

Need another word that means the same as “versatile”? Find 18 synonyms and 30 related words for “versatile” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Versatile” are: various, adaptable, flexible, all-round, multifaceted, multitalented, multiskilled, many-sided, resourceful, protean, adjustable, open-ended, open, open to change, changeable, not fixed, not settled, variable

Versatile as an Adjective

Definitions of "Versatile" as an adjective

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

- *Able to move freely in all directions.*
- *Having great diversity or variety.*
- *Changeable; inconstant.*
- *Able to adapt or be adapted to many different functions or activities.*
- *Competent in many areas and able to turn with ease from one thing to another.*
- *Changeable or inconstant.*



Synonyms of "Versatile" as an adjective (18 Words)

[adaptable](#)

Able to adjust to new conditions.

*The frame was **adaptable** to cloth bolts of different widths.*

[adjustable](#)

Able to be adjusted.

***Adjustable** interest rates.*

all-round

Many-sided.

changeable

Able to be changed or exchanged.

*The weather will be **changeable** with rain at times.*

[flexible](#)

Able to flex; able to bend easily.

*You can save money if you're **flexible** about where your room is located.*

many-sided	Having many aspects.
<u>multifaceted</u>	Having many different aspects or features. <i>A multifaceted undertaking.</i>
multiskilled	Having a range of skills or abilities. <i>The growth of a new multiskilled workforce.</i>
multitalented	Having many skills or talents. <i>A multitalented musician and songwriter.</i>
not fixed	Securely placed or fastened or set.
not settled	Inhabited by colonists.
open	Open to or in view of all. <i>An issue open to question.</i>
open to change	Used of mouth or eyes.
open-ended	Allowing for future changes or revisions.
protean	Able to do many different things; versatile. <i>It is difficult to comprehend the whole of this protean subject.</i>
<u>resourceful</u>	Having the ability to find quick and clever ways to overcome difficulties. <i>The most resourceful cook in town.</i>
variable	Marked by diversity or difference. <i>The quality of hospital food is highly variable.</i>
<u>various</u>	Distinctly dissimilar or unlike. <i>His disguises are many and various.</i>



Usage Examples of "Versatile" as an adjective

- *A versatile sewing machine.*
- *He was versatile enough to play on either wing.*
- *Versatile moods.*
- *A versatile writer.*
- *A versatile anther of a flower moves freely in the wind.*
- *His vast and versatile erudition.*
- *An insect's versatile antennae can move up and down or laterally.*
- *An owl's versatile toe can move backward and forward.*



Associations of "Versatile" (30 Words)

[adaptable](#)

Able to be modified for a new use or purpose.

*The frame was **adaptable** to cloth bolts of different widths.*

[adjustable](#)

Capable of being changed so as to match or fit.

***Adjustable** seat belts.*

changing

Marked by continuous change or effective action.

convertible

A convertible security.

*Nationalism is too easily **convertible** into bitterness and selfishness.*

diverse

Distinctly dissimilar or unlike.

*Subjects as **diverse** as architecture language teaching and the physical sciences.*

ductile

Able to be deformed without losing toughness; pliable, not brittle.

***Ductile** copper.*

ductility	The malleability of something that can be drawn into threads or wires or hammered into thin sheets.
<u>flexible</u>	Capable of bending easily without breaking. Flexible schedules.
labile	Liable to change. <i>We may be the most labile culture in all history.</i>
limber	Cause to become limber. <i>I have to practise to keep myself limber.</i>
<u>malleable</u>	(of a metal or other material) able to be hammered or pressed into shape without breaking or cracking. <i>A malleable metal can be beaten into a sheet.</i>
manifold	A collection of points forming a certain kind of set, such as those of a topologically closed surface or an analogue of this in three or more dimensions. <i>Our manifold failings.</i>
metamorphic	Of or relating to metamorphosis (especially of rocks). Metamorphic stage.
miscellaneous	(of items or people gathered or considered together) of various types or from different sources. <i>A miscellaneous collection of well known ne er do wells.</i>
modified	Changed in form or character. <i>Their modified stand made the issue more acceptable.</i>
<u>multifaceted</u>	Having many aspects or qualities. <i>A multifaceted undertaking.</i>
multifarious	Having many varied parts or aspects. Multifarious activities.
<u>pliable</u>	Easily bent; flexible. Pliable teenage minds.
pliant	Easily bent. <i>A pliant nature.</i>
pluralism	The practice of one person holding more than one benefice at a time.
protean	Able to do many different things; versatile. <i>Eyes of that baffling protean grey which is never twice the same.</i>
readjust	Set or adjust (something) again. <i>It can take years to readjust to this situation.</i>
redeemable	Susceptible to improvement or reform. <i>A redeemable coupon.</i>

supple

(used of persons' bodies) capable of moving or bending freely.
*This body oil leaves your skin feeling deliciously **supple**.*

transformed

Given a completely different form or appearance.
*Shocked to see the **transformed** landscape.*

useful

Having a useful function.
*Aspirins are **useful** for headaches.*

variable

The region of light variable winds to the north of the north east trade winds or in the southern hemisphere between the south east trade winds and the westerlies.
*There are too many **variables** involved to make any meaningful predictions.*

varied

Characterized by variety.
*Her quickly **varied** answers indicated uncertainty.*

various

Having great diversity or variety.
*Cited **various** reasons for his behavior.*

yielding

The act of conceding or yielding.
*A gentle **yielding** person.*

