

Need another word that means the same as “flawed”? Find 11 synonyms and 30 related words for “flawed” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Flawed” are: blemished, unsound, defective, faulty, distorted, inaccurate, incorrect, erroneous, imprecise, fallacious, wrong

Flawed as an Adjective

Definitions of "Flawed" as an adjective

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

- *Having a blemish or flaw.*
- *Having or characterized by a fundamental weakness or imperfection.*
- *(of a person) having a weakness in character.*



Synonyms of "Flawed" as an adjective (11 Words)

blemished Having a blemish or flaw.

defective Having a defect.
*Complaints over **defective** goods.*

distorted Pulled or twisted out of shape; contorted.
***Distorted** guitars.*

erroneous Containing or characterized by error.
*Employers sometimes make **erroneous** assumptions.*

fallacious Based on a mistaken belief.
***Fallacious** reasoning.*

faulty Characterized by errors; not agreeing with a model or not following established rules.
*Her character was **faulty**.*

imprecise Not precise.
*The terms he used were **imprecise** and emotional.*

inaccurate Not accurate.
*False or **inaccurate** descriptions of goods.*

incorrect Not in accordance with particular standards or rules.
*An **incorrect** transcription.*

unsound Physically unsound or diseased.
*This line of argument is **unsound**.*

wrong Not functioning properly.
*Something was **wrong** with the pump.*



Usage Examples of "Flawed" as an adjective

- *A flawed hero.*
- *A flawed diamond.*
- *A fatally flawed strategy.*

Associations of "Flawed" (30 Words)

blunder An embarrassing mistake.
*We were **blundering** around in the darkness.*

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| defect | An imperfection in an object or machine. <i>Visual defects.</i> |
| <u>defective</u> | Markedly subnormal in structure or function or intelligence or behavior. <i>I returned the appliance because it was defective.</i> |
| demerit | The quality of being inadequate or falling short of perfection. <i>The merits and demerits of these proposals.</i> |
| <u>erroneous</u> | Wrong; incorrect. <i>Erroneous conclusions.</i> |
| <u>error</u> | Part of a statement that is not correct. <i>An error of judgement.</i> |
| failing | A flaw or weak point. <i>Received failing grades.</i> |
| fallacious | Containing or based on a fallacy. <i>Fallacious hope.</i> |
| fallibility | The likelihood of making errors. <i>Technology is not a cure for human fallibility.</i> |
| fallible | Likely to fail or make errors. <i>I m only a fallible human.</i> |
| <u>fault</u> | Of a rock formation be broken by a fault or faults. <i>It was his fault she had died.</i> |
| <u>faulty</u> | Characterized by errors; not agreeing with a model or not following established rules. <i>Faulty logic.</i> |
| flaw | Add a flaw or blemish to make imperfect or defective. <i>He had his flaws but he was still a great teacher.</i> |
| gaffe | A socially awkward or tactless act. <i>In my first few months at work I made some real gaffes.</i> |
| <u>imperfect</u> | The imperfect tense. <i>Drainage here is imperfect.</i> |
| inaccurate | Not exact. <i>An inaccurate translation.</i> |
| <u>incorrect</u> | Characterized by errors; not agreeing with a model or not following established rules. <i>Strictly speaking the form of address was incorrect.</i> |
| inexact | Not quite accurate or correct. <i>An inexact description.</i> |

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| lapse | A decline from previously high standards. <i>A lapse of concentration in the second set cost her the match.</i> |
| misconceive | Judge or plan badly, typically on the basis of faulty understanding. <i>Criticism of the trade surplus in Washington is misconceived.</i> |
| mistake | To make a mistake or be incorrect. <i>She made the mistake of thinking they were important.</i> |
| <u>mistaken</u> | Wrong in e.g. opinion or judgment. <i>An unfortunate case of mistaken identity.</i> |
| <u>misunderstanding</u> | Putting the wrong interpretation on. <i>A misunderstanding of the government's plans.</i> |
| oversight | An unintentional omission resulting from failure to notice something. <i>Was the mistake due to oversight.</i> |
| slip | A reduction in the movement of a pulley or other mechanism due to slipping of the belt rope etc. <i>The effects of slight slip on turns.</i> |
| solecism | A breach of good manners; an instance of incorrect behaviour. |
| unforced | Not resulting from undue effort; not forced. <i>An unforced cheerfulness.</i> |
| unreliable | Liable to be erroneous or misleading. <i>An unreliable trestle.</i> |
| wrong | Treat unjustly do wrong to. <i>That was wrong of me.</i> |
| <u>wrongly</u> | In a way that is incorrect or mistaken. <i>My name is spelled wrongly.</i> |