exception Apresyan (En-Ru)

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#### 1. исключение, изъятие

an exception from /to/ the rule - исключение из правила

the exception proves the rule - исключение подтверждает правило

by way of exception - в виде исключения

with the exception of smb., smth. - за исключением кого-л., чего-л.

without exception - без исключения, без изъятия

to make an exception - делать исключение

to constitute no exception to smth. - не являться исключением из чего-л.

#### 2. 1) возражение

to take exception to smth. - возражать против чего-л. [ср. тж. 3, 2)]

to bring in an exception against - a) сделать отвод (кандидату u m.  $\pi$ .); б) выступить против

to be beyond /above/ exception - не вызывать никаких возражений /жалоб/; не подлежать сомнению

authority beyond /above/ exception - непререкаемый авторитет

a witness beyond exception - свидетель, которому можно безоговорочно доверять

## 2) неодобрение; укоризна

to take exception at /to/ smth. - оскорбляться, обижаться на что-л.

I take exception to this remark - я считаю такое замечание неуместным

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#### 1) оговорка (в документе, договоре)

## 2) возражение ответчика в процессе

bill of exceptions - жалоба стороны в вышестоящий суд на то, что нижестоящий суд не принял во внимание сделанных ею заявлений о допущенных ошибках

Exception, Your Honour! - возражение, Ваша честь! (в суде)

to sustain [to overruld exception - принимать [отклонять] возражение

to take exception to /against/ a witness - отводить свидетеля [ср. тж. 2, 1)]

## exception

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

ex-cep-tion [exception exceptions] BrE [ik'sep[n] NAmE [ik'sep[n] nour

# 1. a person or thing that is not included in a general statement

- Most of the buildings in the town are modern, but the church is an exception.
- With very few exceptions, private schools get the best exam results.
- Nobody had much money at the time and I was no exception .

## 2. a thing that does not follow a rule

- Good writing is unfortunately the exception rather than the rule (= it is unusual) .
- There are always a lot of exceptions to grammar rules.

<u>Idioms:</u> †exception that proves the rule = †make an exception = †take exception to something = †with the exception of = †without exception

## Word Origin:

late Middle English: via Old French from Latin exceptio(n-), from excipere 'take out', from ex- 'out of' + capere 'take'.

## Thesaurus:

## exception noun C

With a few exceptions, all the children can speak good French.

oddity · · anomaly · |formal aberration · · vagaries · |sometimes offensivefreak ·

(an) exception/oddity/anomaly/aberration/vagaries in sth

a bit of a/an exception/oddity/anomaly/freak

a/an curious/apparent exception/anomaly

#### Language Bank:

## except

#### Making an exception

• She wrote all of the songs on the album **except for •** the final track.

Apart from - / aside from - the final track, all of the songs on the album were written by her.

- The songwriting with a few minor exceptions = is of a very high quality.
- With only **one or two exceptions** •, the songwriting is of a very high quality.
- The majority of the compositions are less than three minutes long, with the notable exception of the title track.

With the exception of • the title track, this album is a huge disappointment.

Here is a list of all the band's CDs, excluding - unofficial 'bootleg' recordings.

#### Example Bank:

- Most industries have suffered badly in the recession, but there have been a few notable exceptions.
- Most of his family are sports enthusiasts, but he's the exception to the rule.
- No parking is allowed, but an exception is made for disabled drivers.
- Nowadays a job for life is very much the exception rather than the rule.
- She asked the state Supreme Court to grant an exception.
- Such initiatives remain the exception, rather than the rule.

- The reform bill carves out several specific exceptions for treatment of health expenses.
- The weather had been rainy for days, and the day of the race was no exception.
- The whole of the island was flooded with the exception of a small area in the north.
- There are occasional exceptions to my generalization.
- There should be specific exceptions written into the plan.
- There was an interesting exception to this general pattern.
- They represent an exception to the rule.
- We are making a special exception for Emma because of her condition.
- With a few exceptions, the songwriting is very good.
- With a few honourable exceptions, MPs kept quiet about the corruption.
- With the possible exception of the US, no other nation experienced a more severe depression.
- · Without exception, all employees must carry their identity card with them at all times.
- all American presidents, with the sole exception of Carter
- all of them with the partial exception of Ireland
- · the one great exception to that
- · Children are not normally allowed in but I'm prepared to make an exception in this case.
- · Most companies' profits were down last year but oil producers were the exception that proves the rule.
- Most families were poor and mine was no exception.
- Unfortunately, considerate motorists are the exception rather than the rule.
- With a few exceptions the children can speak good French by the time they leave.

## exception

Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

ex cep tion S3 W2 /Ik'sep (ən/ BrE \* AmE \* noun [uncountable and countable]

1. something or someone that is not included in a general statement or does not follow a rule or pattern:

It's been cold, but today's an exception.

## with the exception of somebody/something

We all laughed, with the exception of Maggie.

### without exception

Each plant, without exception, contains some kind of salt.

## notable/important/significant exception

With one or two <u>notable exceptions</u>, there are few women conductors.

## minor/major exception

- With a few minor exceptions, the new edition is much like the previous one.
- The law applies to all EU countries; Britain is no exception.
- We don't usually accept checks, but for you we'll make an exception (=not include you in this rule).
- The spelling of this word is an interesting exception to the rule.
- Successful two-career couples are still the exception, not the rule (=used to emphasize that something is unusual).
- **2**. **somebody/something is the exception that proves the rule spoken** used to say that the fact that something is not true or does not exist in one situation emphasizes the fact that it is true or exists in general:

Most people here are very dedicated; I'm afraid Rhea's the exception that proves the rule.

**3**. **take exception to something** to be angry or upset because of something:

Tom took great exception to my remark about Americans.

## **COLLOCATIONS**

## adjectives

- an important/significant exception The treaty was ratified by all the EU member countries, with one significant exception, Britain.
- **a major exception** (=very important) The major exception to the general downturn, the tourism sector, has actually seen an increase in profits.
- a notable exception (=one that is very interesting, excellent or unusual) The houses along the river are all relatively modern, with the notable exception of the old forge.
- an obvious exception The earliest historical records, with the obvious exception of Chinese, are written in Indo-European languages.
- a conspicuous exception (=one that is very easy to notice) With one conspicuous exception, Ayers Rock, the desert landscape is completely flat.
- a minor exception (=not important) Everyone was in agreement, with a few minor exceptions.
- a single/sole exception (=one on its own) All the men were killed, with the sole exception of Captain Jones.
- a rare exception Books on philosophy can be quite dull, but this is a rare exception.

#### phrases

- with the exception of The journey was fairly straightforward, with the exception of driving through London.
- without exception Without exception, all the children were well behaved and polite.
- be no exception The riverfloods every winter, and this year was no exception.
- be the exception to the rule (also be the exception that proves the rule) (=be different to most other people or things) Most of the boys were quite shy, but Larry was the exception to the rule.
- be the exception, not the rule (=used to emphasize that something is unusual) Staying married for life seems to be the exception, not the rule these days.

# **■**verbs

• make an exception (=deal with someone or something in a different way from usual on a particular occasion) We usually require a 10% deposit, but I'll make an exception in this case.

exception

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