

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.*

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| <u>adaptable</u> | Able to be modified for a new use or purpose. <i>Telephone links that are adaptable for modems.</i> |
| capable of | Having the requisite qualities for. |
| credulous | Disposed to believe on little evidence. <i>The gimmick would convince none but the most credulous.</i> |
| defenceless | Lacking protection or support. <i>Attacks on defenceless civilians.</i> |
| disposed to | Naturally disposed toward. |
| given to | Naturally disposed toward. |
| <u>gullible</u> | Naive and easily deceived or tricked. <i>Gullible tourists taken in by the shell game.</i> |
| <u>impressionable</u> | Easily influenced. <i>An impressionable youngster.</i> |
| 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. <i>She s staggeringly ingenuous or possibly very cunning indeed.</i> |
| innocent | Lacking in sophistication or worldliness. <i>The prisoners were later found innocent.</i> |
| liable to | At risk of or subject to experiencing something usually unpleasant. |
| <u>manageable</u> | Capable of being managed or controlled. <i>Her long hair was black wavy and manageable.</i> |
| <u>naive</u> | Of or created by one without formal training simple or naive in style. <i>Andy had a sweet naive look when he smiled.</i> |
| open to | Open to or in view of all. |
| persuadable | Easily persuaded; amenable. <i>They need to identify the most persuadable voters.</i> |
| 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. |
| <u>tractable</u> | Readily reacting to suggestions and influences. <i>A tractable student.</i> |

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

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| adaptable | Able to adjust to new conditions. <i>To succeed one must be adaptable.</i> |
| adjustable | Capable of being changed so as to match or fit. <i>The car has fully adjustable seats and steering wheel.</i> |
| allergic | Caused by or relating to an allergy. <i>One and a half per cent of the population is allergic to bee venom.</i> |
| amenable | Capable of being acted upon in a particular way; susceptible. <i>The tumor was not amenable to surgical treatment.</i> |
| benign | (of a climate or environment) mild and favourable. <i>The cycle as a benign form of transport.</i> |
| compliant | Disposed or willing to comply. <i>Food that is compliant with safety regulations.</i> |
| disposed | Naturally disposed toward. <i>James didn't seem disposed to take the hint.</i> |
| ductile | Easily influenced. <i>Ductile copper.</i> |
| ductility | The malleability of something that can be drawn into threads or wires or hammered into thin sheets. |
| flexibility | Willingness to change or compromise. <i>He enjoyed the flexibility of his working arrangement.</i> |
| flexible | Capable of being changed. <i>Slim flexible birches.</i> |

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| hypersensitive | Having an allergy or peculiar or excessive susceptibility (especially to a specific factor). <i>Proximity to death makes people hypersensitive and aware.</i> |
| <u>hysteria</u> | Excessive or uncontrollable fear. <i>The anti Semitic hysteria of the 1890s.</i> |
| <u>impressionable</u> | Easily influenced. <i>An impressionable age.</i> |
| limber | Attach the limber. <i>The violist limbered her wrists before the concert.</i> |
| <u>malleable</u> | Easily influenced. <i>Malleable metals such as gold.</i> |
| <u>manageable</u> | Able to be controlled or dealt with without difficulty. <i>Her long hair was black wavy and manageable.</i> |
| <u>pliable</u> | Easily influenced. <i>Pliable teenage minds.</i> |
| pliant | Capable of being shaped or bent or drawn out. <i>Pliant molten glass.</i> |
| <u>prone</u> | Likely or liable to suffer from, do, or experience something unpleasant or regrettable. <i>I was lying prone on a foam mattress.</i> |
| reactive | Participating readily in reactions. <i>Pupils are reactive to light.</i> |
| responsiveness | Responsive to stimulation. <i>The responsiveness of the vehicle.</i> |
| <u>sensitive</u> | Being susceptible to the attitudes, feelings, or circumstances of others. <i>Sensitive to light.</i> |
| suggestible | Open to suggestion; easily swayed. <i>A suggestible client would comply.</i> |
| tensile | Capable of being drawn out or stretched. <i>Made of highly tensile steel alloy.</i> |
| touched | Having come into contact. <i>The star said he was very touched to receive his medal.</i> |
| <u>tractable</u> | Easily managed (controlled or taught or molded)- Samuel Butler. <i>She has always been tractable and obedient even as a child.</i> |
| <u>vulnerable</u> | Exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed, either physically or emotionally. <i>We were in a vulnerable position.</i> |

waxy

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

willing

Not brought about by coercion or force.
*A **willing** participant.*