

man**1. [mæn] n (pl men)****1) мужчина, человек**

there were three men and two women in the room - в комнате было трое мужчин и две женщины

to play the man - поступать /вести себя/, как подобает мужчине

to make a man of smb. - сделать из кого-л. настоящего мужчину /человека/

to bear smth. like a man - мужественно переносить что-л

be a man! - будь мужчиной!

he is only half a man - он не настоящий мужчина

man to man, between man and man - как мужчина с мужчиной

a good man - хороший /добрый, порядочный/ человек

a man of thirty [fifty] - мужчина /человек/ тридцати[пятидесяти] лет, тридцатилетний[пятидесятилетний] мужчина

a man of action - человек дела /действия/, энергичный человек

a man of character - волевой человек, сильная личность

a man of moods - человек настроения

a man of peace - мирный /миролюбивый/ человек

a man of principle - принципиальный человек

a man of sense - разумный /здравомыслящий/ человек

a man of wisdom - мудрый /умный/ человек

a man of ideas - изобретательный/находчивый/ человек

a man of many parts - разносторонний человек

a man of genius - гениальный человек

a man of honour - честный /порядочный/ человек

a man of distinction /of mark, of note/ - выдающийся /знаменитый/ человек

a man of taste - человек со вкусом

a man of few words - немногословный /немногоречивый/ человек

a man of many words - многословный человек

a man of his word - человек слова, господин /хозяин/ своего слова

a man of family **см.** family 1, 1) и 2)

a man of means /of property/ - человек со средствами, состоятельный человек

a man of business - а) деловой человек; б) агент, поверенный

you'll have to speak to my man of business - вам придётся поговорить с моим поверенным

a man of law - законник; адвокат; юрист

a man of letters - а) писатель, литератор б) **уст.** учёный

he is the very man for this job [to do this] - он самый подходящий человек для этого дела [чтобы сделать это]

if you want a good music teacher, here's your man - если вам нужен хороший учитель музыки, вот он (самый подходящий для вас человек)

if you want to sell the car, I'm your man - если вы хотите продать машину, я куплю /я согласен купить/

I feel a new man - я чувствую себя обновлённым, я как заново родился

if any man comes ... - если кто-нибудь /какой-нибудь человек/ придёт ...

2) муж

man and wife - муж и жена

to live as man and wife - жить как муж с женой

he made them man and wife - он обвенчал их

3) *унив.* студент; окончивший, выпускник

a University man - человек с университетским образованием

an Oxford man - студент из Оксфорда; человек, окончивший Оксфордский университет, выпускник Оксфорда

senior man - старшекурсник

4) *пренебр.* приятель (в обращении)

speak up, man!, speak up my (good) man! - ну, говори же, друг!

hurry up, man! hurry up my (good) man! - да поскорей же, приятель!

come along, man!, come along my (good) man! - ну, пошли, мой милый!

nonsense, man!, nonsense my (good) man! - чепуха

well, man /my (good) man/, where is it? - ну, милый мой, так где же это?

2. 1) человек

the rights of man - права человека

food not fit for man or beast - пища, не пригодная для людей или животных

board at £1 per man - пансион (стоит) один фунт с человека

man's sense of himself - самосознание

men say that ... - люди говорят, что ...

any man could do that - любой (человек) может это сделать

what can a man do? - что (тут) поделаешь?

all men are brothers - все люди братья

as one /a/ man - все как один

to a man - все до одного, все как один (человек), все без исключения; единогласно

to the last man - все до одного, все до последнего человека

all sorts and conditions of men, men of all conditions - люди всякого рода, самые разные люди

to mistake one's man - ошибиться в человеке

man overboard - человек за бортом!

2) (без артикля) человечество, человеческий род

3. 1) слуга

2) чаще *pl* рабочий

the manager spoke to the men - управляющий поговорил с рабочими

this factory employs 300 men - на этой фабрике работает триста рабочих

3) солдат, рядовой, матрос

4) *pl* рядовой состав

officers and men - офицеры и солдаты

4. пешка

5. шашка (в игре), фишка

to jump a man - брать шашку

6. игрок (в спорт. команде)

7. *ист.* вассал

8. *сокр.* от man-of-war, merchantman *и т. п.*

9. (-man) как компонент сложных слов означает занятие, профессию:

clergyman - священник

postman - почтальон

sportsman - спортсмен

workman - рабочий

◇ the inner man - а) внутреннее «я», душа; б) *шутл.* желудок

to refresh the inner man - поесть, подкрепиться

the outer man - а) плоть; б) *шутл.* внешность, костюм

to clothe the outer man - одеться

odd man - а) решающий голос; б) человек, выполняющий случайную работу

odd man out - «третий лишний» (игра)

heavy man - *театр. проф.* актёр, исполняющий трагические роли

one-dollar-a-year man - *амер.* крупный капиталист, участвующий в деятельности правительственных органов и получающий

номинальный оклад в один доллар в год

marked man *см.* marked 2

man of the house - глава семьи

my old man - мой отец

men of the day - герои дня

a man of the world - а) человек, умудрённый опытом, бывалый человек; б) светский человек

a man about town - светский человек, богатый повеса, жуир

a man of the turf - завсегдатай скачек

a man of straw - а) соломенное чучело; б) человек с небольшими средствами; в) ненадёжный человек; г) подставное

/фиктивное/ лицо; д) воображаемый противник

a man of God - а) святой; б) духовное лицо

Man of Sorrows - *библ.* Муж скорбей

a man in a thousand - редкий /исключительный/ человек; ≅ таких людей мало, такого человека редко встретишь; такого человека поискать надо

man in blue - а) полицейский; б) моряк

men in blue - *амер. ист.* федеральная полиция

the man in the street, *амер. тж.* the man in the car - «человек с улицы»; средний /рядовой/ гражданин

the next man - *амер.* всякий другой, любой; первый встречный

every man Jack *см.* Jack 2

a run-of-the-mill man - заурядный человек

the man in the moon *см.* moon 1 ◇

man and boy - а) с юных лет; he lived there man and boy - он всю жизнь прожил там

I have known him man and boy - я его знаю с детства; б) *уст.* все как один

man and boy turned out into the street - все как один высыпали на улицу

the man for me, the man for my money - этот человек мне подходит, этот человек меня устраивает

the man higher up - начальник, хозяин, босс; высшая инстанция

the man at the wheel - руководитель

Man Friday - Пятница, верный /преданный/ слуга

no man's land *см.* land 1 ◇

to hit a man when he is down - бить лежачего

to be one's own man - а) прийти в себя; быть в норме; держать себя в руках; б) ни от кого не зависеть, свободно распоряжаться собой, быть хозяином своей судьбы

he is his own man - он сам себе хозяин

a man or a mouse - ≅ либо пан, либо пропал

like master like man *см.* master 1 ◇

every man to his (own) taste - ≅ на вкус на цвет товарищей нет; о вкусах не спорят

(so) many men, (so) many minds - *посл.* сколько голов, столько умов

a drowning man will catch at a straw - утопающий за соломинку хватается

every man has his hobby-horse - у каждого есть свой конёк /своя страсть, своя прихоть/; у каждого есть свои маленькие слабости

a man is known by the company he keeps - *посл.* ≅ скажи мне, кто твой друг, и я скажу (тебе), кто ты

one man's meat is another man's poison - *посл.* что полезно одному, то вредно другому; ≅ усопшему мир, а лекарю пир

a man can die but once - ≅ двум смертям не бывать, а одной не миновать
man proposes but God disposes - *посл.* человек предполагает, а бог располагает
man alive! - боже милостивый!, боже правый!; вот те на!, вот так так [*см. тж.* alive ◇]

2. [mæn] *v*
- 1) укомплектовывать кадрами, персоналом
 - 2) *воен.*, *мор.* укомплектовывать личным составом; занимать людьми; ставить людей (*к оружию и т. п.*); посадить людей (*на транспорт*)
to man a unit [a ship] - укомплектовывать часть [корабль] личным составом
to man a boat - сажать гребцов на шлюпку
to man the pumps - поставить людей к насосам /к помпам/
 - 2) занять (*позиции*); стать (*к орудиям*)
to man the defenses - занимать оборонительные позиции
to man the guns - занимать места у орудий
 3. *refl* собрать всё своё мужество, мужаться, взять себя в руки
 4. *охот.* приручать (*сокола и т. п.*)

man

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man [man men] *noun, verb, exclamation* *BrE* [mæn] ^ˈ *NAmE* [mæn] ^ˈ
noun (pl. *men* *BrE* [men] ^ˈ; *NAmE* [men] ^ˈ)

MALE PERSON

1. **countable** an adult male human
 - a good-looking young man
 - the relationships between men and women**see also** ↑dirty old man, ↑ladies' man, ↑men's room

HUMANS

2. **uncountable** humans as a group or from a particular period of history
 - the damage caused by man to the environment
 - **early/modern/Prehistoric man**
3. **countable** (*literary or old-fashioned*) a person, either male or female
 - All men must die.

PARTICULAR TYPE OF MAN

4. **countable** (in compounds) a man who comes from the place mentioned or whose job or interest is connected with the thing mentioned
 - a Frenchman
 - a businessman
 - a medical man
 - a sportsman
5. **countable** a man who likes or who does the thing mentioned
 - a **betting/drinking/fighting man**
 - I think he's a beer man (= he drinks beer) .**see also** ↑family man
6. **countable** a man who works for or supports a particular organization, comes from a particular town, etc
 - the BBC's man in Moscow (= the man who reports on news from Moscow)
 - a loyal Republican Party man**see also** ↑right-hand man, ↑yes-man

SOLDIER/WORKER

7. **countable, usually plural** a soldier or a male worker who obeys the instructions of a person of higher rank
 - The officer refused to let his men take part in the operation.
 - The conditions in which the men were working were terrible.
8. **countable** a **man** who comes to your house to do a job
 - the gas man
 - The man's coming to repair the TV today.

FORM OF ADDRESS

9. **singular** (informal, especially *NAmE*) used for addressing a male person
 - Nice shirt, man!
 - Hey man. Back off!
10. **singular** (old-fashioned) used for addressing a male person in an angry or impatient way
 - Don't just stand there, man— get a doctor!

HUSBAND/BOYFRIEND

11. **countable** (sometimes *disapproving*) a husband or sexual partner
 - What's her new man like?
 - I now pronounce you man and wife (= you are now officially married) .**see also** ↑old man

STRONG/BRAVE PERSON

12. countable a person who is strong and brave or has other qualities that some people think are particularly male

- Come on, now— be a man.
- She's more of a man than he is.

see also ↑he-man, ↑muscleman, ↑superman

SERVANT

13. singular (old-fashioned, formal) a male servant

- My man will drive you home.

IN CHESS

14. countable one of the figures or objects that you play with in a game such as ↑chess

see also ↑chessman

more at a/the grand old man (of sth) **at** ↑grand adj., a man/woman after your own heart **at** ↑heart, a marked man **at** ↑marked, the next man **at** ↑next adj., the odd man/one out **at** ↑odd adj., a man/woman of (many) parts **at** ↑part n., the poor man's sb/sth **at** ↑poor, like a man/woman possessed **at** ↑possessed, a man/woman of substance **at** ↑substance, be all things to all men/people **at** ↑thing, a man/woman of his/her word **at** ↑word n., a man/woman of the world **at** ↑world

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Thesaurus:

man noun

1. C

- Over 150 men responded to the survey.

informal **guy** • |formal **gentleman** • • **male** • |BrE, informal **bloke** • |especially AmE, slang **dude** •

Opp: woman

a/an **young/old** man/guy/gentleman/male/bloke/dude

a **middle-aged /older** man/guy/gentleman/male/bloke

a **good/great/funny** man/guy/bloke/dude

2. U

- They uncovered tools used by prehistoric man.

humanity • • **mankind** • • **the human race** • • **humankind** •

Which word? Man can be used to refer to humans when compared with other animals; to describe the development of people through history; or to talk about all the people and societies of the world

- the relationship between man and nature
- Stone Age man
- all diseases known to man

This last use is becoming old-fashioned because many people now replace **man** and **mankind** with gender neutral words like **humanity** and **humankind**.

More About:

gender

Ways of talking about men and women

When you are writing or speaking English it is important to use language that includes both men and women equally. Some people may be very offended if you do not. **The human race**

Man and **mankind** have traditionally been used to mean 'all men and women'. Many people now prefer to use **humanity**, the human race, human beings or people. **Jobs**

The suffix -ess in names of occupations such as actress, hostess and waitress shows that the person doing the job is a woman. Many people now avoid these. Instead you can use actor or host, (although actress and hostess are still very common) or a neutral word, such as **server** for **waiter** and **waitress**.

Neutral words like assistant, worker, person or officer are now often used instead of -man or -woman in the names of jobs. For example, you can use police officer instead of **policeman** or **policewoman**, and spokesperson instead of **spokesman** or **spokeswoman**. Neutral words are very common in newspapers, on television and radio and in official writing, in both **BrE** and **NAmE**.

When talking about jobs that are traditionally done by the other sex, some people say: a male secretary/nurse/model (NOT man) or a woman/female doctor/barrister/driver. However this is now not usually used unless you need to emphasize which sex the person is, or it is still unusual for the job to be done by a man/woman: ▫ My daughter prefers to see a woman doctor. ▫ They have a male nanny for their kids. ▫ a female racing driver **Pronouns**

He used to be considered to cover both men and women: ▫ Everyone needs to feel he is loved. This is not now acceptable.

Instead, after everybody, everyone, anybody, anyone, somebody, someone, etc. one of the plural pronouns they, them, and their is often used: ▫ Does everybody know what they want? ▫ Somebody's left their coat here. ▫ I hope nobody's forgotten to bring their passport with them.

Some people prefer to use he or she, his or her, or him or her in speech and writing: ▫ Everyone knows what's best for him or herself. He/she or (s)he can also be used in writing: ▫ In doubt, ask your doctor. He/she can give you more information. (You may find that some writers just use 'she'.) These uses can seem awkward when they are used a lot. It is better to try to change

the sentence, using a plural noun. Instead of saying: ▪ A baby cries when he or she is tired you can say ▪ Babies cry when they are tired.

Example Bank:

- George Clooney's first role as leading man
- He found success hard to come by after losing his right-hand man.
- He walked out of court a free man.
- He was a lucky man to have found such a partner.
- He was a self-made man who raised himself from poverty to success .
- He's a family man who rarely goes out with his friends.
- How could a human torture his fellow man?
- I was helped by two burly men with tattoos.
- I've never been a gambling man.
- In man the brain is highly developed
- It's a powerful indictment of the horrors of war and man's inhumanity to man.
- Several people made speeches in honour of the great man.
- Vincente is a wanted man back in his own country.
- What a horrible man!
- a little old man
- a middle-aged, balding man
- the most poisonous substance known to man
- He's a good-looking young man.
- I now pronounce you man and wife.
- Many burials of Neanderthal man have been excavated in Europe.
- Many people are worried about the damage caused by man to the environment
- Over 150 men, women and children were killed.
- They uncovered tools used by prehistoric man.
- What's her new man like?

Idioms: ↑a man ▪ ↑as one man ▪ ↑every man for himself ▪ ↑make a man of somebody ▪ man about town ▪ ↑man and boy ▪ ↑man enough ▪ ↑man in the street ▪ ↑man of God cloth ▪ ↑man of the match ▪ ↑man of the people ▪ ↑man to man ▪ ↑man's best friend ▪ ↑man's home is his castle ▪ ↑man's man ▪ ↑one man's meat is another man's poison ▪ ↑somebody's man ▪ ↑sort out the men from the boys ▪ ↑the last man ▪ ↑you can't keep a good man down ▪ ↑your own man

verb (-nn-) ~ sth

to work at a place or be in charge of a place or a machine; to supply people to work somewhere

Syn: ↑crew, **Syn:** ↑staff

- Soldiers manned barricades around the city.
- The telephones are manned 24 hours a day by volunteers.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	man
	BrE /maen/
	NAmE /maen/
he / she / it	mans
	BrE /maenz/
	NAmE /maenz/
past simple, past participle	manned
	BrE /maend/
	NAmE /maend/
-ing form	manning
	BrE /maenɪŋ/
	NAmE /maenɪŋ/

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exclamation (informal, especially NAmE)

used to express surprise, anger, etc

- Man, that was great!

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See also: ↑Englishman's home is his castle

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1. **man** ¹ **S1 W1** /maen/ BrE ^m AmE ^m noun (plural **men** /men/)

[Word Family: noun: ↑man, ↑manhood, ↑mankind; adjective: ↑manly ≠ ↑unmanly, manned ≠ ↑unmanned, ↑mannish; verb: ↑man;

adverb †manfully]

[Language: Old English]

1. **MALE PERSON** [countable] an adult male human ⇔ **woman** :

- There were two men and a woman in the car.
- He's a very kind man.
- a man's watch
- Don't keep Hansen waiting – he's a busy man.

2. **STRONG/BRAVE** [countable usually singular] a man who has the qualities that people think a man should have, such as being brave, strong etc:

- Come on, be a man now. No more crying.
- He wasn't man enough (=strong or brave enough) to face up to his responsibilities.

make a man (out) of somebody (=make a boy or young man start behaving in a confident way)

- Running his own business has really made a man out of Terry.

3. **PERSON** [countable] a person, either male or female – used especially in formal situations or in the past:

- All men are equal in the eyes of the law.
- a man's right to work

4. **PEOPLE** [uncountable] people as a group:

- This is one of the worst diseases known to man.
- the evolution of man

prehistoric/stone-age/modern man (=people who lived at a particular stage of human development)

5. **WORKER**

a) [countable usually plural] a man who works for an employer:

- Why were there no protests from the men at the factory?

b) [countable] a man who does a job for you, especially repairing something:

- Has the man been to fix the TV?

gas man/rent man etc

- I waited all day for the gas man.

c) **the man from something** a man who works for a particular company or organization:

- Was that the man from the PR agency?

6. **PARTICULAR KIND OF MAN** [countable]

a) a man who comes from a particular place, does a particular kind of work, or is connected with a particular organization, especially a university or company:

- I think she married a Belfast man.
- I've been a military man all my life.
- Even a Harvardman has a lot to learn about politics.

b) a man who likes, or likes doing, a particular thing:

- I'm more of a jazz man myself.
- Are you a betting man?

7. **man!** *spoken*

a) used when speaking to an adult male, especially when you are excited, angry etc:

- Stop talking nonsense, man!

b) used when speaking to someone, especially an adult male:

- You look great, man!

8. **SOLDIER** [countable usually plural] a soldier or †sailor who is under the authority of an officer:

- The Captain ordered his men to fire.

9. **HUSBAND** [countable] *informal* a woman's husband or boyfriend

sb's man

- She spent five years waiting for her man to come out of prison.

10. **the man** *spoken*

a) used to talk about a man you dislike, a man who has done something stupid etc:

- Don't listen to him – the man's a complete idiot.

b) **The Man** *American English old-fashioned* someone who has authority over you, especially a police officer

11. **sb's your man** *spoken* used to say that a particular man is the best person for a job, situation etc:

- If you need repairs done in the house, Brian's your man.

12. **you da man! you're the man!** *American English spoken* used to praise someone for having done something well

13. **our man** *spoken* used by the police to refer to a man that they are watching or trying to find, especially because they think he is responsible for a crime:

- Gareth couldn't possibly be our man. He couldn't possibly be a murderer.
- Perhaps our man parked his car at the station and took the train.

14. **our man in/at something** a man who is the representative of a country or organization in a particular place:

- our man in Rome
- a report on the accident from our man at the scene

15. **men in (grey) suits** *informal* the men who control businesses, organizations etc, considered as a group, especially when you think they are boring

16. **a man of his word** a man you can trust, who will do what he has promised to do:

- He had promised to help, and Sally knew that Dr Neil was a man of his word.

17. **a man of few words** a man who does not talk very much:

- Being a man of few words, his message was short and to the point.

18. **be your own man** to behave and think independently without worrying about what other people think:

I'm my own man. I say what I believe.

19. **the man of the moment/hour/year** a man who has recently done something important:
" Olson was the man of the hour when the team beat the Tigers.
 20. **it's every man for himself** *spoken* used to say that people will not help each other:
" In journalism it's every man for himself.
 21. **the man in the street** (also **the man on the Clapham omnibus** *British English old-fashioned*) the averageman or the average person **SYN Joe Bloggs/Schmo**:
" This kind of music doesn't appeal to the man in the street.
 22. **a man of the people** a man who understands and expresses the views and opinions of ordinary people:
" The prime minister is a man of the people.
 23. **a man's man** a man who enjoys being with other men and doing sports and activities with them, and is popular with men rather than women:
" He enjoyed his reputation as a man's man, but was careful never to neglect his family.
 24. **a ladies' man** a man who is popular with women and who likes to go out with a lot of different women:
" Paul likes to think he's a bit of a ladies' man.
 25. **man and boy** *British English* if a man has done something man and boy, he has done it all his life:
" I've worked on that farm man and boy.
 26. **man and wife** if a man and a woman are man and wife, they are married:
" I now pronounce you man and wife (=you are now officially married).
 27. **live as man and wife** if a man and a woman live as man and wife, they live together as if they are married, although they are not
 28. **as one man** *written* if a group of people do something as one man, they do it together:
" The audience rose as one man to applaud the singers.
 29. **to a man/to the last man** *written* used to say that all the men in a group do something or have a particular quality:
" They were socialists to a man.
 30. **man-about-town** a rich man who goes out a lot to parties, clubs, theatres etc:
" In his designer suit and shiny shoes he looked quite the man about town.
 31. **man of God/man of the cloth** a priest:
" You'd believe a man of the cloth, wouldn't you?
 32. **my (good) man** *British English old-fashioned spoken* used when talking to someone of a lower social class – do not use this phrase:
" My good man, I really don't think you should be here.
 33. **my man** *spoken* used by some men to greet a friend:
" Jason, my man! How's it going?
 34. **your/yer man** *spoken* used to talk about a particular man – used mainly in Ireland:
" I've got to go and see yer man this afternoon.
 35. **SERVANT** [countable] *old-fashioned* a male servant:
" My man will drive you to the station.
 36. **GAME** [countable] one of the pieces you use in a game such as ↑chess
 37. **every man jack** *old-fashioned* each person in a group:
" Spies, every man jack of them, I'd bet.
 38. **kick/hit a man when he's down** to treat someone badly when you know that they already have problems:
" Most of his rivals couldn't resist kicking a man when he was down.
 39. **man's best friend** a dog
 40. **the man of the house** the most important male member of a family, who is responsible for doing things such as paying bills, making important decisions etc:
" Since my father's death, my uncle was the man of the house.
- ⇒ ↑best man, ↑man-to-man, ↑New Man, ↑old man, ⇒ **be a man/woman of the world** at ↑world¹(21)

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- **man** an adult male human: a young man | Sir Edmund Hillary was the first man to climb Mount Everest.
- **guy** (also **bloke/chap** *British English*) *informal* a man: She'd arranged to meet a guy in the bar. | Alex is a really nice bloke.
- **gentleman** *formal* a man – used as a very polite way of talking about a man: an elderly gentleman | Please could you serve this gentleman?
- **boy** a young male person, usually a child or a teenager: a teenage boy
- **lad** *old-fashioned informal* a boy or young man: When I was a young lad, I wanted to join the army.
- **youth** a teenage boy or young man – used especially in news reports to show disapproval: Gangs of youths roam the streets.
- **male** *formal* a man – used especially by the police or in science and research contexts. The adjective **male** is much more common than the noun: We are investigating the death of an unidentified male. | The condition is usually found only in males.
- **dude** *American English informal* a man - a very informal use: You could tell there was something creepy going on with that dude.

■ relating to men

- **male** *adjective* a male teacher, singer etc is a man. Male jobs are the kind of jobs that men typically do: Most science teachers are male. | a male nurse | We are trying to recruit more women to do traditionally male jobs such as engineering.
- **masculine** considered to be more typical of a man than of a woman: He had a very masculine face. | masculine aggression
- **manly** having the qualities that people expect and admire in a man, such as being brave and strong: He took off his shirt, revealing his manly chest. | It isn't considered manly to cry. | In the portrait, the King looked manly and in control. | He was bronzed and athletic, with manly features and a steady gaze.
- **macho** behaving in a way that is traditionally typical of men, for example by being strong and tough and not showing your feelings – used especially either humorously or to show disapproval: On the outside he may seem to be very macho but inside

he's very sensitive. | Stallone always plays macho men. | He's far too macho to drink mineral water.

II. **man**² *BrE*^u *AmE*^u *verb* (past tense and past participle **manned**, present participle **manning**) [transitive]
[Word Family: noun: ↑man, ↑manhood, ↑mankind; adjective: ↑manly ≠ ↑unmanly, manned ≠ ↑unmanned, ↑mannish; verb: ↑man; adverb: ↑manfully]

to work at, use, or operate a system, piece of equipment etc:

- " A team of volunteers are manning the phones.
- " the first manned spacecraft

III. **man**³ *BrE*^u *AmE*^u *interjection especially American English*

used to emphasize what you are saying, especially when you are angry, surprised, disappointed etc:

- " Man, that was a lucky escape!
- " Oh, man! I can hear the bullets.

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