hoarse

[hɔ:s] a

1) хриплый, сиплый; охрипший

to talk oneself hoarse - договориться до хрипоты I am hoarse - я охрип hoarse voice [sound] - хриплый голос [звук]

2) грубый, резкий, неприятный режущий слух

hoarse storm - ревущая буря

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hoarse [hoarse hoarser hoarsest] BrE [houst NAme [hourst adjective

(of a person or voice) sounding rough and unpleasant, especially because of a sore throat

• He shouted himself hoarse.

- a hoarse cough/cry/scream
- His voice was hoarse with exhaustion.

Derived Words [†]hoarsely = [†]hoarseness

Word Origin:

Old English hās, of Germanic origin; related to Dutch hees. The spelling with r was influenced in Middle English by an Old Norse cognate.

Thesaurus:

hoarse adj

• His voice was hoarse with exhaustion.

husky • • thick • |written guttural • |often disapproving harsh • • rough • • gruff • • raucous •

Opp: mellow, Opp: soft

hoarse/husky/thick with sth

a hoarse/thick/guttural/hrash/rough/gruff/raucous voice

- a hoarse/husky/guttural/harsh/gruffraucous laugh
- a hoarse/husky/harsh/gruff whisper

Example Bank:

- · Excitement made her voice hoarse.
- · He shouted himself hoarse, but still no one came.
- Her voice was hoarse from shouting.
- His voice was hoarse with anxiety.
- Her voice came out as a hoarse whisper.

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hoarse /hɔ□s\$ hɔ□r\$ BrE ^{*} AmE ^{*} adjective

[Language: Old English; Origin: has]

if you are hoarse, or if your voice is hoarse, you speak in a low rough voice, for example because your throat is sore:

He was hoarse from laughing.

hoarse voice/whisper/groan etc

—hoarsely adverb

-hoarseness noun [uncountable]

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