

prudence['pru:d(ə)ns] *n*

1. благоразумие, рассудительность
2. осторожность, осмотрительность, предусмотрительность
3. бережливость, расчётливость

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pru·dence *BrE* ['pruːdn̩s̩] ; *NAmE* ['pruːdn̩s̩] **noun uncountable:** (formal)

Maybe you'll exercise a little more financial prudence next time.

Main entry: †**prudent**_{derived}**prudence**

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▪ financial prudence

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THESAURUS■ **carefulness**

- **care** if you do something with care, you are careful to avoid damage, mistakes etc: She put the needle in with great care. | Everyone should take care in the sun.
- **caution** care to avoid danger or risks, or care about trusting information that might not be true: Her evidence should be treated with caution. | There was a certain lack of caution among investors.
- **prudence** a sensible and careful attitude that makes you avoid unnecessary risks - a rather formal use: Banks should show more prudence in lending money.
- **vigilance** careful attention to what is happening, so that you will notice any danger or illegal activity: Governments from across the world have called for greater vigilance against Internet-based crime. | There is a need for constant vigilance to protect vulnerable people.
- **regard for something** careful attention and consideration shown to something, to avoid danger or risks - used especially when someone fails to do this: The court heard that the company had shown no regard for the safety of its employees. | These men are cold-blooded killers and have little regard for human life.
- **tact** care not to say anything that might offend or upset someone: He handled the matter with a great deal of tact.
- **discretion** care to deal with situations in a way that does not embarrass, upset or offend people, especially by not telling any of their secrets: Any confidential information was treated with discretion.

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