

# repugnant

[rɪˈpʌgnənt] *a*

1. противный, отвратительный невыносимый  
 repugnant appearance - отталкивающая внешность  
 repugnant odour - мерзкий /отвратительный запах  
 I find his views repugnant - я нахожу его взгляды чудовищными  
 all food was repugnant to me during my illness - во время болезни меня мутило от одного вида пищи
2. 1) противоречащий; несовместимый  
 his actions are repugnant to his words - его поступки противоречат его словам  
 repugnant condition - условие, несовместимое с целью договора; бессмысленное условие
- 2) сопротивляющийся; враждующий  
 repugnant forces - враждующие силы  
 a mind repugnant to knowledge - невосприимчивый ум

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**re·pug·nant** *BrE* [rɪˈpʌgnənt] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [rɪˈpʌgnənt] <sup>ˈ</sup> **adjective not usually before**

**noun** (formal)

making you feel strong dislike or disgust

**Syn:** ↑repulsive

- We found his suggestion absolutely repugnant
- ~ **to sb** The idea of eating meat was repugnant to her.

Word Origin:

[**repugnant**] late Middle English (in the sense 'offering resistance'): from Old French **repugnant** or Latin **repugnant**- '**opposing**', from the verb **repugnare** '**oppose**', from **re-** (expressing opposition) + **pugnare** '**to fight**'.

Example Bank:

- We found his suggestion quite repugnant

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**re·pug·nant** /rɪˈpʌgnənt/ *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> **adjective formal**

[**Date:** 1700-1800; **Language:** French; **Origin:** Latin, present participle of repugnare '**to fight against**']

very unpleasant and offensive **SYN repellent**

**deeply/utterly/wholly etc repugnant**

<sup>ˈ</sup> I find his political ideas totally repugnant.

**repugnant to**

<sup>ˈ</sup> Animal experiments are morally repugnant to many people.

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