

- 1. [ʃʌnt] n**
- 1) *тех.* перевод, переключение; сдвиг
  - 2) *ж.-д.* перевод на запасный путь
  2. *эл.* шунт, параллельное включение, соединение  
shunt circuit [line] - параллельная цепь [линия]
  3. *ж.-д.* стрелка
  4. *сл.* автомобильная катастрофа столкновение автомобилей (*особ. на автогонках*)

- 2. [ʃʌnt] v**
- 1) отводить; передвигать, сдвигать в сторону
  - 2) отходить, отодвигаться
  - 3) *разг.* передавать  
the research has been shunted into separate research institutes - исследовательская работа была передана в отдельные исследовательские институты
  2. *разг.*
    - 1) отпихивать, отталкивать
    - 2) избавляться (*от чего-л.*); откладывать в долгий ящик
    3. *ж.-д.* маневрировать  
a train shunted to a siding - поезд, переведённый на запасный путь
    4. *эл.* шунтировать, параллельно включать, соединять

**shunt** Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.  
**shunt** [shunt shunts shunted shunting] verb, noun BrE [ʃʌnt] <sup>ˈ</sup> NAmE [ʃʌnt] <sup>ˈ</sup>

- verb**
1. ~ **sth** to move a train or a coach/car of a train from one track to another
  2. ~ **sb/sth + adv./prep.** (*usually disapproving*) to move sb/sth to a different place, especially a less important one
- John was shunted sideways to a job in sales.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	shunt
	BrE / ʃʌnt/
	NAmE / ʃʌnt/
he / she / it	shunts
	BrE / ʃʌnts/
	NAmE / ʃʌnts/
past simple, past participle	shunted
	BrE / ʃʌntɪd/
	NAmE / ʃʌntɪd/
-ing form	shunting
	BrE / ʃʌntɪŋ/
	NAmE / ʃʌntɪŋ/

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'move suddenly aside'): perhaps from ↑shun.

**noun**

1. (BrE, informal) a road accident in which one vehicle crashes into the back of another
  2. (medical) a small tube put in your body in a medical operation to allow the blood or other ↑fluid to flow from one place to another
- If the artery is too narrow, a small 4mm shunt is inserted to widen it.

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- I. shunt**<sup>1</sup> /ʃʌnt/ BrE <sup>ˈ</sup> AmE <sup>ˈ</sup> verb [transitive]
- [Date: 1200-1300; Origin: Perhaps from shun]
1. to move someone or something to another place, especially in a way that seems unfair  
**shunt somebody off/around/aside etc**  
Smith was shunted off to one of the company's smaller offices.
  2. to move a train or railway carriage onto a different track
- II. shunt**<sup>2</sup> BrE <sup>ˈ</sup> AmE <sup>ˈ</sup> noun [countable]
1. an act of moving a train or railway carriage to a different track
  2. a crash, especially in a car race:  
His race ended after a shunt at the first corner.

**shunt**  
 12500 **7999**<sup>MCW</sup>  
 15000 **10278**<sup>COCA</sup>  
 RANGE: **6k SHUNT** <sup>637</sup>

shunt 256

shunts 59

shunted 270

shunting 52

shunter 0

shunters 0

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

<sup>70</sup>**55936**<sup>181</sup> *nn1*

<sup>39</sup>**118959**<sup>42</sup> *vvi*

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