

unwieldy[ʌnˈwiːldɪ] *a*

- 1) громоздкий, тяжеловесный
- 2) неповоротливый неуклюжий

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

unwieldy *BrE* [ʌnˈwiːldɪ] *AmE* [ʌnˈwiːldɪ] *adjective*

1. (of an object) difficult to move or control because of its size, shape or weight

Syn: ↑cumbersome

2. (of a system or group of people) difficult to control or organize because it is very large or complicated

Word Origin:[**unwieldy**] late Middle English (in the sense 'lacking strength, infirm'): from ↑**un-** 'not' + **wieldy** (in the obsolete sense 'active').Example Bank:

- The first mechanical clocks were large and rather unwieldy.
- The old car felt cumbersome and unwieldy.
- The tool's long handle made it unwieldy.

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1. an unwieldy object is big, heavy, and difficult to carry or use
2. an unwieldy system, argument, or organization is difficult to control or manage because it is too complicated:

"unwieldy bureaucracy"

—**unwieldiness** *noun* [uncountable]**unwieldy**

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