

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

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**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)

- barbed** Having or covered with protective barbs or quills or spines or thorns or setae etc.  
*Barbed* arrows.
- broken** Having been broken.  
*He pressed onwards over the broken ground.*
- craggy** Having hills and crags.  
*A craggy coastline.*
- erose** Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed.
- irregular** Lacking continuity or regularity.  
*An irregular heartbeat.*
- jaggy** Prickly.  
*A jaggy sweater.*
- 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.  
*Hered 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**.*
- uneven** Not fairly matched as opponents.  
***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)

- approximative** (of a method, description, etc.) giving only an approximation to something.  
*A crudely **approximative** outline.*
- asperity** Harshness of tone or manner.  
*The **asperity** of northern winters.*
- asymmetric** Characterized by asymmetry in the spatial arrangement or placement of parts or components.
- bumpy** (of a journey or other movement) involving sudden jolts and jerks.  
*A **bumpy** country road.*
- craggy** (of a man's face) rugged and rough-textured in an attractive way.  
*A **craggy** coastline.*
- erratic** Having no fixed course.  
***Erratic** winds are the bane of a sailor.*
- grating** Unpleasantly harsh or grating in sound.  
*The continual praise of the good old days can become **grating**.*
- gravelly** Resembling, containing, or consisting of gravel.  
*A dry **gravelly** soil.*

<b>hilly</b>	Having many hills. <i><b>Hilly</b> terrain.</i>
<b>hinterland</b>	A remote and undeveloped area. <i>A market town serving its rich agricultural <b>hinterland</b>.</i>
<b>imprecise</b>	Not precise. <i>The witness could give only vague and <b>imprecise</b> descriptions.</i>
<b>inexact</b>	Not exact. <i>An <b>inexact</b> description.</i>
<b>jag</b>	Cut teeth into make a jagged cutting edge. <i>He clutched a <b>jag</b> of the rock.</i>
<b>lined</b>	Marked or covered with lines. <i>Their <b>lined</b> faces were immeasurably sad.</i>
<b>mountainous</b>	Very large; huge. <i><b>Mountainous</b> waves.</i>
<b>patchy</b>	Irregular or uneven in quality, texture, etc. <i><b>Patchy</b> fog.</i>
<b>ragged</b>	(of cloth or clothes) old and torn. <i>He looked a little <b>ragged</b> a little shadowy beneath the eyes.</i>
<b>rugged</b>	(of ground or terrain) having a broken, rocky, and uneven surface. <i><b>Rugged</b> ground.</i>
<b>serrate</b>	Serrated. <i>Leaves with <b>serrate</b> margins.</i>
<b>serrated</b>	Notched like a saw with teeth pointing toward the apex. <i>A knife with a <b>serrated</b> edge.</i>
<b>sharply</b>	With a sudden, piercing physical sensation or effect; intensely. <i>Prices rose <b>sharply</b>.</i>
<b>sketchy</b>	(of a picture) resembling a sketch; consisting of outline without much detail. <i>A <b>sketchy</b> neighbourhood.</i>
<b>stony</b>	(of a meteorite) consisting mostly of rock, as opposed to metal. <i>Rough <b>stony</b> paths.</i>
<b>toothed</b>	Having an irregularly notched or toothed margin as though gnawed. <i>Saw <b>toothed</b>.</i>
<b>unbalance</b>	A lack of symmetry, balance, or stability. <i>This sharing can often <b>unbalance</b> even the closest of relationships.</i>
<b>uneven</b>	Lacking consistency. <i><b>Uneven</b> spacing.</i>

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

**unkind** Inconsiderate and harsh to others.  
*The **unkindest** cut of all.*

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

