

Need another word that means the same as “reasoning”? Find 3 synonyms and 30 related words for “reasoning” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Reasoning” are: abstract thought, intelligent, thinking

Reasoning as a Noun

Definitions of "Reasoning" as a noun

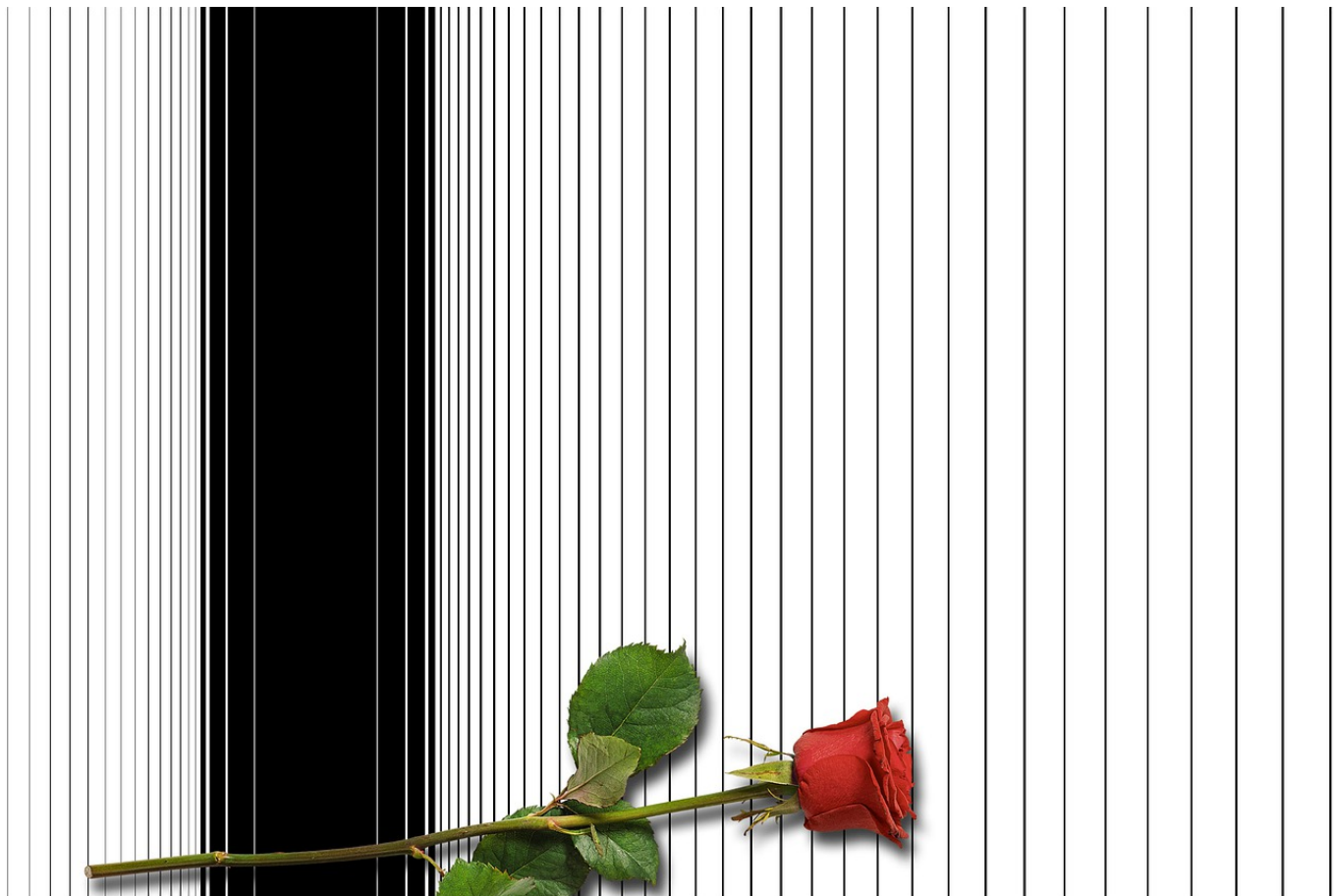
According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “reasoning” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *The action of thinking about something in a logical, sensible way.*
- *Thinking that is coherent and logical.*



Synonyms of "Reasoning" as a noun (1 Word)

abstract thought A concept or idea not associated with any specific instance.



Usage Examples of "Reasoning" as a noun

- *He explained the reasoning behind his decision at a media conference.*



Reasoning as an Adjective

Definitions of "Reasoning" as an adjective

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

- *Endowed with the capacity to reason.*



Synonyms of "Reasoning" as an adjective (2 Words)

intelligent (of a computer terminal) incorporating a microprocessor and having its own processing capability.

*Anna is **intelligent** and hard working.*

thinking Endowed with the capacity to reason.

*He seemed a **thinking** man.*



Associations of "Reasoning" (30 Words)

<u>assume</u>	Take on or adopt (a manner or identity), sometimes falsely. <i>This is the day when Mary was assumed into heaven.</i>
<u>conjecture</u>	A hypothesis that has been formed by speculating or conjecturing (usually with little hard evidence). <i>Conjectures about the newcomer were many and varied.</i>
<u>deduce</u>	Reason by deduction; establish by deduction. <i>They deduced that the fish died because of water pollution.</i>
deducible	Capable of being deduced.
<u>deduction</u>	The act of subtracting (removing a part from the whole). <i>The dividend will be paid without deduction of tax.</i>
deductive	Relating to logical deduction. <i>Deductive reasoning.</i>
extrapolate	Estimate or conclude (something) by extrapolating. <i>The results cannot be extrapolated to other patient groups.</i>
extrapolation	An inference about the future (or about some hypothetical situation) based on known facts and observations. <i>Extrapolation of the logarithmic curve yielded an estimate of 66 species.</i>
generalize	Become systemic and spread throughout the body. <i>This kind of infection generalizes throughout the immune system.</i>
guess	Put forward of a guess in spite of possible refutation. <i>My guess is that within a year we will have a referendum.</i>

guesswork	An estimate based on little or no information. <i>Answering this question will involve you in a certain amount of guesswork.</i>
hypothesis	A proposition made as a basis for reasoning, without any assumption of its truth. <i>The hypothesis that every event has a cause.</i>
inductive	Inducing or influencing; leading on- John Milton. <i>Inductive reasoning.</i>
<u>infer</u>	Conclude by reasoning; in logic. <i>From these facts we can infer that crime has been increasing.</i>
inference	The process of inferring something. <i>Researchers are entrusted with drawing inferences from the data.</i>
logic	Logical operations collectively. <i>By the logic of war.</i>
<u>logical</u>	Marked by an orderly logical and aesthetically consistent relation of parts. <i>A logical impossibility.</i>
predictive	Denoting or relating to a system for using data already stored in a computer or mobile phone to generate the letters or words a user is likely to enter next, on the basis of those that have already been entered. <i>Predictive typing allows you to type faster.</i>
ratiocinate	Form judgements by a process of logic; reason. <i>A tendency to ratiocinate in isolation.</i>
ratiocination	Logical and methodical reasoning.
<u>speculate</u>	Invest at a risk. <i>My colleagues speculate about my private life.</i>
speculation	A hypothesis that has been formed by speculating or conjecturing (usually with little hard evidence). <i>Speculations about the outcome of the election.</i>
speculative	Not financially safe or secure. <i>Raised a speculative eyebrow.</i>
<u>suppose</u>	Expect believe or suppose. <i>I suppose I got there about noon.</i>
supposition	A hypothesis that is taken for granted. <i>Their outrage was based on supposition and hearsay.</i>
<u>surmise</u>	A supposition that something may be true, even though there is no evidence to confirm it. <i>I don t think they re locals she surmised.</i>

syllogism	Deductive reasoning as distinct from induction. <i>This school of epistemology is highly advanced in syllogism and logical reasoning.</i>
syllogistic	Of or relating to or consisting of syllogism.
synthetic	A synthetic material or chemical especially a textile fibre. <i>Their tears are a bit synthetic.</i>
think	An act of thinking. <i>I think that he is her boyfriend.</i>

