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1. [reɪndʒ] *n*1. 1) ряд, линия (*зданий и т. п.*); цепь, вереницаrange work - *стр.* рядовая кладка

a range of mountains - горная цепь

a long range of arches and bridges - длинная вереница арок и мостов

a fine range of cliffs - величественная гряда утёсов

2) серия, ряд

the whole range of events - целая цепь /весь ход/ событий

3) *редк.* строй, шеренга (*людей, животных*)

2. линия; направление

the tree is in range with the house - дерево стоит на одной линии с домом

the range of the strata is east and west - пласты простираются на восток и запад

3. сфера, зона; область, круг; поле, арена

range of use - область применения

range of influence - сфера влияния

range of activity - размах деятельности

the range of a science - предмет /области/ какой-л. науки

a vast range of knowledge - огромный круг знаний

a wide range of interests - разнообразные интересы; широкий круг интересов

Latin is out of my range - латынь - это не по моей части

the thorniest question in the whole range of politics - самый острый вопрос всей политической жизни

his reading is of very wide range - он начитан во многих областях

a piece that is not within my range - (музыкальная) пьеса, выходящая за пределы моих возможностей

a task well within his range - задача ему по плечу

4. 1) пределы (*особ. колебаний, изменений*)2) *эк.* изменение, колебание, движение (*курсов, цен*)

price range - движение /колебание/ цен /курсов/

a wide range of prices - широкие пределы колебаний цен

3) размах

4) *физ.* размах колебаний

the range of a voice [of a musical instrument] - диапазон голоса [музыкального инструмента]

mean range of the tide - *гидр.* средняя амплитуда приливов и отливов

5. 1) протяжение, пространства; пределы

the estate has a wide range - пределы имения обширны

a wide range of meadows - ширь лугов

2) *спец.* радиус действия; предел применения; досягаемость

visual range - а) дальность видимости; б) частотный диапазон видимого излучения, оптический диапазон

aural range - а) дальность слышимости; б) частотный диапазон слышимых звуков; в) зона слышимости

range of operation - дальность действия

range of vision - кругозор, поле зрения, обзор

3) *спец.* диапазонfrequency range - *радио* диапазон частот, частотный диапазонspeed ranges - диапазон скорости (*машины*)range of contrast - *фото, тлв.* диапазон контрастности4) *спец.* чувствительность (*дозиметра и т. п.*)5) *спец.* мощность (*телескопа и т. п.*)6) *мат.* область значений функций

6. 1) дальность; расстояние, дистанция

range mark - ориентир

range estimation - *воен.* определение расстояния на глазrange of visibility - дальность видимости [*ср. тж.* 5, 2)]

at close range - а) на небольшом расстоянии; близко; б) в упор

at long range - на большом расстоянии; далеко; издали

to find /to take/ a range - определять расстояние (*на местности*); определять дальностьto be within effective range - *воен.* находиться в пределах дальности действительного огня (*артиллерии и т. п.*)2) *радио* дальность передачи3) *воен.* дальноточность, дальность (действия; *тж.* range capacity, range capability)

combat /operational/ [intercontinental, long, medium, intermediate, short] range - боевая [межконтинентальная большая,

средняя, промежуточная, малая] дальность

assigning range - пристрелочная дистанция

striking range - досягаемость

within [beyond] striking range - в пределах [вне пределов] досягаемости /возможности нанесения удара/

4) *воен.* прицелrange angle - *воен.* угол прицеливания (*при бомбометании*)range setting - *воен.* установка прицела

to lengthen [to shorten, to correct] the range - удлинить [сократить, изменить] прицел

7. переход с места на место; блуждание (*часто перен.*)

free range - полный простор, полная свобода
to give a free range to one's fancy - дать полную волю (своей) фантазии
he has free range of the house - дом в полном его распоряжении

8. 1) открытая местность, степь

2) охотничье угодье

3) **с.-х.** неогороженное пастбище

9. ассортимент, сортамент, номенклатура

range of commodities /of items/ - ассортимент/номенклатура/ (товаров)

range of colours - гамма цветов

range of patterns - коллекция образцов товаров

a large range of motor-cars for sale - в продаже большой выбор автомобилей

a narrow range of choice - ограниченный выбор; \cong не из чего выбирать

full range of sizes - \cong имеются все размеры

10. **геол.** горный кряж, горная система

the Appalachian range - Аппалачские горы

11. **спец.** шкала

aperture range - **фото** шкала диафрагм

tonal range - **полигр.** градационная шкала; диапазон тональности

range of temperature - температурная шкала

12. **биол.**

1) ареал, район обитания (**животного**); область распространения (**растения**)

2) период существования на Земле (**растения, животного**)

13. **редк.** класс, слой (**общества**)

14. **физ.** длина пробега, пробег (**частиц**)

final [linear, mean] range - конечный [линейный, средний] пробег

15. **спец.**

1) степень

reduction range - **полигр.**, **фото** величина уменьшения

range of magnification - **полигр.**, **фото** величина увеличения

2) класс, разряд

16. **спорт.** направление атаки (**в боксе**)

17. **мор.** ряд портов, порты

Hamburg-Antwerp range - порты между Гамбургом и Антверпеном

Atlantic Range - порты атлантического побережья США

18. **мор.** створ

19. **воен.** полигон, стрельбище (**тж.** range area); тир

test range - испытательный полигон

range practice - стрельбы, огневая подготовка

range dummy - учебный патрон

20. **воен.** относ (**бомбы**)

21. **амер. геод.** меридианный ряд населённых пунктов

22. **амер.** двусторонний стеллаж (**в библиотеке**)

2. [reɪndʒ] *v*

1. 1) выстраивать в ряд; ставить, располагать в порядке

to range soldiers - построить солдат

to range books on a shelf according to size - расставить книги на полке по формату

2) **обыкн. refl** выстраиваться, строиться в ряд(ы); становиться, располагаться в порядке

they ranged themselves along the curb - они выстроились вдоль тротуара

2. 1) (along) простираться, тянуться вдоль (**чего-л.**)

houses that range along the railway - дома, которые тянутся вдоль железной дороги

the mountains range north and south - горы простираются на север и на юг

2) (with) идти параллельно (**чему-л.**)

the line of cliffs ranges very closely with the river - гряда утёсов идёт почти параллельно реке

3. 1) (with) стоять на одной линии (**с чем-л.**)

our house ranges with the next building - наш дом стоит на одной линии с соседним зданием

books that range well with one another - книги, подходящие по формату, книги, которые удобно поставить вместе

2) (with, among) быть на одном уровне, стоять наравне; относиться к числу (**кого-л., чего-л.**)

he ranges with /among/ the great writers - он стоит в одном ряду с великими писателями; он относится к числу великих писателей

4. 1) (**обыкн. pass**) занимать определённую позицию

to be ranged against smb., smth. - быть против кого-л., чего-л., занимать отрицательную позицию по отношению к кому-л., чему-л.

to be ranged with /on the side of/ smb., smth. - быть на стороне кого-л., чего-л.; стоять за кого-л., что-л.

they were ranged against us - они выступили /сплотились/ против нас

they were ranged among the rebels - они примкнули к стану мятежников

2) **refl** (with, against) стать на чью-л. сторону

to range oneself on the side of law and order - встать на защиту закона и порядка

to range oneself against smb. - сплотиться против кого-л.

they ranged themselves around him - они сплотились вокруг него

3) **редк.** вовлекать (**в группу**), привлекать (**на чью-л. сторону**)

5. (from, between) колебаться в определённых пределах

prices ranged between 2 and 10 shillings - цены колебались между 2 и 10 шиллингами

the children ranged in age from two to five years - возраст детей колебался между двумя и пятью годами

reactions to the news range from hostility to cautious optimism - на это сообщение реагируют по-разному: одни враждебно, другие высказывают осторожный оптимизм

6. (обыкн. over, through)

1) **поэт.** бродить, блуждать; странствовать; исколесить

to range forests [hills] - бродить по лесам [по горам]

to range the seas - бороздить моря

to range through the woods in search of game - рыскать по лесу в поисках дичи

to range the whole world - объездить весь свет; шататься по белу свету

2) бродить (о мыслях); блуждать (о взгляде)

to range far and wide (in a speech) - отвлекаться от темы, уходить в сторону (в речи)

to range one's eyes round smth. - окинуть взглядом что-л.

his eyes ranged over the audience - его взгляд блуждал по аудитории

his thoughts ranged over past, present and future - мысленно он обращался к прошлому, настоящему и будущему

his fancy ranged over many subjects - в мечтах он переносился с одного на другое

3) охватывать (о мысли и т. п.)

researches ranging over a wide field - изыскания, охватывающие широкую сферу

his studies range over many languages - предметом его изучения являются многие языки

7. классифицировать; систематизировать; распределять по категориям; относить к классу, разряду

to range plants [animals] according to genus and species - классифицировать растения [животных] по роду и виду

to range smth. in a class - отнести что-л. к какому-л. классу

to range into classes - распределить по классам, классифицировать

8. **книжн.** убирать, приводить в порядок

to range golden hair - причёсывать золотые волосы

9. наводить, нацеливать

to range a gun on a particular object - навести орудие на определённый объект

to range down - **воен.** уменьшать прицел

to range up - **воен.** увеличивать прицел

10. 1) **мор.**, **воен.** (over) передвигаться, перемещаться

2) **воен.** двигаться впереди, в первом эшелоне (**обыкн.** range ahead)

3) **мор.** проходить, обгонять (**обыкн.** range by)

11. **редк.** проявлять непостоянство (**чувств.**)

12. **биол.** водиться, встречаться (в каком-л. ареале или в какую-л. эпоху)

13. **с.-х.** выпасать скот на неогороженном пастбище

14. **полигр.** выравнивать (строку)

15. (along, about) **мор.** идти параллельно (берегу); проходить мимо, вдоль

to range (along) the coast - идти вдоль побережья

16. **мор.** отпускать канат якоря

17. **воен.**

1) определять расстояние до цели

2) пристреливать цель по дальности; пристреливаться (**мж.** range in)

◇ to range oneself - **разг.** остепениться (с женой)

II

[reɪndʒ] *n*

1. кухонная плита (**мж.** kitchen range)

gas range - газовая плита

2. **тех.** агрегат, установка

dyeing range - агрегат для крашения; красильная установка

range

range **AW** [range ranges ranged ranging] **noun, verb** **BrE** [reɪndʒ] ^m **NAmE**

[reɪndʒ] ^m

noun

VARIETY

1. **countable, usually singular** ~ (of sth) a variety of things of a particular type

- The hotel offers a **wide range of** facilities.
- There is a **full range of** activities for children.
- This material is available in a **huge range of** colours.

LIMITS

2. **countable, usually singular** the limits between which sth varies

- Most of the students are in the 17-20 **age range**.
- There will be an increase **in the range of** 0 to 3 per cent.
- It's difficult to find a house in our **price range** (= that we can afford).
- This was **outside the range of his experience**.

OF PRODUCTS

3. **countable** a set of products of a particular type

- our new range of hair products

see also ↑mid-range, ↑top of the range

DISTANCE

4. **countable, uncountable** the distance over which sth can be seen or heard

- The child was now out of her **range of vision** (= not near enough for her to see) .

5. **countable, uncountable** the distance over which a gun or other weapon can hit things

- These missiles have a range of 300 miles.

see also ↑close-range, ↑long-range ↑short-range

6. **countable** the distance that a vehicle will travel before it needs more fuel

OF MOUNTAINS

7. **countable** a line or group of mountains or hills

- the great mountain range of the Alps



FOR SHOOTING

8. **countable** an area of land where people can practise shooting or where bombs, etc. can be tested

- a shooting range
- A device was exploded at the main nuclear testing range.

see also ↑driving range, ↑rifle range

OVEN

9. **countable** a large piece of equipment that can burn various fuels and is kept hot all the time, used for cooking, especially in the past

10. (NAme) = ↑stove

- Cook the meat on a low heat on top of the range.

FOR COWS

11. **the range** **singular** (NAme) a large open area for keeping cows, etc.

see also ↑free-range

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'line of people or animals'): from Old French **range** 'row, rank', from **rangier** 'put in order', from **rang** 'rank'. Early usage also included the notion of 'movement over an area'.

Thesaurus:

range **noun**

1. **C, usually sing.**

- There is a full range of activities for children.

variety • • **choice** • • **selection** • • **assortment** • • **array** • • **diversity** •

a **wide** range/variety/choice/selection/assortment/array/diversity

offer/provide a/an range/variety/choice/selection/assortment/array/diversity (of sth)

choose from a/an range/variety/selection/assortment/array of sth

Range or variety? **Range** emphasizes the (often large) number of things available; **variety** emphasizes the amount of difference between the types of a particular thing.

2. **C, usually sing., U**

- This was outside the range of his experience.

- Most of the students are in the 17–20 age range.

scope • • **reach** • • **breadth** • • **spectrum** • • **bracket** •

within/beyond/outside the range/scope/reach of sb/sth

the **entire/full/whole/complete** range/scope/breadth/spectrum

the **broad/narrow** range/scope/spectrum of sth

expand/extend/widen/limit/narrow/restrict/define the range/scope/reach/breadth/spectrum

Example Bank:

- Come and see our new range of furniture.
- Don't shoot yet— he's still out of range.
- For more information about our product range, call your local branch.
- He hit balls on the practice range yesterday.
- He shot her at point-blank range.
- I listened, but the voices were just out of hearing range.

- It's outside my range of vision.
- Many chefs prefer to cook on a gas rather than an electric range.
- Many factors limit women's range of job choices.
- Most of the students are in the 17–21 age range.
- No, that's completely outside my price range.
- Our comprehensive range of benefits includes pension and health insurance.
- Students can choose from a wide range of options.
- The artists have been chosen to represent a range of styles.
- The books cover the full range of reading abilities.
- The company is launching a new range of cosmetics.
- The experiments show a surprisingly wide range of results.
- The level of mistakes is within the acceptable range of standards for a public organization.
- The missiles are effective over a long range.
- The receiver has a maximum range of about 30 feet.
- The trade show will feature an enormous range of goods.
- There is considerable variation in ability across the range.
- These books are designed to extend the range of children's language.
- They stock a very wide range of garden products.
- This car is beyond the range of most people's pockets.
- This is a top of the range refrigerator.
- We provide a full range of financial services.
- You can enjoy an excellent range of leisure and sporting facilities.
- a broad range of abilities
- a gun for precision shooting at medium range
- an 18-bay floodlit driving range
- people from a diverse range of backgrounds
- shooting ranges where competitors shoot at targets
- the other models in their new range
- trying to extend the range of children's language
- It's difficult to find a house in our price range.
- The child was now out of Penny's range of vision.
- The hotel offers a wide range of facilities and services.
- The students in Class 4 have a very wide range of abilities.
- There will be an increase in the range of 0 to 3 per cent.
- This material is available in a huge range of colours.
- This was outside the range of his experience.

Idioms: ↑in range ▪ ↑out of range

Derived ↑range over something ▪ ↑range yourself with somebody

verb

VARY

1. **intransitive** to vary between two particular amounts, sizes, etc, including others between them
 - ~ **from A to B** to **range in size/length/price** from A to B
 - Accommodation ranges from tourist class to luxury hotels.
 - ~ **between A and B** Estimates of the damage range between \$1 million and \$5 million.
2. **intransitive** to include a variety of different things in addition to those mentioned
 - ~ **from A to B** She has had a number of different jobs, ranging from chef to swimming instructor.
 - **+ adv./prep.** The conversation ranged widely (= covered a lot of different topics) .

see also ↑wide-ranging

ARRANGE

3. **transitive, usually passive** ~ **sb/sth/yourself + adv./prep.** (*formal*) to arrange people or things in a particular position or order
 - The delegates ranged themselves around the table.
 - Spectators were ranged along the whole route of the procession.

MOVE AROUND

4. **intransitive, transitive** to move around an area
 - **+ adv./prep.** He ranges far and wide in search of inspiration for his paintings.
 - ~ **sth** Her eyes ranged the room.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	range
	BrE /reɪndʒ/ NAmE /reɪndʒ/ rangs
he / she / it	ranges
	BrE /reɪndʒɪz/ NAmE /reɪndʒɪz/
past simple, past participle	ranged
	BrE /reɪndʒd/ NAmE /reɪndʒd/
-ing form	ranging
	BrE /reɪndʒɪŋ/ NAmE /reɪndʒɪŋ/

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Example Bank:

- Her lecture ranged over a number of topics.
- Her scores ranged from 23% up as high as 88%.
- The disease ranges widely in severity.
- The opinions they expressed ranged right across the political spectrum.
- The town's population ranged between 15 and 20 000.
- Their ages range up to 84.
- an array of lilies, ranging through yellow to purple
- prices ranging from about \$10 to \$500
- Bees love apple blossom and will range far and wide to find it.
- Estimates of the damage range between \$1 million and \$5 million.
- The conversation ranged widely.
- They ranged over the entire Pacific in their ocean-going boats.
- Voles and lemmings range widely across the central and southern tundra.
- Wild horses used to range freely around the plains.

range

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I. range ¹ **S1 W1 AC** /reɪndʒ/ **BrE** ^m **AmE** ^e **noun**

[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: reŋge, from reŋgier, ⇨ ↑range²]

1. VARIETY OF THINGS/PEOPLE [countable usually singular] a number of people or things that are all different, but are all of the same general type

range of

- a range of services
- The drug is effective against a range of bacteria.

wide/broad/whole/full range of something

- students from a wide range of backgrounds
- advice on a whole range of subjects

narrow/limited range of something

- A fairly narrow range of people are responsible for key decisions.

2. LIMITS [countable] the limits within which amounts, quantities, ages etc vary

age/price/temperature etc range

- toys suitable for children in the pre-school age range
- a temperature range of 72–85°

in/within a ... range

- Your blood pressure's well within the normal range.

in the range (of) something to something

- a salary in the range of \$25,000 to \$30,000
- Even the cheapest property was out of our price range (=too expensive for us).

3. PRODUCTS [countable] a set of similar products made by a particular company or available in a particular shop

range of

- a new range of kitchenware
- A company from Darlington has just launched its latest range of fashion jewellery.
- The watches in this range are priced at £24.50.
- We have a very large product range. ⇨ ↑mid-range, ↑top-of-the-range

4. DISTANCE

a) [uncountable and countable] the distance over which a particular weapon can hit things

range of

- missiles with a range of 3000 km

within range (of something)

- We waited until the enemy was within range.

out of/beyond range (of something)

I ducked down to get out of range of the gunshots.

at close/short/point-blank range (=from very close)

Both men had been shot at point-blank range. ⇒ ↑long-range, ↑short-range

b) [uncountable and countable] the distance within which something can be seen or heard

within range (of something)

a handsome man who drew admiring glances from any female within range

any spot within range of your radio signal

out of/beyond range (of something)

Joan hoped that the others were out of range of her mother's voice.

One way to see birds at close range is to attract them into your own garden.

c) [countable] the distance which a vehicle such as an aircraft can travel before it needs more ↑fuel etc range of

The plane has a range of 3,600 miles.

5. MUSIC [countable usually singular] all the musical notes that a particular singer or musical instrument can make:

His vocal range is amazing.

6. MOUNTAINS/HILLS [countable] a group of mountains or hills, usually in a line:

a land of high mountain ranges and deep valleys

range of mountains/hills

the longest range of hills in the Lake District

7. PLACE FOR SHOOTING [countable] an area of land where you can practise shooting or where weapons can be tested:

a rifle range

the police shooting range

8. ABILITY [uncountable and countable] the number of different things that someone, especially an actor or actress, does well:

an actor of extraordinary range and intensity

9. LAND [uncountable and countable] American English a large area of land covered with grass, on which cattle are kept

10. COOKING [countable]

a) American English a ↑cooker

b) British English a large piece of kitchen equipment in which you make a fire and use this heat to cook food ⇒ stove:

a coal-fired kitchen range

⇒ ↑free-range

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 1)

■ adjectives

▪ a wide/broad range The Institute organises talks on a wide range of topics.

▪ a whole range (=a wide range) He also supports a whole range of other charities.

▪ a large/great/huge/vast range A vast range of plants are used in medicines.

▪ a diverse range During his career he has run a diverse range of businesses.

▪ a narrow/limited range They only had a very limited range of products available.

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 3)

■ ADJECTIVES/NOUN + range

▪ a full/complete range The store stocks a full range of groceries.

▪ an extensive range The winner will receive a brand-new kitchen from Magnet's extensive range.

▪ a comprehensive range We offer a comprehensive range of services for the business traveller.

▪ a new/latest range Body Blitz is a new range of toiletries specially designed for teenagers.

▪ a product range We need to broaden our product range.

▪ a colour range British English, a color range AmE: These curtains are available in a much wider colour range.

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▪ mountain a very high hill: the highest mountain in Austria

▪ hill an area of land that is higher than the land around it, which is like a mountain but smaller and usually has a rounded top: We went for a walk in the hills. | The house is surrounded by woods, farmland and gentle hills.

▪ Mount (also Mt written abbreviation) used in the names of mountains. Don't say 'Fuji Mountain' – say 'Mount Fuji': Mount Everest

▪ cliff the steep side of an area of land, often next to the sea: the white cliffs of Dover

▪ precipice especially literary a very steep and dangerous cliff: They were standing on the edge of a precipice.

▪ crag a high steep rock or mountain: An eagle sailed over the high crags.

▪ ridge a long narrow area of high ground, especially at the top of a mountain: I could see a group of climbers high up on a ridge.

▪ knoll a small round hill: a grassy knoll

▪ volcano a mountain with a large hole at the top, through which ↑lava (=hot liquid rock) is sometimes forced out: the eruption of a volcano

▪ summit the very highest point of a mountain: the summit of Mt Everest

▪ peak especially literary the top of a mountain: the snow-covered peaks of the Himalayas | a distant peak

▪ range/chain a group of mountains or hills arranged in a line: the mountain range that is part of the border between Norway and Sweden

▪ foothills a group of smaller hills below a range of high mountains: the Sierra foothills

II. range² W3 AC BrE^a AmE^a verb

[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: rengier, from renc, reng; ⇒ ↑rank¹]

1. INCLUDE [intransitive always + adverb/preposition]

a) to include a variety of different things or people in addition to those mentioned

range from something to something

" The show had a massive audience, ranging from children to grandparents.

b) if prices, levels, temperatures etc range from one amount to another, they include both those amounts and anything in between

range from something to something

" There were 120 students whose ages ranged from 10 to 18.

range between something and something

" The population of these cities ranges between 3 and 5 million.

range in age/size/price etc

" The shoes range in price from \$25 to \$100.

2. DEAL WITH MANY SUBJECTS [intransitive] to deal with a wide range of subjects or ideas in a book, speech, conversation etc

range over

" The conversation had ranged over a variety of topics, from sport to current affairs.

" The discussion ranged widely.

3. MOVE AROUND [intransitive always + adverb/preposition] to move around in an area without aiming for a particular place SYN

wander

range over/through

" Cattle ranged over the pastures in search of food.

4. range yourself with/against somebody/something formal to publicly state your agreement with, or opposition to, a particular group's beliefs and ideas:

" individuals who had ranged themselves against the authorities

5. ARRANGE British English [transitive always + adverb/preposition] formal to put things in a particular order or position:

" In the dining room, team photographs were ranged along the wall.

range

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