

Need another word that means the same as “snappy”? Find 85 synonyms for “snappy” in this overview.

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Snappy as an Adjective

Definitions of "Snappy" as an adjective

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

- *Apt to speak irritably.*
- *Smart and fashionable.*
- *Cleverly concise; neat.*
- *Irritable and inclined to speak sharply; snappish.*
- *Quick and energetic.*
- *Pleasantly cold and invigorating.*
- *Neat and elegant.*
- *Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners.*



Synonyms of "Snappy" as an adjective (85 Words)

alert	Quick and energetic. <i>Caught by a couple of alert cops.</i>
aphoristic	Containing aphorisms or maxims.
bad-tempered	Annoyed and irritable.
besuited	(of a person, especially a man) wearing a suit. <i>Besuited politicians have been taking part in televised debates.</i>
bilious	Suffering from or suggesting a liver disorder or gastric distress. <i>A bilious attack.</i>
<u>brief</u>	(of a piece of clothing) not covering much of the body; scanty. <i>Be brief and don't talk for longer than is necessary.</i>
brisk	(of wind or the weather) cold but pleasantly invigorating. <i>The sea was shimmering and heaving beneath the brisk breeze.</i>
<u>brusque</u>	Marked by rude or peremptory shortness. <i>Try to cultivate a less brusque manner.</i>
<u>cantankerous</u>	Stubbornly obstructive and unwilling to cooperate. <i>A cantankerous and venomous tongued old lady.</i>

catchy	Likely to attract attention. Catchy pop melodies.
chic	Elegant and stylish. Chic elegance.
choleric	Easily moved to anger. A choleric disposition.
clever	Skilled at doing or achieving something; talented. A clever gadget.
concise	Giving a lot of information clearly and in a few words; brief but comprehensive. A concise account of the country's history.
crabbed	(of handwriting) very small and difficult to decipher. A crabbed unhappy middle age.
crabby	Annoyed and irritable. A rather crabby old man.
crisp	(of the weather) cool, fresh, and invigorating. A crisp retort.
cross	Extending or lying across in a crosswise direction at right angles to the long axis. Cross members should be all steel.
crotchety	Irritable. He was tired and crotchety .
crusty	(especially of an old person) easily irritated. Crusty remarks.
curt	Marked by rude or peremptory shortness. A response so curt as to be almost rude.
dapper	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners. A dapper young man.
dashing	Stylish and fashionable. A dashing hero.
debonair	Having a cheerful, lively, and self-confident air- Frances G. Patton- H.M.Reynolds. Life that is gay brisk and debonair .
dyspeptic	Having indigestion or a consequent air of irritable bad temper.
elegant	(of a scientific theory or solution to a problem) pleasingly ingenious and simple. She was elegant to her fingertips.

epigrammatic	Terse and witty and like a maxim. <i>An epigrammatic style.</i>
<u>fashionable</u>	Of a place frequented by fashionable people. <i>A fashionable cafe.</i>
fashionably dressed	Being or in accordance with current social fashions.
fiery	Characterized by intense emotion. <i>A fiery imaginative Aries.</i>
frosty	(of the weather) very cold, with frost forming on surfaces. <i>A cold and frosty morning.</i>
<u>grumpy</u>	Annoyed and irritable. <i>His performance as the grumpy gateman.</i>
hot-tempered	Quickly aroused to anger.
huffy	Roused to anger- Mark Twain. <i>The old ladies made a huffy pretence of being uninterested.</i>
ill-humoured	Brusque and surly and forbidding.
ill-natured	Having an irritable and unpleasant disposition.
ill-tempered	Annoyed and irritable.
<u>impatient</u>	(usually followed by `to') full of eagerness. <i>Impatient of criticism.</i>
incisive	(of an action) quick and direct. <i>The most incisive move of a tight match.</i>
irascible	Characterized by anger. <i>An irascible and difficult man.</i>
irritable	Capable of responding to stimuli. <i>The seeds have been reputed to help conditions such as irritable bladder.</i>
jaunty	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners. <i>Walked with a jaunty step.</i>
laconic	Brief and to the point; effectively cut short. <i>The laconic reply yes.</i>
lively	(of a place or atmosphere) full of activity and excitement. <i>Lively and attractive parents.</i>
liverish	Resembling liver in colour. <i>A liverish red.</i>
<u>memorable</u>	Worth remembering. <i>He recalled memorable moments in his life.</i>

merry	(of an occasion or season) characterized by festivity and enjoyment. <i>He wished me a merry Christmas.</i>
modish	Conforming to or following what is currently popular and fashionable. <i>It seems sad that such a scholar should feel compelled to use this modish jargon.</i>
natty	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners. <i>A palmtop computer with many natty features.</i>
neat	Showing care in execution. <i>The neat exactness of the surgeon's knife.</i>
nipping	Pleasantly cold and invigorating. <i>A nipping wind.</i>
nippy	A sharp biting taste. <i>Nippy Red Leicester.</i>
peevish	Having or showing an irritable disposition. <i>A thin peevish voice.</i>
peppery	Having a flavour or scent like that of pepper. <i>Retired generals are expected to be peppery.</i>
pithy	Concise and full of meaning. <i>Welcomed her pithy comments.</i>
prickly	(of a person) ready to take offence. <i>Masses of prickly brambles.</i>
quick-tempered	Quickly aroused to anger.
raffish	Marked by a carefree unconventionality or disreputableness- Crary Moore. <i>A cocktail party given by some raffish bachelors.</i>
rakish	Marked by a carefree unconventionality or disreputableness- Crary Moore. <i>He had a rakish debonair look.</i>
rattling	Very good of its kind (used for emphasis). <i>Had a rattling conversation about politics.</i>
sharp	Having or emitting a high pitched and sharp tone or tones. <i>F sharp.</i>
short	Of a vowel categorized as short with regard to quality and length e.g. in standard British English the vowel in good is short as distinct from the long vowel u in food. <i>He wrote a short book.</i>

short and sweet	Having little length or lacking in length.
short-tempered	Quickly aroused to anger.
smart	Improperly forward or bold. <i>Hi tech smart weapons.</i>
snappish	Irritable and curt. <i>She was often snappish with the children.</i>
snarling	Expressing or showing anger or hostility; bad-tempered. <i>The snarling villain.</i>
spanking	Fine and impressive. <i>We had a spanking time.</i>
<u>spiffy</u>	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners. <i>A spiffy new outfit.</i>
splenetic	Bad-tempered; spiteful. <i>A splenetic rant.</i>
spruce	Marked by up-to-dateness in dress and manners.
<u>stylish</u>	Neat, confident, and skilful. <i>A stylish cocktail bar.</i>
<u>succinct</u>	Briefly giving the gist of something. <i>Succinct comparisons.</i>
<u>terse</u>	Brief and to the point; effectively cut short. <i>A terse statement.</i>
testy	Easily irritated or annoyed. <i>His testy disapproving father.</i>
tetchy	Easily irritated or annoyed. <i>She had always been tetchy and impatient with him.</i>
touchy	Quick to take offense. <i>She s a little touchy about her age.</i>
trim	Of places; characterized by order and neatness; free from disorder. <i>A body kept trim by exercise.</i>
<u>volatile</u>	Evaporating readily at normal temperatures and pressures. <i>Volatile stocks.</i>
waspish	Very irritable. <i>He had a waspish tongue.</i>
well dressed	Wise or advantageous and hence advisable.
well turned out	In good health especially after having suffered illness or injury.

whipping

Smart and fashionable.
*Some sharp and **whipping** lines.*

witty

Showing or characterized by quick and inventive verbal humour.
*A **witty** remark.*

zippy

Quick and energetic.
*A wine with a **zippy** zingy almost citrusy tang.*



Usage Examples of "Snappy" as an adjective

- *Anything unusual made her snappy and nervous.*
- *A snappy pace.*
- *Snappy weather.*
- *A snappy dresser.*
- *Snappy conversation.*
- *Snappy catchphrases.*

