keg Apresyan (En-Ru) [keg] *n* 

- 1. бочонок (ёмкостью до 40 л)
- 2. единица веса гвоздей (45 кг)

keg NAmE [keg] \* keg [keg kegs] BrE [keg]

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1. countable a round wooden or metal container with a flat top and bottom, used especially for storing beer, like a †barrel but smaller 2. uncountable (BrE) = 1 keg beer

Word Origin:

early 17th cent.: variant of Scots and US dialect cag, from Old Norse kaggi.

## Example Bank:

- · Not all keg beers are pasteurized.
- · Since the overthrow of the government, the country had been a powder keg waiting to explode.
- a keg of beer
- · Most of our beer is packaged in 50 litre aluminium kegs.

keg Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

keg /keg/ BrE AmE noun [countable]

[Date: 1600-1700; Origin: cag 'barrel' (15-18 centuries), from Old Norse kaggi]

a round wooden or metal container with a flat top and bottom, used for storing beer ⇒ barrel keg beer/bitter British English (=beer served from a keg),

Freakuency Pack keg <sub>12500</sub>12387<sup>MCW</sup>

15000 10432 COCA RANGE: 12k KEG 629

keg 435 kegs 194

COCA 500k Unlemmatized

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