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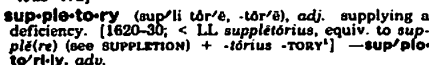
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sup·port (sə pōrt', -pōrt'), *v.t.* 1. to bear or hold up (a load, mass, structure, part, etc.); serve as a foundation for. 2. to sustain or withstand (weight, pressure, strain).

su/per-ve-nos/i-ty, *n.*
 su/per-vo/s'ent, *n.*
 su/per-vox-a'tion, *n.*
 su/per-vo-to'ri-ous, *adj.*; -ly.
adv.; -ness, *n.*
 su/per-vice'to-ry, *n.*, *pl.*
 -ries.
 su/per-vig'i-lance, *n.*
 su/per-vig'i-lant, *adj.*; -ly.
adv.
 su/per-vig'i-er-ous, *adj.*; -ly.
adv.; -ness, *n.*
 su/per-vit'u-lent, *adj.*; -ly.
adv.
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adv.
 su/per-vit'ual, *adj.*; -ly, *adv.*
 -ness, *n.*
 su/per-vit'ual'i-ty, *n.*
 su/per-vo-l'ition, *n.*
 su/per-vo-lu'mi-nous, *adj.*; -ly.
adv.
 su/per-wa'ger, *n.*
 su/per-wealth'y, *adj.*
 su/per-weep'an, *n.*
 su/per-wise', *adj.*
 su/per-world'i-ness,
n.
 su/per-world'ly, *adj.*
 su/per-wrought', *adj.*
 su/per-yacht', *n.*
 su/per-zoo'lous, *adj.*; -ly, *adv.*