

Need another word that means the same as "facile"? Find 20 synonyms and 30 related words for "facile" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Facile" are: eloquent, fluent, silver, silver-tongued, smooth-spoken, neat, slick, simplistic, superficial, oversimple, oversimplified, schematic, black and white, effortless, easy, undemanding, unexacting, painless, trouble-free, unchallenged

Facile as an Adjective

Definitions of "Facile" as an adjective

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

- Performing adroitly and without effort.
- Superficially impressive, but lacking depth and attention to the true complexities of a subject.
- Expressing yourself readily, clearly, effectively.
- Ignoring the true complexities of an issue; superficial.
- Arrived at without due care or effort; lacking depth.
- (of a person) having a superficial or simplistic knowledge or approach.
- (especially of success in sport) easily achieved; effortless.





Synonyms of "Facile" as an adjective (20 Words)

black and white Distributed or sold illicitly.

easy Readily exploited or tricked.

Easy money.

effortless Requiring no physical or mental exertion.

I went up the steps in two effortless bounds.

I went up the steps in two **effortiess** bounds.

eloquentClearly expressing or indicating something.

An **eloquent** speech.

Able to express oneself easily and articulately.

His style of play was fast and **fluent**.

neat Very good.

Took his whiskey **neat**.

oversimple

Lacking sophistication and subtlety.

An **oversimple** theory of human nature.



oversimplified Simplified to such an extent that a distorted impression is given.

An **oversimplified** view of human personality.

painless Involving little effort or stress.

Painless dentistry.

schematic (of a diagram or other representation) symbolic and simplified.

This concept is shown in **schematic** form in Figure 1.

Having the white lustrous sheen of silver.

Repeated scrubbings have given the wood a **silver**y sheen.

silver-tongued Expressing yourself readily, clearly, effectively.

Treating complex issues and problems as if they were much simpler than

simplistic they really are.

Simplistic arguments of the ruling party.

Made slick by e g ice or grease.

A dandy looking dude with a **slick** black ponytail.

smooth-spoken Expressing yourself readily, clearly, effectively.

Denoting a quantity of a material expressed in terms of area covered

rather than linear dimension or volume.

superficialIn his paper he showed a very **superficial** understanding of

psychoanalytic theory.

trouble-free Without problems or difficulties.

unchallenged Not disputed or questioned.

A position of **unchallenged** supremacy.

undemanding (especially of a task) not demanding.

An **undemanding** boss.

Not rigorous.

unexacting

Relaxed and unexacting standards.





Usage Examples of "Facile" as an adjective

- A facile hand.
- Able to dazzle with his facile tongue.
- $\bullet \ Too \ facile \ a \ solution \ for \ so \ complex \ a \ problem.$
- Facile generalizations.
- A man of facile and shallow intellect.
- A facile seven-lengths victory.





Associations of "Facile" (30 Words)

Uninterested because of frequent exposure or indulgence. **blase**

A **blase** attitude about housecleaning.

Cheerfully irresponsible. carefree

The carefree days of the holidays.

A youth belonging to a subculture characterized by the wearing of expensive casual clothing and frequently associated with football

hooliganism.

An ideal coat for casual occasions.

With ease easy is sometimes used informally for easily. easy

Success came too easy.

Not burdensome or demanding; borne or done easily and without

easygoing hardship.

casual

The **easygoing** life of a parttime consultant.



Achieved with admirable ease. effortless

I went up the steps in two **effortless** bounds.

Expressing yourself readily, clearly, effectively. eloquent

The bus journey alone is **eloquent** of class inequality.

A speech or piece of writing that praises someone or something highly,

especially a tribute to someone who has just died. **eulogy**

A **eulogy** to the Queen Mother.

Disloyal, especially to a spouse or partner. faithless

They were ungodly and **faithless**.

(of a line or contour) smoothly continuous. flowing

A **flowing** prose style.

Able to speak or write a particular foreign language easily and accurately. fluent

She became **fluent** in French and German.

Marked by peace and prosperity. halcvon

The **halcyon** days of the clipper trade.

happy-go-lucky Occurring by chance.

Marked by blithe unconcern. insouciant

An **insouciant** shrug.

(of a river) slow-moving. lazy

A lazy lowland river.

Not hurried or forced. **leisurely**

At a **leisurely** or easygoing pace.

(of a person or manner) feeling or appearing casually calm and relaxed;

not displaying anxiety, interest, or enthusiasm. nonchalant

Was polite in a teasing **nonchalant** manner.

The style or manner in which an oration is given. oration

Pericles famous funeral **oration**.

In spite of everything; without regard to drawbacks. regardless

The allowance is paid **regardless** of age or income.

Free from tension and anxiety.

relaxed We were having a great time and feeling very **relaxed**.

A person who delivers a speech or oration. rhetorician

They re ready to listen to any smooth tongued **rhetorician**.

Composed of a single element; not compound. simple

A **simple** game.



Of a sports field or ground likely to make the ball bounce or run slowly or

slow to prevent competitors from travelling fast.

Production **slow**ed.

speciousBased on pretense; deceptively pleasing.

A **specious** claim.

Lacking in interest or care or feeling.

unconcerned The prisoner seems entirely **unconcerned** as to the outcome of the

examination.

unhurried Relaxed and leisurely; without hurry or haste.

He began opening the drawers of his desk in an **unhurried** way.

uninterestedNot interested in or concerned about something or someone.

She appeared totally **uninterested**.

unmolested Not interfered with, disturbed, or harmed.

They allowed him to pass unmolested.

untroubled Free from turmoil or worries.

Untroubled sleep.

volubility

The quality of being facile in speech and writing.

Her legendary **volubility** deserted her.



