

Need another word that means the same as "rant"? Find 24 synonyms and 30 related words for "rant" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Rant" are: jabber, mouth off, rabbit on, rave, spout, hold forth, go on and on, deliver a tirade, rant and rave, fulminate, sound off, pontificate, trumpet, bluster, declaim, blah, bombast, claptrap, fustian, harangue, ranting, tirade, diatribe, broadside

Rant as a Noun

Definitions of "Rant" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "rant" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- Pompous or pretentious talk or writing.
- A spell of ranting; a tirade.
- A loud bombastic declamation expressed with strong emotion.





Synonyms of "Rant" as a noun (9 Words)

blah Pompous or pretentious talk or writing.

A case of the **blah**s.

bombast High-sounding language with little meaning, used to impress people.

The **bombast** of gung ho militarism.

An advertisement (usually printed on a page or in a leaflet) intended for wide

 $\label{eq:broadside} broadside \ {\it distribution}.$

The ship was ${\it broadside}$ to the dock.

claptrap Pompous or pretentious talk or writing.

Such sentiments are just pious claptrap.

diatribe Thunderous verbal attack.

A diatribe against consumerism.



Thick, hard-wearing twilled cloth with a short nap, usually dyed in dark colours.

A smokescreen of **fustian** and fantasy.

harangue

A loud bombastic declamation expressed with strong emotion.

They were subjected to a ten minute **harangue** by two border guards.

ranting Pompous or pretentious talk or writing.

The reactionary **ranting**s of an embittered old man.

A long, angry speech of criticism or accusation.

A **tirade** of abuse.



Usage Examples of "Rant" as a noun

• His rants against organized religion.





Rant as a Verb

Definitions of "Rant" as a verb

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "rant" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- Speak or shout at length in an angry, impassioned way.
- Talk in a noisy, excited, or declamatory manner.







Synonyms of "Rant" as a verb (15 Words)

bluster (of a storm, wind, or rain) blow or beat fiercely and noisily.

A southeaster **bluster**ed onshore.

declaim Speak against in an impassioned manner.

He **declaim**ed against the wasteful ways of modern society.

deliver a tirade Relinquish possession or control over.

fulminate Express vehement protest.

Thunder **fulminate**d around the house.

go on and on Move away from a place into another direction.

hold forth Have rightfully; of rights, titles, and offices.

Talk in a rapid, excited, and often incomprehensible way.

He **jabber**ed on about football.

mouth off Express in speech.

Talk in a dogmatic and pompous manner.

The new professor always **pontificates**.

rabbit on Hunt rabbits.

rant and rave Talk in a noisy, excited, or declamatory manner.

Attend a rave party.

Never mind how he feels Melissa **rave**d.

sound off Appear in a certain way.

Send out (liquid) forcibly in a stream.

Blood was **spout**ing from the cuts on my hand.

trumpet Play or blow on the trumpet.

Elephants are **trumpet**ing.

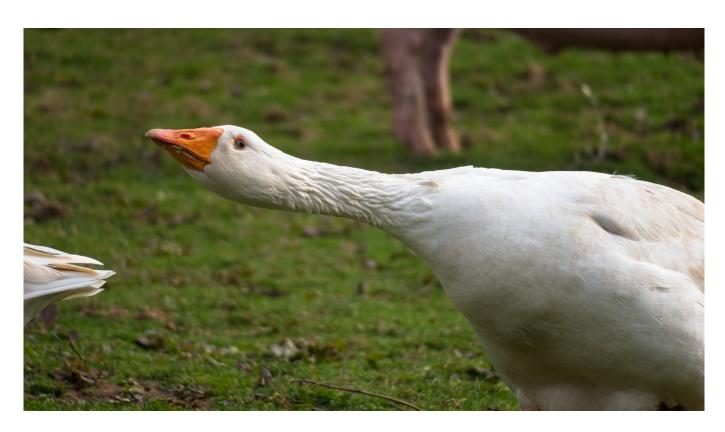




Usage Examples of "Rant" as a verb

• She was still ranting on about the unfairness of it all.





Associations of "Rant" (30 Words)

bemoan Regret strongly.

It was no use **bemoan**ing her lot.

bluster A violent gusty wind.

I don t care what he says I **bluster**ed.

boastAn act of talking with excessive pride and self-satisfaction.

He **boast**ed that he had taken part in the crime.

bombast High-sounding language with little meaning, used to impress people.

The **bombast** of gung ho militarism.

bombastic High-sounding but with little meaning; inflated.

Bombastic music that drowned out what anyone was saying.

bragging Exhibiting or characterized by excessive pride or boastfulness.

A competitive **bragging** culture.

complain Express complaints discontent displeasure or unhappiness.

Let the warbling flute **complain**.

deplore Feel or express strong disapproval of (something.

We **deplore** all violence.



exaggeration Extravagant exaggeration.

The dance involved a deliberate **exaggeration** of his awkwardness.

fustion Pompous or pretentious speech or writing.

A **fustian** jacket.

Pompous or extravagant in language, style, or manner, especially in a way

grandiloquent that is intended to impress.

A grandiloquent celebration of Spanish glory.

The sound of growling as made by animals.

Keep out of this he **growl**ed.

harangue Deliver a harangue to address forcefully.

He **harangue**d the public on their ignorance.

howl Make a howling sound.

The wind was **howl**ing in the trees.

hyperbole Exaggerated statements or claims not meant to be taken literally.

He vowed revenge with oaths and **hyperbole**s.

A style or movement in painting originating in France in the 1860s,

impressionism characterized by a concern with depicting the visual impression of the

moment, especially in terms of the shifting effect of light and colour.

Talk in a rapid, excited, and often incomprehensible way.

He **jabber**ed on about football.

lament A mournful poem a lament for the dead.

He was **lament**ing the death of his infant daughter.

loud Used chiefly as a direction or description in music loud with force.

His voice is **loud** and challenging.

magnification The magnifying power of an instrument.

At this **magnification** the pixels making up the image become visible.

A maximum permitted custodial sentence for an offence.

An offence which carries a **maximum** of 14 years.

overestimate Form too high or favourable an estimate of.

His influence cannot be **overestimate**d.

overstatement The action of stating something too strongly; exaggeration.

A classic piece of **overstatement**.

pompousAffectedly grand, solemn, or self-important.

Processions and other **pompous** shows.

Attend a rave party.

Raves are very popular in Berlin.



Make a loud, high-pitched sound. **scream**

A shell **scream**ed overhead.

Prevent someone from speaking or being heard by shouting. shout

I **shout**ed out a warning.

The plume of water vapour ejected from the blowhole of a whale. spout

The **spout** of an occasional whale.

Hasty and without attention to detail; not thorough. **superficial**

A **superficial** mind.

A speech of violent denunciation. tirade

A **tirade** of abuse.

