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down·load 'daŭn-,lōd



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: an act or instance of transferring something (such as data or files) from a usually large computer to the memory of another device (such as a smaller computer) : an act or instance of downloading (see [DOWNLOAD entry 2](#)) something faster *downloads*

also : the item downloaded

two *downloads*

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verb

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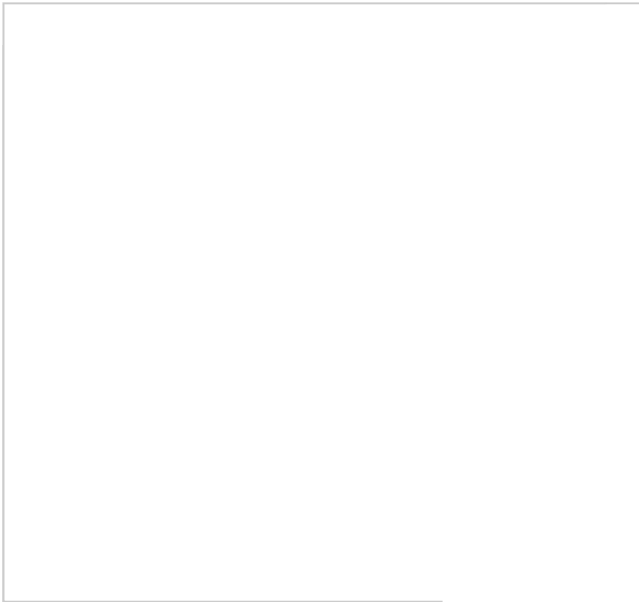
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: an act or instance of transferring data from a usually large computer to the memory of another device (as a smaller computer)

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down·load

: to transfer (data) from one location (as a large computer to another smaller computer or storage device)

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