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Suppose to be the case, without proof.

I **assume** his train was late.

**belief** A religious conviction.

Contrary to popular **belief** existing safety regulations were adequate.

A sudden and unaccountable change of mood or behaviour.

A land where men were ruled by law and not by caprice.

Exhibiting native good judgment.

commonsensical Unlearned and commonsensical countryfolk were capable of solving

problems that beset the more sophisticated.

**deducible** Capable of being deduced.

extrapolate Draw from specific cases for more general cases.

The figures were **extrapolate**d from past trends.

The action of estimating or concluding something by assuming that

**extrapolation** existing trends will continue or a current method will remain applicable.

The figure is an **extrapolation** from prior data.

**generalize** Speak or write in generalities.

Attempts to **generalize** an elite education.

The aim or purpose.

**idea** Our menu list will give you some **idea** of how interesting a low fat diet

can be.

Characterized by the inference of general laws from particular

**inductive** instances.

*Inductive* reasoning.

Draw from specific cases for more general cases.

infer

From these facts we can infer that crime has been increasing.



inference

The reasoning involved in drawing a conclusion or making a logical

judgment on the basis of circumstantial evidence and prior conclusions

rather than on the basis of direct observation.

His emphasis on order and health and by **inference** cleanliness.

The system of operations performed by a computer that underlies the

**logic** machine s representation of logical operations.

The **logic** of the argument is faulty.

Marked by an orderly logical and aesthetically consistent relation of

<u>logical</u> parts.

Her **logical** mind.

logically According to the rules of logic or formal argument.

*Try to stay calm and think logically about the questions.* 

**opinion** A formal statement of reasons for a judgement given.

That in my **opinion** is right.

**philosophical** Of or relating to philosophy or philosophers.

**Philosophical** writing.

reasonable Marked by sound judgment.

The guilt of a person on trial must be proved beyond **reasonable** doubt.

Endowed with the capacity to reason.

reasoning

He explained the **reasoning** behind his decision at a media conference.

Reasonable or sensible.

Hard work kept me sane.

Able to notice or appreciate; not unaware of.

**sensible** I am **sensible** that the mention of such a circumstance may appear

trifling.

speculative Showing curiosity.

Raised a **speculative** eyebrow.

**syllogistic** Of or relating to or consisting of syllogism.

An attitude of mind especially one that favors one alternative over

**tendency** others.

theory

The shoreward **tendency** of the current.

A tentative insight into the natural world; a concept that is not yet

verified but that if true would explain certain facts or phenomena.

The architect has a **theory** that more is less.

Thoughts; meditations.

thinking
His thinking is reflected in his later autobiography.



An unexpected and inexplicable change in something (in a situation or a

**vagary** person's behavior, etc.

The vagaries of the weather.

A sudden desire or change of mind, especially one that is unusual or

whim unexplained.

Whimsy can be humorous to someone with time to enjoy it.

The trait of acting unpredictably and more from whim or caprice than

from reason or judgment.

whimsy

A clean slate on which to enter information in the form that suits your

whimsy.

wrongheaded Obstinately perverse in judgment or opinion.

A wrongheaded policy.



