

horizontal

1. [ˌhɒrɪˈzɒntl̩] *n* **спец.**
горизонталь
out of the horizontal - не в горизонтальном положении
2. [ˌhɒrɪˈzɒntl̩] *a*
 1. горизонтальный
horizontal position - горизонтальное положение
horizontal distance - расстояние по горизонтали
horizontal bar - **спорт.** перекладина, турник
horizontal alignment - **дор.** план трассы
horizontal bombing - **воен.** бомбометание с горизонтального полёта
horizontal parallax - **астр.** горизонтальный параллакс
 2. плоский; плоскостной; равнинный
the vast horizontal prairie of America - обширная равнинная американская прерия
 3. **амер.** равноценный, однородный, единый
horizontal tariff - единый тариф
horizontal promotion - «перемещение по горизонтали», перевод на равноценную должность (без понижения или повышения)
horizontal mobility - **социол.** мобильность по горизонтали (перемена места жительства или работы без изменения социального статуса)
horizontal merger /integration/ - **эк.** объединение /интеграция/ однотипных предприятий
horizontal union - цеховой профсоюз, профсоюз, объединяющий рабочих одной специальности
horizontal proliferation - увеличение числа государств, располагающих ядерным оружием

horizontal Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

hori-zon-tal adjective, noun *BrE* [ˌhɒrɪˈzɒntl̩] ^ˈ *NAmE* [ˌhɒrəˈzɒntl̩] ^ˈ *NAmE*

[ˌhɒrəˈzɒntl̩] ^ˈ

adjective
flat and level; going across and parallel to the ground rather than going up and down
• horizontal lines
• (informal) I was so tired, I just wanted to be horizontal (= lying down) .

compare ↑vertical

Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (originally meaning something of or at the horizon): from French, or from modern Latin **horizontalis**, from late Latin **horizon**, **horizont-**, from Greek **horizōn (kuklos)** 'limiting (circle)' .

Thesaurus:

horizontal *adj.*
• Draw a grid of horizontal and vertical lines.
flat • • **level** • |often approving **smooth** •
Opp: vertical
a horizontal/flat/level/smooth **surface**

Example Bank:

• I was so tired, I just wanted to be horizontal.

Derived Word ↑**horizontally**

- noun**
1. **the hori-zon-tal** **uncountable** a horizontal position
• He shifted his position from the horizontal.
 2. **countable** a ↑horizontal line or surface

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flat and level:
a horizontal surface

—**horizontally** *adverb*
⇒ **diagonal**
, **vertical**
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THESAURUS

- **flat** on one level, without any holes or raised areas, and not sloping or curving: a flat roof | a flat screen | Before you lay the tiles, make sure that the ground is completely flat.
- **level** not sloping in any direction, so that every part is at the same height: Is the top of this picture level? | After four hours

coming down the mountain, I was glad to be back on level ground.

▪ **smooth** without any holes or raised areas – used especially when saying how something feels when you touch it: her lovely smooth skin | I ran my hand across the animal's smooth fur.

▪ **even** without any holes or raised areas: Apply the paint to an even surface. | Be careful – the path is not very even here.

▪ **horizontal** going straight across and not sloping: a horizontal line | Raise both arms to a horizontal position.

II. **horizontal** ² *BrE* ¹ *AmE* ¹ *noun*

1. [countable] a horizontal line or surface

2. **the horizontal** a horizontal position:
¹ eleven degrees below the horizontal

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