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| can | ability |
| can't | inability |
| be able to | ability |
| not be able to | inability |
| be allowed to | permission |
| not be allowed to | prohibition |
| could | gener. abi. in the past |
| couldn't | g. inability in past |
| managed to | past succes |
| have to | impers. obligation |
| don't have to | no obligation |
| had to | obligation in the past |
| didn't have to | no obligation in the past |
| should | advice, mild obligation |
| shouldn't | advice |
| must | strong obligation |
| mustn't | prohibition |