

Need another word that means the same as “tenacity”? Find 34 synonyms and 30 related words for “tenacity” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Tenacity” are: doggedness, perseverance, persistence, persistency, pertinacity, tenaciousness, determination, single-mindedness, strength of will, firmness of purpose, strength of purpose, fixity of purpose, bulldog spirit, tirelessness, indefatigability, resolution, resoluteness, resolve, firmness, patience, purposefulness, staunchness, steadfastness, constancy, staying power, application, diligence, assiduity, sedulousness, insistence, relentlessness, inexorability, inexorableness, inflexibility**

## Tenacity as a Noun

### Definitions of "Tenacity" as a noun

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

- *The quality or fact of continuing to exist; persistence.*
- *The quality or fact of being able to grip something firmly; grip.*
- *The quality or fact of being very determined; determination.*
- *Persistent determination.*



## Synonyms of "Tenacity" as a noun (34 Words)

<b>application</b>	The work of applying something. <i>A complete bleach requires several <b>applications</b>.</i>
<b>assiduity</b>	Constant attentions to someone. <i>The <b>assiduity</b> with which he could wear down his opponents.</i>
<b>bulldog spirit</b>	A sturdy thickset short-haired breed with a large head and strong undershot lower jaw; developed originally in England for bull baiting.
<b>constancy</b>	The quality of being enduring and unchanging. <i>The <b>constancy</b> of the tradition.</i>
<b><u>determination</u></b>	The quality of being determined to do or achieve something; firmness of purpose. <i>The <b>determination</b> of grammatical inflections.</i>
<b><u>diligence</u></b>	Careful and persistent work or effort. <i>Few party members challenge his <b>diligence</b> as an MP.</i>

<b>doggedness</b>	Persistent determination.
<b>firmness</b>	The quality of having a solid, almost unyielding surface or structure. <i>He tested the <b>firmness</b> of the mattress.</i>
<b>firmness of purpose</b>	The property of being unyielding to the touch.
<b>fixity of purpose</b>	An anticipated outcome that is intended or that guides your planned actions.
<b>indefatigability</b>	Tireless determination.
<b>inexorability</b>	Mercilessness characterized by an unwillingness to relent or let up.
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<b>inflexibility</b>	The quality of being rigid and rigorously severe. <i>He had a reputation for arrogance and <b>inflexibility</b>.</i>
<b>insistence</b>	The fact or quality of insisting that something is the case or should be done. <i><b>Insistence</b> on grammatical correctness is a conservative position.</i>
<b>patience</b>	The capacity to accept or tolerate delay, problems, or suffering without becoming annoyed or anxious. <i>You can find bargains if you have the <b>patience</b> to sift through the rubbish.</i>
<b>perseverance</b>	Persistence in doing something despite difficulty or delay in achieving success. <i>His <b>perseverance</b> with the technique illustrates his single mindedness.</i>
<b>persistence</b>	Persistent determination. <i>Cardiff's <b>persistence</b> was rewarded with a try.</i>
<b>persistence</b>	Persistent determination.
<b>pertinacity</b>	Persistent determination.
<b>purposefulness</b>	The quality of having a definite purpose.
<b>relentlessness</b>	Mercilessness characterized by an unwillingness to relent or let up. <i>The <b>relentlessness</b> of their pursuit.</i>
<b>resoluteness</b>	The trait of being resolute. <i>His <b>resoluteness</b> carried him through the battle.</i>
<b>resolution</b>	The number of pixels per square inch on a computer generated display the greater the resolution the better the picture. <i>A successful <b>resolution</b> to the problem.</i>
<b>resolve</b>	Firm determination to do something. <i>She received information that strengthened her <b>resolve</b>.</i>
<b>sedulousness</b>	The quality of being constantly diligent and attentive.



<b>single-mindedness</b>	Characterized by one unified purpose.
<b>staunchness</b>	Loyalty in the face of trouble and difficulty.
<b>staying power</b>	The state of inactivity following an interruption.
<b>steadfastness</b>	The quality of being resolutely or dutifully firm and unwavering. <i>No side wins without <b>steadfastness</b> in the face of adversity.</i>
<b>strength of purpose</b>	The amount of energy transmitted (as by acoustic or electromagnetic radiation).
<b>strength of will</b>	The power to induce the taking of a course of action or the embracing of a point of view by means of argument or entreaty.
<b>tenaciousness</b>	Persistent determination.
<b>tirelessness</b>	Tireless determination.



## Usage Examples of "Tenacity" as a noun

- *The sheer tenacity of the limpet.*
- *You have to admire the tenacity of these two guys.*
- *The tenacity of certain myths within the historical record.*



## Associations of "Tenacity" (30 Words)

<b>alertness</b>	Lively attentiveness. <i>Walsall were indebted to the bravery and <b>alertness</b> of their goalkeeper.</i>
<b>assiduity</b>	Great and constant diligence and attention. <i>The <b>assiduity</b> with which he could wear down his opponents.</i>
<b>bear</b>	(of a tree or plant) produce (fruit or flowers). <i><b>Bear</b> a signature.</i>
<b>continence</b>	The exercise of self constraint in sexual matters. <i>You can improve your <b>continence</b> by strengthening the muscles of the pelvic floor.</i>
<b>continuity</b>	A connection or line of development with no sharp breaks. <i>They have provided the country with a measure of <b>continuity</b>.</i>



<b><u>dogged</u></b>	Having or showing tenacity and grim persistence. <i>Success required <b>dogged</b> determination.</i>
<b><u>endurance</u></b>	The ability to endure an unpleasant or difficult process or situation without giving way. <i>She was close to the limit of her <b>endurance</b>.</i>
<b><u>endure</u></b>	Put up with something or somebody unpleasant. <i>It seemed impossible that anyone could <b>endure</b> such pain.</i>
<b>forbear</b>	Politely or patiently restrain an impulse to do something; refrain. <i>Rebecca could not <b>forbear</b> a smile.</i>
<b>forbearance</b>	Patient self-control; restraint and tolerance. <i>His unfailing courtesy and <b>forbearance</b> under great provocation.</i>
<b>fortitude</b>	Strength of mind that enables one to endure adversity with courage. <i>She endured her illness with great <b>fortitude</b>.</i>
<b>indomitable</b>	Impossible to subdue. <i>A woman of <b>indomitable</b> spirit.</i>
<b>obdurate</b>	Stubbornly persistent in wrongdoing. <i>The child's misery would move even the most <b>obdurate</b> heart.</i>
<b>obstinacy</b>	The trait of being difficult to handle or overcome. <i>His reputation for <b>obstinacy</b>.</i>
<b>obstinate</b>	Tenaciously unwilling or marked by tenacious unwillingness to yield. <i>Her <b>obstinate</b> determination to pursue a career in radio.</i>
<b>patience</b>	A card game played by one person. <i>You can find bargains if you have the <b>patience</b> to sift through the rubbish.</i>
<b>perseverance</b>	The act of persisting or persevering; continuing or repeating behavior. <i>Medicine is a field which requires dedication and <b>perseverance</b>.</i>
<b>persevere</b>	Continue in a course of action even in the face of difficulty or with little or no indication of success. <i>His family <b>persevered</b> with his treatment.</i>
<b>persistence</b>	The act of persisting or persevering; continuing or repeating behavior. <i>The <b>persistence</b> of huge environmental problems.</i>
<b>pertinacious</b>	Stubbornly unyielding- T.S.Eliot. <i>He worked with a <b>pertinacious</b> resistance to interruptions.</i>
<b>pertinacity</b>	Persistent determination.
<b><u>reliance</u></b>	Dependence on or trust in someone or something. <i>The farmer's <b>reliance</b> on pesticides.</i>

<b>resourcefulness</b>	The ability to deal resourcefully with unusual problems. <i>A man of great <b>resourcefulness</b>.</i>
<b><u>temperance</u></b>	The act of tempering. <i>The <b>temperance</b> movement.</i>
<b>tenacious</b>	Persisting in existence; not easily dispelled. <i>Men <b>tenacious</b> of opinion.</i>
<b>toleration</b>	Official recognition of the right of individuals to hold dissenting opinions (especially in religion). <i>All people should practice <b>toleration</b> and live together in peace.</i>
<b>undaunted</b>	Resolutely courageous. <i><b>Undaunted</b> in the face of death.</i>
<b>unyielding</b>	Stubbornly unyielding. <i>The Atlantic hurled its waves at the <b>unyielding</b> rocks.</i>
<b><u>vigilance</u></b>	Vigilant attentiveness. <i><b>Vigilance</b> is especially susceptible to fatigue.</i>
<b><u>viscosity</u></b>	The state of being thick, sticky, and semi-fluid in consistency, due to internal friction. <i>Cooling the fluid raises its <b>viscosity</b>.</i>

