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[ə'dʒɑ:] *a predic*

приоткрытый неплотно закрытый
the door was ajar - дверь была приоткрыта
leave the door ajar - не захлопывайте дверь

II

[ə'dʒɑ:] *a predic книжн.*

1) резкий; не в тон
2) в разладе, в ссоре (с кем-л., чем-л.)
to be ajar with the facts - противоречить фактам

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

ajar *BrE* [ə'dʒɑː(j)]^m *NAmE* [ə'dʒɑː]^m *adjective not before noun*

(of a door) slightly open

• I'll leave the door ajar.

Word Origin:

[ajar] late 17th cent.: from a- 'on' + obsolete char (Old English cerr) 'a turn, return'.

Example Bank:

• The office door stood ajar.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

ajar /ə'dʒɑː/\$ə'dʒɑː/ *BrE*^m *AmE*^m *adjective [not before noun]*

[Date: 1600-1700; Origin: on char, from on + char 'turn, piece of work' (11-17 centuries) (from Old English cierr)]

a door that is ajar is slightly open

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