

ugly1. [ˈʌɡli] *n*

1. *разг.* некрасивый человек, урод
2. 1) козырёк дамской шляпы (XIX в.)
- 2) *разг.* шляпа в виде капора с полями от солнца

2. [ˈʌɡli] *a*

1. безобразный, уродливый

ugly face - некрасивое /безобразное/ лицо

ugly clothes - некрасивая одежда

ugly building - уродливое здание

to grow ugly - подурнеть

ugly as sin - страшен /дурён/ как смертный грех

2. неприятный, противный, плохой, скверный, мерзкий

ugly news - неприятные /плохие/ новости

ugly habits - скверные /противные/ привычки

the business was looking ugly - дело принимало плохой оборот

3. 1) опасный, угрожающий

ugly symptom - опасный симптом

the situation becomes more ugly every day - с каждым днём положение становится всё более угрожающим

2) предвещающий бурю

ugly cloud - грозовая туча

the news in today's paper looks ugly - сообщения в сегодняшних газетах малоутешительны

4. *разг.* вздорный, задиристый, раздражительный с плохим характером

ugly customer - беспокойный /трудный, неприятный опасный/ человек; грубиян

an ugly drunk - пьяный хулиган

◇ ugly duckling - а) гадкий утёнок (*выросший в лебедя*); б) нечто многообещающее; кто-л. подающий надежды; ≅ он ещё себя покажетugly American - «гадкий американец»; американский дипломат или бизнесмен за рубежом; *особ.* в Азии (*по названию книги Бердика и Леберера*)**ugly**

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ugly [ugly uglier ugliest] *BrE* [ˈʌɡli] ^m *NAmE* [ˈʌɡli] ^m adjective (ug-lier, ugliest)

1. unpleasant to look at

Syn: ↑unattractive

- an ugly face
- an ugly building
- an ugly scar

2. (of an event, a situation, etc.) unpleasant or dangerous; involving threats or violence

- an ugly incident
- There were ugly scenes in the streets last night as rioting continued.

see sth rears its (ugly) head **at** ↑rear *v.*, miserable/ugly as sin **at** ↑sin *n.*Derived Word ↑uglinessWord Origin:Middle English: from Old Norse **uggligr** 'to be dreaded', from **ugga** 'to dread'.Example Bank:

- A fight started and things got pretty ugly.
- It's just plain ugly.
- The witch was hideously ugly.
- It was a large, ugly modern building.
- Jane was a great beauty, but I was always considered to be the ugly sister.
- The room was full of heavy, ugly furniture.
- The screaming child in her arms was an ugly little thing.
- There were ugly scenes in the capital last night as rioting continued.

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ugly **S3** /ˈʌɡli/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m adjective (comparative **uglier**, superlative **ugliest**)[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old Norse; Origin: **uggligr** 'frightening', from **ugg** 'fear']1. extremely unattractive and unpleasant to look at **SYN** hideous **OPP** beautiful:

- a very ugly man
- the ugliest building in town
- Nick's dog is as ugly as sin (=very ugly).

2. used to describe a situation which is very bad or violent, and which makes you feel frightened or threatened:

- There were ugly scenes as rival gangs started attacking each other.
- an ugly incident

3. ugly ideas, feelings, remarks etc are unpleasant:

- Jealousy is an ugly emotion.

ugly rumors

4. **ugly duckling** someone who is less attractive, successful etc than other people, but who becomes beautiful and successful later
—**ugliness** *noun* [uncountable]

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- **ugly** very unpleasant to look at - used about people, objects, and buildings: She thinks she's ugly but she's not. | an ugly block of flats | cheap ugly furniture
- **unattractive** not pleasant to look at. **Unattractive** sounds more formal and less strong than **ugly**: an unattractive modern town which was built during the 1960s | Women found him unattractive.
- **unsightly** *formal* not pleasant to look at, and spoiling the appearance of something: Unsightly red spots started to appear on her face. | The windows have been blocked off with unsightly metal bars.

■ extremely ugly

- **hideous** extremely ugly: His hideous face twisted into a smile. | a hideous concrete shopping centre | a hideous monster
- **repulsive** extremely ugly, especially in a way that makes you want to look away: His appearance was so repulsive he had to wear a mask.
- **grotesque** extremely ugly in a strange or unnatural way: A grotesque figure appeared out of the darkness.
- **an eyesore** (*also* **a blot on the landscape**) *noun* [singular] something that is so ugly that it spoils the appearance of an area: Local residents regard the new office building as an eyesore. | I think wind turbines are a blot on the landscape - why can't people just use less electricity?

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