# restrictive

#### [rı'strıktıv] a

#### 1. 1) ограничительный

restrictive condition - ограничительное условие

restrictive particles [adverbs] - ерам. ограничительные частицы [наречия]

#### 2) ограниченный

restrictive speed - ограниченная скорость

2. запрещающий (о сигнале)

3. в грам. знач. сущ. лингв. ограничительное слово

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re-strict-ive AW BrE [rɪ'strɪktɪv] NAmE [rɪ'strɪktɪv] adjective

1. preventing people from doing what they want

restrictive laws

**2.** (*also* **defining**) (grammar) (*of* relative clauses) explaining which particular person or thing you are talking about rather than giving extra information about them. In 'The books which are on the table are mine ', 'which are on the table' is a **restrictive** relative clause.

#### compare †non-restrictive

Derived Word <sup>†</sup>restrictively See also: <sup>†</sup>defining

#### Word Origin:

[restrictive restrictively] late Middle English: from Old French restrictif, -ive, from medieval Latin restrictivus, from restrict-'confined', from the verb restringere, from re- 'back' + stringere 'to tie, pull tight'.

#### Example Bank:

- He argued that the law was unduly restrictive.
- In time, the changes become restrictive.
- their attempts to make drug legislation more restrictive and repressive

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re strictive AC /rɪ'strɪktɪv/ BrE AmE adjective

[Word Family: adjective: <sup>↑</sup>restricted ≠UNRESTIRCTED, <sup>↑</sup>restrictive; verb: <sup>↑</sup>restrict; noun: <sup>↑</sup>restriction]

something that is restrictive stops people doing what they want to do SYN limiting:

- Many members thought the rules were too restrictive.
- a restrictive policy on admission to the college

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