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## 前 言

《学生英汉双解词典》是参考最新出版的《牛津英语词典》经过精心筛选编译而成，共收入词目约 8000 条，连同列在条内的派生词、复合词、习语及短语动词等共计 14000 余条。

本词典采用英汉两种文字释义，文字力求准确、简明、易懂，例句丰富，有利于提高英语水平。本书适合大、中学生和广大英语学习者使用。

全书由李广田同志主编译，北京师范学院杨传纬副教授审阅。另外孟重生同志参加了字母 R 的编译，张涛同志参加了字母 K 和字母 L（部分）的编译工作，在此一并表示谢意。

由于编译者水平有限，难免有缺点和错误，欢迎读者批评指正。

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## Symbols and abbreviations used

### 词典中所使用的符号及缩略语

|                 |                  |         |
|-----------------|------------------|---------|
| <i>abbr</i>     | abbreviation     | 略作, 略语  |
| <i>adj</i>      | adjective        | 形容词     |
| <i>adv</i>      | adverb           | 副词      |
| <i>(anat)</i>   | anatomy          | [解剖]    |
| <i>aux verb</i> | auxiliary verb   | 助动词     |
| [C]             | countable noun   | 可数名词    |
| <i>(chem)</i>   | chemistry        | [化学]    |
| <i>conj</i>     | conjunction      | 连接词     |
| <i>c g</i>      | for example      | 例如      |
| <i>(elec)</i>   | electricity      | [电学]    |
| <i>esp</i>      | especially       | 尤指, 特指  |
| <i>(fig)</i>    | figurative       | [喻]     |
| <i>(Fr)</i>     | French           | [法语]    |
| <i>(GB)</i>     | British          | [英国英语]  |
| <i>(gram)</i>   | grammar          | [语法]    |
| <i>(hist)</i>   | historical       | [历史]    |
| <i>i e</i>      | in other words   | 即, 就是   |
| <i>(lit)</i>    | literary         | [文学]    |
| <i>(maths)</i>  | mathematics      | [数学]    |
| <i>(med)</i>    | medicine         | [医学]    |
| <i>(mil)</i>    | military         | [军事]    |
| <i>(myth)</i>   | mythology        | [神话]    |
| <i>n</i>        | noun             | 名词      |
| <i>opp</i>      | opposite         | 相对, 反义词 |
| [P]             | proprietary name | 专利商标名   |
| <i>pl</i>       | plural           | 复数      |
| <i>pp</i>       | past participle  | 过去分词    |
| <i>prep</i>     | preposition      | 介词      |

|                  |                                                     |        |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------|
| <i>pres part</i> | present participle                                  | 现在分词   |
| <i>pron</i>      | pronoun                                             | 代词     |
| <i>pt</i>        | past tense                                          | 过去式    |
| <i>rel pron</i>  | relative pronoun                                    | 关系代词   |
| <i>sb</i>        | somebody                                            | 某人     |
| <i>(Scot)</i>    | Scottish                                            | [苏格兰语] |
| <i>sing</i>      | singular                                            | 单数     |
| <i>sth</i>       | something                                           | 某事     |
| [U]              | uncountable noun                                    | 不可数名词  |
| <i>(US)</i>      | American                                            | [美语]   |
| <i>vi</i>        | verb intransitive                                   | 不及物动词  |
| <i>vt</i>        | verb transitive                                     | 及物动词   |
| ⇒                | look at (cross-reference)                           | 参见号    |
| □                | shows a change in the part of<br>speech in an entry | 词性改变号  |

# A

**A<sup>1</sup>**, a [ci] (*pl* A's, a' s[ciz]) the first letter of the English alphabet 英语的第一个字母

**a<sup>2</sup>** [ə *strong form*: ci], an [ən *strong form*: æn] *indefinite article* (an is used before a vowel) 1. one (but no particular one) 一(个) 2. (used when speaking or writing about number, quantity, groups, etc) (用以表示数目、数量、群体等): *a lot of money* 许多钱 3. each 每;每一(个): *60 miles an hour* 每小时六十英里

**aback** [ə'bæk] *adv* be taken ~, be suddenly surprised 吃了一惊

**aba-cus** ['æbəkəs] *n* [C] (*pl* ~es) frame with beads sliding on rods used for calculating 算盘

**aban-don** [ə'bændən] *vi* 1. go away from; desert 离弃;抛弃 2. give up 放弃: ~ *an idea* 放弃一个念头 ~ *ed adj* left or deserted 被抛弃的; 被遗弃的: *an ~ed car* 一辆被抛弃的汽车 ~ *ment n* [U]

**abashed** [ə'bæʃt] *adj* (*formal*) very embarrassed or ashamed [正式用语] 困窘的; 局促不安的; 羞惭的

**abate** [ə'beɪt] *vi* / *i* make or become less 减少; 减轻; 减弱; 减退: *The wind ~d.* 风势减弱了. ~ *ment n* [U]:

*noise ~ment* 减轻噪音

**ab-at-toir** ['æbətwa:(r)] *n* [C] slaughter-house (for cattle, sheep, etc) 屠场; 屠宰场

**ab-bess** ['æbɛs] *n* [C] woman at the head of a convent 女修道院院长

**ab-bey** ['æbi] *n* [C] (*pl* ~s) building(s) in which monks or nuns lived 修道院; 大寺院; 大教堂

**ab-bot** ['æbət] *n* [C] man at the head of a monastery 男修道院院长; 大寺院主持

**ab-brevi-ate** [ə'bri:vici:t] *vi* shorten (a word, title, etc) 缩写; 简略

**abbrevi-ation** *n* [C] shortened form (esp of a word) 缩写; 缩写词

**ab-di-cate** ['æbdikɛɪt] *vi* / *i* give up a high office (eg the throne) 退位 (退出王位); 放弃 (高级职位)

**abdi-ca-tion** *n* [U]

**ab-do-men** ['æbdəmən] *n* [C] the stomach and bowels 腹(部) **abdomi-nal** [æb'dɒmɪnəl] *adj*

**ab-duct** [æb'dʌkt] *vi* take (a person) away by force 诱拐; 劫持 ⇒ **kidnap**.

**ab'duction** [-[n] *n* [C, U]

**abet** [ə'bet] *vi* (-tt-) aid and ~ sb, (*legal*) help him to do wrong [法律] 教唆; 怂恿; 帮助(做坏事)

**ab-hor** [əb'hɔ:(r)] *vi* (-rr-) (*formal*)

- hate; detest [正式用语] 憎恶; 厌恶 ~  
**rence** [əb'hərəns] *n* [U] ~ **rent** *adj*  
**abide** [ə'baɪd] *vi* / *i* ~ **by**, keep (a promise, law) 遵守 (诺言、法律) cannot ~, cannot tolerate 不能容忍 (忍受)  
**abil·ity** [ə'bɪləti] *n* (*pl* -ies) [C, U] skill; power (to do something) 能力; 才能; 技能  
**ab·ject** ['æbdʒekt] *adj* (*formal*) (of conditions) poor; miserable [正式用语] (指境况) 可怜的; 凄惨的: *living in ~ poverty* 过着赤贫的生活 ~ *ly adv*  
**ablaze** [ə'bleɪz] *adj, adv* (*formal*) [正式用语] 1. on fire 着火 (的); 燃烧 (的) 2. (fig) shining [喻] 闪耀 (的); 发光 (的): *her eyes ~ with excitement* 她的眼睛兴奋地闪着光  
**able** ['eɪbl] *adj* 1. be ~ to do sth, have the power, means or opportunity 有能力 (办法或机会); 能; 会 ⇒ **can**<sup>2</sup>. 2. (-r, -st) clever; capable 聪明的; 能干的 ~ **'bodied** *adj* physically strong 强壮的 **ably** *adv*  
**ab·nor·mal** [æb'nɔ:məl] *adj* not normal; unusual 不正常的; 反常的; 变态的 ~ **ity** [-'mæləti] *n* [C, U] (*pl* -ies)  
**aboard** [ə'bɔ:d] *adv, prep* on or into a ship, aircraft, or (US) a train or coach 在 (船、飞机、火车、汽车) 上; 上 (船、飞机、火车、汽车)  
**abode** [ə'bəʊd] *n* of / with no fixed ~, (*legal*) having no permanent home

[法律] 无固定住所

- abol·ish** [ə'bɒlɪʃ] *vi* put an end to 废除; 取消; 终止: ~ *taxes* 取消税收  
**abol·ition** [æbɒ'lɪʃn] *n* [U]  
**A·bomb** ['ci bɒm] *n* ⇒ **atomic bomb**.  
**abom·in·able** [ə'bɒmɪnəbl] *adj*  
 1. causing hatred and disgust 可憎的; 可恶的 2. (*informal*) unpleasant; bad [非正式用语] 令人不愉快的; 恶劣的; 极坏的: ~ *weather* 恶劣的天气  
**abom·in·ably** *adv*  
**abo·rig·inal** [æbə'ridʒənəl] *adj*, [C] (person, animal, etc) existing in a region from earliest times 土著 (的); 原始 (的); 土著居民; 土生动植物  
**abort** [ə'bɔ:t] *vi* / *i* 1. come to nothing; cancel 失败; 取消: ~ *a space flight* 取消一次空间飞行 2. give birth to an undeveloped foetus 流产; 小产; 早产 ~ **ive** *adj* unsuccessful 失败的; 未成功的: *an ~ive revolution* 一次失败的革命  
**abor·tion** [ə'bɔ:ʃn] *n* [C, U] (*legal*) (instance of) aborting (2) [法律] 流产 (事例); 小产; 早产  
**abound** [ə'baʊnd] *vi* have, exist, in great numbers or quantities 有大量; 大量存在; (物产) 丰富  
**about<sup>1</sup>** [ə'baʊt] *adv* of degree a little more or less than; a little before or after 差不多; 大约; 大概: ~ *enough / ten o'clock* 差不多够了 / 大约十点钟 ⇒ **exactly, just<sup>2</sup>** (2).  
**about<sup>2</sup>** [ə'baʊt] *adv, prep* 1. (showing

position, movement) here and there, in no particular direction (表示位置、动向)到处;四处;随处: *walking ~ (the town)* (在城里)到处走; *papers lying ~ (the room)* 零乱摆放 (在室内)的文件 2. (used with *be*) (与 *be* 连用): *There was no one ~*, no one present or near. 附近没有一个人. 3. related to 关于; 对于: *Tell me all ~ it.* 关于此事请全告诉我吧. *How / What ~ ...*, (used to make a suggestion) (用来提出建议) 4. *be ~ to start, etc.*, be ready to do something 准备做某事; 正要; 即将 5. *bring sth ~*,  $\Rightarrow$  *bring* (5).

**above<sup>1</sup>** [ə'baʊ] *adv* 1. at a higher point 在较高处; 在上而 2. earlier (in a book, etc) (书籍等的) 前文; 上文

**above<sup>2</sup>** [ə'baʊ] *prep* 1. higher than 比...高; 在...之上: *fly ~ the clouds* 在云层上而飞行 2. greater in number, price, weight, etc (数目) 大于; (价格) 高于; (重量) 超过 3. *~ all*, more than anything else 首先; 尤其; 最重要的是 *over and ~*, in addition to 在...之外(还); 外加

**ab·ra·sion** [ə'breɪʒn] *n* 1. [U] rubbing, scraping 磨损; 擦伤 2. [C] area where something has been rubbed or scraped away 擦伤处; 磨损处

**ab·ras·ive** [ə'breɪsɪv] *n* [C,U] substance used for making surfaces

smooth 研磨料; 磨蚀剂  $\square$  *adj* 1. causing abrasion 有研磨 (或磨蚀) 作用的 2. (fig) harsh [喻] 生硬粗暴的: *his ~ manner* 他的生硬态度

**abreast** [ə'breɪst] *adv* side by side 并肩; 并列; 并排 *be / keep ~ (of / with)*, be up to date 与...并进; 不落伍; 不过时; 直到最近的: *be ~ of the news* 了解最新消息

**abridge** [ə'brɪdʒ] *vi* make (a book, etc) shorter (书等) 删节; 节略 **abridg (e)-ment** *n* [C,U]

**abroad** [ə'brɔ:d] *adv* in or to a foreign country 在国外; 到国外: *travel ~* 到国外旅行

**abrupt** [ə'brʌpt] *adj* 1. very sudden 突然的; 意外的: *an ~ stop* 突然停止 2. (of speech, behaviour) bad-tempered; unfriendly (指言谈、举止) 粗鲁的; 无礼的 *~ly adv ~ness n* [U]

**ab·scess** ['æbsɪs] *n* [C] painful swelling in the body containing pus 脓肿

**ab·scond** [əb'skɒnd] *vi* go away suddenly, esp to avoid arrest 潜逃

**ab·sence** ['æbsəns] *n* 1. [C,U] (occasion or period of) being away 缺席; 不在: *~ from school* 旷课; 缺课 2. [U] non-existence 不存在; 缺乏: *in the ~ of information* 缺乏资料

**ab·sent<sup>1</sup>** ['æbsənt] *adj* *~ from*, not present at 缺席的; 不在的 *~minded adj* unaware of what is happening because thinking of something else 心不

在场的

**ab·sent**<sup>2</sup> [əb'sent] *vt* (*formal*) ~ oneself from, stay away (from) [正式用语]缺席;不到;离开

**ab·sen·tee** [ˌæbsən'ti:] *n* [C] person who is absent 缺席者;不在者

**ab·so·lute** ['æbsəlu:t] *adj* 1. complete 完全的;全部的;绝对的: ~ trust 充分信任 2. not limited 无限制的;专制的;独裁的: *an* ~ ruler 独裁统治者 3. undoubted 真实的;确实的;无疑的: ~ proof 确凿的证据 ~ly *adv* (a) ['æbsəlu:tli] completely 完全地;全部地: *He's* ~ly right. 他完全正确. (b) [ˌæbsə'lu:tli] (*informal*) quite so; certainly [非正式用语]对极了;当然

**ab·solve** [əb'zɒlv] *vt* ~ from, say somebody is free (from sin, a promise, etc) 赦免(罪过);解除(履行诺言等)

**ab·sorb** [əb'sɔ:b] *vt* 1. take in, eg a liquid, heat, light 吸收(液体、热、光);吸入 2. hold the attention; interest of 吸引(注意);使专心;使全神贯注: ~ed in his work 专心于他的工作 ~ent *adj* that absorbs(1)吸收的;能吸收的;有吸收能力的: ~ent paper 吸水纸

**ab·sorp·tion** [əb'sɔ:p[n]] *n* [U] action of absorbing (1) 吸收

**ab·stain** [əb'stein] *vi* ~ (from), not do something (eg drink beer) 禁绝;戒除(酒类)

**ab·sten·tion** [əb'sten[n]] *n* [C,U] (instance of) abstaining, esp not voting 禁戒;(尤指投票)弃权

**ab·sti·nence** ['æbstinəns] *n* [U] ab-staining, eg from drinking wine, beer, etc 禁戒(酒类等)

**ab·stract** ['æbstrækt] *adj* thought of as an idea, not using particular examples 抽象的 ~art, art which does not represent objects, scenes, etc in an obvious way 抽象派艺术 □ *n* [C] short account (of a book, speech) (书籍、演说的)摘要

**ab·surd** [əb'sɜ:d] *adj* unreasonable; ridiculous 不合理的;荒谬的;可笑的 ~ity *n* [C,U] (pl -ies) ~ly *adv*

**abun·dance** [ə'bandəns] *n* [U] great amount 大量;丰富;充裕: *an* ~ of food 充足的食物 **abun·dant** [-ənt] *adj* more than enough 丰富的;充裕的

**abuse**<sup>1</sup> [ə'bju:s] *n* 1. [C,U] wrong use 滥用;乱用;妄用: *an* ~ of power 滥用权力 2. [C] unjust custom or practice 陋习;不正当的风俗习惯 3. [U] angry attack in words; bad language 辱骂;咒骂;谩骂

**abuse**<sup>2</sup> [ə'bju:z] *vt* 1. make a wrong use of 滥用;妄用: ~ one's authority 滥用职权 2. say cruel or unjust things to or about a person 辱骂;诋毁(某人) **abusive** [ə'bju:siv] *adj* using bad language 骂人的;辱骂的

**abys·mal** [ə'bizmə] *adj* very bad 极糟的: *an* ~ failure 惨败 ~ly *adv*

**abyss** [ə'bis] *n* [C] (pl -es) 1. hole so deep as to appear bottomless 深渊;无底洞 2. (fig) deepest degree [喻]最深;无限

**aca·demic** [ˌækə'demik] *adj* 1. of teaching, studying; of schools etc 有关教学的; 学术的; 学校的; 大学的 2. too concerned with theory and not sufficiently practical 注重理论的; 不实际的 ☐ *n* [C] professional scholar 大学生; 大学教师; 学究式人物 ~ally *adv*

**ac·cel·er·ate** [ək'seləreit] *vt / i* 1. increase the speed of 加速; 加快 2. (of a motion or process) become faster (指运动或程序) 变快; 加速 **ac·cel·eration** *n* [U] **ac·cel·er·ator** *n* [C] device, eg the pedal in a car, for controlling speed (汽车的) 油门踏板; 加速器; 加速装置

**ac·cent** ['æksənt] *n* [C] 1. force given to a syllable when speaking 重音 2. written symbol over or under a letter, eg café 重音符号 3. individual, local or national way of pronouncing 口音; (地方) 音调; 腔调

**ac·cent**<sup>2</sup> [ək'sent] *vt* put emphasis on (a syllable or word) 重读; 在...上加重音符号

**ac·cen·tu·ate** [ək'sentʃueit] *vt* give more force or importance to 加重; 强调

**ac·cept** [ək'sept] *vt / i* 1. (agree to) receive (something offered) (同意) 接受 (馈赠) 2. agree to; recognize 同意; 承认; 认可: ~ a responsibility 承担责任 ~able [-əbl] *adj* ~ance [-əns] *n* [U]

**ac·cess** ['ækses] *n* [U] 1. way (in) to a place 通路; 通道 2. ~ to, opportunity

of reaching or using (接触或使用的) 机会: ~ to good books 读到好书 ~ible [ək'sesəbl] *adj*

**ac·ces·sion** [ək'se[n] *n* [U] reaching a high position or state 达到 (某一地位或状态)

**ac·cess·ory** [ək'sesəri] *n* [C] (pl -ies) 1. person who helps, esp in a crime (尤指犯罪的) 帮凶; 从犯; 同谋 2. thing that is extra, but not essential 附件; 附属品

**ac·ci·dent** ['æksident] *n* 1. [C] something unexpected and usually unfortunate 意外的事; 偶然的事; (不幸) 事故 2. [U] by accident, by chance 偶然; 意外地; 无意中: I met her by ~. 我偶然遇见了她. ~tal [-dɪnt] *adj* ~ally [-təli] *adv*

**ac·claim** [ə'kleim] *vt* applaud loudly 欢呼; 喝采 ☐ *n* [U] applause, approval 欢呼; 喝采; 称赞

**ac·cli·mat·ize** [ə'klaɪmətaɪz] *vt / i* get used to a new climate or environment 适应新的气候 (或环境); 服水土

**ac·col·ade** ['ækələd] *n* [C] (fig) praise; approval [喻] 赞美; 赞颂

**ac·com·mo·date** [ə'kɒmədɪt] *vt* 1. provide lodging for 供给住宿 2. change to fit something else 适应; 调和; 配合: ~ oneself to a new plan 适应新的计划 **ac·commo·da·tion** *n* [U] (GB) furnished or unfurnished room(s) [英国英语] 有家具或无家具的房间 **ac·com·mo·dating**, helpful 乐于助人的

**ac·com·pani·ment** [ə'kʌmpənɪmənt] *n*

[C] 1. thing that usually goes with another thing 伴随物; 附属物 2. (*music*) music played to support a singer or solo instrument [音乐] 伴奏

**ac·com·pan·ist** [ə'kʌmpənɪst] *n* [C] person who accompanies a musician 伴奏者

**ac·com·pany** [ə'kʌmpəni] *vi* (*pt, pp* -ied)

1. go with 伴随; 陪同: *accompanied by his wife* 由妻子陪伴 2. (*music*) play an accompaniment (2) to [音乐] 伴奏

**ac·com·plice** [ə'kʌmplɪs] *n* [C] helper or companion (in doing something illegal) 帮凶; 同谋; 从犯

**ac·com·plish** [ə'kʌmplɪʃ] *vi* succeed in doing 完成; 达成; 做成功 ~ *ed adj* well trained; skilled 熟练的; 有才艺的; 技术精湛的 ~ *ment n* (*formal*) [正式用语] (a) [U] completion 完成 (b) [C] thing well done; skill 成就; 才艺; 技艺

**ac·cord** [ə'kɔ:d] *n* [U] of one's own ~, without being asked or forced; willingly 主动地; 自愿地; 自发地

**ac·cord·ing** [ə'kɔ:dɪŋ] *prep* ~ to, 1. on the authority of (eg the Bible) 根据 2. in proportion to 视...而定: *punished ~ to the crime* 视其罪行而受惩罚 3. in order of 按照; 依照: *books arranged ~ to subject* 按科目分类的书 ~ *ly adv* for that reason 据此; 因此; 所以; 于是

**ac·cord·ion** [ə'kɔ:dɪən] *n* [C] (*music*) wind instrument with a keyboard

[音乐] 手风琴

**ac·cost** [ə'kɔ:st] *vi* go up to and speak to first, esp a stranger 走上前去跟 (尤指陌生人) 讲话; 跟...打招呼

**ac·count<sup>1</sup>** [ə'kaʊnt] *n* 1. [C] (*commerce*) statement of money (to be) paid or received [商业] 帐; 帐目; 帐户 open an ~, start to keep one's money at a bank, etc 开立帐户 ⇒ **current<sup>1</sup>** (2), **deposit<sup>1</sup>** (3), **joint<sup>1</sup>** and **save<sup>1</sup>**. 2. [C] calculation 计算; 算帐 3. [C] report; description 报告; 叙述; 描写: *give an ~ of the meeting* 报道会议情况 4. [U] take sth into ~; take ~ of sth, note or consider it 注意; 重视; 考虑 5. [U] on ~ of, because of 因为; 由于 on no ~, not for any reason 决不; 无论如何不

**ac·count<sup>2</sup>** [ə'kaʊnt] *vi* / *i* ~ for, (a) be an explanation of 解释; 说明 (b) give an explanation of money spent 报帐 ~ **able** [-əbl] *adj* ~ **able** for, responsible for 对...负责

**ac·count·ancy** [ə'kaʊntənsi] *n* [U] profession of an accountant 会计工作; 会计职业

**ac·count·ant** [ə'kaʊntənt] *n* [C] (*GB*) person who keeps and examines business accounts [英国英语] 会计 (员); 会计师

**ac·crue** [ə'kru:] *vi* increase 增加; 增长: *interest ~s on your loan* 你的贷款产生利息

**ac·cu·mu·late** [ə'kju:mjuleɪt] *vi* / *i* make or become greater in quantity

- 积累;积聚;堆积 **ac·cu·mu·la·tion** *n* [C,U]
- ac·cu·racy** ['ækjʊrəsi] *n* [U] degree of being correct 准确;精确;准确性;精密度
- ac·cu·rate** [ˌækjʊrət] *adj* exact; correct 准确的;精确的;精密的 ~ly *adv*
- ac·cu·sa·tion** [ˌækjuˈzeɪʃn] *n* [C] charge of doing wrong 控告;谴责
- ac·cuse** [ə'kju:z] *vt* say that somebody has done wrong 控告;指控;指责 the accused, the person(s) charged with a crime 被告 accuser, person who accuses 原告;起诉者
- ac·cus·tom** [ə'kʌstəm] *vi* be ~ed to, have experience of; do often 习惯于;对...习以为常 ~ed *adj* usual 通常的;惯常的:in his ~ed seat 在他通常的座位上
- ace** [eɪs] *n* [C] 1. the one on dice, playing-cards, etc (骰子、纸牌等的) 么点;么点牌 2. (informal) an expert [非正式用语] 能手;专家
- ache** [eɪk] *vi*, *n* [C] (cause, have a) continuous pain 痛;疼痛:My back was aching. 我的背在疼. ~ for, want very much 渴望
- achieve** [ə'tʃi:v] *vt* 1. get (something) done 做完;完成 2. gain or reach by effort (努力) 获得;达到:~ success 获得成功 **achiev·able** [-əbl] *adj* ~ment [-mənt] *n* [C,U]
- acid** ['æsid] *adj* 1. sour 酸的;酸味的 2. (fig) sharp; sarcastic [喻]尖酸刻薄的;讥讽的:~ comments 尖刻的评论
- *n* [C,U] (chem) substance, containing hydrogen, which dissolves metals [化学]酸 ~ test, (fig) test of the value of something 酸性试验[喻](证明某事物之价值的) 严峻考验
- ac·knowl·edge** [ə'knɒlɪdʒ] *vt* 1. agree or admit 承认;供认:I ~ my mistake. 我承认我的错误. 2. report that one has received (eg a letter) 告知收到(信件等) 3. express thanks for 对...表示感谢 **acknow·ledg(e)·ment** *n* [C,U]
- acne** ['ækni] *n* [U] pimples on the face and neck 粉刺;痤疮
- acorn** ['eɪkɔ:n] *n* [C] seed or fruit of the oak tree 橡子;橡果
- acous·tic** [ə'ku:stɪk] *adj* of sound 听觉的;声音的;声学的 **acous·tics** *n* [U] (a) (with a sing verb) the scientific study of sound [用单数动词]声学(b) (with a pl verb) the design of a hall etc, that makes it good, poor, etc for hearing music or speeches [用复数动词] (礼堂等的) 音响效果;音响装置
- ac·quaint** [ə'kwɛɪnt] *vt* 1. ~ sb / oneself with, get to know 知道;了解;知悉 2. be ~ed (with sb), have met (him) personally 与(某人)见过面;认识;熟识 (某人) ~ance[-əns] *n* (a) [U] knowledge gained through experience (由经验得到的)知识;认识 make sb's ~ance, get to know him 结识(某人) (b) [C] person whom one knows (less intimately than a friend) 相识的人;熟人
- ac·quire** [ə'kwɛɪə(r)] *vt* gain by skill or

one's own efforts 获得;取得;得到

**ac·qui·si·tion** [ˌækwiˈziʃn] *n* 1. [U]

(*formal*) collecting [正式用语] 获得

2. [C] something acquired 获得物

**ac·quisitive** [əˈkwɪzɪtɪv] *adj* fond of collecting things 喜欢获取的;想获得的

**ac·quit** [əˈkwɪt] *vi* (—tt—) ~ sb (of / on sth), declare that (he) is not guilty 宣告 (某人) 无罪 ~ tal *n* [C, U]

**acre** [ˈeɪkə(r)] *n* [C] measure of land, about 4000 sq metres 英亩 (约等于 4,000 平方米) ~ **age** [ˈeɪkərɪdʒ] *n* [U] area of land measured in acres 英亩数; (以英亩计算的) 土地面积

**ac·rid** [ˈækrɪd] *adj* (of smell or taste) sharp; bitter (指气味或味道) 辛辣的;苦涩的

**ac·ri·moni·ous** [ˌækriˈmɒniəs] *adj* (*formal*) (of arguments, etc) showing hate, disappointment [正式用语] (指辩论、论争等) 恶毒的;厉害的;尖刻的;剧烈的 **ac·ri·mony** [ˈækriməni] *n* [U]

**ac·ro·bat** [ˈækrəbæt] *n* [C] person who can do skilful physical acts, eg on a tightrope 杂技演员 ~ **ic** [ˈbæʊk] *adj* ~ **ics** *n pl*

**ac·ro·nym** [ˈækrənɪm] *n* [C] word formed from the initial letters of a name, eg NASA. 首字母缩略词(如 NASA)

**across** [əˈkrɒs] *adv, prep* (⇒ the verb entries, eg come, get, put, run) 1. from side to side of 从...一边到另一边;横

过;穿过: walk ~ the street 走过街道

2. on the other side of 在...另一边; 在对面: My house is just ~ the street. 我的房子就在街对面. 3. so as to form a cross 交叉;成十字形: He sat with his arms ~ his chest. 他两臂交叉在胸前坐着.

**act**<sup>1</sup> [ækt] *n* [C] 1. thing done 行为;举动

2. process of doing 行动;动作过程: caught in the ~ 当场被捉住

3. law made by a government 法令: an ~ of Parliament 议院的一项法令 4. main division of a play (戏剧的) 幕 5. a short performance 一段表演;节目: a circus ~ 马戏表演节目 put on an ~, pretend 装模作样, A ~ of 'God, the result of natural forces, eg floods 不可抗力(如水灾等)

**act**<sup>2</sup> [ækt] *vi* / *i* 1. do something 行动;做某事: We must ~ at once. 我们必须立刻行动. 2. take the part of, eg a character in a play or film (在戏剧或电影中) 扮演(角色); 演戏; 表演 ~ **ing** *adj* doing the duties of another person for a time 代理的;临时的: the ~ Manager 代理

**act·ing** [ˈæktɪŋ] *n* [U] (art of) performing in a play 演技;表演;演戏的艺术

**ac·tion** [ˈækʃn] *n* 1. [U] process of doing things 行动;动作 put (sth) out of ~, stop (it) working 使停止工作 2. [C] thing done; act 所做之事;行为 3. [C, U] fighting in war 战斗: killed in / go into ~ 阵亡 / 投入战斗

**ac·ti·vate** [ˈæktɪveɪt] *vi* make active 使

活动;使活跃;使触发:~ a bomb 触发炸弹

**ac·tive** ['æktiv] *adj* able to do things; busy 有活动力的;能动的;活跃的;积极的 ~ *ly adv*

**ac·tiv·ist** ['æktivɪst] *n* [C] person taking an active part, eg in a political movement (政治运动等的) 积极分子

**ac·tiv·ity** [æk'tivəti] *n* (pl -ies) 1. [U] being active 活动性;能动性;活跃 2. [C] thing (to be) done; occupation 所做(或要做)的事情;活动

**ac·tor** ['æktə(r)] *n* [C] man who acts on the stage, etc 男演员

**ac·tress** ['æktɪs] *n* [C] woman who acts on the stage, etc 女演员

**ac·tual** ['æktʃuəl] *adj* existing in fact; real 实际的;真实的;现实的 ~ *ly* ['æktʃuəli] *adv* (a) really 实际地;真正地;确实地: *He looks honest*; ~ *ly he's a thief* 他看起来很诚实,实际上他是个小偷。(b) surprisingly 居然;竟然: *He ~ ly won the race!* 他居然赢了这次比赛。

**acu·men** [ə'kju:men] *n* [U] ability to understand quickly 敏锐;明智;聪明: *business ~* 善理业务的才智;生意眼

**acu·punc·ture** ['ækjupʌŋkʃə(r)] *n* [U] (med) pricking the skin with needles to take away pain [医学]针刺;针刺疗法

**acute** [ə'kju:t] *adj* 1. (of pain, mind, etc) strong, quick to react (指痛楚、智力等) 剧烈的;厉害的;敏锐的;灵敏的

2. (of diseases) coming quickly to a crisis (指疾病)急性的 ⇒ **chronic**.

3. (of sounds) high; shrill (指声音) 高音的;刺耳的;尖锐的 ~ **accent**, symbol over a letter, eg *café* 尖音记号(置于字母之上,如 *café*) ~ **angle**, angle of less than 90° 锐角(小于90°的角) ~ *ly adv* ~ **ness** *n* [U]

**ad** [æd] *n* [C] (*informal*) (abbr for) advertisement (非正式用语)广告 (*advertisement* 的缩写)

**Adam's apple** ['ædəmz æpl] *n* lump in the front of the throat 喉结

**ada·mant** ['ædəmənt] *adj* refusing to change one's opinion 不动摇的;坚定不移的

**adapt** [ə'dæpt] *vi* make suitable for a new use, situation, etc 使适应;使适合;改编;改写 ~ **able** [-əbl] *adj* ~ **ation** [ædæp'teɪʃn] *n* [C,U] process, result of adapting 适应;改写;改编;改写本;改编作品 ~ **er**, ~ **or** [-tə(r)], (a) person who adapts 改编者 (b) a fitting eg for an electric socket so that more than one plug(2) may be used 转接器;接头;插座

**add** [æd] *vt* / *i* 1. join; put together 加;增加;添加 ~ **sth up**, find the sum of 加起来;合计 ~ **up** (to), (a) give as a result 合计达: *The figures ~ up to 365*. 这些数字加起来等于 365. (b) (*informal*) indicate, mean [非正式用语] 表明;预示;意思是(c) (*informal*) be believable [非正式用语] 相信;信任: *It just doesn't ~ up*. 这简直是

不可信的。2. say something more 又说;还说

**ad·der** ['ædə(r)] *n* [C] small poisonous European snake 蝰蛇; (一种产于欧洲的小毒蛇)

**ad·dict** [ə'dikt] *vt* be ~ ed to, drink, smoke, etc without being able to stop 沉溺于;醉心于;上了...的瘾 □ *n* ['ædikt] person who is addicted to something harmful 有瘾的人;上瘾的人: a 'drug ~ 吸毒上瘾的人 **ad·diction** [ə'dikʃn] *n* [C, U] ~ ive [ə'diktiv] *adj* causing addiction 使成瘾的;上瘾的

**ad·di·tion** [ə'diʃn] *n* 1. [U] adding 加;增加;添加 2. [C] person or thing added 增加的人;增加物 in ~ (to), as well (as) 除...以外;此外 ~ al [ə'diʃənl] *adj* extra 另外的;外加的;附加的: ~ al costs 附加费用

**ad·dress** [ə'dres] *n* [C] 1. number, street, etc where a person lives 住址;通讯处 2. speech (to an audience) 演说;讲话 □ *vt* [ə'dres] 1. make a speech to 向...讲话;发表演说 2. write the name and address(1) on an envelope, etc 在(信封等)上写姓名地址 3. ~ sth to, send (a remark, complaint, etc) to 向...提议(抱怨等)

**adept** ['ædept] *adj* expert, skilled 内行的;有专长的;熟练的: ~ in photography 精于摄影技术

**ad·equate** ['ædikwət] *adj* satisfactory; sufficient 适当的;充分的;足够的 ~ ly *adv*

**ad·here** [əd'hieə(r)] *vi* (*formal*) [正式用语] 1. stick (to) 粘住;附着 2. be loyal to; support firmly 忠于;坚持 **ad·herence** [-rəns] *n* [U] support; loyalty 坚持;忠诚 **ad·her·ent** [-rənt] *n* [C] supporter (of a cause, political party, etc) (事业、政党等的)支持者;拥护者

**ad·hesive** [əd'hi:siv] *adj* able to stick 粘的;有粘性的;有附着力的 □ *n* [C, U] substance that sticks, eg gum 胶 粘剂;粘性物质(如树胶) **ad·hesion** [əd'hi:ʒn] *n* [U]

**ad·jac·ent** [ə'dʒeɪsnt] *adj* next to, near(to) 邻近的;毗连的;附近的

**ad·jec·tive** ['ædʒiktiv] *n* [C] (*gram*) word that names a quality, or that defines a noun, eg green, pretty, bad [语法形容词(如 green, pretty, bad 等)] **ad·jec·tival** [ ,ædʒik'taɪvl] *adj*

**ad·journ** [ə'dʒɔ:n] *vi* / *i* stop, eg a meeting for a time 停止一段时间;休会 ~ ment *n* [C, U]

**ad·ju·di·cate** [ə'dʒu:dikeɪt] *vi* / *i* (*formal*) decide; judge [正式用语] 判决;宣判;裁定: ~ on / upon a disagreement 判决一起争执 **ad·judi·ca·tion** *n* [C, U] **ad·ju·dica·tor** [-tə(r)] *n* [C]

**ad·just** [ə'dʒʌst] *vi* set right; regulate 调整;调节;校准 ~ able [-əbl] *adj* ~ ment *n* [C]

**ad lib** [ ,æd 'lib] *adv* (*informal*) done without preparation [非正式用语] 即兴;随意 □ *vi* (-bb-) (*informal*) do, say, without preparation [非正式用

语]即兴作出;即兴演说 □ *adj* ~ remarks 即兴讲话

**ad·min·is·ter** [əd'ministə(r)] *vt* / *i*  
1. control, manage 管理;治理: ~ a country, govern it 治理国家 2. give; apply, put into operation 给与;施与;实施;执行: ~ justice / help to people 执法 / 给人民以救助

**ad·min·is·tra·tion** [əd·mini'streiʃn] *n*  
[U] 1. management; public affairs, government (of a country) 管理;经营;行政;政府 2. administering of justice, relief, etc (法律、救济等的) 执行;实施;施用;提供 **ad·min·is·trative** [əd'ministrətiv] *adj* **ad·min·is·tra·tor** *n* [C]

**ad·mir·able** ['ædmərəbl] *adj* excellent 极好的;极妙的;美妙的 **ad·mir·ably** *adv*

**ad·miral** ['ædmərəl] *n* [C] officer in command of a country's warships 舰队司令;海军上将

**ad·mir·ation** [·ædmə'reiʃn] *n* [U] (fee) ~ ing of pleasure, respect 赞美;赞赏;钦佩;敬佩

**ad·mire** [əd'maɪə(r)] *vt* look at with pleasure; have a high opinion of 赞赏;钦佩;羡慕;崇拜 **ad·mirer**, person who admires 赞赏者;赞赏者;羡慕者 **ad·mir·ing adj**

**ad·mis·sion** [əd'miʃn] *n* 1. [U] admitting(1); fee for this 允许进入;入场费: A ~ fee. 免费入场. 2. [C] confession 供认;承认: make an ~ of guilt 供认犯罪

**ad·mit** [əd'mit] *vt* / *i* (-tt-) 1. allow to enter; let in 准许进入;让...进入: The secretary ~ ted me (into the office). 秘书把我让进办公室. 2. acknowledge; confess 承认;供认: I ~ my mistake / that I was mistaken. 我承认我的错误 / 我错了. ~ to, confess 坦白;承认 ~ tance *n* [U] right to enter 允许进入;进入权 ~ ted·ly [əd'miɪdli] *adv* by general agreement 公认地

**ado** [ə'du:] *n* [U] fuss; trouble 忙乱;纷扰;麻烦;困难: Without more ~, he agreed. 他不再啰嗦就同意了.

**ado·lescence** [·ædə'lesns] *n* [U] period between childhood and maturity 青春期 **ado·lescent** [·ædə'lesnt] *adj*, *n* [C] (person) growing up 青春期的;青少年的;青少年

**adopt** [ə'dɒpt] *vt* 1. take (a child) into one's family with legal guardianship 收养;领养(孩子) = foster. 2. accept and use (an idea, a recommendation) 采纳;采用;采取(意见、推荐等) **adop·tion** [ə'dɒpʃn] *n* [U] ~ ive *adj* taken by adoption 收养的;采用的: his ~ parents 他的养父母

**ador·able** [ə'dɔ:rəbl] *adj* lovable 可爱的: an ~ child / puppy 可爱的孩子 / 小狗

**ador·ation** [·ædə'reiʃn] *n* [U] worship; love 崇拜;敬爱

**adore** [ə'dɔ:(r)] *vt* 1. worship (God); love deeply; respect highly 崇拜(上帝)深爱;敬慕;敬重 2. (informal) like very