

Need another word that means the same as “heavily”? Find 41 synonyms and 30 related words for “heavily” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Heavily” are: heavy, hard, intemperately, laboriously, slowly, steadily, deliberately, woodenly, stiffly, with heavy steps, decisively, utterly, completely, thoroughly, totally, conclusively, roundly, soundly, absolutely, excessively, immoderately, copiously, inordinately, too much, very much, overmuch, to too great an extent, densely, closely, thickly, compactly, deeply, extremely, very, greatly, exceedingly, enormously, terribly, tremendously, awfully, profoundly**

## Heavily as an Adverb

### Definitions of "Heavily" as an adverb

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

- *To a large extent; very or very much.*
- *In a slow way that expresses sadness.*
- *Slowly as if burdened by much weight.*
- *With great force.*
- *With a lot of force or effort; with weight.*
- *In a heavy-footed manner.*
- *In a way that is mentally oppressive or hard to endure.*
- *To a great degree; in large amounts.*
- *Indulging excessively.*
- *Slowly and loudly.*
- *In a labored manner.*
- *To a considerable degree.*

- *In a manner designed for heavy duty.*



## Synonyms of "Heavily" as an adverb (41 Words)

<b>absolutely</b>	Used to express and emphasize one's assent or agreement. <i>You're <b>absolutely</b> right.</i>
<b>awfully</b>	Very. <i>I'm <b>awfully</b> sorry to bother you so late.</i>
<b><u>closely</u></b>	With little or no space or time in between. <i>We will be working <b>closely</b> with stakeholders.</i>
<b>compactly</b>	In a compact manner or state. <i>He wrote <b>compactly</b> but clearly.</i>
<b>completely</b>	Totally; utterly. <i>Was <b>completely</b> at fault.</i>
<b>conclusively</b>	In a decisive way that has the effect of proving a case. <i>The story had been <b>conclusively</b> debunked.</i>

<b>copiously</b>	In large quantities. <i>I was drinking <b>copiously</b>.</i>
<b>decisively</b>	With firmness. <i>I want the person who wins the election to win <b>decisively</b>.</i>
<b>deeply</b>	To a great depth psychologically or emotionally. <i>He breathed <b>deeply</b>.</i>
<b>deliberately</b>	Consciously and intentionally; on purpose. <i>She was working <b>deliberately</b>.</i>
<b>densely</b>	In a concentrated manner. <i><b>Densely</b> packed layers.</i>
<b><u>enormously</u></b>	To a very great degree or extent; considerably. <i>She has been <b>enormously</b> successful.</i>
<b><u>exceedingly</u></b>	To an extreme degree. <i>The team played <b>exceedingly</b> well.</i>
<b>excessively</b>	To a degree exceeding normal or proper limits. <i><b>Excessively</b> high taxes.</i>
<b>extremely</b>	To a high degree or extent; favorably or with much respect. <i><b>Extremely</b> unpleasant.</i>
<b>greatly</b>	By a considerable amount; very much. <i>They now have <b>greatly</b> increased powers.</i>
<b>hard</b>	Causing great damage or hardship. <i>They work <b>hard</b> at school.</i>
<b>heavy</b>	Slowly as if burdened by much weight. <i>Time hung <b>heavy</b> on their hands.</i>
<b>immoderately</b>	To a degree that exceeds the bounds or reason or moderation.
<b>inordinately</b>	Extremely. <i>Negotiations took an <b>inordinately</b> long time.</i>
<b>intemperately</b>	Indulging excessively.
<b>laboriously</b>	In a way that takes considerable time and effort. <i>The boys were <b>laboriously</b> copying down sentences from the blackboard.</i>
<b>overmuch</b>	More than necessary. <i>Let s not blame them <b>overmuch</b>.</i>
<b><u>profoundly</u></b>	To a great depth psychologically or emotionally. <i>A <b>profoundly</b> disturbing experience.</i>

<b>roundly</b>	So thoroughly as to leave no doubt. <i>The latest attacks have been <b>roundly</b> condemned by campaigners for peace.</i>
<b>slowly</b>	Without speed slow is sometimes used informally for slowly. <i>He spoke <b>slowly</b>.</i>
<b>soundly</b>	Completely and absolutely ('good' is sometimes used informally for 'thoroughly'). <i><b>Soundly</b> deduced scientific research.</i>
<b><u>steadily</u></b>	At a steady rate or pace. <i>Nicholas gazed <b>steadily</b> at the face in the crowd.</i>
<b>stiffly</b>	In a way that is firm and difficult to bend or move. <i>She gently turned the key in the lock where it <b>stiffly</b> slid into place.</i>
<b><u>terribly</u></b>	In a terrible manner. <i>Your father misses you <b>terribly</b>.</i>
<b>thickly</b>	Spoken with poor articulation as if with a thick tongue. <i>The actors speak in <b>thickly</b> accented English.</i>
<b><u>thoroughly</u></b>	Completely and absolutely good is sometimes used informally for thoroughly. <i>I <b>thoroughly</b> enjoyed the day.</i>
<b>to too great an extent</b>	To a degree exceeding normal or proper limits.
<b>too much</b>	To a degree exceeding normal or proper limits.
<b><u>totally</u></b>	Used to express agreement. <i>The building was <b>totally</b> destroyed by the fire.</i>
<b><u>tremendously</u></b>	Extremely. <i>Costs vary <b>tremendously</b> from area to area.</i>
<b><u>utterly</u></b>	Completely and without qualification; absolutely. <i><b>Utterly</b> miserable.</i>
<b>very</b>	Precisely so. <i>The <b>very</b> first time.</i>
<b>very much</b>	Precisely so.
<b>with heavy steps</b>	Slowly as if burdened by much weight.
<b>woodenly</b>	Without grace; rigidly. <i>They moved <b>woodenly</b>.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Heavily" as an adverb

- *He had been drinking heavily for six months.*
- *He sat down heavily in the chair.*
- *Tension hung heavily in the air.*
- *She fell heavily to the ground.*
- *The man in the next room was snoring heavily.*
- *The country is heavily dependent on banana exports.*
- *It was raining heavily.*
- *It is a burden that weighs heavily on his shoulders.*
- *She is heavily pregnant.*
- *He drank heavily.*
- *She was breathing heavily.*
- *He was heavily influenced by the Impressionists.*
- *He relied heavily on others' data.*
- *He sighed heavily.*



## Associations of "Heavily" (30 Words)

<b>acute</b>	Denoting or designed for patients with an acute form of a disease. <i>Felt <b>acute</b> annoyance.</i>
<b>charged</b>	Of a particle or body or system; having a net amount of positive or negative electric charge. <i>The highly <b>charged</b> atmosphere created by the boycott.</i>
<b>dramatic</b>	Pertaining to or characteristic of drama. <i>The <b>dramatic</b> arts.</i>
<b>drastically</b>	In a drastic manner. <i>Now her fortunes have changed <b>drastically</b>.</i>
<b>extreme</b>	The highest or most extreme degree of something. <i>An <b>extreme</b> liberal.</i>
<b>extremely</b>	To a high degree or extent; favorably or with much respect. <i><b>Extremely</b> interesting.</i>

<b>fierce</b>	Fashionable or attractive in a bold or striking way. <i><b>Fierce</b> fighting.</i>
<b>forceful</b>	Forceful and definite in expression or action. <i>A <b>forceful</b> plan for peace.</i>
<b>hard</b>	Unfortunate or hard to bear. <i>They work <b>hard</b> at school.</i>
<b>immensely</b>	To an exceedingly great extent or degree. <i>Was <b>immensely</b> more important to the project as a scientist than as an administrator.</i>
<b>immoderate</b>	Beyond reasonable limits. <i><b>Immoderate</b> spending.</i>
<b>impetus</b>	Something that makes a process or activity happen or happen more quickly. <i>Hit the booster coil before the flywheel loses all its <b>impetus</b>.</i>
<b>influence</b>	A person or thing with the capacity to have an influence on someone or something. <i>He was a bad <b>influence</b> on the children.</i>
<b>intemperate</b>	(of weather or climate) not mild; subject to extremes. <i><b>Intemperate</b> zones.</i>
<b>intense</b>	Extremely sharp or intense. <i><b>Intense</b> itching and burning.</i>
<b>irresistible</b>	Overpoweringly attractive. <i><b>Irresistible</b> or resistless impulses.</i>
<b>overwhelming</b>	So strong as to be irresistible. <i>The temptation to despair may become <b>overwhelming</b>.</i>
<b>powerful</b>	Of a person possessing physical strength and weight rugged and powerful. <i>His photomontages are <b>powerful</b> anti war images.</i>
<b>rely</b>	Have faith or confidence in. <i>I know I can <b>rely</b> on your discretion.</i>
<b>rushing</b>	The action of moving with urgent haste. <i>They have a really good offensive line as far as <b>rushing</b> is concerned.</i>
<b>severe</b>	Severely simple. <i>A <b>severe</b> case of pneumonia.</i>
<b>strong</b>	Relating to or denoting the strongest of the known kinds of force between particles which acts between nucleons and other hadrons when closer than about 10 cm so binding protons in a nucleus despite the repulsion due to their charge and which conserves strangeness parity and isospin. <i>A <b>strong</b> radio signal.</i>

<b><u>super</u></b>	Of a manufactured product very good superfine. <i>The <b>super</b> walked around the incident room.</i>
<b>ultimate</b>	The best achievable or imaginable of its kind. <i>The <b>ultimate</b> in decorative luxury.</i>
<b><u>unabated</u></b>	Without any reduction in intensity or strength. <i>The winds are <b>unabated</b>.</i>
<b>unbearably</b>	To an unbearable degree. <i>Even the nights were <b>unbearably</b> hot.</i>
<b>uncommonly</b>	Exceptionally. <i>He is an <b>uncommonly</b> good talker.</i>
<b>utmost</b>	(comparatives of `far') most remote in space or time or order. <i>A matter of the <b>utmost</b> importance.</i>
<b>vehemence</b>	Intensity or forcefulness of expression. <i>The <b>vehemence</b> of his denial.</i>
<b><u>vehement</u></b>	Showing strong feeling; forceful, passionate, or intense. <i>Her voice was low but <b>vehement</b>.</i>



