

conscious1. ['kɒnʃəs] *n* (the conscious) *психол.*

сознание; сознательная психическая деятельность
the conscious and the subconscious - сознание и подсознание

2. ['kɒnʃəs] *a*

1. 1) сознающий, понимающий

to be conscious of one's guilt - сознавать свою вину
to be conscious of one's folly - понимать, что поступил глупо
I am quite conscious of his innocence - я твёрдо уверен в его невиновности

2) осознанный, сознательный

with conscious superiority - с сознанием своего превосходства

2. оощающий

conscious of pain [of cold, of discomfort] - чувствующий боль [холод, неудобство]
we were conscious of being watched - мы чувствовали, что за нами следят

3. *predic* находящийся в сознании

he was conscious to the last - он был в сознании до последней минуты

4. здоровый; мыслящий

man is a conscious being - человек - мыслящее существо

5. (-conscious) *как компонент сложных слов со значением*

1) осознающий

class-conscious - обладающий классовым сознанием

2) тонко чувствующий, чувствительный (*к чему-л.*)

clothes-conscious - следующий моде; тонко разбирающийся в моде
soap-conscious - любящий хорошее мыло

conscious

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con·scious *BrE* ['kɒnʃəs] ^m *NAmE* ['kɑːnʃəs] ^m *adjective*

1. **not before noun** aware of sth; noticing sth

- ~ **of sth** She's very conscious of the problems involved
- ~ **of doing sth** He became acutely conscious of having failed his parents.
- ~ **that...** I was vaguely conscious that I was being watched.

Opp: ↑unconscious

see also ↑self-conscious

2. able to use your senses and mental powers to understand what is happening

- A patient who is not fully conscious should never be left alone.

Opp: ↑unconscious

3. (*of actions, feelings, etc.*) deliberate or controlled

- to make a **conscious decision**
- I made a **conscious effort** to get there on time.
- a conscious act of cruelty

Opp: ↑unconscious

compare ↑subconscious

4. being particularly interested in sth

- environmentally conscious
- They have become increasingly health-conscious.

Derived Word ↑consciously

Word Origin:

late 16th cent. (in the sense 'being aware of wrongdoing'): from Latin *consciūs* 'knowing with others or in oneself' (from *conscire* 'be privy to') + ↑-ous.

Thesaurus:

conscious [**conscious** **consciously**] *adj.*

1.

- We are very conscious of the issues involved
- aware** • • **alert to sth** • |*formal* **mindful** •
conscious/aware/mindful **of sth**
conscious/aware/mindful **that...**
keenly conscious/aware/alert

2.

- He made a conscious effort to be there on time.
- deliberate** • • **intentional** • • **calculated** • • **purposeful** • |*often disapproving* **premeditated** • |*especially BrE, formal, disapproving* **law wilful** • |*AmE usually* **wilful** •

Opp: unconscious

a conscious/deliberate/intentional/calculated/purposeful/premeditated/wilful **act**

a conscious/deliberate/intentional/calculated/purposeful **action**

conscious/deliberate/calculated **attempts/manipulation**

Example Bank:

- Barely conscious of the flashing lights around him, Kevin recklessly weaved in and out of traffic.
- Erin was only partially conscious.
- He fell, and was dimly conscious of Tara standing over him.
- He was completely conscious of her warm body next to his.
- I am very conscious of the need for secrecy.
- I was hardly conscious of my surroundings.
- I was only half conscious.
- One man was so drunk as to be barely conscious.
- She became acutely conscious that someone was watching her.
- She remained conscious throughout the operation.
- She was heavily sedated but struggled to stay conscious.
- The company is extremely environmentally conscious.
- The patient is not yet fully conscious.
- Try to keep the patient conscious.
- We are now deeply conscious of these issues.
- fashion conscious teenagers
- the development of socially conscious architecture
- treatment decisions for persons in a minimally conscious state
- He drifted into it rather than as a result of any conscious political choice.
- He was painfully conscious of his mother's embarrassment.
- She made a conscious decision to spend more time with her family.
- She's very conscious of the problems involved

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[Word Family: noun: ↑subconscious, ↑unconscious, ↑consciousness, ↑unconsciousness; adverb: ↑subconsciously, ↑consciously ≠ ↑unconsciously; adjective: ↑conscious ≠ ↑unconscious, ↑subconscious]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: conscius, from com- (⇒ COM-) + scire 'to know']

1. AWARE [not before noun] noticing or realizing something **SYN aware**

conscious of (doing) something

- " I became conscious of someone watching me.
- " I was very conscious of the fact that I had to make a good impression.

conscious that

- " She was conscious that Marie was listening to every word.

2. AWAKE awake and able to understand what is happening around you **OPP unconscious:**

- " The driver was still conscious when the ambulance arrived.

3. conscious effort/decision/attempt etc an effort etc that is deliberate and intended:

- " Vivien had made a conscious effort to be friendly.

4. CONCERNED thinking a lot about or concerned about something

politically/environmentally/socially etc conscious

- " environmentally conscious consumers

health-conscious/fashion-conscious etc

- " Many employers are becoming more safety-conscious.

conscious of

- " She was very conscious of security. ⇒ ↑self-conscious

5. THOUGHTS conscious thoughts, memories etc are ones which you know about ⇒ **subconscious**

- " the conscious mind
- " Without conscious thought, she instinctively placed a hand on his arm.
- " It affects the audience at a deeper, less conscious level.

—consciously adverb:

- " She was probably not consciously aware of her true feelings.

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COLLOCATIONS (for Meaning 4)

■ **adverbs**

- **socially/politically/environmentally etc conscious** (=conscious of social/political etc issues) We have all become more environmentally conscious.

■ **NOUN + conscious**

- **health conscious** People are health conscious nowadays and careful about what they eat.
- **fashion conscious** Young girls are always very fashion conscious.
- **security conscious** Most airports are extremely security conscious.
- **safety conscious** Workers are encouraged to be safety conscious.
- **cost conscious** Companies keen to increase their profits have to be cost conscious.
- **class conscious** (=concerned about what class of society people come from) In the past, people were much more class conscious.

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