

Need another word that means the same as "susceptible"? Find 26 synonyms and 30 related words for "susceptible" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Susceptible" are: open to, receptive to, vulnerable to, liable to, prone to, subject to, inclined to, disposed to, given to, in danger of, impressionable, credulous, gullible, innocent, ingenuous, naive, defenceless, vulnerable, manageable, acquiescent, adaptable, persuadable, tractable, capable of, receptive of, responsive to

Susceptible as an Adjective

Definitions of "Susceptible" as an adjective

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "susceptible" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- (of a person) easily influenced by feelings or emotions; sensitive.
- (often followed by `of' or `to') yielding readily to or capable of.
- Capable or admitting of.
- Yielding readily to or capable of.
- Likely or liable to be influenced or harmed by a particular thing.
- Easily impressed emotionally.

Synonyms of "Susceptible" as an adjective (26 Words)

acquiescent

Ready to accept something without protest, or to do what someone else wants.

His **acquiescent** mood.



Able to be modified for a new use or purpose.

Telephone links that are **adaptable** for modems.

capable of Having the requisite qualities for.

credulous Disposed to believe on little evidence.

The gimmick would convince none but the most **credulous**.

defenceless Lacking protection or support.

Attacks on **defenceless** civilians.

disposed to Naturally disposed toward. **given to** Naturally disposed toward.

Naive and easily deceived or tricked.

Gullible tourists taken in by the shell game.

impressionable Easily influenced.

innocent

An **impressionable** youngster.

in danger of Directed or bound inward.

inclined to At an angle to the horizontal or vertical position.

ingenuous (of a person or action) innocent and unsuspecting.

She s staggeringly **ingenuous** or possibly very cunning indeed.

Lacking in sophistication or worldliness.

The prisoners were later found **innocent**.

liable to At risk of or subject to experiencing something usually unpleasant.

Capable of being managed or controlled.

manageable

Her long hair was black wavy and manageable.

of or created by one without formal training simple or naive in style.

Andy had a sweet **naive** look when he smiled.

open to Open to or in view of all.

persuadable Easily persuaded; amenable.

They need to identify the most **persuadable** voters.

prone to Having a tendency (to); often used in combination.

receptive of Of a nerve fiber or impulse originating outside and passing toward the

central nervous system.

receptive to Open to arguments, ideas, or change.

responsive to Readily reacting or replying to people or events or stimuli; showing

emotion.

subject to Being under the power or sovereignty of another or others.

Readily reacting to suggestions and influences.

tractable

A tractable student.



Exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically

vulnerable or emotionally.

Vulnerable to bribery.

vulnerable to Susceptible to attack.

Usage Examples of "Susceptible" as an adjective

• Susceptible to colds.

• They only do it to tease him—he's too susceptible.

• The problem is not susceptible of a simple solution.

• Patients with liver disease may be susceptible to infection.

• Susceptible of proof.

Associations of "Susceptible" (30 Words)

Able to adjust to new conditions.

To succeed one must be adaptable.

Capable of being changed so as to match or fit.

The car has fully **adjustable** seats and steering wheel.

allergic Caused by or relating to an allergy.

One and a half per cent of the population is **allergic** to bee venom.

amenable Capable of being acted upon in a particular way; susceptible.

The tumor was not **amenable** to surgical treatment.

benign (of a climate or environment) mild and favourable.

The cycle as a **benign** form of transport.

compliant Disposed or willing to comply.

Food that is **compliant** with safety regulations.

Maturally disposed toward.

James didn t seem **disposed** to take the hint.

ductile Easily influenced.

Ductile copper.

ductility

The malleability of something that can be drawn into threads or wires or

hammered into thin sheets.

flexibility Willingness to change or compromise.

He enjoyed the **flexibility** of his working arrangement.

flexible Capable of being changed.

Slim **flexible** birches.



Having an allergy or peculiar or excessive susceptibility (especially to a

hypersensitive specific factor.

Proximity to death makes people **hypersensitive** and aware.

hysteria Excessive or uncontrollable fear.

The anti Semitic **hysteria** of the 1890s.

impressionable Easily influenced.

An impressionable age.

limber Attach the limber.

The violist **limber**ed her wrists before the concert.

malleable Easily influenced.

Malleable metals such as gold.

manageableAble to be controlled or dealt with without difficulty.

Her long hair was black wavy and **manageable**.

pliable Easily influenced.

Pliable teenage minds.

Capable of being shaped or bent or drawn out.

Pliant molten glass.

Likely or liable to suffer from, do, or experience something unpleasant or

prone regrettable.

I was lying **prone** on a foam mattress.

reactive Participating readily in reactions.

Pupils are **reactive** to light.

Responsive to stimulation.

responsiveness The summidual responsiveness

The **responsiveness** of the vehicle.

sensitiveBeing susceptible to the attitudes, feelings, or circumstances of others.

Sensitive to light.

suggestible Open to suggestion; easily swayed.

A suggestible client would comply.

tensile Capable of being drawn out or stretched.

Made of highly **tensile** steel alloy.

touched Having come into contact.

The star said he was very **touched** to receive his medal.

tractable Easily managed (controlled or taught or molded)- Samuel Butler.

She has always been **tractable** and obedient even as a child.

Exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically

vulnerable or emotionally.

We were in a **vulnerable** position.



Having the paleness of wax- Bram Stoker. A thin face with a **waxy** paleness. waxy

Not brought about by coercion or force. willing

A willing participant.