

Need another word that means the same as “expansive”? Find 35 synonyms and 30 related words for “expansive” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Expansive” are: grand, heroic, talkative, extensive, sweeping, rolling, wide-ranging, broad, wide, all-embracing, comprehensive, thorough, inclusive, interdisciplinary, multidisciplinary, communicative, forthcoming, sociable, friendly, outgoing, unreserved, uninhibited, open, affable, amiable, genial, chatty, conversational, garrulous, loquacious, voluble, effusive, demonstrative, extrovert, extroverted**

## **Expansive as an Adjective**

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

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

- *Able or tending to expand or characterized by expansion.*
- *Friendly and open and willing to talk.*
- *(of a person or their manner) relaxed and genially frank and communicative.*
- *Marked by exaggerated feelings of euphoria and delusions of grandeur.*
- *Tending towards economic or political expansion.*
- *Of behavior that is impressive and ambitious in scale or scope.*
- *Covering a wide area in terms of space or scope; extensive.*

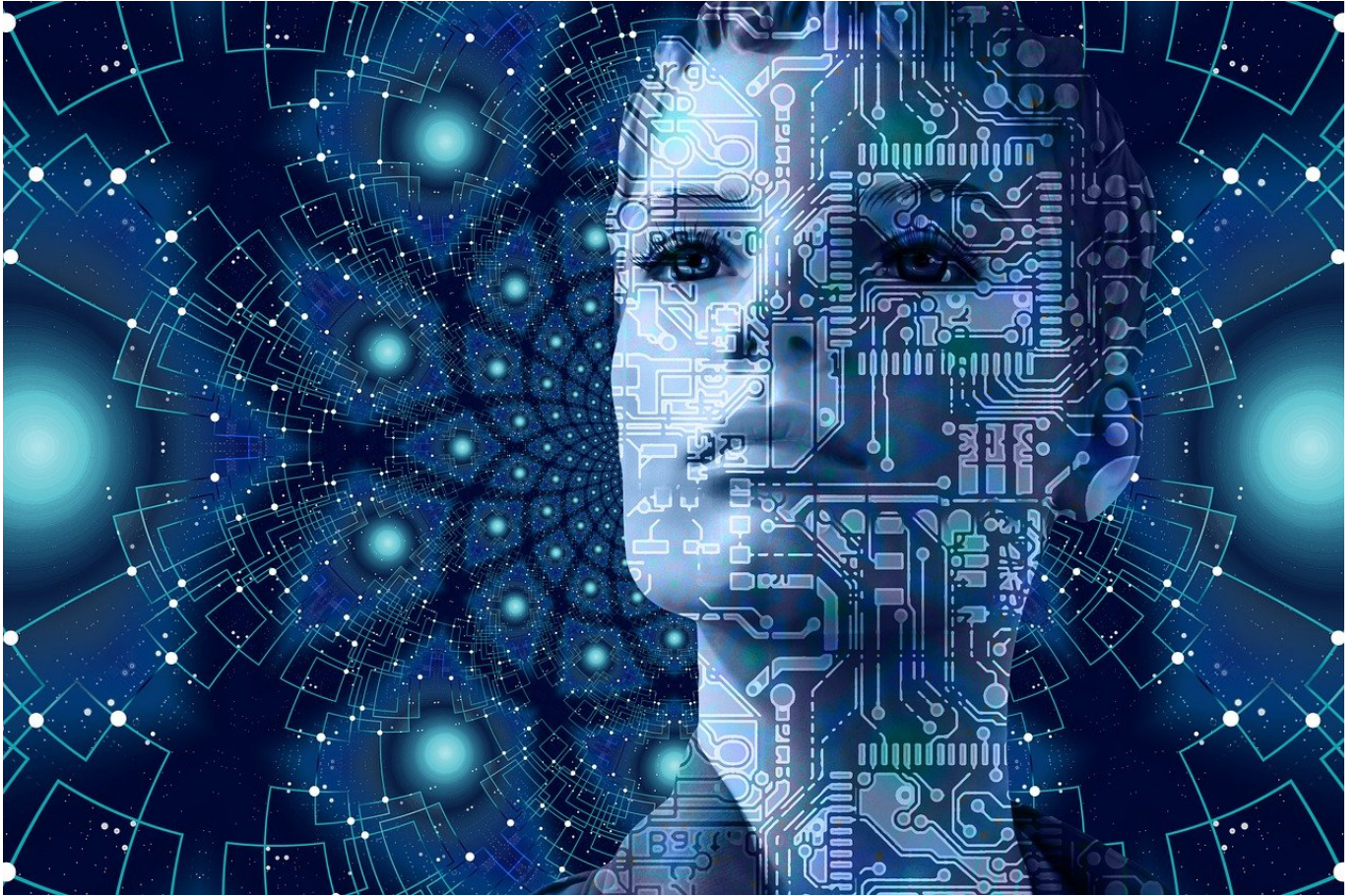


## Synonyms of "Expansive" as an adjective (35 Words)

<b>affable</b>	Diffusing warmth and friendliness. <i>An <b>affable</b> smile.</i>
<b>all-embracing</b>	Broad in scope or content- T.G.Winner.
<b><u>amiable</u></b>	Disposed to please- Hal Hinson. <i>The <b>amiable</b> young man greeted me enthusiastically.</i>
<b>broad</b>	Showing or characterized by broad mindedness. <i>A <b>broad</b> hint.</i>
<b>chatty</b>	(of a conversation, letter, etc.) informal and lively. <i>She wrote a <b>chatty</b> cheerful letter to her mother.</i>
<b><u>communicative</u></b>	Relating to the conveyance or exchange of information. <i>The <b>communicative</b> process in literary texts.</i>
<b>comprehensive</b>	(of a victory or defeat) achieved or suffered by a large margin. <i>A <b>comprehensive</b> survey of world affairs.</i>

<b>conversational</b>	As used in conversation; not formal. <i>She spoke fluent <b>conversational</b> English.</i>
<b>demonstrative</b>	Given to or marked by the open expression of emotion. <i>An affectionate and <b>demonstrative</b> family.</i>
<b>effusive</b>	Extravagantly demonstrative. <i><b>Effusive</b> volcanism.</i>
<b>extensive</b>	Large in amount or scale. <i>An <b>extensive</b> Roman settlement in northwest England.</i>
<b>extrovert</b>	Relating to denoting or typical of an extrovert. <i>His <b>extrovert</b> personality made him the ideal host.</i>
<b>extroverted</b>	Outgoing and socially confident. <i>She is <b>extroverted</b> confident and gives rousing lectures.</i>
<b>forthcoming</b>	Willing to divulge information. <i>Financial support was not <b>forthcoming</b>.</i>
<b>friendly</b>	Denoting something that is adapted for or is not harmful to a specified thing. <i>The risk of blowing up <b>friendly</b> forces is minimized.</i>
<b>garrulous</b>	Full of trivial conversation. <i>A <b>garrulous</b> cab driver.</i>
<b>genial</b>	Diffusing warmth and friendliness. <i>Our <b>genial</b> host.</i>
<b>grand</b>	Magnificent and imposing in appearance, size, or style. <i>Collecting on a <b>grand</b> scale.</i>
<b>heroic</b>	Having the characteristics of a hero or heroine; admirably brave or determined. <i>They took <b>heroic</b> measures to save his life.</i>
<b>inclusive</b>	Including all the services or items normally expected or required. <i>His concept of history is modern and <b>inclusive</b>.</i>
<b>interdisciplinary</b>	Relating to more than one branch of knowledge. <i>An <b>interdisciplinary</b> research programme.</i>
<b>loquacious</b>	Tending to talk a great deal; talkative. <i>Never <b>loquacious</b> Sarah was now totally lost for words.</i>
<b>multidisciplinary</b>	Combining or involving several academic disciplines or professional specializations in an approach to a topic or problem.
<b>open</b>	Open to or in view of all. <i>I m keeping an <b>open</b> mind about my future.</i>

<b><u>outgoing</u></b>	Going out or away from a particular place. <i>Incoming and <b>outgoing</b> calls.</i>
<b>rolling</b>	Uttered with a trill. <i>She used <b>rolling</b> r s as in Spanish.</i>
<b><u>sociable</u></b>	Inclined to or conducive to companionship with others. <i>Being a <b>sociable</b> person Eva loved entertaining.</i>
<b><u>sweeping</u></b>	Ignoring distinctions. <i>A smooth <b>sweeping</b> motion.</i>
<b>talkative</b>	Friendly and open and willing to talk. <i>The <b>talkative</b> driver hadn t stopped chatting.</i>
<b><u>thorough</u></b>	Performed comprehensively and completely. <i>Officers have made a <b>thorough</b> examination of the wreckage.</i>
<b><u>uninhibited</u></b>	Expressing one's feelings or thoughts unselfconsciously and without restraint. <i><b>Uninhibited</b> exuberance.</i>
<b>unreserved</b>	Not set apart for a particular purpose or booked in advance. <i>He has had their <b>unreserved</b> support.</i>
<b>voluble</b>	(of speech) characterized by fluency and readiness of utterance. <i>A <b>voluble</b> game show host.</i>
<b><u>wide</u></b>	Spread among a large number of people or over a large area. <i><b>Wide</b> roads.</i>
<b>wide-ranging</b>	Widely different.



## Usage Examples of "Expansive" as an adjective

- *Expansive beaches.*
- *He was in an expansive mood.*
- *The expansive force of fire.*
- *Expansive domestic economic policies.*
- *Wine made the guest expansive.*
- *An expansive lifestyle.*



## Associations of "Expansive" (30 Words)

- anecdotal** Characterized by or given to telling anecdotes.  
*Her book is **anecdotal** and chatty.*
- blissful** Completely happy and contented.  
*In **blissful** ignorance.*
- chat** Songbirds having a chattering call.  
*That s enough **chat** for tonight.*
- communicative** Able or tending to communicate.  
*The **communicative** process in literary texts.*
- confabulate** Talk socially without exchanging too much information.  
*She could be heard on the telephone confabulating with someone.*

<b>distensible</b>	Capable of being distended; able to stretch and expand. <i>The stomach is a <b>distensible</b> organ.</i>
<b>ecstatic</b>	Involving an experience of mystic self-transcendence. <i><b>Ecstatic</b> fans filled the stadium.</i>
<b>elated</b>	Full of high-spirited delight. <i>Felt <b>elated</b> and excited.</i>
<b>euphoric</b>	Exaggerated feeling of well-being or elation. <i>A <b>euphoric</b> sense of freedom.</i>
<b>extrovert</b>	Relating to denoting or typical of an extrovert. <i>His <b>extrovert</b> personality made him the ideal host.</i>
<b>extroverted</b>	At ease in talking to others. <i>She is <b>extroverted</b> confident and gives rousing lectures.</i>
<b>garrulous</b>	Excessively talkative, especially on trivial matters. <i>A <b>garrulous</b> cab driver.</i>
<b>glib</b>	Having only superficial plausibility. <i><b>Glib</b> promises.</i>
<b>lengthiness</b>	The consequence of being lengthened in duration.
<b>locution</b>	An utterance regarded in terms of its intrinsic meaning or reference, as distinct from its function or purpose in context. <i>His impeccable <b>locution</b>.</i>
<b>loquacious</b>	Full of trivial conversation. <i>Never <b>loquacious</b> Sarah was now totally lost for words.</i>
<b>loquacity</b>	The quality of talking a great deal; talkativeness. <i>He was renowned for <b>loquacity</b>.</i>
<b>prate</b>	Talk foolishly or at tedious length about something. <i>I heard him <b>prate</b> on for at least an hour and a half.</i>
<b>prolixity</b>	Boring verbosity.
<b>recitative</b>	A vocal passage of narrative text that a singer delivers with natural rhythms of speech. <i>Singing in <b>recitative</b>.</i>
<b>rhapsodize</b>	Say (something) with great enthusiasm. <i>He began to <b>rhapsodize</b> about Gaby's beauty and charm.</i>
<b>speak</b>	Utter (a word, message, etc). <i>In his agitation he was unable to <b>speak</b>.</i>
<b>talk</b>	Exchange thoughts talk with. <i>We need to <b>talk</b> Maggie.</i>

<b>talkative</b>	Full of trivial conversation. <i>The <b>talkative</b> driver hadn't stopped chatting.</i>
<b>verbose</b>	Using or expressed in more words than are needed. <i><b>Verbose</b> and ineffective instructional methods.</i>
<b>verbosity</b>	The fact or quality of using more words than needed; wordiness. <i>A critic with a reputation for <b>verbosity</b>.</i>
<b>vocal</b>	Having or using the power to produce speech or sound. <i>The <b>vocal</b> apparatus.</i>
<b>volubility</b>	The quality of talking fluently, readily, or incessantly; talkativeness. <i>Her legendary <b>volubility</b> deserted her.</i>
<b>voluble</b>	(of a person) talking fluently, readily, or incessantly. <i>An excited and <b>voluble</b> discussion.</i>
<b>wordy</b>	Using or expressed in rather too many words. <i>Newspapers of the day printed long <b>wordy</b> editorials.</i>

