

junction

[ˈdʒʌŋktʃən]

1. соединение
2. место соединения, скрещивания, слияния
junction plane - *спец.* плоскость контакта
at the junction of one river with another - при слиянии двух рек
3. 1) текущий момент
at this junction - в настоящий момент, в настоящее время
2) положение дел, конъюнктура
critical junction of things - критическое положение дел
4. *тех.* шов
5. *лингв.* стык (*морфем*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

junction [junction junctions] *BrE* [ˈdʒʌŋktʃən(j)] *NAme* [ˈdʒʌŋktʃəɪ] **noun**
(formal)

a particular point or stage in an activity or a series of events

- The battle had reached a crucial junction.
- **At this junction**, I would like to make an important announcement.

Word Origin:

late Middle English (in the sense 'act of joining'): from Latin *junctiona*, 'joint', from *jungere* 'to join'.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Latin; Origin: *junctiona*, from *jungere*; ⇒ **join**]

a particular point in an activity or period of time:

- At this junction, I suggest we take a short break.
- The talks are at a critical junction (=very important point).

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