

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

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The synonyms of "Under" are: below, down, downward, lower, underneath, beneath, nether

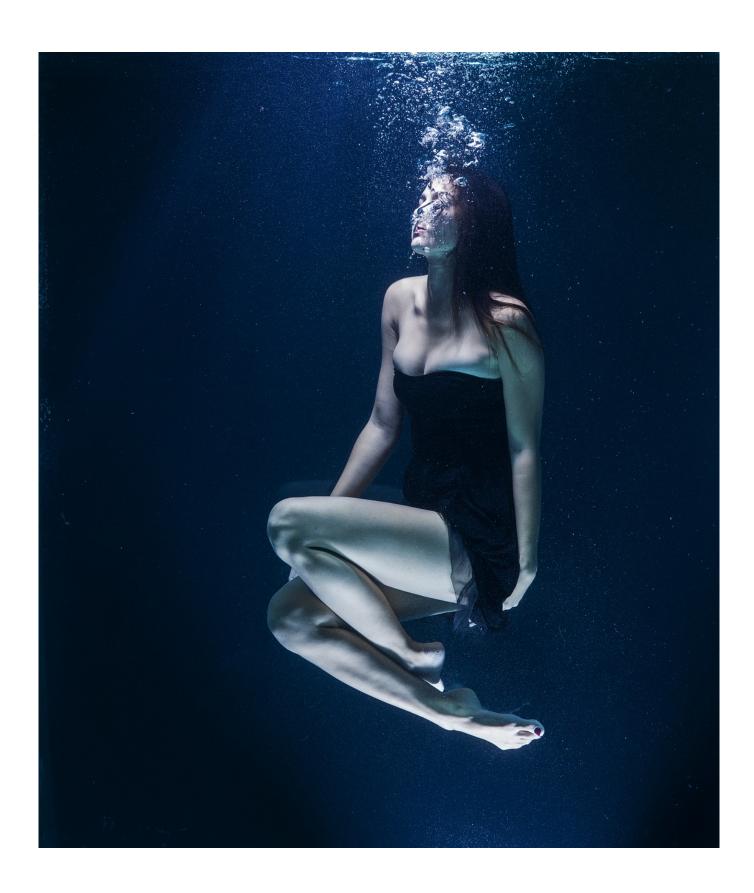
# **Under as an Adjective**

### Definitions of "Under" as an adjective

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

- Located below or beneath something else.
- Lower in rank, power, or authority.







# Synonyms of "Under" as an adjective (1 Word)

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{nether} \ \frac{Lower.}{Gnawed \ his \ \textbf{nether} \ lip.} \end{array}$ 



# Usage Examples of "Under" as an adjective

- The under parts of a machine.
- An under secretary.





### **Under as an Adverb**

#### Definitions of "Under" as an adverb

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

- Under water.
- Down below.
- Down to defeat, death, or ruin.
- In or into a state of subordination or subjugation.
- Below the horizon.
- Through a range downward.
- Affected by an anaesthetic; unconscious.
- Further down.
- Below some quantity or limit.
- Extending or directly below something.
- Into unconsciousness.







### Synonyms of "Under" as an adverb (6 Words)

**below** Below deck.

Our nutritionist is pictured **below** right.

**beneath** At a lower level or layer.

A house built on stilts to allow air to circulate **beneath**.

**down** Downstairs.

I ll put you **down** for the evening shift.

**downward** Spatially or metaphorically from a higher to a lower level or position.

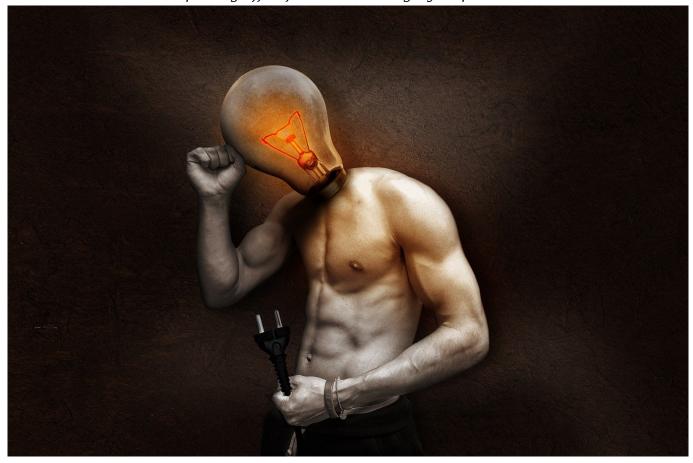
Prices plunged downward.

In or into a lower position.

The sun sank **lower**.

underneath On the lower or downward side; on the underside of.

 $^{f l}$  Paint was peeling off in flakes to reveal greyish plaster  ${f underneath}$ .





### Usage Examples of "Under" as an adverb

- Weaving the body through the crossbars, over and under, over and under.
- The operation was quick; she was only under for 15 minutes.
- See under for further discussion.
- He was floating for some time but suddenly went under.







### Associations of "Under" (30 Words)

**abase** Cause to feel shame; hurt the pride of.

*I watched my colleagues abasing themselves before the board of trustees.* 

**adulterate** Mixed with impurities. **Adulterate** remedies.

A metal stand, typically one of a pair, for supporting wood burning in a

**andiron** fireplace.

The **andiron**s were too hot to touch.

Of low birth or station base is archaic in this sense.

A **base** degrading way of life.

**belittle** Express a negative opinion of.

Don t **belittle** your colleagues.

below See below.
See below.

**beneath** At a lower level or layer.

A house built on stilts to allow air to circulate **beneath**.

**bottom** Situated at the bottom or lowest position.

The books on the **bottom** shelf.

**condescend** Treat condescendingly.

Take care not to **condescend** to your reader.

Corrupt debase or make impure by adding a foreign or inferior substance

**debase** often by replacing valuable ingredients with inferior ones.

The love episodes **debase** the dignity of the drama.

**decrease** Decrease in size extent or range.

The aisles were **decrease**d in height.

**degrade** Lower the quality of; cause to deteriorate.

She thought that many supposedly erotic pictures **degrade**d women.

Corrupt morally or by intemperance or sensuality.

**demoralize** She hastened her daughter s steps lest she be **demoralize**d by beholding

the free manners of these mad English.

demote Move (someone) to a lower position or rank, usually as a punishment.

The head of the army was **demote**d to deputy defence secretary.

**descending** Moving or sloping downwards.

The categories are listed in **descending** order of usefulness.

Downstairs.

You got to be **down** with me.



**downgrade** Reduce to a lower grade, rank, or level of importance.

**Downgrade**s by debt rating agencies outnumber upgrades by five to one.

hidden Difficult to find.

Concealed or **hidden** damage.

irreducible Incapable of being made smaller or simpler.

Literature is often **irreducible** to normative ideas.

Very low in volume.

The dual traditions of high and **low** art.

Move something or somebody to a lower position.

The **lower** levels of the building.

Represent as less significant or important.

They may **minimize** or even overlook the importance of such beliefs.

Hold within limits and control.

They wish to return to heaven by **mortify**ing the flesh.

nether Located below or beneath something else.

The ballast is suspended from its **nether** end.

reduce Reduce in size reduce physically.

**Reduce** an image.

**submergence** Sinking until covered completely with water.

Total **submergence** of plants results in heavy crop losses.

Not meeting standards or reaching a level regarded as usual.

**subnormal** When you lose enough body heat to make your temperature **subnormal** 

you become hypothermic.

A material which provides the surface on which something is deposited or

inscribed, for example the silicon wafer used to manufacture integrated

substrate circuits.

The Celtic languages of Britain are a **substrate** for English.

underneath Situated directly below something else.

A wart on the **underneath** of his foot.

**underside**The bottom or lower side or surface of something.

The butterfly s wings have a mottled brown pattern on the **underside**.



