

Need another word that means the same as “busted”? Find 1 synonym and 30 related words for “busted” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Busted” are: broken**

## **Busted as an Adjective**

### **Definitions of "Busted" as an adjective**

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “busted” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Lacking funds.*
- *Out of working order ('busted' is an informal substitute for `broken.*



## Synonyms of "Busted" as an adjective (1 Word)

**broken** Having been broken.  
*The coke machine is **broken**.*



## Usage Examples of "Busted" as an adjective

- *The coke machine is busted.*



## Associations of "Busted" (30 Words)

- bout** A wrestling or boxing match.  
*A drinking **bout**.*
- breach** A personal or social separation (as between opposing factions).  
*A **breach** of confidence.*
- break** Dance music featuring breakbeats.  
*The management are out to **break** the union.*
- breaker** Any CB radio user.  
*A rule **breaker**.*
- broken** Out of working order busted is an informal substitute for broken.  
*A **broken** note.*
- cleave** Come or be in close contact with; stick or hold together and resist separation.  
*The egg **cleaves** to form a mulberry shaped cluster of cells.*
- cleft** Split, divided, or partially divided into two.  
*He had a **cleft** chin and strong jaw.*
- cracked** Informal or slang terms for mentally irregular.  
*The old pipes were **cracked** and leaking.*
- crush** The act of crushing.  
*It turns out she thought you were flirting with her **crush**.*

<b>destroy</b>	Destroy completely damage irreparably. <i>He has been determined to <b>destroy</b> her.</i>
<b><u>detriment</u></b>	A cause of harm or damage. <i>Such tests are a <b>detriment</b> to good education.</i>
<b>disassemble</b>	Take (something) to pieces. <i>The piston can be <b>disassembled</b> for transport.</i>
<b><u>disintegrate</u></b>	Break into parts or components or lose cohesion or unity. <i>Our shoes had to last until they <b>disintegrated</b> on our feet.</i>
<b><u>dismantle</u></b>	Take off or remove. <i>The old regime was <b>dismantled</b>.</i>
<b>dispersal</b>	The action or process of distributing or spreading things or people over a wide area. <i><b>Dispersals</b> of archaic populations.</i>
<b>divisible</b>	Capable of being divided. <i>24 is <b>divisible</b> by 4.</i>
<b><u>fracture</u></b>	Fracture a bone of. <i>Obsidian shows a conchoidal <b>fracture</b>.</i>
<b>intermission</b>	A pause or break. <i>The daily work goes on without <b>intermission</b>.</i>
<b>interruption</b>	An act of delaying or interrupting the continuity. <i>The telephone is an annoying <b>interruption</b>.</i>
<b>partible</b>	(of e.g. property) capable of being parted or divided. <i>The entire family lost status as a consequence of <b>partible</b> inheritance.</i>
<b>piece</b>	Repair by adding pieces. <i>Each employee owns a <b>piece</b> of the company.</i>
<b>quash</b>	Reject as invalid, especially by legal procedure. <i>A hospital executive <b>quashed</b> rumours that nursing staff will lose jobs.</i>
<b>recess</b>	Put into a recess. <i>A table set into a <b>recess</b>.</i>
<b><u>rupture</u></b>	State of being torn or burst open. <i>Once trust and confidence has been <b>ruptured</b> it can be difficult to regain.</i>
<b>shatter</b>	Damage or destroy. <i>Bullets riddled the bar top glasses <b>shattered</b> bottles exploded.</i>
<b><u>smash</u></b>	An act or sound of something smashing. <i>The window <b>smashed</b>.</i>
<b>snap</b>	Move with a snapping sound. <i>A cold <b>snap</b>.</i>

**split**

An instance or act of splitting or being split a division.  
*The river had **split** into a number of channels.*

**sunder**

Break apart or in two, using violence.  
*A universe **sundered** ages ago in a divine war.*

