

# ignite

[ɪgˈnaɪt] **v**

- 1) зажигать, запаливать, воспламенять  
2) возбуждать, разжигать  
oppression that ignited the hatred of the people - гнёт, вызвавший ненависть народа
2. загораться, воспламеняться  
to ignite in the air - воспламениться в воздухе
3. раскалять до свечения; прокаливать

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**ig-nite** [ignite ignites ignited igniting] **BrE** [ɪgˈnaɪt] <sup>u</sup> **NAmE** [ɪgˈnaɪt] <sup>u</sup> **verb**

**intransitive, transitive** (formal)

to start to burn; to make sth start to burn

- Gas ignites very easily.
- (figurative) Tempers ignited when the whole family spent Christmas together.
- ~ **sth** Flames melted a lead pipe and ignited leaking gas.
- (figurative) His words ignited their anger.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we /they	ignite
	BrE /ɪgˈnaɪt/
	NAmE /ɪgˈnaɪt/
he / she /it	ignites
	BrE /ɪgˈnaɪts/
	NAmE /ɪgˈnaɪts/
past simple, past participle	ignited
	BrE /ɪgˈnaɪtɪd/
	NAmE /ɪgˈnaɪtɪd/
-ing form	igniting
	BrE /ɪgˈnaɪtɪŋ/
	NAmE /ɪgˈnaɪtɪŋ/

Word Origin:

mid 17th cent. (in the sense 'make intensely hot'): from Latin **ignire** 'set on fire', from **ignis** 'fire'.

Example Bank:

- The burning foam generates such heat that other items in the room can ignite spontaneously.
- The gunpowder sometimes fails to ignite.
- an explosive that is easily ignited
- He was badly injured when a spark ignited the gas.

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[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** past participle of ignire 'to cause to start burning', from ignis 'fire']

1. [**intransitive and transitive**] **formal** to start burning, or to make something start burning:

- The petrol tank suddenly ignited.
- The candle ignited the plastic.

2. [**transitive**] to start a dangerous situation, angry argument etc:

- events which ignited the war in Europe

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