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ex¹  (ěks)

Share:

prep.

1. Not including; without: *a stock price ex dividend*.
2. Free of any transport or handling charges incurred before removal from a given location: *bought the goods ex warehouse*.
3. From, but not having graduated with, the class of: *a Columbia alumnus, ex '95*.

[Latin; see **eghs** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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ex²  (ěks)

Share:

n.

The letter x.

tr.v. **exed**, **ex·ing**, **ex·es**

To delete or cross out: *He exed each item off the to-do list*.

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ex³  (ěks)

Share:

n.

Slang

A former spouse or partner.

[From [EX-](#).]

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ex.

Share:

abbr.

1. examination
2. example
3.
 - a. except
 - b. exception
4. exchange

- 5. executive
- 6. express
- 7. extra

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Ex

Share:

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Exodus

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ex-

Share:

pref.
1. Outside; out of; away from: *exodontia*.
2. Not; without: *excaudate*.
3. Former: *ex-president*.

[Middle English, from Old French, from Latin and Greek; see **eghs** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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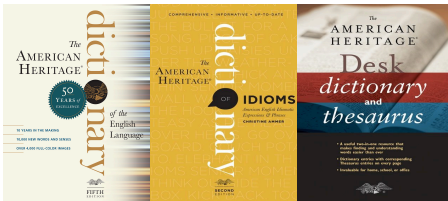
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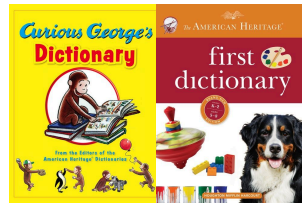
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