remnant

1. ['remnənt] *n* 1. след; пережиток

remnants of former glory - следы былой славы

the tribe is the last remnant of a great prehistoric race - это племя - всё, что осталось от многочисленной доисторической расы 2. 1) остаток

remnants of food - остатки пищи

2) отрез, остаток (материи)

remnant sale - распродажа остатков

3. геол. останец

2. ['remnant] a pedк.

оставшийся, остающийся

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rem.nant [remnant remnants] BrE ['remnant] NAmE ['remnant] noun

1. usually plural a part of sth that is left after the other parts have been used, removed, destroyed, etc.

Syn: [†]remains

- The woods are remnants of a huge forest which once covered the whole area.
- Many of the traditions are remnants of a time when most people worked on the land.

2. a small piece of cloth that is left when the rest has been sold

Word Origin:

Middle English: contraction of obsolete remenant from Old French remenant, from remenoir, remanoir 'remain'.

Example Bank:

- The museum is one of the last remnants of the 17th-century palace.
- Their outdated attitudes are a remnant from colonial days.
- · faint remnants of the city's glorious past
- · the tattered remnants of the flag
- The institution is a remnant from the past.
- The remnants of the huge mirror lay shattered around the floor.
- They ousted the landowners, who were the last remnants of the Roman Empire.
- the remnants of a forest/an empire/an army

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rem mant /'remnant/ BrE AmE ^{*} noun [countable]

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[Date: 1300-1400, Language: Old French; Origin: remenant, present participle of remenoir 'to remain', from Latin remanere; => [†]remain]

1. [usually plural] a small part of something that remains after the rest of it has been used, destroyed, or eaten remnant of

The remnants of a meal stood on the table.

2. a small piece of cloth left from a larger piece and sold cheaply

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