

Need another word that means the same as “sprint”? Find 37 synonyms and 30 related words for “sprint” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Sprint” are: run, race, dart, rush, dash, hasten, hurry, scurry, scuttle, scamper, hare, bolt, bound, fly, gallop, career, charge, pound, shoot, hurtle, speed, streak, whizz, zoom, go like lightning, go hell for leather, go like the wind, flash, burst of speed, turn of speed, increase of speed, burst of energy, spurt**

## Sprint as a Noun

### Definitions of "Sprint" as a noun

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

- *(especially in software development) a set period of time during which specific tasks must be completed.*
- *A quick run.*
- *A short, fast race in cycling, swimming, etc.*
- *A short, fast race in which the competitors run a distance of 400 metres or less.*
- *An act or short spell of running at full speed.*



## Synonyms of "Sprint" as a noun (9 Words)

- burst of energy** The act of exploding or bursting.
- burst of speed** Rapid simultaneous discharge of firearms.
- dash** A horizontal stroke in writing or printing to mark a pause or break in sense or to represent omitted letters or words.  
*He is preparing for the 100 yard **dash**.*
- gallop** A ride on a horse at a gallop.  
*Dancer fractured a foreleg on the **gallops**.*
- increase of speed** The amount by which something increases.
- race** A series of races for horses or dogs held at a fixed time on a set course.  
*Angling for tuna in turbulent tidal **races**.*
- rush** The swift release of a store of affective force.  
*The linebackers were ready to stop a **rush**.*

- spurt** A sudden marked burst or increase of activity or speed.  
A *growth spurt*.
- turn of speed** The act of changing or reversing the direction of the course.



### Usage Examples of "Sprint" as a noun

- *Greg broke into a sprint.*
- *Team members discuss issues with each other at the end of every sprint.*
- *The 100 metres sprint.*
- *A sprint planning session.*
- *MacFarlane won the 1,500m with a fine sprint finish.*



## Sprint as a Verb

### Definitions of "Sprint" as a verb

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "sprint" as a verb can have the following definitions:

- *Run at full speed over a short distance.*
- *Run very fast, usually for a short distance.*



## Synonyms of "Sprint" as a verb (28 Words)

### bolt

Make or roll into bolts.  
*The lid was **bolted** down.*

### bound

Move forward by leaps and bounds.  
*Shares **bounded** ahead in early dealing.*

### career

Move swiftly and in an uncontrolled way.  
*The cars **careered** down the road.*

### charge

Cause formation of a net electrical charge in or on.  
*This fellow **charges** 100 for a massage.*

### dart

Shoot an animal with a dart typically in order to administer a drug.  
*His forefinger **darted** in all directions as he spoke.*

### dash

Hurl or thrust violently.  
*I must **dash** I m late.*

### flash

Gleam or glow intermittently.  
*The election results **flashed** on the screen.*

### fly

Hit a fly.  
*We **fly** flowers from the Caribbean to North America.*

### gallop

Ride at a galloping pace.  
*Fred **galloped** the horse off to the start.*

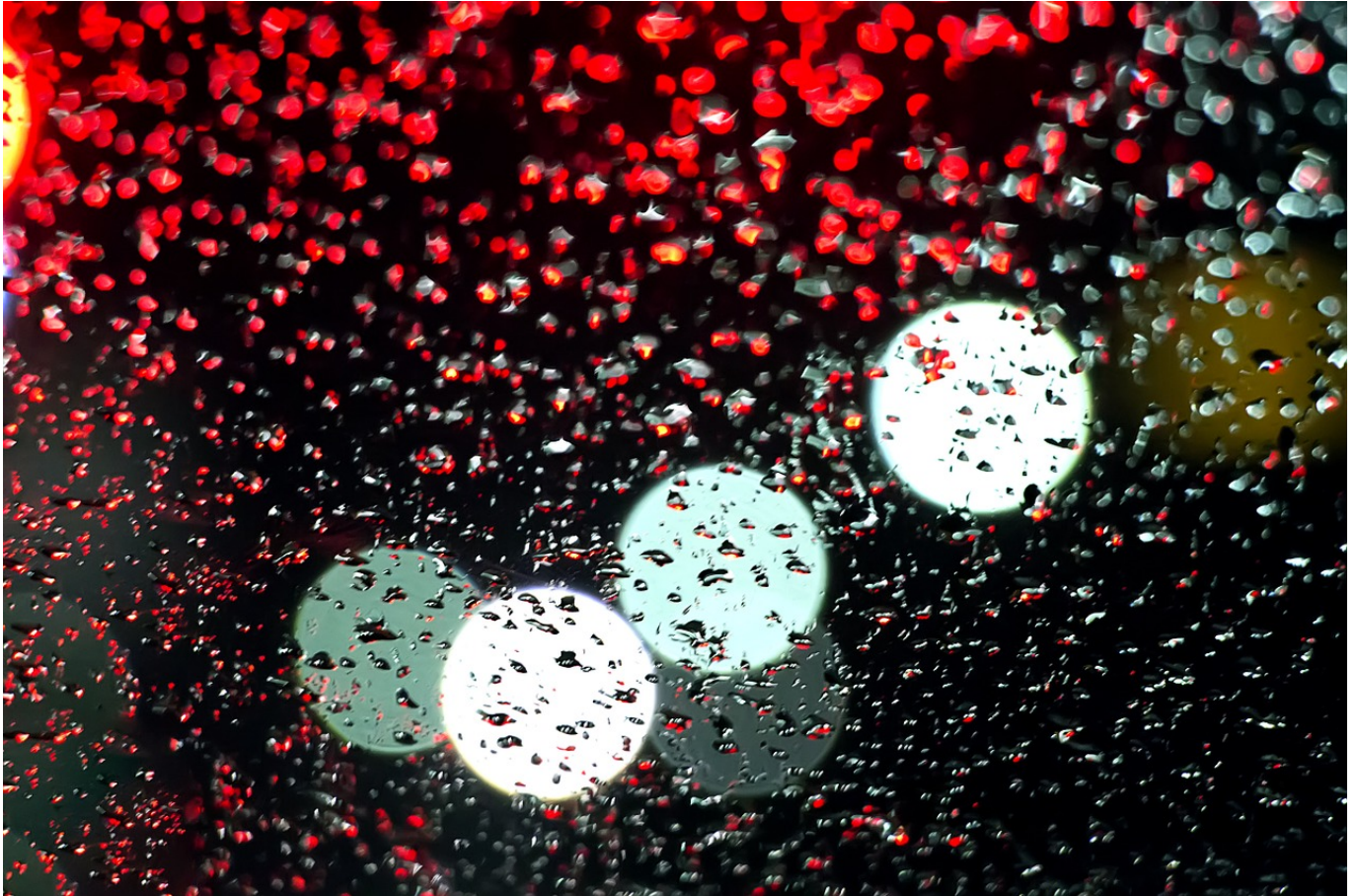
**go hell for leather** Be or continue to be in a certain condition.

<b>go like lightning</b>	To be spent or finished.
<b>go like the wind</b>	Give support (to) or make a choice (of) one out of a group or number.
<b>hare</b>	Run quickly like a hare. <i>He <b>hared</b> down the hill.</i>
<b>hasten</b>	Cause to occur rapidly. <i>This tragedy probably <b>hastened</b> his own death from heart disease.</i>
<b>hurry</b>	Move or act with great haste. <i><b>Hurry</b> up and finish your meal.</i>
<b>hurtle</b>	Move or cause to move at high speed, typically in an uncontrolled manner. <i>The cars <b>hurtled</b> by.</i>
<b>pound</b>	Place or shut up in a pound. <i>The locks <b>pound</b> the water of the canal.</i>
<b>race</b>	Cause to move fast or to rush or race. <i>Let s <b>race</b> and see who gets there first.</i>
<b>run</b>	Run stand or compete for an office or a position. <i>Inflation is <b>running</b> at 11 per cent.</i>
<b>rush</b>	Cause to move fast or to rush or race. <i>We have to <b>rush</b>.</i>
<b>scamper</b>	To move about or proceed hurriedly. <i>He <b>scampered</b> in like an overgrown puppy.</i>
<b>scurry</b>	To move about or proceed hurriedly. <i>Pedestrians <b>scurried</b> for cover.</i>
<b>scuttle</b>	To move about or proceed hurriedly.
<b>shoot</b>	Of a bud or shoot appear sprout. <i><b>Shoot</b> a basket.</i>
<b>speed</b>	Of a motorist travel at a speed that is greater than the legal limit. <i>Humps are to be used to reduce <b>speeding</b>.</i>
<b>streak</b>	Cover a surface with streaks. <i>The plane <b>streaked</b> across the sky.</i>
<b>whizz</b>	Do or deal with quickly. <i>The missiles <b>whizzed</b> past.</i>
<b>zoom</b>	Cause a lens or camera to zoom in or out. <i>TV ratings will <b>zoom</b>.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Sprint" as a verb

- *I saw Charlie sprinting through the traffic towards me.*



## Associations of "Sprint" (30 Words)

- athlete** A person trained to compete in sports.  
*He had the broad shouldered build of a natural **athlete**.*
- celerity** Swiftiness of movement.
- dart** A small pointed missile with a feather or plastic flight used in the game of darts.  
*The cat made a **dart** for the door.*
- dash** Break into pieces, as by striking or knocking over.  
*He is preparing for the 100 yard **dash**.*
- disconcerted** Having self-possession upset; thrown into confusion.  
*Looked at each other dumbly quite **disconcerted**.*
- fast** (of a dye) not fading in light or when washed.  
*He made a rope **fast** to each corner.*



<b>flit</b>	A secret move (to avoid paying debts. <i>Moonlight <b>flits</b> from one insalubrious dwelling to another.</i>
<b><u>haste</u></b>	Overly eager speed (and possible carelessness. <i>He soon regretted his <b>haste</b>.</i>
<b>hasten</b>	Cause to occur rapidly. <i>He <b>hastened</b> to refute the assertion.</i>
<b>hastily</b>	In a hurried or hasty manner. <i><b>Hastily</b> he scanned the headlines.</i>
<b>hie</b>	Go quickly. <i>I <b>hied</b> down to New Orleans.</i>
<b><u>hurdle</u></b>	Take part in a hurdle race. <i>Many would like to emigrate to the United States but face formidable <b>hurdles</b>.</i>
<b>hurriedly</b>	In a quick or rushed manner. <i>The way they buried him so <b>hurriedly</b> was disgraceful.</i>
<b>hurry</b>	A condition of urgency making it necessary to hurry. <i>We d better <b>hurry</b>.</i>
<b><u>hustle</u></b>	Pressure someone into doing something. <i>He <b>hustled</b> his company s oil around the country.</i>
<b>marathon</b>	A battle in 490 BC in which the Athenians and their allies defeated the Persians. <i>The last leg of an interview <b>marathon</b> which began this summer.</i>
<b>overhasty</b>	Excessively hasty. <i>Rejected what was regarded as an <b>overhasty</b> plan for reconversion.</i>
<b>petulance</b>	An irritable petulant feeling. <i>A slight degree of <b>petulance</b> had crept into his voice.</i>
<b>precipitant</b>	A substance that causes the precipitation of a specified substance. <i>Depression may be a <b>precipitant</b> in many cases.</i>
<b>quicken</b>	(of a woman) reach a stage in pregnancy when movements of the fetus can be felt. <i>On the third day after his death the human body of Jesus was <b>quicken</b>ed by the Spirit.</i>
<b>quickly</b>	With rapid movements. <i>Reg s illness progressed frighteningly <b>quickly</b>.</i>
<b>race</b>	Prepare and enter an animal or vehicle for races. <i>Hill started from pole position and won the <b>race</b>.</i>

<b>running</b>	Executed or initiated by running. <i>A <b>running</b> engine.</i>
<b>rush</b>	Cause to move fast or to rush or race. <i>Come back after the <b>rush</b>.</i>
<b>rushed</b>	(of a person) short of time; hurrying. <i>A <b>rushed</b> job.</i>
<b>rushing</b>	The action of gaining yardage or scoring a touchdown or conversion by running from scrimmage with the ball. <i>He seems so calm amid all the <b>rushing</b> people.</i>
<b>scramble</b>	Put (clothes) on hurriedly. <i>The <b>scramble</b> might be a training exercise or it might not.</i>
<b><u>shove</u></b>	Push roughly. <i>Kids pushed kicked and <b>shoved</b>.</i>
<b>swiftness</b>	A rate (usually rapid) at which something happens. <i>The turtle ran on shore with remarkable <b>swiftness</b>.</i>
<b>urgently</b>	In a way which requires immediate action or attention. <i>This matter has to be addressed <b>urgently</b>.</i>

