

Need another word that means the same as "actual"? Find 26 synonyms and 30 related words for "actual" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Actual" are: genuine, literal, real, existent, factual, true, authentic, verified, attested, confirmed, definite, hard, plain, clear, clear-cut, undeniable, veritable, exact, particular, very, specific, distinct, current, present, existing, extant

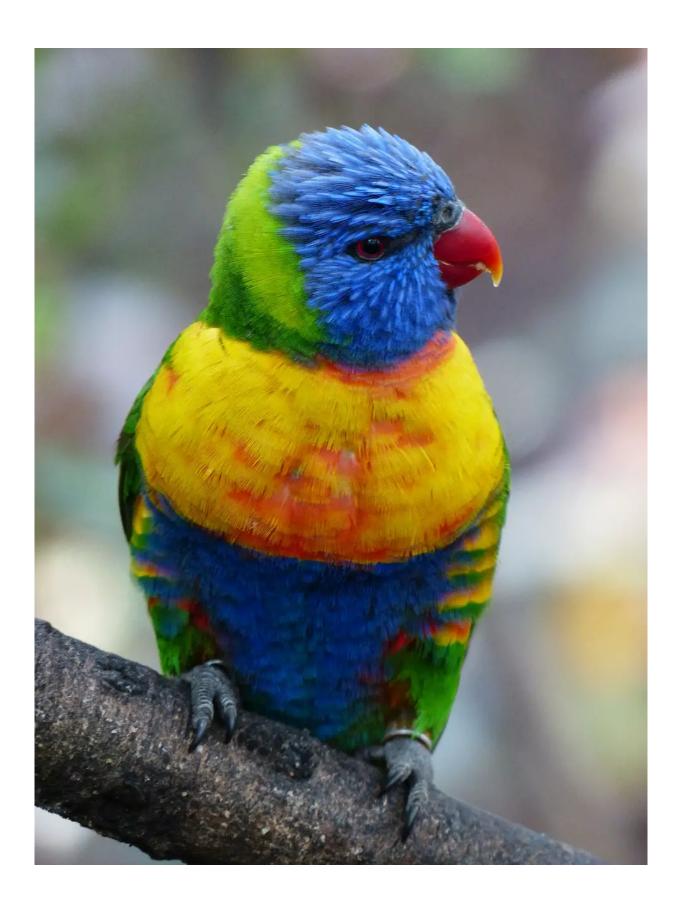
# Actual as an Adjective

#### Definitions of "Actual" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "actual" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Existing in act or fact.
- Existing now; current.
- Used to emphasize the important aspect of something.
- Being or existing at the present moment.
- Being or reflecting the essential or genuine character of something- G.K.Chesterton.
- Presently existing in fact and not merely potential or possible.
- Being or reflecting the essential or genuine character of something.
- Existing in fact; real.
- Taking place in reality; not pretended or imitated.







#### Synonyms of "Actual" as an adjective (26 Words)

**attested** Established as genuine.

Made or done in the traditional or original way, or in a way that faithfully

**authentic** resembles an original.

An **authentic** signature.

Clear and distinct to the senses easily perceptible.

The ship was **clear** of the reef.

**clear-cut** Clearly or sharply defined to the mind.

**confirmed** Of persons; not subject to change.

A **confirmed** Catholic.

current In common or general use.

I started my **current** job in 2001.

**definite** Having exact and discernible physical limits or form.

It is **definite** that they have won.

**distinct** Constituting a separate entity or part.

There are two **distinct** types of sickle cell disease.

(of ideas, images, representations, expressions) characterized by perfect

**exact** conformity to fact or truth; strictly correct.

An **exact** copy.

**existent** Having existence or being or actuality.

The technique has been **existent** for some years.

**existing** Existing in something specified.

Opponents of the  ${\it existing}$  political system.

Still in existence; not extinct or destroyed or lost.

**Extant** manuscripts.

**factual** Concerned with what is actually the case.

A mixture of comment and **factual** information.

Being or reflecting the essential or genuine character of something G K

**genuine** Chesterton.

A **genuine** attempt to put things right.

**hard**Unfortunate or hard to bear.
This is a really **hard** question.

This is a really starta question.

Taking words in their usual or most basic sense without metaphor or

**literal** exaggeration.

A **literal** depiction of the scene before him.



Denoting a proposition in which something is asserted of some but not all of a

particular class.

Very **particular** about how her food was prepared.

plain

Not elaborate or elaborated; simple.

The plain and unvarnished truth.

**present** Being or existing in a specified place.

Gases **present** in the atmosphere.

real Coinciding with reality F A Olafson.

**Real** property consists of land and buildings.

Of or denoting a number equal to the ratio of the value of some property of a given substance to the value of the same property of some other substance

**specific** used as a reference, such as water, or of a vacuum, under equivalent

conditions.

The differences between them can only be on the **specific** level.

true Of a compass bearing measured relative to true north.

I would be **true** for there are those who trust me.

undeniable Not possible to deny.

It is an **undeniable** fact that some dogs are easier to train than others.

**verified** Proved to be true. A **verified** claim.

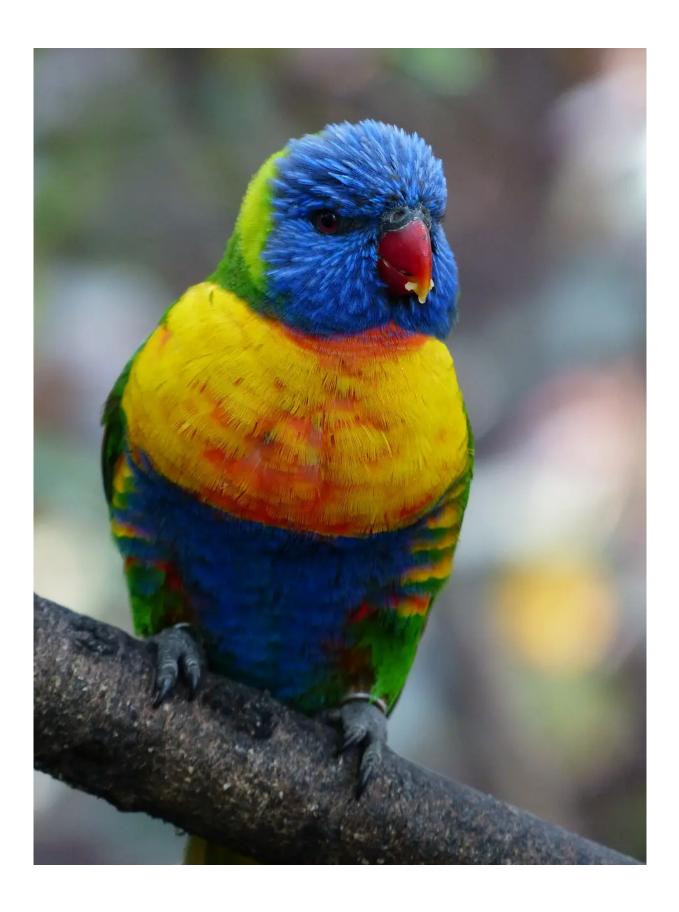
Often used as intensifiers.

veritable
The early 1970s witnessed a **veritable** price explosion.

very Emphasizing an extreme point in time or space.

On this **very** spot.







### Usage Examples of "Actual" as an adjective

- Her actual motive.
- Actual heroism.
- Using actual income to measure expected income.
- The actual things that produced the emotion you experienced.
- The book could be condensed into half the space, but what of the actual content?
- Rocks and trees...the actual world.
- We saw the actual wedding on television.
- The estimate was much less than the actual cost.
- Actual and imagined conditions.
- The ship's actual position is 22 miles due south of Key West.
- The predicted temperature and the actual temperature were markedly different.
- Filmed the actual beating.





## **Associations of "Actual" (30 Words)**

The degree to which the result of a measurement, calculation, or

specification conforms to the correct value or a standard.

The atomic clock enabled scientists to measure time with much greater

accuracy.

**actually** As a sentence modifier to add slight emphasis.

She **actually** spoke Latin.

(in existentialist philosophy) relating to or denoting an emotionally

**authentic** appropriate, significant, purposive, and responsible mode of human life.

Every detail of the film was totally **authentic**.

The quality of being authentic.

**authenticity** The paper should have established the **authenticity** of the documents

before publishing them.

conceivably

It is conceivable or imaginable that.

It may **conceivably** cause liver disease.

down-to-earth The solid part of the earth's surface.

The truth about events as opposed to interpretation.

How much of the story is **fact** and how much fiction is hard to tell.

factual Of or relating to or characterized by facts.

Cases mentioned are factual.

**feasible** Capable of being done with means at hand and circumstances as they are.

It is not **feasible** to put most finds from excavations on public display.

Being or reflecting the essential or genuine character of something.

A **genuine** Picasso.

The state or fact of something's being likely; probability.

Young people who can see no **likelihood** of finding employment.

The highest possible score especially in a shooting competition.

Children need the best education **possible**.

**potential** The inherent capacity for coming into being.

Measurements of induced electrical **potential**s.

Having or put to a practical purpose or use.

A **practical** knowledge of Japanese.

**pragmatist** A person who is guided more by practical considerations than by ideals.

The foundations of **pragmatist** philosophy.

real Coinciding with reality.

A **real** illness.



reality Relating to reality TV.

The **reality** of Marryat s detail.

sooth Truth or reality.

In **sooth**.

Having a firm basis in reality and so important, meaningful, or

**substantive** considerable.

There is no **substantive** evidence for the efficacy of these drugs.

**tangibly** In a tangible manner.

technically With regard to technical skill and the technology available.

A **technically** brilliant boxing contest.

truth A fact that has been verified.

He was famous for the **truth** of his portraits.

The quality or fact of being useful.

Faults that affect the book s **usefulness**.

**utilitarian**Relating to or adhering to the doctrine of utilitarianism.

A **utilitarian** theorist.

veracity Unwillingness to tell lies.

Officials expressed doubts concerning the **veracity** of the story.

verisimilitude The appearance of truth; the quality of seeming to be true.

The detail gives the novel some **verisimilitude**.

veritable Not counterfeit or copied.

He s a **veritable** swine.

(of a seed or spore) able to germinate.

viable Viable seeds.

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virtual Being actually such in almost every respect.

A **virtual** library.

workable Capable of producing the desired effect or result; practicable; feasible.

More flour and salt can be added until they make a **workable** dough.



