

clarity['klærɪti] *n*

чистота, прозрачность

clarity of a gem - чистота алмаза

clarity of water - прозрачность воды

clarity of style is clarity of thought - ясность слога - это ясность мысли

clarity

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

clar·ity **AW** [clarity clarities] *BrE* ['klærəti] *AmE* ['klærəti] *noun***uncountable**

- the quality of being expressed clearly
 - a lack of clarity in the law
 - The brilliant clarity of his argument could not be faulted.
- the ability to think about or understand sth clearly
 - clarity of thought/purpose/vision**
- if a picture, substance or sound has clarity, you can see or hear it very clearly, or see through it easily
 - the clarity of sound on a CD

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'glory, divine splendour'): from Latin *claritas*, from *clarus* 'clear'. The current sense dates from the early 17th cent.

Example Bank:

- She expressed herself with great clarity.
- With painful clarity she remembered the day he had died.
- clarity of thought
- There's still no clarity about what sort of programme it's going to be.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

clar·ity **AC** /'klærəti, 'klærɪti/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [uncountable]

[**Word Family:** **noun:** ↑clarity, ↑clearance, ↑clearing, ↑clarification, ↑clearness; **verb:** ↑clear, ↑clarify; **adverb:** ↑clear, ↑clearly; **adjective:** ↑clear ≠ ↑unclear]

[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** *claritas*, from *clarus*; ⇨ ↑clear¹]

- the clarity of a piece of writing, law, argument etc is its quality of being expressed clearly ⇨ **clear**:

- Letters may be edited for length and clarity.

- a lack of clarity in the law on property rights

- the ability to think, understand, or remember something clearly ⇨ **clear**:

- He had only visited the village once, but remembered it with surprising clarity.

clarity of vision/purpose/thought etc

- Churchill's clarity of vision impressed all who knew him.

- the quality of being clear and easy to see or hear ⇨ **clear**:

- The picture was of such clarity that it could have been a photograph.

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