

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.*

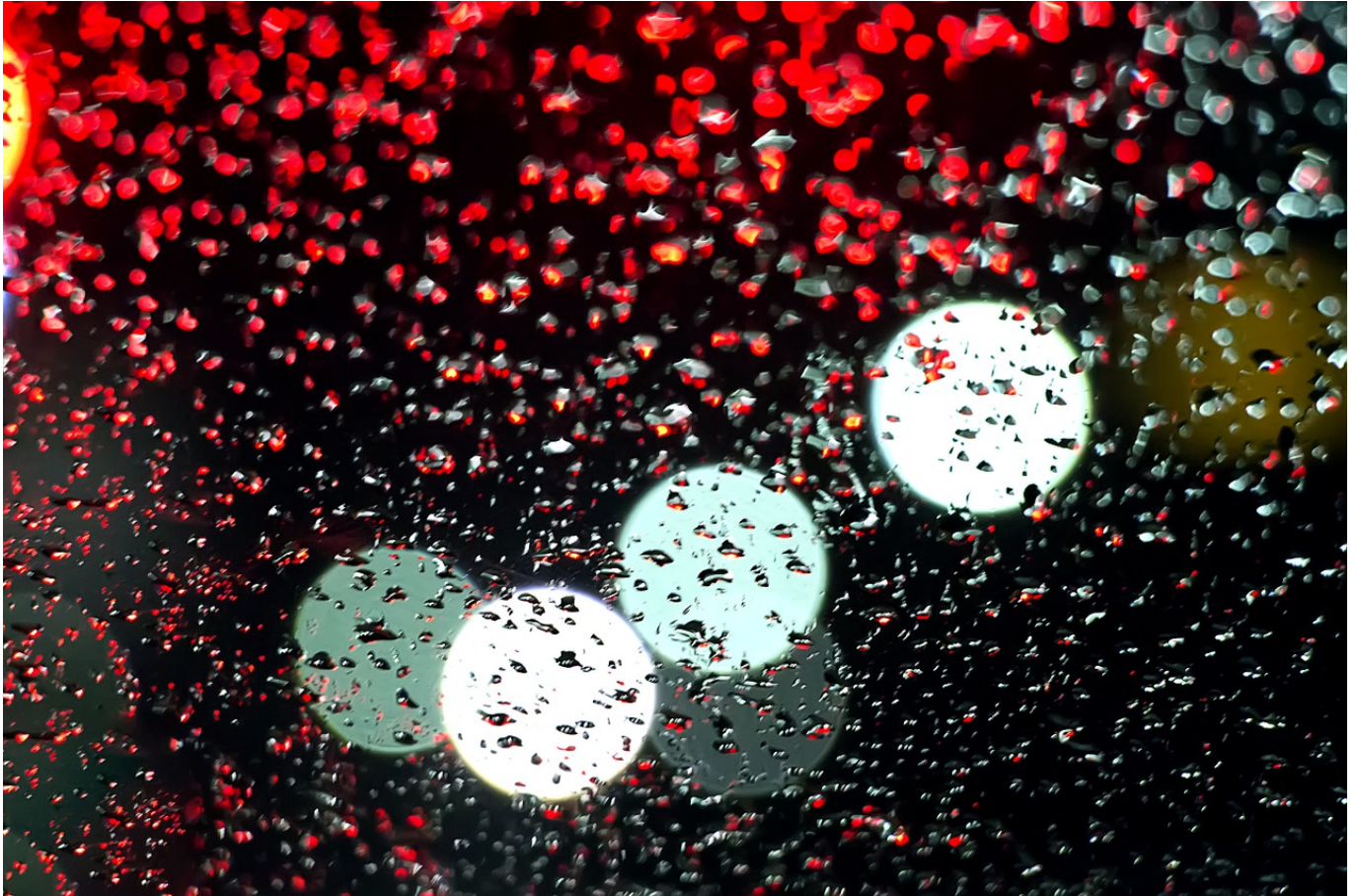
go hell for leather Be or continue to be in a certain condition.

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

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

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

