

**abreast**[ə'breɪst] *adv*

## 1. в ряд, рядом, на одной линии

three abreast - по трое в ряд

to come abreast of a car - поравняться с машиной

to stay abreast of a runner - не отставать от бегущего

## 2. не отставая, держась на (должном) уровне

to keep abreast of /with, in/ - не отставать от, идти в ногу с

to keep abreast of /with/ the times - идти в ногу с веком, не отставать от жизни

to be abreast of the times - быть сыном своего времени; быть на уровне современности

to keep wages abreast of the cost of living - повышать заработную плату в зависимости от роста стоимости жизни

to keep industry abreast of science - внедрять достижения науки в производство

to keep abreast in scientific developments - быть и курсе последних научных достижений; следить за развитием науки

3. *эл.* в параллельном соединении4. *мор.* на одной линии; на траверзе; борт о борт5. *воен.*

1) в одном эшелоне

2) в один эшелон

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**abreast** *BrE* [ə'breɪst] <sup>m</sup> *NAmE* [ə'breɪst] <sup>m</sup> *adverb*

next to sb/sth and facing the same way

• cycling two abreast

• ~ **of sb/sth** A police car **drew abreast** of us and signalled us to stop.| idiom † **keep abreast of something**Word Origin:[**abreast**] late Middle English: from a- 'in' + †breast.Example Bank:

• I like to keep abreast of current affairs.

• I find it important to keep abreast with the latest legislation.

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**abreast** /ə'breɪst/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> *adverb*1. **keep/stay abreast of something** to make sure that you know all the most recent facts or information about a particular subject or situation:

\* I find it important to keep abreast of the latest developments in computers.

2. **walk/ride etc abreast** to walk, ride etc next to each other, all facing the same way**two/three/four etc abreast** (=with two, three, four etc people or vehicles next to each other)

\* The planes were flying four abreast.

## 3. level with someone or something or in line with them:

\* As the car **drew abreast** of him, Jack suddenly recognised the driver.**abreast**

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