

Need another word that means the same as “cohesive”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “cohesive” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Cohesive” are: sticky, sticking, adherent, clinging, tacky, gluey, gummy, gummed, viscous, viscid, glutinous, mucilaginous**

## Cohesive as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Cohesive" as an adjective

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

- *Causing cohesion.*
- *Cohering or tending to cohere; well integrated.*
- *Characterized by or causing cohesion.*



## Synonyms of "Cohesive" as an adjective (12 Words)

<b>adherent</b>	Sticking fast. <i>The eggs have thick sticky shells to which debris is often <b>adherent</b>.</i>
<b>clinging</b>	Too dependent on someone emotionally. <i>She wasn't the <b>clinging</b> type.</i>
<b>gluey</b>	Having the sticky properties of an adhesive. <i><b>Gluey</b> brown paste.</i>
<b>glutinous</b>	Like glue in texture; sticky. <i><b>Glutinous</b> mud.</i>
<b>gummed</b>	Covered with gum or glue. <i><b>Gummed</b> paper.</i>

<b>gummy</b>	Having the sticky properties of an adhesive. <i>A <b>gummy</b> discharge.</i>
<b>mucilaginous</b>	Having a viscous or gelatinous consistency. <i>Greasy and <b>mucilaginous</b> foods.</i>
<b>sticking</b>	Extending out above or beyond a surface or boundary. <i>A pile of boards <b>sticking</b> over the end of his truck.</i>
<b>sticky</b>	Having the sticky properties of an adhesive. <i>More and more often web designers focus on the need to add <b>sticky</b> features to their sites.</i>
<b>tacky</b>	(of glue, paint, or other substances) not fully dry and retaining a slightly sticky feel. <i><b>Tacky</b> varnish.</i>
<b>viscid</b>	Having a glutinous or sticky consistency. <i>The <b>viscid</b> mucus lining of the intestine.</i>
<b>viscous</b>	Having a relatively high resistance to flow. <i><b>Viscous</b> lava.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Cohesive" as an adjective

- *A cohesive organization.*
- *A cohesive agent.*
- *Each parish was formerly a cohesive unit.*

- *Family life can be a cohesive force in society.*



## Associations of "Cohesive" (30 Words)

<b>bond</b>	Place dutiable goods in bond. <i>Assets may have to be sold or <b>bonded</b> to provide cash for the payment of this tax.</i>
<b>coalescing</b>	Growing together, fusing.
<b>coexist</b>	Coexist peacefully as of nations. <i>Dwarf mammoths may have survived in north east Siberia to <b>coexist</b> with the Egyptian pharaohs.</i>
<b>cohesion</b>	The state of cohering or sticking together. <i>The work at present lacks <b>cohesion</b>.</i>
<b>communal</b>	For or by a group rather than individuals. <i>Violent <b>communal</b> riots.</i>

<b>concerted</b>	Jointly arranged or carried out; coordinated. <i>A <b>concerted</b> attempt to preserve religious unity.</i>
<b>concord</b>	Arrange the words of a text so as to create a concordance. <i>A <b>concord</b> was to be drawn up.</i>
<b>congruity</b>	The quality of agreeing; being suitable and appropriate.
<b>connection</b>	A link between two phones. <i>She replaced the receiver before the <b>connection</b> was made.</i>
<b>consistency</b>	A harmonious uniformity or agreement among things or parts. <i>The <b>consistency</b> of measurement techniques.</i>
<b>empathy</b>	The ability to understand and share the feelings of another.
<b>federate</b>	Relating to a federated state or organization. <i><b>Federate</b> armies.</i>
<b>fraternal</b>	Like or characteristic of or befitting a brother. <i><b>Fraternal</b> twins are biovular.</i>
<b>fraternize</b>	Associate or form a friendship with someone, especially when one is not supposed to. <i>She ignored Elisabeth's warning glare against fraternizing with the enemy.</i>
<b>harmony</b>	The state of being in agreement or concord. <i>The piece owes its air of tranquillity largely to the <b>harmony</b>.</i>
<b>homophonic</b>	Characterized by the movement of accompanying parts in the same rhythm as the melody.
<b>indivisible</b>	Unable to be divided or separated. <i>An <b>indivisible</b> union of states.</i>
<b>inseparable</b>	A person or thing inseparable from another. <i>They met 18 months ago and have been <b>inseparable</b> ever since.</i>
<b>integrated</b>	(of an institution, body, etc.) desegregated, especially racially. <i>An <b>integrated</b> Europe.</i>
<b>interaction</b>	A mutual or reciprocal action; interacting. <i>For a shy person social <b>interaction</b> can be a stomach churning anxiety filled experience.</i>
<b>joint</b>	A section of a plant stem between two joints an internode. <i>Listen to one of his <b>joints</b> nowadays and you don t even need to see the production credit.</i>
<b>oneness</b>	The fact or state of being unified or whole, though comprised of two or more parts. <i>A strong sense of <b>oneness</b> is felt with all things.</i>

- partnership** The members of a business venture created by contract.  
*Effective language learning is a **partnership** between school teacher and student.*
- solidarity** An independent trade union movement in Poland which developed into a mass campaign for political change and inspired popular opposition to Communist regimes across eastern Europe. Formed in 1980 under the leadership of Lech Wałęsa, it was banned in 1981 following the imposition of martial law. Legalized again in 1989, it won a majority in the elections of that year.  
*Factory workers voiced **solidarity** with the striking students.*
- together** Into companionship or close association.  
*He won the confidence of the government and the rebels but could not bring the two sides **together**.*
- tripartite** Involving three parties or elements.  
*A **tripartite** treaty.*
- unification** The state of being joined or united or linked.  
*He looked forward to the **unification** of his family for the holidays.*
- unified** Operating as a unit.  
*A **unified** utility system.*
- united** Characterized by unity; being or joined into a single entity.  
*Women acting together in a **united** way.*
- unity** Each of the three dramatic principles requiring limitation of the supposed time of a drama to that occupied in acting it or to a single day unity of time use of one scene throughout unity of place and concentration on the development of a single plot unity of action.  
*The repeated phrase gives the piece **unity** and cohesion.*

