

Need another word that means the same as “precise”? Find 25 synonyms and 30 related words for “precise” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Precise” are: accurate, exact, correct, pinpoint, specific, detailed, explicit, clear-cut, unambiguous, meticulous, close, strict, definite, particular, express, careful, scrupulous, punctilious, conscientious, exacting, methodical, rigorous, very, actual, distinct

Precise as an Adjective

Definitions of "Precise" as an adjective

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

- *(of ideas, images, representations, expressions) characterized by perfect conformity to fact or truth; strictly correct.*
- *Sharply exact or accurate or delimited.*
- *Used to emphasize that one is referring to an exact and particular thing.*
- *(of a person) exact, accurate, and careful about details.*
- *Marked by exactness and accuracy of expression or detail.*
- *Characterized by perfect conformity to fact or truth ; strictly correct.*



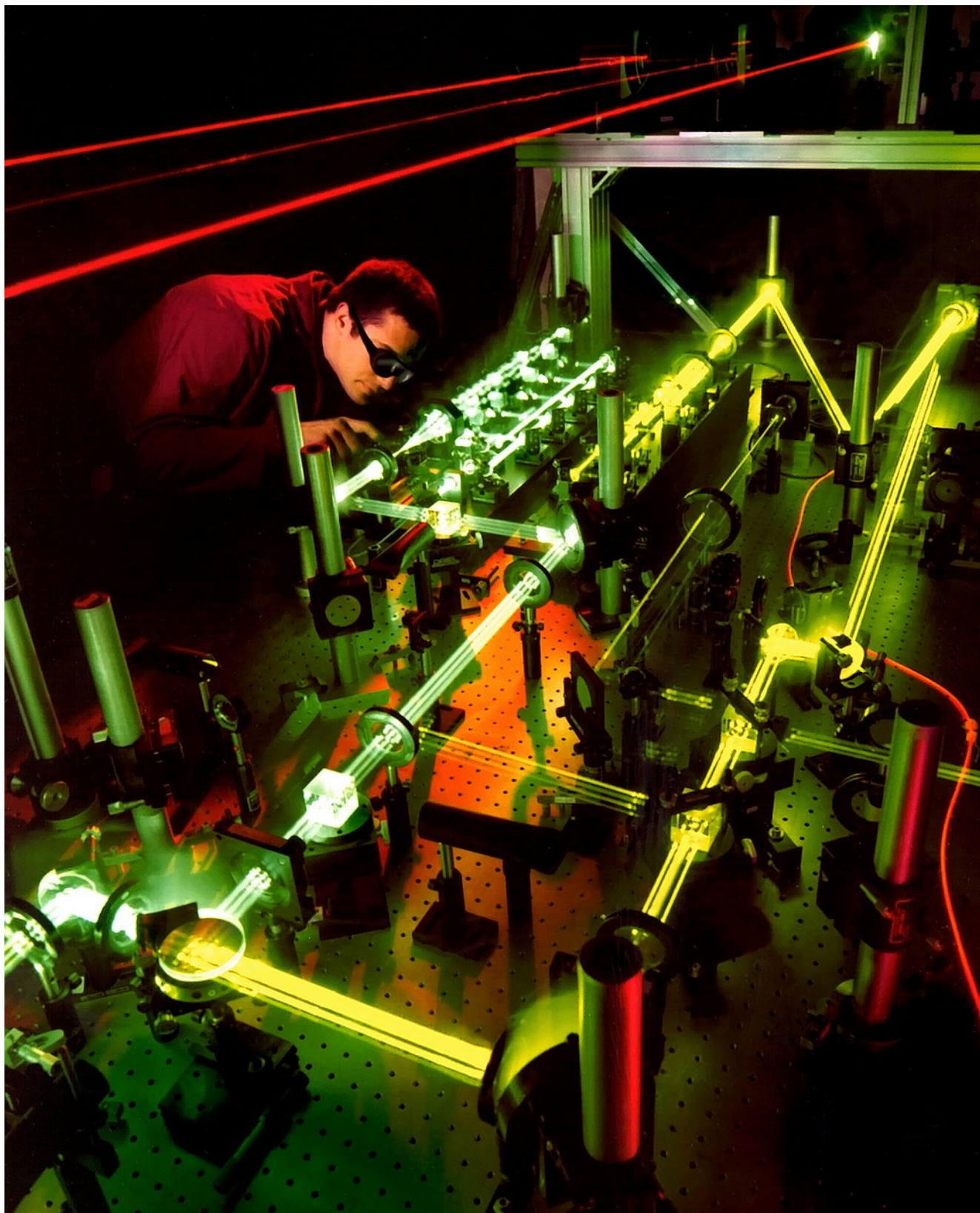
Synonyms of "Precise" as an adjective (25 Words)

- accurate** Of an instrument or method capable of giving accurate information.
*An **accurate** scale.*
- actual** Being or reflecting the essential or genuine character of something.
G.K.Chesterton.
*Her **actual** motive.*
- careful** Anxious to protect (something) from harm or loss; solicitous.
***Careful** of the rights of others.*
- clear-cut** Having had all the trees removed at one time.
- close** Fitting closely but comfortably.
*The race will be a **close** contest.*

conscientious	Characterized by extreme care and great effort. <i>A conscientious man he took his duties very seriously.</i>
correct	Socially right or correct. <i>He was a polite man invariably correct and pleasant with Mrs Collins.</i>
<u>definite</u>	(of a person) certain or sure about something. <i>I want a definite answer.</i>
detailed	Developed or executed with care and in minute detail. <i>A detailed plan.</i>
distinct	Constituting a separate entity or part. <i>The word nationalism is used in at least two distinct senses.</i>
<u>exact</u>	Not approximated in any way; precise. <i>Psychomedicine isn't an exact science yet.</i>
exacting	Making great demands on one's skill, attention, or other resources. <i>The exacting standards laid down by the organic food industry.</i>
<u>explicit</u>	Of a person stating something in an explicit manner. <i>Explicit instructions.</i>
express	Not tacit or implied. <i>Her express wish.</i>
<u>methodical</u>	Characterized by method and orderliness. <i>A methodical scholar.</i>
<u>meticulous</u>	Marked by extreme care in treatment of details. <i>Almost worryingly meticulous in his business formalities.</i>
particular	Insisting that something should be correct or suitable in every detail; fastidious. <i>She gets special or particular satisfaction from her volunteer work.</i>
pinpoint	Absolutely precise; to the finest degree. <i>This weapon fired shells with pinpoint accuracy.</i>
punctilious	Showing great attention to detail or correct behaviour. <i>He was punctilious in providing every amenity for his guests.</i>
<u>rigorous</u>	Rigidly accurate; allowing no deviation from a standard. <i>Rigorous controls on mergers.</i>
scrupulous	Very concerned to avoid doing wrong. <i>Scrupulous attention to details.</i>
<u>specific</u>	Clearly defined or identified. <i>Specific dielectric strength.</i>
strict	Characterized by strictness severity or restraint. <i>A strict upbringing.</i>

unambiguous Having or exhibiting a single clearly defined meaning.
*As a horror apartheid is absolutely **unambiguous**.*

very Real; genuine.
*He might be phoning her at this **very** moment.*



Usage Examples of "Precise" as an adjective

- *A precise image.*
- *Precise directions.*
- *A precise measurement.*
- *The director was precise with his camera positions.*
- *Specified a precise amount.*
- *At that precise moment the car stopped.*
- *A precise mind.*
- *I want as precise a time of death as I can get.*
- *Arrived at the precise moment.*



Associations of "Precise" (30 Words)

accurate Of an instrument or method capable of giving accurate information.
*An **accurate** assessment.*

<u>alignment</u>	The route or course of a railway or road. <i>Four railways all on different alignments.</i>
<u>assiduous</u>	Marked by care and persistent effort. <i>She was assiduous in pointing out every feature.</i>
conscientious	Wishing to do one's work or duty well and thoroughly. <i>Conscientious application to the work at hand.</i>
detail	Provide details for. <i>The ambulances were detailed to the fire station.</i>
detailed	(of a work of art) executed with many minor decorative features. <i>A detailed plan.</i>
elaboration	The result of improving something. <i>His work led to the elaboration of a theory of evolution.</i>
especial	Better or greater than usual; special. <i>Her outburst was for my especial benefit.</i>
<u>exact</u>	Accurate or correct in all details. <i>She was an exact clever manager.</i>
exactitude	The quality of being precise or accurate. <i>A man of great exactitude.</i>
<u>exactly</u>	Just as it should be. <i>What exactly are you looking for.</i>
exegesis	Critical explanation or interpretation of a text, especially of scripture. <i>The task of biblical exegesis.</i>
<u>exhaustive</u>	Performed comprehensively and completely. <i>An exhaustive study.</i>
<u>finicky</u>	(of a person) fussy about their needs or requirements. <i>A finicky eater.</i>
<u>meticulous</u>	Showing great attention to detail; very careful and precise. <i>The designs are hand glazed with meticulous care.</i>
minute	The distance covered in a minute by someone driving or walking. <i>Within five minutes the place was virtually empty.</i>
nicety	A subtle difference in meaning or opinion or attitude. <i>She prided herself on her nicety of pronunciation.</i>
<u>painstaking</u>	Characterized by extreme care and great effort. <i>Painstaking attention to detail.</i>
painstakingly	In a fastidious and painstaking manner. <i>The property has been painstakingly restored by its current owners.</i>

particular	First and most important. <i>Universals can be simultaneously exemplified by different particulars in different places.</i>
pedantic	Excessively concerned with minor details or rules; overscrupulous. <i>His analyses are careful and even painstaking but never pedantic.</i>
pinpoint	A tiny dot or point. <i>It is difficult to pinpoint the source of his life s inspiration.</i>
precisely	Indicating exactness or preciseness. <i>At 2 00 precisely the phone rang.</i>
precision	The quality of being reproducible in amount or performance. <i>The deal was planned and executed with military precision.</i>
punctilious	Marked by precise accordance with details. <i>Punctilious in his attention to rules of etiquette.</i>
scrupulous	Having scruples; arising from a sense of right and wrong; principled. <i>The research has been carried out with scrupulous attention to detail.</i>
sedulous	(of a person or action) showing dedication and diligence. <i>Sedulous pursuit of legal and moral principles.</i>
specific	A medicine that has a mitigating effect on a specific disease. <i>When ordering goods be specific.</i>
technicality	The state of being technical as in the use of technical terms or methods. <i>Their convictions were overturned on a technicality.</i>
technically	With reference to the technique displayed. <i>Technically a nut is a single seeded fruit.</i>

