

Need another word that means the same as "explicit"? Find 15 synonyms and 30 related words for "explicit" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Explicit" are: expressed, denotative, clear, direct, plain, obvious, straightforward, clear-cut, blunt, uncensored, unrestrained, unreserved, unrestricted, uninhibited, graphic

Explicit as an Adjective

Definitions of "Explicit" as an adjective

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

- In accordance with fact or the primary meaning of a term.
- Describing or representing sexual activity in a graphic fashion.
- Precisely and clearly expressed or readily observable; leaving nothing to implication.
- Stated clearly and in detail, leaving no room for confusion or doubt.
- (of a person) stating something in an explicit manner.







Synonyms of "Explicit" as an adjective (15 Words)

blunt Used of a knife or other blade; not sharp.

A **blunt** New England farmer.

Clear and distinct to the senses easily perceptible.

clear Clear glass.

clear-cut Having had all the trees removed at one time.

denotative Having the power of explicitly denoting or designating or naming.

direct Flowing in one direction only.

The **direct** opposite.

expressed Precisely and clearly expressed or readily observable leaving nothing to

implication.

graphicDescribing nudity or sexual activity in graphic detail.

Graphic information such as charts and diagrams.

obvious Easily perceived or understood; clear, self-evident, or apparent.

It was **obvious** a storm was coming in.

plain Not decorated or elaborate; simple or basic in character.

An insurance policy written in **plain** English.

straightforward Without evasion or compromise.

In a **straightforward** case no fees will be charged.

uncensored Not censored.

Uncensored news reports.

uninhibited Not having been restrained or suppressed.

Uninhibited exuberance.

unreserved Not reserved.

Unreserved grandstand seats.

unrestrained Not restrained or restricted.

Unrestrained laughter.

unrestricted Not subject to or subjected to restriction.

I had unrestricted access.

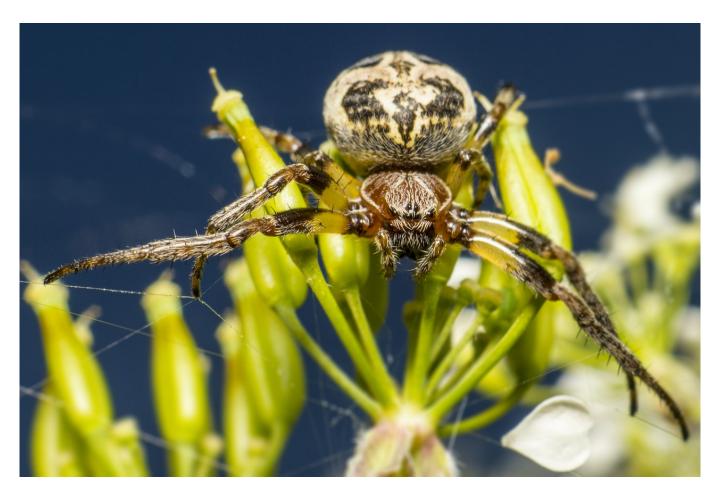




Usage Examples of "Explicit" as an adjective

- Explicit instructions.
- A sexually explicit blockbuster.
- Let me be explicit.
- She made her wishes explicit.
- The arrangement had not been made explicit.
- Explicit sexual scenes.





Associations of "Explicit" (30 Words)

avowal A statement asserting the existence or the truth of something.

Having or feeling no doubt or uncertainty confident and assured. certain

Set aside a **certain** sum each week.

Definitely or positively (`sure' is sometimes used informally for `surely. **certainly**

She **certainly** is a hard worker.

In an easily perceptible manner. clearly

On white paper the seeds are **clearly** visible.

Declared as fact explicitly stated. declared

There is only one **declared** winner.

Known for certain. definite

You re very **definite** about that.

A definitive postage stamp. definitive

The **definitive** work on Greece.



Not continuing to grow indefinitely at the apex. determinate

A **determinate** answer to the problem.

(often followed by `from') not alike; different in nature or quality. distinct

A **distinct** outline.

Analyse and develop (an idea or principle) in detail.

An attempt to **explicate** the relationship between crime and economic explicate

forces.

Of or relating to the graphic arts British Book News. **graphic**

A graphic account of the riots.

A manual usually accompanying a technical device and explaining how to instructions

install or operate it.

(especially of writing or music) clear and accessible or melodious. limpid

Writes in a **limpid** style.

(of language) transparently clear; easily understandable. lucid

A **lucid** moment in his madness.

Record in a ship s manifest. manifest

Each passenger must be **manifest**ed.

Predictable and lacking in subtlety. obvious

Obvious errors.

Open and observable; not secret or hidden. overt

Overt hostility.

Transmitting light; able to be seen through with clarity. pellucid

Mountains reflected in the **pellucid** waters.

Clarity as a consequence of being perspicuous. perspicuity

(of language) transparently clear; easily understandable. perspicuous

It provides simpler and more **perspicuous** explanations than its rivals.

Express complaints discontent displeasure or unhappiness. plain

The main problem is just **plain** exhaustion.

Of or relating to positivism. positivistic

Strongly marked; easily noticeable. pronounced A **pronounced** flavor of cinnamon.

Declared as fact explicitly stated.

stated The **stated** aim of the programme.

(of a person) honest and frank.

straightforward

He is not being as **straightforward** as it appears.

Having or exhibiting a single clearly defined meaning. <u>unambiguous</u>

As a horror apartheid is absolutely **unambiguous**.



 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{unconditionally} \ \ \textit{Without conditions or limits.} \\ \textit{To be loved } \textbf{unconditionally} \ \textit{is to be loved for who we are.} \end{array}$

Clearly defined or formulated. <u>unequivocal</u>

An **unequivocal** success.

Make a vow promise. **vow** Never again he **vow**ed.

