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n.

1. A small group of people organized in a common endeavor or activity.
2. The smallest tactical unit of military personnel.
3. A small unit of police officers.
4. *Sports* An athletic team.

[Obsolete French *esquade*, from Old French *escadre*, from Old Spanish *escuadra* and Old Italian *squadra*, both from Vulgar Latin **exquadra*, square; see [SQUARE](#).]

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