

## frequency

['fri:kwənsi] *n*1. **стат.** частотность, частость

frequency distribution - частотное распределение

2. **частое повторение, повторяемость**

this happens with extreme frequency - это происходит чрезвычайно часто

the same thing recurred again with great and astonishing frequency - это повторялось удивительно часто

the frequency of earthquakes in Japan - подверженность Японии землетрясениям

3. **физ.** частота

high [low] frequency - высокая [низкая] частота

audio frequency - звуковая частота

carrier frequency - несущая частота

frequency band /range/ - полоса, диапазон частот

frequency meter - частотомер

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

fre·quen·cy [frequency frequencies] *BrE* ['fri:kwənsɪ] *NAme* ['fri:kwənsɪ]noun (pl. **fre·quencies**)1. **uncountable, countable** the rate at which sth happens or is repeated

• Fatal road accidents have decreased in frequency over recent years.

• a society with a **high/low frequency** (= happening often/not very often) of stable marriages• The program can show us **word frequency** (= how often words occur in a language) .2. **uncountable** the fact of sth happening often

• the alarming frequency of computer errors

• Objects like this turn up at sales with surprising frequency.

3. **countable, uncountable (technical)** the rate at which a sound or ↑electromagnetic wave ↑vibrates (= moves up and down)• a **high/low frequency**4. **countable, uncountable (technical)** the number of radio waves for every second of a radio signal

• a frequency band

• There are only a limited number of broadcasting frequencies.

## Word Origin:

mid 16th cent. (gradually superseding late Middle English frequency; originally denoting a gathering of people): from Latin *frequentia*, from *frequens*, frequent- 'crowded, frequent' .

## Example Bank:

• Bullets bounced off the rock with alarming frequency.

• Crime increases in frequency in less settled neighbourhoods.

• The drug can reduce the frequency and severity of attacks .

• The relative frequency of this illness in the area is of concern to all doctors.

• These incidents have increased in frequency.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

fre·quen·cy /'fri:kwənsɪ/ *BrE* *AmE* noun (plural **frequencies**)

[Word Family: verb: ↑frequent; noun: ↑frequency ≠ ↑infrequency; adverb: ↑frequently ≠ ↑infrequently; adjective: ↑frequent ≠ ↑infrequent]

1. [**uncountable**] the number of times that something happens within a particular period of time or within a particular group of people

frequency of

the frequency of serious road accidents

the high/low frequency (of something)

the higher frequency of diabetes in older people

Side effects from prescribed drugs are being reported with increasing frequency (=more and more often).The relative frequency of fraternal twins has halved since 1950.2. [**uncountable**] the fact that something happens a lot **SYN regularity** :Businesses come and go with alarming frequency.3. [**uncountable and countable**] **technical** the number of radio waves, sound waves etc that pass any point per second:

This station broadcasts on three different frequencies.

high/low frequency

Dolphins produce a high frequency sound.

the frequency range of the human ear

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