

# arduous

[ˈɑːdʒuəs] *a*

1. трудный, напряжённый  
arduous task [duty] - трудная задача [обязанность]  
arduous life - тяжкая жизнь  
arduous paths - трудные пути
2. энергичный; неустойчивый; напряжённый (о деятельности и т. п.)  
arduous efforts - неослабные усилия  
arduous manual labour - изнурительный ручной труд
3. крутой, труднодоступный  
an arduous hill - крутая гора, крутой подъём

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**ar·du·ous** *BrE* [ˈɑːdʒuəs] *BrE* [ˈɑːdʒuəs] *NAmE* [ˈɑːrdʒuəs] **adjective**

involving a lot of effort and energy, especially over a period of time

- an arduous journey across the Andes
- The work was arduous.

Derived Word ↑**arduously**

Word Origin:

[**arduous arduously**] mid 16th cent.: from Latin **arduus** 'steep, difficult' + ↑-ous.

Example Bank:

- It was physically arduous work.
- She was now faced with an arduous trek across the mountains.
- The road back to political stability is long and arduous.
- an arduous task/process

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**ar·du·ous** /ˈɑːdʒuəs/ *BrE* *AmE* **adjective**

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: arduus 'high, steep, difficult']

involving a lot of strength and effort

**arduous task/work**

the arduous task of loading all the boxes into the van

**arduous journey/voyage**

an arduous journey through the mountains

—**arduously** *adverb*

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