

**lime**

I

**1. [laɪm] n**

1. **известь**  
burnt /quick, unslaked/ lime - негашёная известь  
slaked /drowned, dead/ lime - гашёная известь  
lime application - **с.-х.** известкование (почвы)  
lime slaking /hydration/ - гашение извести

2. **поэт.** = birdlime

**2. [laɪm] v**

1. 1) скреплять известью
- 2) белить известью
2. удобрять известью
3. 1) смазывать птичьим клеем (ветки деревьев) для приманивания птиц, ловить птиц
- 2) поймать, приманить (жениха и т. п.)
4. **кож.** золить

II

**[laɪm] n = lime tree**

lime bast - липовая кора, луб; лыко

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**[laɪm] n**

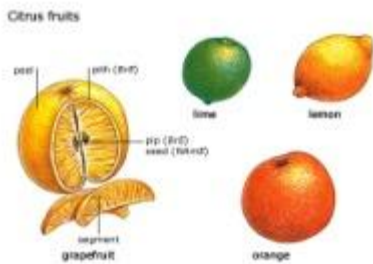
- 1) **бот.** лайм настоящий (*Citrus aurantifolia*)
- 2) плод лайма  
lime juice - сок лайма, лаймовый сок

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**lime** [lime limes limed liming] **noun, verb** BrE [laɪm] <sup>ˈ</sup> NAmE [laɪm] <sup>ˈ</sup>

**noun**



1. (also **quick·lime**) **uncountable** a white substance obtained by heating ↑limestone, used in building materials and to help plants grow
2. **countable, uncountable** a small green fruit, like a lemon, with a lot of sour juice, used in cooking and in drinks; the juice of this fruit
  - lime juice
  - slices of lime
3. (also **'lime tree**) **countable** a tree on which **limes** grow
4. (also **'lime tree, 'linden tree, linden**) **countable** a large tree with light green heart-shaped leaves and yellow flowers
  - an avenue of limes
5. **uncountable** = ↑lime green

Word Origin:

**n. sense 1** and **v.** Old English līm Germanic Dutch lijm German Leim ↑loam  
**n. senses 2 to 3** mid 17th cent. French Provençal limo Spanish lima Arabic līma ↑lemon  
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Example Bank:

- Serve the dish garnished with wedges of lime.

**verb ~ sth**

to add the substance ↑lime to soil, especially in order to control the acid in it

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	lime
	BrE /laɪm/
	NAmE /laɪm/
he / she / it	limes
	BrE /laɪmz/
	NAmE /laɪmz/
past simple, past participle	limed
	BrE /laɪmd/
	NAmE /laɪmd/
-ing form	liming
	BrE /laɪmɪŋ/
	NAmE /laɪmɪŋ/

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See also: ↑*lime tree* ▪ ↑*linden* ▪ ↑*quicklime*

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[**Sense 1,4**: **Date**: 1600-1700; **Language**: French; **Origin**: Provençal *limo*, from Arabic *lim*]

[**Sense 2**: **Language**: Old English; **Origin**: *lind*]

[**Sense 3**: **Language**: Old English; **Origin**: *lim*]



- 1. [countable] a small juicy green fruit with a sour taste, or the tree this grows on
- 2. [countable] a tree with pleasant-smelling yellow flowers **SYN** *linden*
- 3. [uncountable] a white substance obtained by burning ↑*limestone*, used for making cement, marking sports fields etc **SYN** **quicklime**
- 4. [uncountable] a light yellowish green colour

II. **lime**<sup>2</sup> *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *verb* [transitive]

*technical* to add lime to soil to control acid

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