

stringent

[ˈstrɪndʒ(ə)nt] *a*

- строгий; обязательный точный
stringent rule - строгое правило
stringent regulations - обязательные постановления
to make a rule less stringent - смягчать правило
- срочный, неотложный
stringent necessity - настоятельная необходимость
- эк.* испытывающий нехватку (*кредита и т. п.*); стеснённый, напряжённый (*о рынке и т. п.*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

stringent *BrE* [ˈstrɪndʒənt] ^u *NAmE* [ˈstrɪndʒənt] ^u **adjective** (formal)

- (of a law, rule, regulation, etc.) very strict and that must be obeyed
 - stringent air quality regulations
 - Licences are only granted under the most stringent conditions.
- (of financial conditions) difficult and very strictly controlled because there is not much money
 - the government's stringent economic policies

Derived Words ↑stringency ▪ ↑stringently

Word Origin:

mid 17th cent. (in the sense 'compelling, convincing'): from Latin **stringent-** 'drawing tight', from the verb **stringere**.

Example Bank:

- Safety standards were less stringent in those days.
- The Act imposes more stringent regulations on atmospheric pollution.
- The board applies only the most stringent criteria for its decisions.
- There are stringent quality control procedures.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

stringent /ˈstrɪndʒənt/ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u **adjective**

[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** present participle of stringere 'to tie tightly, press together']

- a stringent law, rule, standard etc is very strict and must be obeyed:
stringent anti-noise regulations
- stringent economic conditions exist when there is a severe lack of money and strict controls on the supply of money

—**stringently** *adverb*

—**stringency** *noun* [uncountable]

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THESAURUS

rule/law/system

- strict** a strict order or rule is one that must be obeyed: There are strict rules about keeping tax records. | He had strict instructions to return the key to me.
- tight** tight controls or limits are very strict about what is allowed and what is not allowed: The report recommends tighter controls on the advertising of alcohol. | There are tight regulations governing waste disposal.
- tough** tough laws or rules are very strict: They want tougher laws against drinking and driving. | The federal government is introducing tough new rules on immigration.
- harsh** harsh punishments or laws are very severe, often too severe: There are harsh penalties for drug trafficking. | The government has brought in harsh measures to combat the rioting taking place in many cities.
- stringent** controlling what people can do with rules that have very high standards: There are now stringent controls on pollution from all power stations. | stringent new food safety regulations

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