

**regent**

1. [ˈri:dʒ(ə)nt] *n*
    - 1) регент
    - 2) редк. правитель
  2. 1) член правления (в некоторых американских университетах)
  - 2) *ист.* риджент (магистр или доктор наук в некоторых университетах)
2. [ˈri:dʒ(ə)nt] *a*
    1. являющийся регентом  
Queen Regent - королева-регентша
    2. редк. правящий

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

▪ **I. re-gent** (also **Regent**) **adjective after noun**  
 • the Prince Regent  
 Main entry: ↑regent<sub>derived</sub>

▪ **II. re-gent** [**regent regents**] **BrE** [ˈriːdʒənt] **NAme** [ˈriːdʒənt] (also **Regent**) **noun**  
 a person who rules a country because the king or queen is too young, old, ill/sick, etc  
 • to act as regent

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Old French, or from Latin **regent-** 'ruling', from the verb **regere**.

Example Bank:

- She acted as regent until her son was old enough to be crowned king.

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**re-gent** /ˈriːdʒənt/ **BrE** <sup>ˈ</sup> **AmE** <sup>ˈ</sup> **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: Latin, present participle of regere 'to rule']

someone who governs instead of a king or queen, because the king or queen is ill, absent, or still a child ⇒ **regency**

—**regent** **adjective** [only after noun]:

- the Prince Regent
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**THESAURUS**

- **king** the male ruler of a country, who comes from a royal family: George III was the king of England at that time. | King Harald V of Norway
- **queen** a woman who rules a country because she is from a royal family, or the wife of a king: She became queen when she was only 14 years old. | Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom
- **monarch** a king or queen: The bishops were appointed by the monarch.
- **monarchy** a country that is ruled by a king or queen, or this type of political system: Britain is a constitutional monarchy. | Some people want the monarchy to be abolished.
- **prince** the son of a king, queen, or prince, or the male ruler of a small country or state: Prince Rainier of Monaco | The prince will inherit the throne when his father dies.
- **ruler** someone such as a king, who has official power over a country and its people: the ruler of Babylonia | General Musharraf was the former military ruler of Pakistan.
- **emperor** the ruler of an **empire** (=group of countries): the Habsburg emperors of the 19th century | Emperor Hirohito
- **sovereign** **formal** a king or queen: It was hoped that a meeting of the two sovereigns would ease tensions between the countries.
- **regent** someone who governs instead of a king or queen, because the king or queen is ill, absent, or still a child: Edward II left his friend Gaveston as regent.
- **the crown** **formal** the position of king or queen: Warwick was a loyal servant of the crown.

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