

# camshaft *(cam-shaft)*

## Definition

n. in internal combustion engines rotating shaft with attached disks of irregular shape the cams which actuate the intake and exhaust valves of the cylinders

## Example Sentence

The **camshaft** has a great effect on engine performance. Spelled as one word.

## Synonyms

rotating shaft; shaft with cam attached; rotating shaft with attached cams

## Antonyms

battery

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