] *n*

1. поспешность, торопливость; спешка

in haste - поспешно; второпях, наспех; наскоро, на скорую руку [*ср. тж.* 2]

to be in haste - спешить, торопиться

to be in no haste to do smth. - не спешить сделать что-л.; медлить с чем-л.

to do smth. in haste - сделать что-л. в спешке /наспех/

to run off in (great) haste - быстро удрать, поспешно исчезнуть

make haste! - торопись!, поторапливайся!, скорее!

he made haste to help her - он поспешил ей на помощь

bring the doctor in haste - срочно позовите врача

the matter requires haste - дело не терпит отлагательства

2. опрометчивость

in haste - опрометчиво [*ср. тж.* 1]

to act in haste - действовать опрометчиво

◇ (the) more haste, (the) less speed - *посл.* ≅ тише едешь - дальше будешь

to make more haste than good speed, fool's haste is no speed, haste makes waste - *посл.* ≅ поспешишь - людей насмешишь

2. [heɪst] *редк.* = *hasten* 1

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haste [haste hastes hasted hastening] *BrE* [heɪst] ^ˈ *NAmE* [heɪst] ^ˈ *noun*

uncountable (formal)

speed in doing sth, especially because you do not have enough time

Syn: ↑hurry

- In her haste to complete the work on time, she made a number of mistakes.
- The letter had clearly been written **in haste**.
- After his first wife died, he married again with almost indecent haste.
- Why all the haste?
- (old-fashioned) She **made haste** to open the door.

more at marry in haste (, repent at leisure) **at** ↑marry

Idiom: ↑more haste, less speed

Word Origin:

Middle English: from Old French *haste* (noun), *haster* (verb), of Germanic origin.

Example Bank:

- He married again with almost indecent haste.
- I had to make haste if I wasn't to be late.
- In his haste to get home, he forgot to go to the library.
- She worked with frantic haste.
- The ships were ordered to sea with all haste.
- They approached without haste.
- They obviously left in great haste.
- In her haste to finish on time she made a number of mistakes.
- The letter had clearly been written in haste.

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haste /heɪst/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun* [uncountable]

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1. great speed in doing something, especially because you do not have enough time **SYN** hurry:

ˈ I soon regretted my haste.

in your haste to do something

ˈ In his haste to leave, he forgot his briefcase.

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In everyday English, people usually say **hurry** rather than **haste**:

▪ In my hurry, I left my coat behind.

2. **in haste** *written* or *formal* quickly or in a hurry:

ˈ They left in haste, without even saying goodbye.

3. **make haste** *old use* to hurry or do something quickly

4. **more haste less speed** *British English*, **haste makes waste** *American English* used to say that it is better to do something slowly, because if you do it too quickly you will make mistakes

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