

slot

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1. [slɒt] *n*

1. 1) канавка; щель, прорезь

a mail slot in a door - прорезь в двери для почты

2) щель автомата

to drop a coin in /into/ a slot - опустить монету в щель автомата

3) *тех.* паз; шлиц4) *тех.* окно (золотника)

5) щель крыла (самолёта)

6) гнездо, выемка (в борту лодки) для весла

2. *театр.* люк3. *полигр.* = slot man4. определённое место или положение (*преим. во времени*)

a slot on the broadcasting schedule - постоянное время в программе передач

5. место на стоянке автомобилей

6. *австрал. разг.* тюрьма; тюремная камера

they are in the slot - они сидят

7. *вчт.*

1) позиция; поле, участок

2) валентность слот

2. [slɒt] *v*

1. 1) прорезать

2) *тех.* желобить; долбить

2. опускать монету в автомат

3. *тлв. проф.* найти место (в программе); вставить

to slot a song recital - включить в передачу вокальные номера

4. подыскать место (кому-л.), устроить

to slot 30 000 graduates into jobs - трудоустроить 30 000 выпускников

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1. [slɒt] *n*след (*оленя и т. п.*)2. [slɒt] *v*

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slot [slɒt slɒts slotted slotting] **noun, verb** BrE [slɒt] ^{us} NAmE [slɑːt] ^{us}**noun**

1. a long narrow opening, into which you put or fit sth

• to put some coins in the slot

2. a position, a time or an opportunity for sb/sth, for example in a list, a programme of events or a series of broadcasts

• He has a regular slot on the late-night programme.

• Their album has occupied the Number One slot for the past six weeks.

• the airport's take-off and landing slots

Word Origin:late Middle English (in the sense 'slight depression running down the middle of the chest', surviving as a Scots term): from Old French *esclot*, of obscure origin.Example Bank:

• The electricity was on a slot meter.

• They have a prime time slot on national radio.

• We need something to fill a thirty-minute slot in the late evening

• He slid a coin into the slot of the jukebox.

• a slot machine

Derived ↑slot somebody in**verb** (-tt-) **transitive, intransitive**

to put sth into a space that is available or designed for it; to fit into such a space

• ~ **sth + adv./prep.** He slotted a cassette into the VCR.• The bed comes in sections which can be quickly **slotted together**.• **+ adv./prep.** The dishwasher slots neatly between the cupboards.

• These tubes slot together like this.

see fall/slot into place **at** ↑place _n.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	slot
	BrE /sɒt/
	NAme /sɒ:t/
he / she / it	slots
	BrE /sɒts/
	NAme /sɒ:ts/
past simple, past participle	slotted
	BrE /sɒtɪd/
	NAme /sɒ:tɪd/
-ing form	slotting
	BrE /sɒtɪŋ/
	NAme /sɒ:tɪŋ/

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Example Bank:

- All the pieces of the puzzle now slotted into place.
- He has slotted back into the role of being a second-in-command.
- He slotted the magazines neatly into the rack.
- The panels slot together to make a box.
- The bed comes in sections which can be quickly slotted together.
- The dishwasher slots neatly between the other units.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. slot¹ /sɒt \$ sɒt BrE " AmE " noun [countable]

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: *esclot* 'hollow place in the bone in the middle of the chest']

1. a long narrow hole in a surface, that you can put something into:
 - " Alan dropped another quarter into the slot on the pay phone.
2. a short period of time allowed for one particular event on a programme or ↑timetable:
 - " a ten-minute slot on the breakfast show
 - " landing slots at Heathrow Airport
 - " A new comedy is scheduled for the 9 pm time slot.
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- **hole** an empty space in the surface of something, which sometimes goes all the way through it: A fox had dug a hole under our fence. | Rain was coming in through a hole in the roof.
- **space** an empty area between two things, into which you can put something: Are there any empty spaces on the bookshelf? | a parking space
- **gap** an empty area between two things or two parts of something, especially one that should not be there: He has a gap between his two front teeth. | I squeezed through a gap in the hedge.
- **opening** a hole that something can pass through or that you can see through, especially at the entrance of something: The train disappeared into the dark opening of the tunnel. | I looked through the narrow opening in the wall.
- **leak** a small hole where something has been damaged or broken that lets liquid or gas flow in or out: a leak in the pipe | The plumber's coming to repair the leak.
- **puncture** *especially British English* a small hole in a tyre through which air escapes: My bike's got a puncture.
- **crack** a very narrow space between two things or two parts of something: The snake slid into a crack in the rock. | She was peering through the crack in the curtains.
- **slot** a straight narrow hole that you put a particular type of object into: You have to put a coin in the slot before you dial the number. | A small disk fits into a slot in the camera.
- **crater** a round hole in the ground made by an explosion or by a large object hitting it hard: a volcanic crater | The meteor left a crater over five miles wide. | the craters on the moon

II. slot² BrE " AmE " verb (past tense and past participle **slotted**, present participle **slotting**) [intransitive, transitive always + adverb/preposition]

to go into a slot, or to put something in a slot

slot something into something

- " Mary slotted a cassette into the VCR.

slot into

- " Each length of board slots easily into the next.
- " All the wood parts come pre-cut so that they can be slotted together (=put together using slots).

slot in *phrasal verb British English informal*

to fit something or someone into a plan, organization etc, or to fit in:

- " Stewart has slotted in well.

slot somebody/something ↔ in

- " We should be able to slot the meeting in before lunch.

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