

levy

1. ['levɪ] *n*
 - 1) сбор, взимание (*налогов и т. п.*)
 - 2) обложение (*налогом*)
 - 3) сумма обложения
 - great levy - тяжёлое налогообложение
 - capital levy - налог на капитал
 - tax levy - налоговый сбор
 - variable levy - переменная пошлина
 - 2) 1) призыв (*в армию*); набор (*рекрутов, добровольцев и т. п.*)
 - 2) *собир.* призывники; рекруты, новобранцы
 3. *юр.* взыскание (*долга и т. п.*) путём вчинения иска *или* принудительного исполнения судебного решения (*описи имущества должника*)
2. ['levɪ] *v*
 - 1) 1) собирать, взимать (*налоги и т. п.*)
 - 2) облагать (*налогом и т. п.*); налагать (*штраф и т. п.*)
 2. призывать (*в армию*); набирать рекрутов
 3. вести *или* начинать (*дело и т. п.*); заниматься (*чем-л.*)
 - to levy war upon /against/ smb. - вступать в войну против кого-л.
 - to levy blackmail - заниматься шантажом
 4. (*часто on*) *юр.* взыскивать (*долг и т. п.*) путём вчинения иска *или* принудительного исполнения судебного решения (*с помощью описи имущества должника*)

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levy **AW** [levy levies levied levying] **noun, verb** *BrE* ['levɪ] ^ˈ *NAmE* ['levɪ] ^ˈ

noun (pl. **levies**) ~ (on sth)

an extra amount of money that has to be paid, especially as a tax to the government

- to **put/impose a levy** on oil imports

Word Origin:

Middle English (as a noun): from Old French **levee**, feminine past participle of **lever** 'raise', from Latin **levare** from **levis** 'light'.

Example Bank:

- The government put a levy on oil imports.
- the trade-union political levy

verb (**lev-ies**, **levy-ing**, **lev-ied**, **lev-ied**) ~ sth (on sb/sth)

to use official authority to demand and collect a payment, tax, etc

- a tax levied by the government on excess company profits

Verb forms:

| verb forms | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| present simple | |
| I / you / we / they | levy |
| | <i>BrE</i> / 'levɪ/ |
| | <i>NAmE</i> / 'levɪ/ |
| he / she / it | levies |
| | <i>BrE</i> / 'levɪz/ |
| | <i>NAmE</i> / 'levɪz/ |
| past simple, past participle | levied |
| | <i>BrE</i> / 'levɪd/ |
| | <i>NAmE</i> / 'levɪd/ |
| -ing form | levying |
| | <i>BrE</i> / 'levɪŋ/ |
| | <i>NAmE</i> / 'levɪŋ/ |

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Example Bank:

- A \$30 million fine was levied against the company.
- It was a local tax levied by the council on the occupiers of land and buildings.

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I. **levy**¹ **AC** /'levɪ/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **verb** (past tense and past participle **levied**, present participle **levying**, third person singular **levies**) [transitive]

to officially say that people must pay a tax or charge

levy a tax/charge/fine etc (on something)

^ˈ a new tax levied on all electrical goods

II. **levy**² **AC** *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **noun** (plural **levies**) [countable]

[Date: 1400-1500; Language: French; Origin: levées ⇨ ↑levee]

an additional sum of money, usually paid as a tax

levy on

He wants to impose a levy on landfill waste.

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- **tax** money that you must pay to the government, especially from the money you earn, or as an additional payment when you buy something: How much income tax do you pay each month? | The Republicans promised to reduce taxes before the last election. | Consumers are angry that the tax on petrol has gone up yet again.
- **duty** a tax you pay on something you buy: The budget also sharply raised the duty on alcohol and tobacco. | customs duty (=tax you pay on goods you buy and bring into the country)
- **tariff** a tax on goods coming into a country or going out of a country, especially to protect a country's industry from cheap goods from other countries: the import tariffs on hi-tech equipment | The government's tariff and trade policies came under fierce attack.
- **levy** an extra amount of money that you have to pay the government, usually as a tax, often in order to encourage people not to use or do something: A new levy on fuel inefficient vehicles has been proposed.
- **surcharge** an amount of money that you have to pay in addition to the agreed or stated price of something: British Airways will increase its fuel surcharge on all airline tickets from June 3. | When you get cash at some machines, you have to pay an ATM surcharge.

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