

Need another word that means the same as "transverse"? Find 7 synonyms and 30 related words for "transverse" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Transverse" are: cross, thwartwise, transversal, crosswise, diagonal, horizontal, oblique

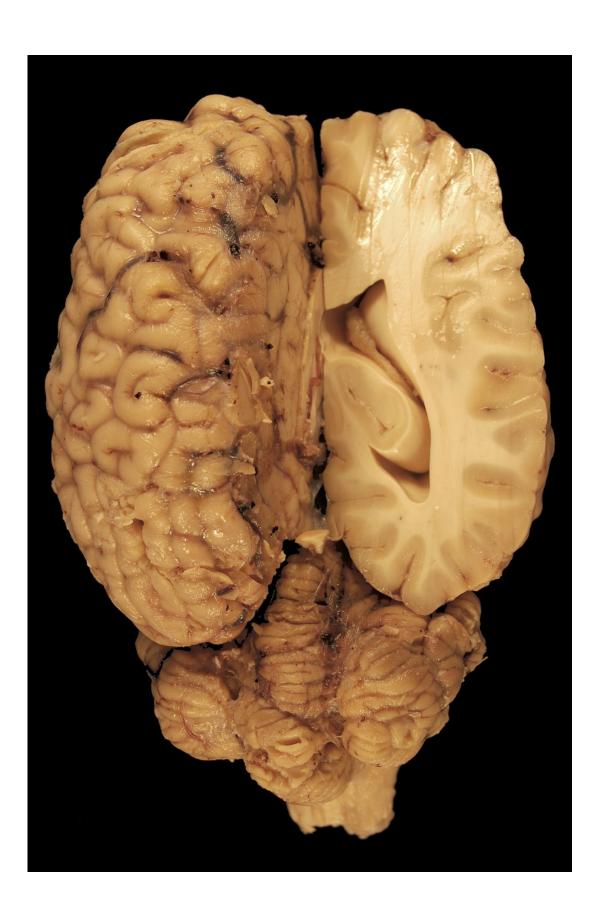
Transverse as an Adjective

Definitions of "Transverse" as an adjective

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

- Extending or lying across; in a crosswise direction; at right angles to the long axis.
- Situated or extending across something.







Synonyms of "Transverse" as an adjective (7 Words)

Extending or lying across in a crosswise direction at right angles to the long

<u>cross</u> axis

Cross members should be all steel.

crosswise In the shape of (a horizontal piece on) a cross.

A **crosswise** street.

diagonal (of a line) straight and at an angle; slanting.

A **diagonal** line across the page.

horizontal Of machinery having its parts working in a horizontal direction.

Horizontal expansion of the international community.

oblique Denoting any case other than the nominative or vocative.

An **oblique** abdominal muscle.

thwartwise Extending or lying across; in a crosswise direction; at right angles to the long

axis.

Extending or lying across; in a crosswise direction; at right angles to the long

transversal axis.

Transversal vibrations.





Usage Examples of "Transverse" as an adjective

- A transverse beam supports the dashboard.
- Transverse colon.
- From the transverse hall the stairway ascends gracefully.





Associations of "Transverse" (30 Words)

To the opposite side.

axis

across A crater some 30 metres across.

Relating to the antipodes or situated at opposite sides of the earth. antipodal

Antipodal regions of the earth.

An imaginary line which divides something into equal or roughly equal

halves, especially in the direction of its greatest length.

The Anglo American **axis**.

A blow given with a crosswise movement of the fist. cross

The system is a **cross** between a monorail and a conventional railway.

The horizontal bar between the two upright posts of a goal in football, crossbar

rugby, hockey, etc.



Something that provides direction or advice as to a decision or course of

direction action.

A house with views in all **direction**s.

edge Provide with a border or edge.

Haynes **edge**d to slip.

An imaginary line around the Earth forming the great circle that is

equidistant from the north and south poles.

equator

The equator is the boundary between the northern and southern

hemispheres.

The great circle on the celestial sphere whose plane passes through the

horizon sensible horizon and the center of the Earth.

She wanted to leave home and broaden her **horizon**s.

horizontalA horizontal line plane etc. *Horizontal class loyalties.*

latitude Freedom from normal restraints in conduct.

Lines of **latitude**.

lengthThe length of a horse boat etc as a measure of the lead in a race.

The **length** of her skirt.

An arrangement of soldiers or ships in a column or line formation a line of

line battle.

Trees **line** the riverbank.

lineation A contour or outline.

Magnetic **lineation**s.

(of research or data) involving information about an individual or group

longitudinal gathered over a period of time.

A **longitudinal** study of ten patients.

obliquity The quality of being deceptive.

Familiarization with something.

orientation

His book is well worth reading regardless of your political orientation.

Of or involving right angles; at right angles.

orthogonal Wind and sea may displace the ship's center of gravity along three

orthogonal axes.

Be parallel to.

Parallel Parallels never meet.

Perpendicular position or direction.

perpendicular At each division draw a perpendicular representing the surface line.



The scope of the influence or concerns of something.

purview Social taboos meant that little information was likely to come within the

purview of women generally.

rectilinear Contained by, consisting of, or moving in a straight line or lines.

Rectilinear distortion.

(mathematics) a transformation in which the coordinate axes are rotated

rotation by a fixed angle about the origin.

Short **rotation** forestry.

route Send via a specific route.

All lines of communication were **route**d through London.

A Eurasian shrub or small tree with slender toothed leaves and pink

spindle capsules containing bright orange seeds Its hard timber was formerly used

for making spindles.

Chromosomes are distributed by **spindle**s in mitosis and meiosis.

swerve Change or cause to change direction abruptly.

O Hara **swerve**d the motorcycle round the corner.

traverse An area of land surveyed with a traverse.

He crept up and threw a grenade over the **traverse**.

vertical A vertical structural member as a post or stake.

We remodelled the opening with a simple lintel and unadorned **verticals**.

(of a moving ship or aircraft) twist or oscillate about a vertical axis.

The ship **yaw**ed when the huge waves hit it.



