

otherwise1. ['lðəwaɪz] *a*

противоположный иной, другой

we hoped his behaviour would be otherwise - мы надеялись, что он будет вести себя иначе

their otherwise friends - их друзья в кавычках

his answer could not be otherwise - он не мог ответить иначе

2. ['lðəwaɪz] *adv*

1. иначе, иным способом, иным образом; по-другому

this must be done quite otherwise - это надо сделать совсем по-другому

he could do it no otherwise - он не мог сделать это иначе

they don't influence him any otherwise than by example - они действуют на него только /не иначе как/ примером

2. в других отношениях

the rent is high, but otherwise the house is satisfactory - квартирная плата высока, но в остальном /в других отношениях/ дом

нас вполне устраивает

an otherwise satisfactory piece of work - во всех других отношениях вполне приемлемая работа

you reminded me of what I would otherwise have forgotten - вы мне напомнили о том, о чём бы я иначе забыл

3. или же, в противном случае

go at once, otherwise you will miss the train - отправляйтесь немедленно, иначе опоздаете на поезд

◇ and otherwise - и наоборот

the merits or otherwise of the plan - достоинства или недостатки этого плана

otherwise

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

other-wise *BrE* ['lðəwaɪz] ^o *NAmE* ['lðərwaɪz] ^o *adverb*

1. used to state what the result would be if sth did not happen or if the situation were different

• My parents lent me the money. Otherwise, I couldn't have afforded the trip.

• Shut the window, otherwise it'll get too cold in here.

• We're committed to the project. We wouldn't be here otherwise.

2. apart from that

• There was some music playing upstairs. Otherwise the house was silent.

• He was slightly bruised but otherwise unhurt.

3. in a different way to the way mentioned; differently

• Bismarck, **otherwise known as** 'the Iron Chancellor'

• It is not permitted to sell or otherwise distribute copies of past examination papers.

• You know what this is about. Why **pretend otherwise** (= that you do not) ?• I wanted to see him but he was **otherwise engaged** (= doing sth else) .**more at** know different/otherwise **at** ↑know *v.*Idiom: ↑or otherwiseWord Origin:[**otherwise**] Old English on ðhre wisan (from ↑**other** + wise 'manner or extent of something').**otherwise**

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

other-wise *S1 W2* /'lðəwaɪz \$ 'lðər-/ *BrE* ^o *AmE* ^o *adverb*1. [**sentence adverb**] used when saying what bad thing will happen if something is not done:

" You'll have to go now, otherwise you'll miss your bus.

" Put your coat on, otherwise you'll get cold.

2. [**sentence adverb**] used when saying what would have happened or might have happened if something else had not happened:

" We were delayed at the airport. Otherwise we would have been here by lunch time.

" They got two free tickets to Canada, otherwise they'd never have been able to afford to go.

3. **say/think/decide etc otherwise** to say, think, or decide something different:

" The government claims that the economy is improving, but this survey suggests otherwise.

" A lot of people think otherwise.

4. except for what has just been mentioned:

" He was tired but otherwise in good health.

[**sentence adverb**]

" I could hear the distant noise of traffic. Otherwise all was still.

[**+ adjective/adverb**]

" This spoiled an otherwise excellent piece of work.

" Their arrival livened up an otherwise dull afternoon.

5. **or otherwise especially British English** used to refer to the opposite of what has just been mentioned:

" We welcome any comments from viewers, favourable or otherwise.

" The truth or otherwise of this diagnosis would be revealed in the future.

6. **otherwise engaged formal** busy doing something else:

" I'm afraid I will be otherwise engaged that day.

7. **otherwise known as** also called:

" Albert DeSalvo, otherwise known as the Boston Strangler

8. **formal** in a different way:

" people who smoke or otherwise abuse their bodies

9. **it cannot be otherwise/how can it be otherwise? formal** used to say that it is impossible for something to be different from the

way it is:

Life in the military is hard – how can it be otherwise?

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- **if** used when talking about the possibility that something might happen or be true: He faces a long prison sentence if the court finds him guilty. | If scientists' predictions are correct, average global temperatures could rise by 6 degrees.
- **unless** if something does not happen, or if someone does not do something: The star is difficult to see unless the sky is very clear. | Doctors said they could not treat the boy unless his parents gave their permission.
- **whether or not** used when saying that it does not matter if something happens or not, or if something is true or not: Most people will get better on their own, whether or not they receive medical treatment. | I'm still going, whether she likes it or not.
- **otherwise** used when saying that there will be a bad result if someone does not do something, or if something does not happen: Drink plenty of water – otherwise you will become dehydrated.
- **in case** in order to deal with something that might happen: She did not think it would rain, but she took her umbrella just in case. | It is best to keep a medical kit ready in case of emergency.
- **as long as/provided that** only if something else happens or is true: Visitors are welcome, as long as they bring their own tent. | Anyone can join the course, provided that there is space available. | As long as you can find a computer, you can access an internet-based bank account wherever you are.
- **on condition that** used when you agree to do something only if someone first agrees to do something else: He was offered the job on condition that he went on a month-long training course.

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