

Need another word that means the same as "exploitative"? Find 35 synonyms for "exploitative" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Exploitative" are: exploitatory, exploitive, unprincipled, unethical, immoral, amoral, conscienceless, untrustworthy, shameless, reprobate, corrupt, corrupted, dishonest, fraudulent, cheating, dishonourable, deceitful, devious, underhand, guileful, cunning, furtive, sly, unsavoury, disreputable, improper, bad, evil, wicked, villainous, roguish, sinful, ignoble, degenerate, venal

## **Exploitative as an Adjective**

## Definitions of "Exploitative" as an adjective

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "exploitative" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- Making use of a situation or treating others unfairly in order to gain an advantage or benefit.
- Tending to exploit or make use of.





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

Lacking a moral sense; unconcerned with the rightness or wrongness of

**amoral** something.

An amoral attitude to sex.

Feeling physical discomfort or pain tough is occasionally used colloquially

**bad** for bad.

The movie was a **bad** choice.

**cheating** Violating accepted standards or rules.

conscienceless Lacking a conscience.

Brash unprincipled and conscienceless.

**corrupt** Touched by rot or decay.

Spoke a **corrupt**ed version of the language.

**corrupted**Ruined in character or quality.

Spoke a **corrupted** version of the language.



**cunning** Attractive especially by means of smallness or prettiness or quaintness.

**Cunning** kittens.

**deceitful** Guilty of or involving deceit; deceiving or misleading others.

A deceitful politician.

(of matter) at densities so high that gravitational contraction is

degenerate counteracted, either by the Pauli exclusion principle or by an analogous

quantum effect between closely packed neutrons.

A **degenerate** form of a higher civilization.

(of a route or journey) longer and less direct than the most

**devious** straightforward way.

They arrived at the town by a **devious** route.

dishonest Capable of being corrupted.

He gave the editor a **dishonest** account of events.

**dishonourable** Bringing shame or disgrace on someone or something.

His crimes are petty and dishonourable.

**disreputable**Not considered to be respectable in character or appearance.

He was heavy grubby and vaguely **disreputable**.

evil Of a force or spirit embodying or associated with the forces of the devil.

An **evil** influence.

**exploitatory** Tending to exploit or make use of. **exploitive** Tending to exploit or make use of.

fraudulent Obtained, done by, or involving deception, especially criminal deception.

Fraudulent psychics.

furtive Secret and sly or sordid- A.L.Guerard.

They spent a **furtive** day together.

**quileful** Having or showing sly or cunning intelligence.

A supremely **guileful** and deceptive politician.

ignoble Not honourable in character or purpose.

**Ignoble** feelings of intense jealousy.

immoral Deliberately violating accepted principles of right and wrong.

Unseemly and **immoral** behaviour.

Not in accordance with accepted standards, especially of morality or

**improper** honesty.

An **improper** suggestion.

reprobate

Deviating from what is considered moral or right or proper or good.

The **reprobate** conduct of a gambling aristocrat.



roguish Playfully mischievous.

He gave her a **roguish** smile.

(of a person or their conduct) characterized by or showing a lack of

**shameless** shame; barefaced or brazen.

His **shameless** hypocrisy.

**sinful** Characterized by iniquity; wicked because it is believed to be a sin.

He said it was **sinful** to wear lipstick.

(of an action) surreptitious.

He gave a **sly** grin.

**underhand** With hand brought forward and up from below shoulder level.

**Underhand** dealings.

unethical Not morally correct.

It is **unethical** to torment any creature for entertainment.

**unprincipled** Lacking principles or moral scruples.

An **unprincipled** womanizer.

**unsavoury** Disagreeable to taste, smell, or look at.

They looked at the scanty **unsavoury** portions of food doled out to them.

Not able to be relied on as honest or truthful.

untrustworthy Thomas considered her to be devious and untrustworthy.

Capable of being corrupted.

venal

Their generosity had been at least partly venal.

villainous Extremely bad or unpleasant.

A **villainous** band of thieves.

wicked Naughtily or annoyingly playful.

A wicked and unscrupulous politician.





Usage Examples of "Exploitative" as an adjective

• An exploitative form of labour.



