

Need another word that means the same as "jagged"? Find 16 synonyms and 30 related words for "jagged" in this overview.

#### Table Of Contents:

- <u>Jagged as an Adjective</u>
- Definitions of "Jagged" as an adjective
- Synonyms of "Jagged" as an adjective (16 Words)
- <u>Usage Examples of "Jagged" as an adjective</u>
- Associations of "Jagged" (30 Words)

The synonyms of "Jagged" are: erose, jaggy, notched, toothed, scraggy, spiky, spiked, barbed, snaggy, pointed, ragged, craggy, rough, uneven, irregular, broken

## Jagged as an Adjective

#### Definitions of "Jagged" as an adjective

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

- Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.
- Having a sharply uneven surface or outline.
- With rough, sharp points protruding.





### Synonyms of "Jagged" as an adjective (16 Words)

Having or covered with protective barbs or quills or spines or thorns or setae

barbed etc.

Barbed arrows.

broken Having been broken.

He pressed onwards over the **broken** ground.

Having hills and crags.

craggy A craggy coastline.

**erose** Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.

Lacking continuity or regularity.

irregular An irregular heartbeat.

Prickly.

**notched** Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.

**Notched** bamboo sticks.



**pointed** Having a sharpened or tapered tip or end.

His face tapers to a **pointed** chin.

ragged Suffering from exhaustion or stress.

Herded the class into a **ragged** line.

rough Violently agitated and turbulent.

**Rough** gemstones.

**scraggy** (of a person or animal) thin and bony.

**Scraggy** mongrels.

**snaggy** Having sharp, angular, or jagged projections.

His teeth were **snaggy** and broken.

**spiked** Having a long sharp point.

**spiky** Having or as if having especially high-pitched spots.

His hair was dark and **spiky**.

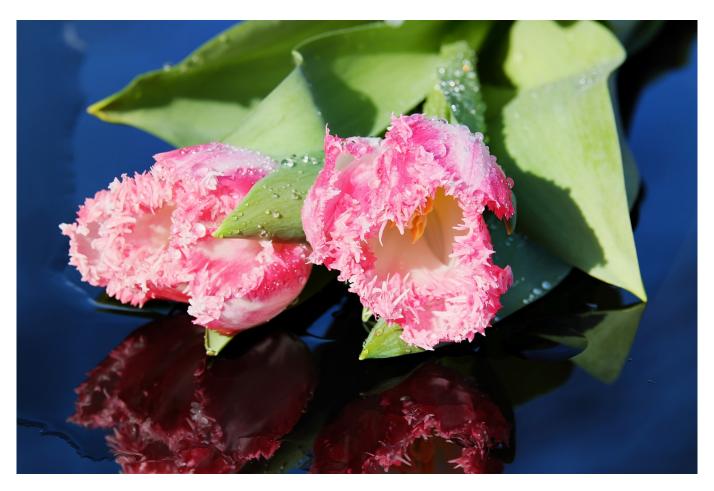
toothed Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.

Saw toothed.

Not fairly matched as opponents.

**uneven** Uneven spacing.





# Usage Examples of "Jagged" as an adjective

- The jagged edges gashed their fingers.
- The jagged outline of the crags.
- Her jagged nerves.





## Associations of "Jagged" (30 Words)

Harshness of tone or manner. asperity

The **asperity** of northern winters.

Characterized by asymmetry in the spatial arrangement or placement of asymmetric

parts or components.

(of a journey or other movement) involving sudden jolts and jerks. **bumpy** 

A **bumpy** country road.

(of a man's face) rugged and rough-textured in an attractive way. craggy

A **craggy** coastline.

Having no fixed course. <u>erratic</u>

**Erratic** winds are the bane of a sailor.

grating The continual praise of the good old days can become grating.

Unpleasantly harsh or grating in sound.

Resembling, containing, or consisting of gravel. gravelly

A dry **gravelly** soil.



hilly Having many hills.

**Hilly** terrain.

**hinterland** A remote and undeveloped area.

A market town serving its rich agricultural hinterland.

**imprecise** Not precise.

The witness could give only vague and **imprecise** descriptions.

inexact Not exact.

An **inexact** description.

iag Cut teeth into make a jagged cutting edge.

He clutched a **jag** of the rock.

lined Marked or covered with lines.

Their **lined** faces were immeasurably sad.

mountainous Very large; huge.

Mountainous waves.

Irregular or uneven in quality, texture, etc.

patchy Patchy fog.

ragged (of cloth or clothes) old and torn.

He looked a little **ragged** a little shadowy beneath the eyes.

rugged (of ground or terrain) having a broken, rocky, and uneven surface.

**Rugged** ground.

serrate Serrated.

Leaves with **serrate** margins.

serrated Notched like a saw with teeth pointing toward the apex.

A knife with a **serrated** edge.

**sharply** With a sudden, piercing physical sensation or effect; intensely.

Prices rose **sharply**.

(of a picture) resembling a sketch; consisting of outline without much

**sketchy** detail.

stony

A **sketchy** neighbourhood.

(of a meteorite) consisting mostly of rock, as opposed to metal.

Rough **stony** paths.

toothed Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.

Saw **toothed**.

unbalance A lack of symmetry, balance, or stability.

This sharing can often **unbalance** even the closest of relationships.

Lacking consistency.

**uneven Uneven** spacing.



Not brought to the desired final state. *The building is still unfinished.* unfinished

Inconsiderate and harsh to others. unkind

The **unkind**est cut of all.

Divided or edged with a line formed of alternating shallow curves. The leaf has a wavy edge. wavy

