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n. pl. **ag·o·ras** or **ag·o·rae** (-ə-rē')

A place of congregation, especially an ancient Greek marketplace.

[Greek *agorā*; see **ger-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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a·go·ra²  (ä'gə-rä)

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n. pl. **a·go·rot** (-rōt)

An Israeli unit of currency equal to $\frac{1}{100}$ of the sheqel.

[Hebrew *'ăgôrâ*, from *'āgar*, to hire; see **'gr** [in the Appendix of Semitic roots](#).]

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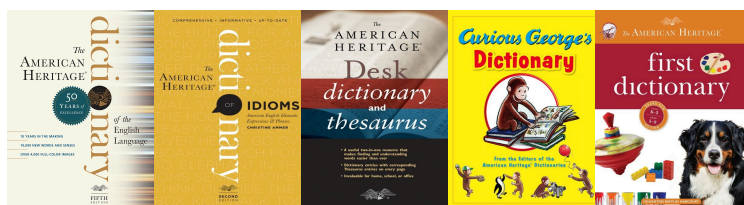
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