directly Apresyan (En-Ru)

1. [d(a)ı'rektlı] adv

прямо

to go directly towards a house - направиться прямо к дому

2. прямо, открыто, откровенно

to condemn smb. directly - открыто осудить кого-л.

to come directly to the point - подойти прямо к сути дела, без обиняков заговорить о главном

3. непосредственно

directly responsible - несущий непосредственную ответственность

he is directly affected /concerned/ - его это непосредственно касается

4. сразу, немедленно, тотчас очень скоро, вскоре

directly after this - сразу после этого

I will come directly - я скоро вернусь

5. полностью; точно

directly contrary /opposed/ - прямо противоположный

to stand directly in the path - стоять прямо на дороге

to live directly opposite the theatre - жить прямо напротив театра

6. по прямой линии

to be directly descended from smb. - быть чьим-л. прямым потомком; происходить по прямой линии от кого-л.

7. *мат.* прямо

directly as the square - прямо пропорционально квадрату

2. [d(a)ı'rektlı] cj pasa.

как только

I will come directly I have finished - я приду, как только закончу

directly

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

dir-ect-ly [directly] adverb conjunction BrE [də'rektli] NAmE [də'rektli] BrE [dar'rektli] NAmE [dar'rektli] NAmE [dar'rektli] adverb

1. in a direct line or manner

- · He drove her directly to her hotel.
- · She looked directly at us.
- · He's directly responsible to the boss.
- We have not been directly affected by the cuts.
- The President was not directly involved
- The issues raised in the report relate directly to the ongoing work of the charity.
- The two incidents are not directly linked.

Opp: †indirectly

2. exactly in a particular position

- directly opposite/below/ahead
- They remain directly opposed to these new plans.

3. immediately

She left directly after the show.

4. (old-fashioned, BrE) soon

Syn: ↑shortly

• Tell them I'll be there directly.

conjunction (BrE)

as soon as

I went home directly I had finished work.

directly

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I. di rect y S2 W2 /də rektli, dı rektli, dar BrE AmE adverb

[Word Family: noun: ↑direction, ↑directness, ↑director; verb: ↑direct, ↑redirect; adverb: ↑directly ≠ ↑indirectly; adjective: ↑direct ≠ ↑indirect]

1. with no other person, action, process etc between **OPP indirectly**:

- The new property tax law won't directly affect us.
- We hope to bring together the countries <u>directly</u> <u>involved</u>in the conflict.

directly to/from

Application for admission to this course should be made directly to the University.

2. exactly in a particular position or direction SYN right

directly in front of/behind/under etc something

- It was a small house, directly behind the church.
- The girl was sitting directly opposite him.
- Have you noticed how he never looks directly at you?
- 3. speak/ask/answer etc directly to say exactly what you mean without trying to hide anything:
 - Jeff has a job in mind, but refuses to say directly what it is.
- **4**. British English old-fashioned very soon:

- He should be here directly, if you don't mind waiting.
- 5. British English old-fashioned immediately

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directly

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- exactly used when emphasizing that something is no more and no less than a number or amount, or is completely correct in every detail: The bill came to exactly \$1,000. | Police are still trying to find out exactly how the accident happened.
- precisely exactly used when it is important to be sure that something is completely correct in every detail: We need to know precisely how much this is going to cost. | Can you tell us precisely where he is? | What precisely do you mean by 'relativity'?
- just especially spoken exactly used especially when saying that things are exactly right, exactly the same, or exactly in a particular position: The frame is just the right size for the picture. | He and his brother are just the same. | The hotel is just next to the station. | A new handbag! That's just what I wanted.
- right exactly in a particular position or direction: The ball hit me right in the eye! | There's the house, right in front of you. | I got a mosquito bite right on the end of my nose. | He sat down right beside her.
- directly exactly in a particular position or direction Directly is more formal than right: Amy was sitting directly opposite me.
- on the dot *informal* at exactly a particular time, and no earlier or later than that time: She always leaves the office at 5.30 p.m. on the dot.
- bang British English informal exactly used especially in the following very informal expressions: The train was <u>bang on time</u>. | The shot was bang on target. | Cockatoo Island is right bang in the middle of Sydney harbour.

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- **II.** directly ² BrE AmE conjunction British English old-fashioned as soon as:
 - I came directly I got your message.

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