

Need another word that means the same as “usefulness”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “usefulness” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Usefulness” are: utility, functionality, practicality, serviceability, fitness, adequacy, handiness, neatness, convenience, use, effectiveness, efficacy

Usefulness as a Noun

Definitions of "Usefulness" as a noun

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

- *The quality or fact of being useful.*
- *The quality of being of practical use.*



Synonyms of "Usefulness" as a noun (12 Words)

adequacy	The quality of being able to meet a need satisfactorily. <i>He questioned the adequacy of the usual sentimental interpretation of the Golden Rule.</i>
convenience	A thing that contributes to an easy and effortless way of life. <i>Voicemail was seen as one of the desktop conveniences of the electronic office.</i>
effectiveness	Capacity to produce strong physiological or chemical effects. <i>The effectiveness of the treatment.</i>
efficacy	The ability to produce a desired or intended result. <i>Concern about the safety and efficacy of the vaccine.</i>

fitness	Fitness to traverse the seas. <i>Disease and lack of fitness are closely related.</i>
functionality	The range of operations that can be run on a computer or other electronic system. <i>I like the feel and functionality of this bakeware.</i>
handiness	The quality of being at hand when needed. <i>He can do any sort of work requiring handiness and dexterity.</i>
neatness	The state of being neat and smart and trim. <i>His obsessive neatness.</i>
practicality	Concerned with actual use rather than theoretical possibilities. <i>There are still major doubts about the practicality of the proposal.</i>
serviceability	The quality of being able to provide good service.
use	The action of using something or the state of being used for a purpose. <i>Theatre owners were charging too much for the use of their venues.</i>
utility	A utility vehicle. <i>A handy utility for converting one graphics file type to another.</i>



Usage Examples of "Usefulness" as a noun

- *Faults that affect the book's usefulness.*



Associations of "Usefulness" (30 Words)

- accessible** Able to be easily obtained or used.
*He is more **accessible** than most tycoons.*
- actual** Existing now; current.
*The ship's **actual** position is 22 miles due south of Key West.*
- availability** The state of not being currently involved in a sexual or romantic relationship.
*If you call yourself Miss you're advertising your **availability** to any man who takes a fancy.*

available	Able to be used or obtained; at someone's disposal. <i>Kept a fire extinguisher available.</i>
capable	Open to or admitting of something. <i>The strange events are capable of rational explanation.</i>
conceivably	It is conceivable or imaginable that. <i>It may conceivably cause liver disease.</i>
convenient	Large and roomy convenient is archaic in this sense. <i>A convenient excuse for not going.</i>
disposable	Designed to be disposed of after use. <i>Don't buy disposables such as cups and plates.</i>
effectively	Actually but not officially or explicitly. <i>These are real problems that can be dealt with most effectively by rational discussion.</i>
feasibility	The state or degree of being easily or conveniently done. <i>The feasibility of screening athletes for cardiac disease.</i>
feasible	Possible to do easily or conveniently. <i>It is not feasible to put most finds from excavations on public display.</i>
handy	(in Europe) a mobile phone. <i>A handy gadget.</i>
likelihood	The state or fact of something's being likely; probability. <i>Situations where there is a likelihood of violence.</i>
operational	Relating to or in accordance with operationalism. <i>De facto apartheid is still operational even in the new African nations.</i>
portable	A small transportable building used as a classroom. <i>A portable television set.</i>
possibility	A thing that may be chosen or done out of several possible alternatives. <i>There is a possibility that his sense of smell has been impaired.</i>
possible	The highest possible score especially in a shooting competition. <i>They were living right at the edge of the possible.</i>
potential	Latent qualities or abilities that may be developed and lead to future success or usefulness. <i>Pesticides with the potential to cause cancer.</i>
practical	Having or put to a practical purpose or use. <i>I'm merely being practical we must find a ground floor flat.</i>
pragmatic	Relating to pragmatics. <i>A pragmatic approach to politics.</i>

reality	Relating to reality TV. <i>Youth when death has no reality.</i>
serviceable	Ready for service or able to give long service. Serviceable equipment.
tool	Work with a tool. <i>We tooled down the street.</i>
usable	Capable of being put to use. <i>2000 square feet of usable office space.</i>
useful	Having a useful function. <i>Aspirins are useful for headaches.</i>
utilitarian	Relating to or adhering to the doctrine of utilitarianism. <i>A utilitarian building.</i>
utilizable	Capable of being put to a profitable or practical use.
<u>utilize</u>	Make practical and effective use of. <i>Vitamin C helps your body utilize the iron present in your diet.</i>
viable	(of a fetus or unborn child) able to live after birth. <i>A viable fetus.</i>
<u>workable</u>	Capable of being done with means at hand and circumstances as they are. <i>A workable peace settlement.</i>

