

Need another word that means the same as “excite”? Find 43 synonyms and 30 related words for “excite” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Excite” are: agitate, charge, charge up, commove, rouse, turn on, stimulate, stir, shake, shake up, energise, energize, arouse, sex, wind up, thrill, exhilarate, animate, enliven, move, galvanize, electrify, fire the imagination of, fire the enthusiasm of, arouse sexually, make someone feel sexually excited, titillate, inflame, provoke, stir up, elicit, kindle, trigger, trigger off, touch off, spark off, awaken, incite, instigate, foment, bring out, cause, bring about**

## Excite as a Verb

### Definitions of "Excite" as a verb

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “excite” as a verb can have the following definitions:

- *Produce a magnetic field in.*
- *Give rise to (a feeling or reaction).*
- *Act as a stimulant.*
- *Raise to a higher energy level.*
- *Cause (someone) to feel very enthusiastic and eager.*
- *Stimulate sexually.*
- *Arouse or elicit a feeling.*
- *Stir feelings in.*
- *Produce a state of increased energy or activity in (a physical or biological system).*
- *Arouse (someone) sexually.*
- *Cause to be agitated, excited, or roused.*
- *Stir the feelings, emotions, or peace of.*



## Synonyms of "Excite" as a verb (43 Words)

**agitate**

Cause to be agitated excited or roused.

**Agitate** the water to disperse the oil.

**animate**

Give new life or energy to.

Much loved characters have been **animated** in this Franco Canadian co production.

**arouse**

To begin moving.

**Arouse** pity.

**arouse sexually**

Cause to be alert and energetic.

**awaken**

Make aware.

He sighed but did not **awaken**.

**bring about**

Bring into a different state.

**bring out**

Cause to come into a particular state or condition.

<b>cause</b>	Give rise to cause to happen or occur not always intentionally. <b>Cause</b> an accident.
<u><b>charge</b></u>	File a formal charge against. <i>I don t advise anyone to <b>charge</b> that barricade.</i>
<b>charge up</b>	Place a heraldic bearing on.
<b>commove</b>	Change the arrangement or position of.
<b>electrify</b>	Charge with electricity; pass an electric current through. <i>After locking the farm gate I had switched on the power to <b>electrify</b> the fence.</i>
<u><b>elicit</b></u>	Evoke or draw out (a reaction, answer, or fact) from someone. <b>Elicit</b> a solution.
<b>energise</b>	Cause to be alert and energetic.
<u><b>energize</b></u>	Raise to a higher energy level. <i>People were <b>energized</b> by his ideas.</i>
<u><b>enliven</b></u>	Make (something) more entertaining, interesting, or appealing. <i>The visit had clearly <b>enlivened</b> my mother.</i>
<b>exhilarate</b>	Make (someone) feel very happy, animated, or elated. <i>She was <b>exhilarated</b> by the day s events.</i>
<b>fire the enthusiasm of</b>	Terminate the employment of; discharge from an office or position.
<b>fire the imagination of</b>	Terminate the employment of; discharge from an office or position.
<b>foment</b>	Bathe with warm water or medicated lotions. <i>His legs should be <b>fomented</b>.</i>
<u><b>galvanize</b></u>	Stimulate (muscles) by administering a shock. <i>They promised they would <b>galvanize</b> the iron railings to prevent rusting.</i>
<u><b>incite</b></u>	Urge on; cause to act. <b>Incite</b> a riot.
<b>inflame</b>	Become inflamed get sore. <i>High fines further <b>inflamed</b> public feelings.</i>
<u><b>instigate</b></u>	Incite someone to do something, especially something bad. <i>They <b>instigated</b> a reign of terror.</i>
<u><b>kindle</b></u>	Cause to start burning. <i>The dried grass of the prairie <b>kindled</b> spreading the flames for miles.</i>

**make someone feel sexually excited**

To compose or represent.

**move**

Change location move travel or proceed also metaphorically.  
*The school **moved** over to the new course in 1987.*

**provoke**

Evoke or provoke to appear or occur.  
*Her behavior **provoked** a quarrel between the couple.*

**rouse**

Cause to be agitated excited or roused.  
*He was **roused** by the drunken men in the street.*

**shake**

Shake a body part to communicate a greeting feeling or cognitive state.  
*She was visibly **shaken** and upset when she returned.*

**shake up**

Undermine or cause to waver.

**spark off**

Put in motion or move to act.

**stimulate**

Stir the feelings, emotions, or peace of.  
*Coffee and tea **stimulate** me.*

**stir**

Stir the feelings emotions or peace of.  
*Nothing **stirred** except the wind.*

**stir up**

To begin moving.

**thrill**

Cause to be thrilled by some perceptual input.  
***Thrill** to the magic of the world s greatest guitarist.*

**titillate**

Excite pleasurably or erotically.  
*The press are paid to **titillate** the public.*

**touch off**

Comprehend.

**trigger**

Release or pull the trigger on.  
*The death of Helen s father **triggered** her to follow a childhood dream and become a falconer.*

**trigger off**

Put in motion or move to act.

**turn on**

Cause to move around or rotate.

**wind up**

Raise or haul up with or as if with mechanical help.





## Usage Examples of "Excite" as a verb

- *Excite the atoms.*
- *His Mediterranean vibrancy excited and stimulated her.*
- *The ability to excite interest in others.*
- *Excite the audience.*
- *Gould was excited by these discoveries.*
- *Excite the neurons.*
- *Flying still excites me.*
- *The energy of an electron is sufficient to excite the atom.*



## Associations of "Excite" (30 Words)

<b>agitate</b>	Cause to be agitated excited or roused. <i>They <b>agitated</b> for a reversal of the decision.</i>
<b>agitative</b>	Tending to agitate or move (something); involving agitation.
<b><u>animate</u></b>	Give lifelike qualities to. <i>Prometheus stole fire from heaven to <b>animate</b> his clay men.</i>
<b>arousal</b>	The action or fact of arousing or being aroused. <i>Sexual <b>arousal</b> in dreams is common.</i>
<b>arouse</b>	Call forth (emotions, feelings, and responses). <i>She had been <b>aroused</b> from deep slumber.</i>
<b>awaken</b>	Make someone aware of (something) for the first time. <i>He sighed but did not <b>awaken</b>.</i>

<b><u>brace</u></b>	Support or hold steady and make steadfast with or as if with a brace. <i>A neck <b>brace</b>.</i>
<b><u>bubble</u></b>	Of a liquid form rising bubbles of gas or air. <i>A pot of coffee <b>bubbled</b> away on the stove.</i>
<b><u>effervescence</u></b>	The property of giving off bubbles. <i>The <b>effervescence</b> of sparkling wine.</i>
<b><u>encourage</u></b>	Persuade (someone) to do or continue to do something by giving support and advice. <i>Pupils are <b>encouraged</b> to be creative.</i>
<b><u>energize</u></b>	Give vitality and enthusiasm to. <i>Floor sensors are <b>energized</b> by standing passengers.</i>
<b><u>enkindle</u></b>	Arouse or inspire (an emotion). <i>The glare from its <b>enkindled</b> roof illumined its innermost recesses.</i>
<b><u>fizz</u></b>	The quality of being fizzy effervescence. <i>The champagne had lost its <b>fizz</b>.</i>
<b><u>foment</u></b>	Bathe with warm water or medicated lotions. <i>They accused him of <b>fomenting</b> political unrest.</i>
<b><u>froth</u></b>	Become bubbly or frothy or foaming. <i>Leave the yeast until there is a good head of <b>froth</b>.</i>
<b><u>incite</u></b>	Urge or persuade (someone) to act in a violent or unlawful way. <i>They conspired to <b>incite</b> riots.</i>
<b><u>induce</u></b>	Cause (radioactivity) by bombardment with radiation. <i>Carol was <b>induced</b> just four days before her baby's due date.</i>
<b><u>inflamm</u></b>	Become inflamed get sore. <i>The repetitive motion <b>inflamed</b> her joint.</i>
<b><u>inspire</u></b>	Heighten or intensify. <i>The film was successful enough to <b>inspire</b> a sequel.</i>
<b><u>instigate</u></b>	Incite someone to do something, especially something bad. <i>They <b>instigated</b> a reign of terror.</i>
<b><u>invoke</u></b>	Summon (a spirit) by charms or incantation. <i>The antiquated defence of insanity is rarely <b>invoked</b> in England.</i>
<b><u>motivate</u></b>	Cause (someone) to have interest in or enthusiasm for something. <i>He said he would <b>motivate</b> funds to upgrade the food stalls.</i>
<b><u>provocative</u></b>	Intended or intending to arouse sexual desire or interest. <i>A <b>provocative</b> article.</i>
<b><u>provoke</u></b>	Evoke or provoke to appear or occur. <i>Rachel refused to be <b>provoked</b>.</i>



<b>rouse</b>	Cause to be agitated excited or roused. <i>Once the enemy camp was <b>roused</b> they would move on the castle.</i>
<b>spur</b>	Goad with spurs. <i>Governments cut interest rates to <b>spur</b> demand.</i>
<b>stimulate</b>	Cause to occur rapidly. <i>The book <b>stimulated</b> her imagination.</i>
<b>stir</b>	Stir feelings in. <i><b>Stir</b> the soup.</i>
<b>wake</b>	Cause to become awake or conscious. <i>There s no weeping at an Irish <b>wake</b>.</i>
<b>waken</b>	Cause to become awake or conscious. <i>She knew he would <b>waken</b> in an hour or so.</i>

