

Need another word that means the same as “lethargic”? Find 8 synonyms and 30 related words for “lethargic” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Lethargic” are: unenergetic, sluggish, inert, inactive, slow, torpid, lifeless, dull**

## Lethargic as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Lethargic" as an adjective

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

- *Deficient in alertness or activity.*
- *Affected by lethargy; sluggish and apathetic.*



## Synonyms of "Lethargic" as an adjective (8 Words)

<b>dull</b>	Not active or brisk. <i><b>Dull</b> days with nothing to do.</i>
<b>inactive</b>	(of e.g. volcanos) not erupting and not extinct. <i><b>Inactive</b> accounts.</i>
<u><b>inert</b></u>	Lacking the ability or strength to move. <i>She was fat and <b>inert</b>.</i>
<u><b>lifeless</b></u>	Deprived of life; no longer living. <i>His <b>lifeless</b> body was taken from the river.</i>
<b>slow</b>	Of a sports field or ground likely to make the ball bounce or run slowly or to prevent competitors from travelling fast. <i>He s so <b>slow</b> so unimaginative.</i>
<b>sluggish</b>	Slow and apathetic. <i>Alex woke late feeling tired and <b>sluggish</b>.</i>
<b>torpid</b>	(of an animal) dormant, especially during hibernation. <i>A mind grown <b>torpid</b> in old age.</i>
<b>unenergetic</b>	Lacking energy or vigour. <i>I felt lethargic and <b>unenergetic</b> and going into work was the last thing I wanted to do.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Lethargic" as an adjective

- *Bullfrogs became lethargic with the first cold nights.*
- *I felt tired and a little lethargic.*

## Associations of "Lethargic" (30 Words)

<b>asleep</b>	Dead. <i>My foot is <b>asleep</b>.</i>
<b>dispirited</b>	Having lost enthusiasm and hope; disheartened. <i>She was determined to appear unworried in front of her <b>dispirited</b> family.</i>
<b>dormancy</b>	Quiet and inactive restfulness. <i>His prolonged <b>dormancy</b> ended with the publication of Collected Poems.</i>
<b><u>dormant</u></b>	Temporarily inactive or inoperative. <i><b>Dormant</b> butterflies.</i>

<b>doze</b>	Sleep lightly or for a short period of time. <i>I <b>dozed</b> off for a few seconds.</i>
<b>dreamy</b>	Dreamy in mood or nature. <i>A slow <b>dreamy</b> melody.</i>
<b>drowsiness</b>	A very sleepy state. <i>This drug can cause <b>drowsiness</b>.</i>
<u><b>drowsy</b></u>	Showing lack of attention or boredom. <i>Made <b>drowsy</b> by the long ride.</i>
<b>exhausted</b>	Drained of energy or effectiveness extremely tired completely exhausted. <i>She returned home <b>exhausted</b> from work.</i>
<b>fancied</b>	Formed or conceived by the imagination. <i>A <b>fancied</b> wrong.</i>
<u><b>feeble</b></u>	Pathetically lacking in force or effectiveness. <i>Her <b>feeble</b> cries of pain.</i>
<b>flagging</b>	Becoming tired or less dynamic; declining in strength. <i>The <b>flagging</b> in the garden was quite imaginative.</i>
<u><b>gloomy</b></u>	Dark or poorly lit, especially so as to appear depressing or frightening. <i><b>Gloomy</b> predictions.</i>
<u><b>groggy</b></u>	Stunned or confused and slow to react (as from blows or drunkenness or exhaustion). <i>The sleeping pills had left her feeling <b>groggy</b>.</i>
<u><b>lackadaisical</b></u>	Lacking enthusiasm and determination; carelessly lazy. <i>A <b>lackadaisical</b> attempt.</i>
<u><b>languid</b></u>	(of a person, manner, or gesture) having or showing a disinclination for physical exertion or effort. <i>A <b>languid</b> wave of the hand.</i>
<b>languor</b>	An oppressive stillness of the air. <i>Her whole being was pervaded by a dreamy <b>languor</b>.</i>
<b>languorous</b>	Characterized by tiredness or inactivity, especially of a pleasurable kind. <i>A hot <b>languorous</b> afternoon.</i>
<b>lassitude</b>	A state of comatose torpor (as found in sleeping sickness). <i>She was overcome by <b>lassitude</b> and retired to bed.</i>
<u><b>lazy</b></u>	(of a brand on livestock) placed on its side rather than upright. <i>At a <b>lazy</b> pace.</i>
<u><b>lethargy</b></u>	A lack of energy and enthusiasm. <i>A history of weight loss <b>lethargy</b> and fluid retention.</i>

<b><u>listless</u></b>	Marked by low spirits; showing no enthusiasm. <i>He was <b>listless</b> and bored.</i>
<b>quiescence</b>	A state of quiet (but possibly temporary) inaction. <i>This method has been shown to induce sleep like <b>quiescence</b> in adult animals.</i>
<b>sleep</b>	Be in a state of sleep be asleep. <i>She sat up rubbing the <b>sleep</b> from her eyes.</i>
<b><u>sleepy</u></b>	Showing the effects of sleep. <i>The wine had made her <b>sleepy</b>.</i>
<b>sluggish</b>	Not active or brisk. <i>A <b>sluggish</b> market.</i>
<b>sluggishness</b>	A state of comatose torpor (as found in sleeping sickness). <i>The <b>sluggishness</b> of the compass in the Arctic cold.</i>
<b>somnolence</b>	A very sleepy state.
<b>tired</b>	Repeated too often; overfamiliar through overuse. <i>Fisher rubbed his <b>tired</b> eyes.</i>
<b>uninterested</b>	Not interested in or concerned about something or someone. <i>An <b>uninterested</b> spectator.</i>