

**monarch**[ˈmɒnək] *n*

- 1) монарх, государь  
2) царь  
the lion is the monarch of all beasts - лев - царь зверей
2. *энт.* бабочка-данаида (*Danaus plexippus*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**mon-arch** [monarch monarchs] *BrE* [ˈmɒnək] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* [ˈmɑːnərʃ] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE*[ˈmɑːnərʃ] *noun*

a person who rules a country, for example a king or a queen

Word Origin:late Middle English: from late Latin *monarcha*, from Greek *monarkhēs*, from *monos* 'alone' + *arkhein* 'to rule'.Example Bank:

- a new law which limited the power of the monarch
- Queen Victoria was England's longest reigning monarch.
- The constitutional monarch, as head of state, has limited powers.

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a king or queen

—**monarchic** /məˈnɑːkɪk \$ -ɑːrʃ-—**monarchical** *adjective*:

• the old monarchical system

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**THESAURUS**

- **king** the male ruler of a country, who comes from a royal family: George III was the king of England at that time. | King Harald V of Norway
- **queen** a woman who rules a country because she is from a royal family, or the wife of a king: She became queen when she was only 14 years old. | Queen Elizabeth II of the United Kingdom
- **monarch** a king or queen: The bishops were appointed by the monarch.
- **monarchy** a country that is ruled by a king or queen, or this type of political system: Britain is a constitutional monarchy. | Some people want the monarchy to be abolished.
- **prince** the son of a king, queen, or prince, or the male ruler of a small country or state: Prince Rainier of Monaco | The prince will inherit the throne when his father dies.
- **ruler** someone such as a king, who has official power over a country and its people: the ruler of Babylonia | General Musharraf was the former military ruler of Pakistan.
- **emperor** the ruler of an ↑*empire* (=group of countries): the Habsburg emperors of the 19th century | Emperor Hirohito
- **sovereign** *formal* a king or queen: It was hoped that a meeting of the two sovereigns would ease tensions between the countries.
- **regent** someone who governs instead of a king or queen, because the king or queen is ill, absent, or still a child: Edward II left his friend Gaveston as regent.
- **the crown** *formal* the position of king or queen: Warwick was a loyal servant of the crown.

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