

rug

[rʌg] *n*

1. коврик, ковёр
2. плед

◇ to cut a rug - *амер. сл.* танцевать, отплясывать (*особ. под джаз*)

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[rʌg] *v шотл.*

сильно тянуть, тащить с усилием; дёргать изо всех сил

rug

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

rug [rʌg rʌgz] *BrE* [rʌg] ^m *NAmE* [rʌg] ^m **noun**

1. a piece of thick material like a small carpet that is used for covering or decorating part of a floor

- a hearth rug (= in front of a ↑fireplace)
- an oriental rug
- a sheepskin rug



2. (*BrE*) a piece of thick warm material, like a ↑blanket, that is used for wrapping around your legs to keep warm

- a travelling rug
- a tartan rug

3. (*informal, especially NAmE*) = ↑toupee

see pull the rug (out) from under sb's feet **at** ↑pull *v.*, sweep sth under the rug **at** ↑sweep *v.*

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (denoting a type of coarse woollen cloth): probably of Scandinavian origin; compare with Norwegian dialect *rugga* 'coverlet', Swedish *rugg* 'ruffled hair'; related to ↑rag 'piece of cloth'. The sense 'small carpet' dates from the early 19th cent.

Example Bank:

- A Persian rug covered the polished floor.
- There were several brightly coloured rugs scattered around.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

rug /rʌg/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: From a Scandinavian language]



1. a piece of thick cloth or wool that covers part of a floor, used for warmth or as a decoration ⇒ **mat, carpet**
2. *British English* a large piece of material that you can wrap around yourself, especially when you are travelling
3. **pull the rug (out) from under somebody/sb's feet** *informal* to suddenly take away something that someone was depending on to achieve what they wanted
4. a ↑toupée – used humorously

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