

1. [əʊn] *n*

собственность, принадлежность

this work [this house] is entirely his own - эта работа [этот дом] целиком принадлежит ему

to have nothing of one's own - ничего не иметь

a child of his own - его ребёнок

may I have it for my own? - можно мне взять это насовсем?

◇ on one's own - самостоятельно, независимо; на собственную ответственность; по собственной инициативе

I am (all) on my own today - на сегодня у меня нет никаких особых планов

to come into one's own - получить должное; добиться своего; добиться признания; занять подобающее место

to give smb. his own - отдавать должное кому-л., воздавать по заслугам

to hold one's own - а) сохранять своё достоинство, самообладание; б) не уступать, держаться твёрдо; стоять на своём; в) не слабеть, не поддаваться (*болезни*)

to get back one's own, to get one's own back - отомстить за обиду /оскорбление/; взять реванш

to tell smb. his own - *уст.* сказать кому-л. правду в глаза; отчитать кого-л. как надо

2. [əʊn] *a*1. свой собственный, принадлежащий (*кому-л. или чему-л.*)

one's own house [idea] - собственный дом [-ая мысль]

to do smth. with one's own hands - делать что-л. (своими) собственными руками

to see smth. with one's own eyes - видеть что-л. собственными глазами

to be one's own doctor - самому себя лечить

name your own price - назовите свою цену

this fruit has a flavour all its own - у этого плода совсем особенный /присущий только ему/ аромат

she makes all her own dresses - она шьёт себе всё сама

2. собственный, родной

my own father - мой родной отец

own brother [sister] - родной брат [-ая сестра]

own cousin - двоюродный брат

3. любимый

my own one - любимый, родной

◇ to be one's own man /master/ - а) ни от кого не зависеть, быть самому себе хозяином; б) прийти в себя; быть в норме; в)

держат себя в руках

on one's own account /authority/ - самостоятельно, по собственному почину; на собственную ответственность на свой страх и риск

3. [əʊn] *v*

1. иметь, владеть, обладать

to own lands [a house] - владеть землёй [домом]

I own many books - у меня много книг

he behaves as if he owned the place - он ведёт себя так, как будто он здесь хозяин

2. признавать (своим)

to own a child - признавать своё отцовство

3. 1) признавать, допускать

to own the force of an argument - признавать силу аргумента

they refused to own the King - они отказались признавать короля

2) признавать, признаваться

to own one's faults - признавать свои ошибки

to own that one is wrong - признаться в своей неправоте

to own to smth. - признаваться в чём-л.

to own to being wrong - признаться, что был неправ

own

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

own [own owns owned owning] adjective, pronoun, verb BrE [əʊn] ^u NAmE

[aʊn] ^u

adjective, pronoun

1. used to emphasize that sth belongs to or is connected with sb

- It was her own idea.
- I saw it with my own eyes (= I didn't hear about it from somebody else) .
- Is the car your own?
- Your day off is your own (= you can spend it as you wish) .
- Our children are grown up and have children **of their own** .
- **For reasons of his own** (= particular reasons that perhaps only he knew about) , he refused to join the club.
- The accident happened **through no fault of her own** .
- He wants to come into the business **on his own terms** .
- I need a room **of my own** .
- I have my **very own** room at last. **Own** cannot be used after an article
- I need my own room.
- I need an own room.
- It's good to have your own room.
- It's good to have the own room.

2. done or produced by and for yourself

- She makes all her own clothes.
- He has to cook his own meals.

more at the devil looks after his own **at** ↑devil, have a mind of your own **at** ↑mind _{n.}, for sth's own sake **at** ↑sake ¹, like, etc. the sound of your own voice **at** ↑sound _{n.}

Word Origin:

Old English āgen (adjective and pronoun) 'owned, possessed', past participle of āgan 'owe'; the verb (Old English āgnian 'possess', also 'make own's own') was originally from the adjective, later probably reintroduced from ↑owner.

Thesaurus:

own adj.

- I have my own room at last.

personal • • **individual** • • **private** • |sometimes disapproving **subjective** •

sb's own/personal/individual/private/subjective **experience**

sb's own/personal/private/subjective **opinion**

sb's own/personal/individual **needs/requirements/objectives/freedom**

Example Bank:

- He wants to come into the business on his own terms.
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- I saw it with my own eyes.
- It's good to have your own room.
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- The accident happened through no fault of her own.
- Your day off is your own.

Idioms: ↑act as if you own the place ▪ ↑come into its own ▪ ↑get your own back ▪ ↑hold your own ▪ ↑on your own ▪ ↑think you own the place

Derived ↑own up

verb (not used in the progressive tenses)

1. **transitive** ~ **sth** to have sth that belongs to you, especially because you have bought it

- Do you own your house or do you rent it?
- I don't own anything of any value.
- Most of the apartments are privately owned.
- an American-owned company
- Does anyone own this coat? It was left in a classroom.
- Don't tell me what to do— you don't own me!

2. **intransitive, transitive** (old-fashioned) to admit that sth is true

- ~ **to sth/to doing sth** He owned to a feeling of guilt.
- ~ **(that)...** She owned (that) she had been present.

Verb forms: verb forms

present simple	
I / you / we /they	own
	BrE /əʊn/
	NAme /oʊn/
he / she /it	owns
	BrE /əʊnz/
	NAme /oʊnz/
past simple, past participle	owned
	BrE /əʊnd/
	NAme /oʊnd/

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- I don't own anything of value.

have • |especially BrE, especially spoken **have got** • |formal **hold** • • **possess** •

own/have/have got/possess a **car/house**

own/have/have got a **company**

have/have got/hold a **driving licence/passport**

own/hold sth **legally/jointly**

Example Bank:

- He committed the crime with a gun that he legally owned.
- Only when the means of production were communally owned would classes disappear.
- She owns the house jointly with her husband.
- The car was once owned by Elvis Presley.
- The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of SNL Research.
- The museum is privately owned.
- They dreamed of owning their own home.
- Don't tell me what to do— you don't own me!
- I don't own anything of any value.

own

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

I. **own**¹ **S1 W1** /əʊn \$ oun/ **BrE**[±] **AmE**[±] *adjective, pronoun* [always after a possessive]

1. used to emphasize that something belongs to or is connected with a particular person or thing and not any other:

- Bring your own equipment.
- Every dance has its own rhythm.
- The yacht was intended for the King's own personal use.
- His face was only a few inches from her own.

of your own

- We have problems of our own.
- I'd like to have a place of my own (=my own home).

your very own (=used to add more emphasis)

- One day I want to have a horse of my very own.

something to call your own/which you can call your own (=something that belongs to you)

- She just wanted a place to call her own.

2. used to emphasize that someone did or made something without the help or involvement of anyone else:

- She makes a lot of her own clothes.
- We encourage students to develop their own ideas.
- It's your own fault for leaving the window open.

3. (all) on your own

a) alone:

- I've been living on my own for four years now.
- He didn't want to be left on his own.

b) without anyone's help:

- You can't expect him to do it all on his own.
- I can manage on my own, thanks.

4. **for your own good/safety/benefit etc** if you do something for someone's own good etc, you do it to help them even though they might not like it or want it:

- I'm only telling you this for your own good.
- He was kept away from the other prisoners for his own safety.

5. **too nice/clever etc for your own good** used to say that someone has too much of a good quality so that it may be a disadvantage:

- Stephen can be too generous for his own good.

6. **get your own back (on somebody)** *informal* to do something bad to someone who has harmed you, as a way of punishing them ⇒ **revenge** :

- She wanted to get her own back on Liz for ruining her party.

7. **be your own man/woman** to have strong opinions and intentions that are not influenced by other people:

- Hilary's very much her own woman.

8. **make something your own** to change or deal with something in a way that makes it seem to belong to you:

- Great singers can take an old song and make it their own.

- ⇒ **come into your own** at ↑**come**¹(6), ⇒ **hold your own** at ↑**hold**¹(24)

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GRAMMAR

Use **own** only after possessive words such as 'my', 'John's', 'the company's' etc:

- Few of them got back to their own country (NOT the own country).

Do not say 'an own car/room/computer etc'. Say **a car/room/computer etc of your own**:

- He soon had enough money to buy a truck of his own.

II. **own**² **S2 W2** **BrE**[±] **AmE**[±] *verb* [transitive not in progressive]

[Word Family: **verb**: ↑**own**, ↑**disown**; **noun**: ↑**owner**, ↑**ownership**]

[Language: Old English; Origin: agnian, from agen 'own']

1. to have something which belongs to you, especially because you have bought it, been given it etc and it is legally yours ⇒

possess

- The building is owned by the local council.
- You need to get permission from the farmer who owns the land.
- Many more people now own their own homes.
- the cost of owning a car

publicly/private owned *British English* (=belonging to the government or a private organization)

- a privately owned company

2. **as if/as though/like you own the place** *informal* to behave in a way that is too confident and upsets other people:

- " She acts like she owns the place!
- " They walked in as if they owned the place.

3. *old-fashioned* to admit that something is true

own (that)

- " I own that I judged her harshly at first.

own to

- " I must own to a feeling of anxiety.

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THESAURUS

- **own** if you own something, it legally belongs to you: They live in a flat but they don't own it. | The land is owned by farmers. | a privately owned plane
- **have** [not in passive] to own something – used when focussing on the fact that someone has the use of something, rather than the fact that they legally own it: How many students have a cell phone? | I wish I had a sports car.
- **possess**[not in passive] *formal* to own something: It is illegal to possess a firearm in Britain. | I don't even possess a smart suit!
- **belong to somebody/something** [not in passive] if something belongs to you, you own it: The ring belonged to my grandmother.
- **hold** to own shares in a company: One man holds a third of the company's shares.
- **be the property of somebody/something** *formal* to be owned by someone – written on signs, labels etc: This camera is the property of the BBC.

own up *phrasal verb*

to admit that you have done something wrong, especially something that is not serious:

- " Come on, own up. Who broke it?

own up to (doing) something

- " No one owned up to breaking the window.
- " He was too frightened to own up to his mistake.
- " He still wouldn't own up to the fact that he'd lied.

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 owned 15497
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