

Need another word that means the same as “intangible”? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for “intangible” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Intangible” are: impalpable, nonphysical, untouchable, bodiless, incorporeal, unembodied, disembodied, abstract, invisible, indefinable, indescribable, inexpressible, nameless, intangible asset

Intangible as a Noun

Definitions of "Intangible" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “intangible” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *Assets that are saleable though not material or physical.*
- *An intangible thing.*



Synonyms of "Intangible" as a noun (1 Word)

intangible asset Assets that are saleable though not material or physical.

Usage Examples of "Intangible" as a noun

- *Intangibles like self-confidence and responsibility.*

Intangible as an Adjective

Definitions of "Intangible" as an adjective

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

- *(of especially business assets) not having physical substance or intrinsic productive*

value.

- Unable to be touched; not having physical presence.
- Incapable of being perceived by the senses especially the sense of touch- James Jeans.
- (of an asset or benefit) not constituting or represented by a physical object and of a value not precisely measurable.
- Lacking substance or reality; incapable of being touched or seen.
- Hard to pin down or identify.
- Not having physical substance or intrinsic productive value.
- Incapable of being perceived by the senses especially the sense of touch.
- Difficult or impossible to define or understand; vague and abstract.

Synonyms of "Intangible" as an adjective (13 Words)

<u>abstract</u>	Dealing with a subject in the abstract without practical purpose or intention. <i>We have been discussing the problem in a very abstract manner.</i>
bodiless	Having no material form or being; incorporeal. <i>A sinister bodiless voice.</i>
disembodied	Not having a material body. <i>A disembodied ghost.</i>
impalpable	Not easily comprehended. <i>An impalpable ghost.</i>
incorporeal	Not composed of matter; having no material existence. <i>A supreme but incorporeal being called God.</i>
indefinable	Defying expression or description. <i>An abstract concept that seems indefinable.</i>
<u>indescribable</u>	Defying expression or description. <i>Most prisoners suffered indescribable hardship.</i>
inexpressible	Defying expression. <i>A mood of inexpressible longing.</i>
<u>invisible</u>	Relating to or denoting earnings which a country makes from the sale of services or other items not constituting tangible commodities. <i>This invisible gas is present to some extent in every home.</i>
nameless	Being or having an unknown or unnamed source. <i>Some pictures were taken by a nameless photographer.</i>
nonphysical	Lacking substance or reality; incapable of being touched or seen.
unembodied	Not having a material body. <i>Claims to knowledge of an unembodied consciousness.</i>

untouchable Impossible to assail.
*When the band retreat to ambience and minimalism they are **untouchable**.*

Usage Examples of "Intangible" as an adjective

- *The rose symbolized something intangible about their relationship.*
- *The moonlight made things seem intangible.*
- *Intangible assets such as good will.*
- *The intangible constituent of energy.*
- *That intangible thing-the soul.*
- *Intangible business property like patents.*
- *An intangible feeling of impending disaster.*

Associations of "Intangible" (30 Words)

<u>abstract</u>	Consider a concept without thinking of a specific example consider abstractly or theoretically. <i>An abstract of her speech.</i>
<u>ambiguity</u>	The quality of being open to more than one interpretation; inexactness. <i>We can detect no ambiguity in this section of the Act.</i>
ambiguous	Open to two or more interpretations; or of uncertain nature or significance; or (often) intended to mislead. <i>The election result was ambiguous.</i>
ambiguously	So as to be open to more than one interpretation. <i>A peculiar ambiguously remembered landscape where past and present seem repeatedly confounded.</i>
<u>ambivalent</u>	Having mixed feelings or contradictory ideas about something or someone. <i>An ambivalent attitude to Europe.</i>
<u>blur</u>	Make unclear indistinct or blurred. <i>Tears blurred her vision.</i>
blurred	Not clear or distinct; hazy. <i>The blurred distinctions between childhood and adulthood.</i>
<u>blurry</u>	Unable to perceive clear or sharp images. <i>Vision may be hazy or blurry for a few days after surgery.</i>
circumlocution	An indirect way of expressing something. <i>He used a number of poetic circumlocutions.</i>

elusive

Difficult to find, catch, or achieve.

*That **elusive** thing the soul.*

equivocate

Use ambiguous language so as to conceal the truth or avoid committing oneself.

*The government have **equivocated** too often in the past.*

euphemism

A mild or indirect word or expression substituted for one considered to be too harsh or blunt when referring to something unpleasant or embarrassing.

*The jargon has given us downsizing as a **euphemism** for cuts.*

evasive

Avoiding or escaping from difficulty or danger especially enemy fire.

*They decided to take **evasive** action.*

illegibility

The quality of writing (print or handwriting) that cannot be deciphered.

immaterial

(often followed by 'to') lacking importance; not mattering one way or the other.

*The price was **immaterial**.*

impalpable

Incapable of being perceived by the senses especially the sense of touch-
James Jeans.

*An **impalpable** cloud.*

imprecision

Lack of exactness or accuracy.

*All scientific measurements come with some degree of **imprecision**.*

indeterminate

(of a condition) from which a diagnosis of the underlying cause cannot be made.

*Of **indeterminate** age.*

lightproof

Able to block out light completely.

*A **lightproof** envelope.*

nebulous

Lacking definite form or limits.

***Nebulous** reasons.*

noncommittal

Refusing to bind oneself to a particular course of action or view or the like.

*Her boyfriend was **noncommittal** about their future together.*

nuance

Give nuances to.

*He was familiar with the **nuances** of the local dialect.*

obscure

Make obscure or unclear.

*An **obscure** turn of phrase.*

opaqueness

The quality of being opaque to a degree; the degree to which something reduces the passage of light.

subtle

Difficult to detect or grasp by the mind or analyze.

*The German plan was simple yet **subtle**.*

<u>subtlety</u>	A subtle distinction, feature, or argument. <i>The textural subtlety of Degas.</i>
<u>unclear</u>	Not clear to the mind. <i>The law itself was unclear on that point.</i>
undifferentiated	Not different or differentiated. <i>By six weeks the sexual glands are as yet undifferentiated between male and female.</i>
<u>vague</u>	Not clearly understood or expressed-Anatole Broyard- P.A.So. <i>Vague forms of speech have so long passed for mysteries of science.</i>
vaguely	In a way that is unfocused or lacks attention; absent-mindedly. <i>He looked vaguely familiar.</i>