

constituent

1. [kən'stɪtʃvənt] *n*

- составная часть, элемент
what are the constituents of happiness - из чего складывается счастье?
- избиратель
- лингв.* составляющая
immediate constituents - непосредственно составляющие
- юр. редк.* доверитель

2. [kən'stɪtʃvənt] *a*

- имеющий право голоса, избирающий
- правомочный выработать конституцию; законодательный
constituent assembly - учредительное собрание
constituent power - законодательная власть
- назначающий (*на должность*); избирающий, подбирающий (*кадры*)
the school board is the constituent body for high school - назначения по средней школе зависят от школьного совета
- составляющий часть целого, составной
constituent part - составная часть

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

con-stitu-ent **AW** [constituent constituents] **noun, adjective** *BrE* [kən'stɪtʃjuənt]

NAmE [kən'stʃuənt]

noun

- a person who lives, and can vote in a **↑constituency**
 - She has the full support of her constituents.
- one of the parts of sth that combine to form the whole
 - Silicon and oxygen are the fundamental constituents of rocks in the earth's crust.

Word Origin:

late 15th cent. (as a noun denoting a person who appoints another as agent): from Latin **constituent-** (partly via French **constituant**) **'establishing, appointing'**, from the verb **constituere**, from **con-** **'together'** + **statuere** **'set up'**.

Example Bank:

- Tar is a harmful constituent of tobacco smoke.
- Vitamins are natural food constituents which are essential in helping to maintain good health.

adjective only before noun (formal)

forming or helping to make a whole

- to break something up into its **constituent parts/elements**
- the country's constituent republics

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I. **con'stitu'ent**¹ **AC** /kən'stɪtʃuənt/ *BrE* *AmE* **noun** [countable]

[Date: 1700-1800; Language: French; Origin: constituent, from the present participle of constituer **'to constitute'**, from Latin **constituere**; ⇒ **↑constitute**]

- someone who votes in a particular area
- one of the substances or things that combine to form something

constituent of

Sodium is one of the constituents of salt.

II. **constituent**² **AC** *BrE* *AmE* **adjective** [only before noun] **formal**

[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: present participle of constituere; ⇒ **↑constitute**]

being one of the parts of something:

the EU and its constituent members

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