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adj.

Inflicting or intended to inflict punishment.

[From Latin *pūnītus*, from past participle of *pūnīre*, to punish; see [PUNISH](#).]

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