

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.*

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

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

