

scenario[sɪˈnɑːrɪəv] *n* (*pl* -os [-sɪˈnɑːrɪ]əvz])

- 1) (кино)сценарий, сценарий фильма
- 2) постановочный сценарий, режиссёрский сценарий
- 2) план действий; сценарий, программа мероприятия (*особ. детальная*)
his scenario for a settlement envisages ... - его план урегулирования предусматривает ...
3. либретто (*оперы*)

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scenario **AW** [scenario scenarios] **BrE** [səˈnɑːrɪə] ^m **NAmE** [səˈnæriə] ^m**noun** (*pl.* **scenarios**)

1. a description of how things might happen in the future
 - Let me suggest a **possible scenario** .
 - The **worst-case scenario** (= the worst possible thing that could happen) would be for the factory to be closed down.
 - a **nightmare scenario**
2. a written outline of what happens in a film/movie or play

Syn: ↑synopsisWord Origin:late 19th cent.: from Italian, from Latin **scena** ‘scene’.Example Bank:

- In a worst-case scenario, the disease will reach epidemic proportions.
- Similar scenarios are playing out across the country.
- The more likely scenario is that interest rates will rise.
- The more likely scenario is that the president will resign and an election will be held.
- Under any of these scenarios, the company will run into debt.
- the scenario painted by some sections of the Western press

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scenario **AC** /səˈnɑːrɪə/ **BrE** ^m **AmE** ^m **noun** (*plural scenarios*) [countable]

[Date: 1800-1900; Language: Italian; Origin: Latin scaenarium, from scaena; ⇨ ↑scene]

1. a situation that could possibly happen:
 - Imagine a scenario where only 20% of people have a job.
 - **possible/likely/plausible scenario**
 - Under a likely scenario, world population will double by 2050.
 - a possible scenario
 - **worst-case/nightmare scenario** (=the worst possible situation)
 - The worst-case scenario was that he would have to have an operation.
2. **technical** a written description of the characters, place, and things that will happen in a film, play etc

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COLLOCATIONS■ **ADJECTIVES/NOUN + scenario**

- a **possible scenario** Defence planners are paid to consider every possible scenario.
- a **likely/plausible scenario** The more likely scenario is that support for the group will wane.
- an **unlikely scenario** I might get the job, but it is an unlikely scenario.
- the **worst-case/worst scenario** (=the worst thing that might happen) The worst-case scenario is that it is already too late to do anything about global warming.
- a **nightmare scenario** (=a very bad thing that might happen) The nightmare scenario would be a number of simultaneous terrorist attacks.
- a **doomsday scenario** (=a great disaster that might happen) A year ago, few people were talking about such a doomsday scenario.

■ **verbs**

- **imagine a scenario** It is difficult to imagine a scenario in which the company will give this information freely.
- **consider a scenario** (=think about what might happen) The government has considered various possible scenarios.

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