

Need another word that means the same as “filthy”? Find 79 synonyms and 30 related words for “filthy” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Filthy” are: dirty, lousy, foul, nasty, cruddy, smutty, mucky, grimy, muddy, murky, slimy, unclean, unwashed, grubby, black, blackened, begrimed, stained, unkempt, obscene, indecent, rude, improper, corrupt, coarse, bawdy, unrefined, indelicate, vulgar, lewd, racy, raw, off colour, earthy, ribald, risqué, licentious, cold, chilly, bitter, bleak, wintry, freezing, snowy, icy, bad, unpleasant, bad-tempered, ill-tempered, irritable, grumpy, grouchy, cantankerous, curmudgeonly, aggressive, cross, fractious, peevish, short-tempered, hot-tempered, quick-tempered, despicable, contemptible, low, base, mean, vile, disgusting, obnoxious, wretched, shabby, sordid, very, extremely, tremendously, immensely, vastly, hugely, remarkably**

## Filthy as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Filthy" as an adjective

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

- *Obscene and offensive.*
- *Contemptible (used for emphasis).*
- *(of weather) very unpleasant.*
- *Angry and bad-tempered.*

- *Disgustingly dirty; filled or smeared with offensive matter.*
- *Vile; despicable.*
- *Disgustingly dirty.*
- *Characterized by obscenity.*



## Synonyms of "Filthy" as an adjective (72 Words)

<b>aggressive</b>	Tending to spread quickly. <i>An <b>aggressive</b> tumor.</i>
<b>bad</b>	Feeling physical discomfort or pain though is occasionally used colloquially for bad. <i><b>Bad</b> reviews.</i>
<b>bad-tempered</b>	Annoyed and irritable.
<b>base</b>	Serving as or forming a base. <i>That liberal obedience without which your army would be a <b>base</b> rabble.</i>
<b>begrimed</b>	Blackened with ingrained dirt. <i>They stand in front of <b>begrimed</b> windows.</i>
<b>bitter</b>	Painful or unpleasant to accept or contemplate. <i><b>Bitter</b> enemies.</i>
<b>black</b>	Of a ski run of the highest level of difficulty as indicated by black markers positioned along it. <i><b>Black</b> humor.</i>
<b>blackened</b>	(of the face) made black especially as with suffused blood. <i><b>Blackened</b> rafters.</i>
<b>bleak</b>	(of a situation) not hopeful or encouraging; unlikely to have a favourable outcome. <i>He looked round the <b>bleak</b> little room in despair.</i>
<b>cantankerous</b>	Stubbornly obstructive and unwilling to cooperate- Spectator. <i>He can be a <b>cantankerous</b> old fossil at times.</i>
<b>chilly</b>	Uncomfortably or unpleasantly cold. <i>A <b>chilly</b> February evening.</i>
<b>coarse</b>	Relating to the sport of angling for coarse fish. <i>Of what <b>coarse</b> metal ye are molded.</i>
<b>cold</b>	Having a low or inadequate temperature or feeling a sensation of coldness or having been made cold by e g ice or refrigeration. <i><b>Cold</b> blooded killing.</i>
<b>contemptible</b>	Deserving of contempt or scorn. <i>A display of <b>contemptible</b> cowardice.</i>
<b>corrupt</b>	Lacking in integrity. <i>Humanity they knew to be <b>corrupt</b> from the day of Adam s creation.</i>
<b>cross</b>	Extending or lying across in a crosswise direction at right angles to the long axis. <i>He seemed to be very <b>cross</b> about something.</i>

<b>cruddy</b>	Characterized by obscenity.
<b>curmudgeonly</b>	(especially of an old person) bad-tempered and negative. <i>His <b>curmudgeonly</b> temper.</i>
<b>despicable</b>	Morally reprehensible. <i>Would do something as <b>despicable</b> as murder.</i>
<b>disgusting</b>	Highly offensive; arousing aversion or disgust. <i>A <b>disgusting</b> smell.</i>
<b><u>earthy</u></b>	Sensible and practical. <i>Her <b>earthy</b> common sense.</i>
<b>foul</b>	Of a baseball not hit between the foul lines. <i>The land was <b>foul</b> with weeds.</i>
<b>fractious</b>	Stubbornly resistant to authority or control. <i>Rockets were much too <b>fractious</b> to be tested near thickly populated areas.</i>
<b>freezing</b>	(used hyperbolically) very cold. <i>It was <b>freezing</b> cold outside.</i>
<b>grimy</b>	Thickly covered with ingrained dirt or soot. <i><b>Grimy</b> hands.</i>
<b>grouchy</b>	Irritable and bad-tempered; grumpy; complaining. <i>The old man grew sulky and <b>grouchy</b>.</i>
<b>grubby</b>	Involving dishonest or disreputable activity; sordid. <i><b>Grubby</b> little fingers.</i>
<b><u>grumpy</u></b>	Annoyed and irritable. <i>He s <b>grumpy</b> because he hasn t heard from you.</i>
<b>hot-tempered</b>	Quickly aroused to anger.
<b>icy</b>	Covered with or containing or consisting of ice. <i><b>Icy</b> northern waters.</i>
<b>ill-tempered</b>	Annoyed and irritable.
<b><u>improper</u></b>	Lacking in modesty or decency. <i>Slightly <b>improper</b> to dine alone with a married man.</i>
<b>indecent</b>	Not appropriate or fitting. <i>A bathing suit considered <b>indecent</b> by local standards.</i>
<b>indelicate</b>	Having or showing a lack of sensitive understanding or tact. <i>Forgive me asking an <b>indelicate</b> question but how are you off for money.</i>
<b>irritable</b>	Capable of responding to stimuli. <i>She was tired and <b>irritable</b>.</i>

<b>lewd</b>	Driven by lust; preoccupied with or exhibiting lustful desires. <i><b>Lewd</b> pictures.</i>
<b><u>licentious</u></b>	Disregarding accepted conventions, especially in grammar or literary style. <i>Unlike many of the artists who frequented the Soho scene of the 1960s he did not lead a <b>licentious</b> life.</i>
<b>lousy</b>	Very poor or bad. <i>The town is <b>lousy</b> with tourists.</i>
<b><u>low</u></b>	Of a river or lake below the usual water level. <i>Borrowing fell to a <b>low</b> level.</i>
<b>mean</b>	Characterized by malice. <i>The <b>mean</b> annual rainfall.</i>
<b>mucky</b>	(of soil) soft and watery. <i>Wet <b>mucky</b> lowland.</i>
<b>muddy</b>	Not bright or clear; dirty-looking. <i>They changed their <b>muddy</b> boots.</i>
<b><u>murky</u></b>	Dark or gloomy. <i>The sky was <b>murky</b> and a thin drizzle was falling.</i>
<b><u>nasty</u></b>	Offensive or even (of persons) malicious. <i>Will he say <b>nasty</b> things at my funeral.</i>
<b><u>obnoxious</u></b>	Causing disapproval or protest. <i>He found her son somewhat <b>obnoxious</b>.</i>
<b>obscene</b>	Designed to incite to indecency or lust-Margaret Mead. <i><b>Obscene</b> telephone calls.</i>
<b>off colour</b>	Below a satisfactory level.
<b>peevish</b>	Easily irritated or annoyed. <i>A thin <b>peevish</b> voice.</i>
<b>quick-tempered</b>	Quickly aroused to anger.
<b>raw</b>	Devoid of elaboration or diminution or concealment; bare and pure. <i><b>Raw</b> silk.</i>
<b>ribald</b>	Referring to sexual matters in an amusingly coarse or irreverent way. <i><b>Ribald</b> language.</i>
<b>risqué</b>	Suggestive of sexual impropriety.
<b>rude</b>	Belonging to an early stage of technical development characterized by simplicity and often crudeness. <i>A <b>rude</b> coffin.</i>

<b>shabby</b>	In poor condition through long use or lack of care. <i>A conscript in a <b>shabby</b> uniform saluted the car.</i>
<b>short-tempered</b>	Quickly aroused to anger.
<b>slimy</b>	Covered by or resembling slime. <i>A <b>slimy</b> little liar.</i>
<b>snowy</b>	Of the white color of snow. <i><b>Snowy</b> mountains.</i>
<b>sordid</b>	Unethical or dishonest. <i>The overcrowded housing conditions were <b>sordid</b> and degrading.</i>
<b>stained</b>	Marked or dyed or discolored with foreign matter. <i>A <b>stained</b> beer mat.</i>
<b>unclean</b>	Dirty. <i><b>Unclean</b> meat.</i>
<b>unkempt</b>	Not neatly combed. <i>Wild <b>unkempt</b> hair.</i>
<b>unpleasant</b>	Causing discomfort, unhappiness, or revulsion; disagreeable. <i><b>Unpleasant</b> odors.</i>
<b>unrefined</b>	Not refined; uncouth. <i>How can a refined girl be drawn to such an <b>unrefined</b> man.</i>
<b>unwashed</b>	Not cleaned with or as if with soap and water. <i>The <b>unwashed</b> masses.</i>
<b>vile</b>	Causing or able to cause nausea. <i>As <b>vile</b> a rogue as ever lived.</i>
<b>wintry</b>	Devoid of warmth and cordiality; expressive of unfriendliness or disdain. <i>A <b>wintry</b> landscape.</i>
<b>wretched</b>	Deserving or inciting pity- Galsworthy. <i>She disliked the <b>wretched</b> man intensely.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Filthy" as an adjective

- *As filthy as a pigsty.*
- *Had a filthy mouth.*
- *A filthy traitor.*
- *A filthy hospital with no sanitation.*
- *Filthy language.*
- *It looked like being a filthy night.*
- *You filthy liar.*
- *He arrived at the meeting half an hour late and in a filthy temper.*



## **Filthy as an Adverb**

### **Definitions of "Filthy" as an adverb**

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "filthy" as an adverb can have the following definitions:

- *To an extreme extent.*





## Synonyms of "Filthy" as an adverb (7 Words)

- extremely** To a high degree or extent; favorably or with much respect.  
*Extremely unpleasant.*
- hugely** Very much; to a very great extent.  
*A hugely expensive house.*
- immensely** To a great extent; extremely.  
*The president was immensely popular.*
- remarkably** In a way that is worthy of attention.  
*You have performed remarkably.*
- tremendously** To a very great extent.  
*A tremendously exciting opportunity.*

**vastly**

To an exceedingly great extent or degree.

*Business practices differ **vastly** from country to country.*

**very**

Used as intensifiers; `real' is sometimes used informally for `really';  
`rattling' is informal.

*The **very** first time.*



**Usage Examples of "Filthy" as an adverb**

- *He has become filthy rich.*



## Associations of "Filthy" (30 Words)

<b>awful</b>	Awfully very. <i>The place smelled <b>awful</b>.</i>
<b>defiled</b>	Morally blemished; stained or impure.
<b>dingy</b>	Gloomy and drab. <i>A dirty or <b>dingy</b> white.</i>
<b>fetid</b>	Smelling extremely unpleasant. <i>The <b>fetid</b> water of the marsh.</i>
<b>foul</b>	Commit a foul break the rules. <i>The news had put Michelle in a <b>foul</b> mood.</i>
<b>grimy</b>	Covered with or characterized by grime. <i>The <b>grimy</b> industrial city.</i>
<b>horrible</b>	Causing or likely to cause horror; shocking. <i>A <b>horrible</b> massacre.</i>

<b>inedible</b>	Not suitable for food. <i>An <b>inedible</b> variety of mushroom.</i>
<b>lousy</b>	Vile; despicable. <i>She felt <b>lousy</b>.</i>
<b>maculate</b>	Mark with a spot or spots; stain. <i>A dirty white T shirt <b>maculated</b> with barbecue sauce.</i>
<b>malodorous</b>	Smelling very unpleasant. <i>Leaking taps and <b>malodorous</b> drains.</i>
<b>messy</b>	Dirty and disorderly. <i>A <b>messy</b> divorce.</i>
<b>muddy</b>	Cause to become muddy. <i>They changed their <b>muddy</b> boots.</i>
<b>nasty</b>	Disgustingly dirty; filled or smeared with offensive matter. <i>A <b>nasty</b> shock.</i>
<b>ragamuffin</b>	A person, typically a child, in ragged, dirty clothes. <i><b>Ragamuffin</b> style.</i>
<b>ragged</b>	(of an animal) having a rough, shaggy coat. <i>A <b>ragged</b> tramp.</i>
<b>scabrous</b>	Dealing with salacious or indecent material. <i><b>Scabrous</b> details included being regularly seen with a mistress.</i>
<b>seamy</b>	Morally degraded- Seattle Weekly. <i>The <b>seamy</b> side of life.</i>
<b>seedy</b>	Shabby and untidy- Mark Twain. <i>A <b>seedy</b> district.</i>
<b>slovenly</b>	(especially of a person or their appearance) untidy and dirty. <i><b>Slovenly</b> appearance.</i>
<b>sordid</b>	Foul and run-down and repulsive. <i>A <b>sordid</b> political campaign.</i>
<b>squalid</b>	Showing or involving a contemptible lack of moral standards. <i>A <b>squalid</b> attempt to save themselves from electoral embarrassment.</i>
<b>stinking</b>	Foul-smelling. <i>It s a <b>stinking</b> world.</i>
<b>unclean</b>	Dirty. <i>Wore an <b>unclean</b> shirt.</i>
<b>unkempt</b>	Not neatly combed. <i>Wild <b>unkempt</b> hair.</i>

**unsanitary** Not sanitary or healthful.  
*Grim and **unsanitary** conditions.*

**untidy** Not arranged neatly and in order.  
*She was chronically **untidy** and her clothes lay where she had dropped them.*

