

To be bedevilled

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“To be bedevilled by” is to have a lot of persistent (persistente) problems at the same time. The verb is bedevil. Consider these examples:

- The Spanish economy is bedevilled by problems (...está plagado de problemas).
- The British exit from the EU has been bedevilled by problems.
- The Spanish motor industry has been bedevilled by rising costs (... ha sido afligido por el aumento de los costes).
- The English cricket team has been bedevilled by injuries (...ha sufrido muchas lesiones).