

Need another word that means the same as “unprotected”? Find 14 synonyms for “unprotected” in this overview.

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Unprotected as an Adjective

Definitions of "Unprotected" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “unprotected” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Lacking protection or defense.*
- *Not protected or kept safe from harm or injury.*
- *(of a machine or mechanism) not fitted with safety guards.*
- *(of sexual intercourse) performed without a condom.*
- *(of data or a memory location) able to be accessed or used without restriction.*



Synonyms of "Unprotected" as an adjective (14 Words)

arid	Lacking sufficient water or rainfall. <i>His arid years in suburbia.</i>
barren	(of a female animal) not pregnant or unable to become so. <i>The plains of Kyrenia were barren.</i>
bleak	(of a situation) not hopeful or encouraging; unlikely to have a favourable outcome. <i>A bleak and barren moor.</i>
denuded	Without the natural or usual covering.
desolate	Providing no shelter or sustenance. <i>A low desolate wail.</i>
endangered	(of flora or fauna) in imminent danger of extinction. <i>An endangered species.</i>
exposed	Not sheltered or protected from the weather. <i>Some areas of exposed coastline could see gusts of wind of more than 80 mph.</i>
in danger	Currently fashionable.
in jeopardy	Currently fashionable.

in peril	Holding office.
lunar	Of or relating to or associated with the moon. A lunar landscape.
<u>stark</u>	Unpleasantly or sharply clear. Stark poverty.
unguarded	Lacking protection or a guard. The museum was unguarded at night.
unsafe	Not safe; dangerous. Because the confession was unreliable the verdict was unsafe and unsatisfactory.



Usage Examples of "Unprotected" as an adjective

- *It is easy for anyone to get at the unprotected password file.*
- *Machinery was often unprotected and accidents were frequent.*
- *Healthcare workers remained unprotected against hepatitis B infection.*

