

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

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**The synonyms of “Vertigo” are: dizziness, giddiness, lightheadedness, loss of balance, loss of equilibrium, spinning of the head, swimming of the head**

## Vertigo as a Noun

### Definitions of "Vertigo" as a noun

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

- *A reeling sensation; a feeling that you are about to fall.*
- *A sensation of whirling and loss of balance, associated particularly with looking down from a great height, or caused by disease affecting the inner ear or the vestibular nerve; giddiness.*



## Synonyms of "Vertigo" as a noun (7 Words)

**dizziness**

A sensation of spinning around and losing one's balance.  
*The medicine can cause **dizziness** or nausea.*

**giddiness**

A sensation of whirling and a tendency to fall or stagger;  
dizziness.  
*The fans can be forgiven their **giddiness**.*

**lightheadedness**

A frivolous lack of prudence.

**loss of balance**

Something that is lost.

**loss of equilibrium**

Something that is lost.

**spinning of the head**

A swift whirling motion (usually of a missile).

**swimming of the head**

The act of swimming.



## Associations of "Vertigo" (30 Words)

- airsickness** Motion sickness experienced while traveling by air (especially during turbulence).
- chaos** (Greek mythology) the most ancient of gods; the personification of the infinity of space preceding creation of the universe.  
*Snow caused **chaos** in the region.*
- coma** The luminous cloud of particles surrounding the frozen nucleus of a comet; forms as the comet approaches the sun and is warmed.  
*She went into a **coma**.*
- confuse** Identify wrongly; mistake.  
*Purchasers might **confuse** the two products.*
- confused** Mentally confused unable to think with clarity or act intelligently.  
*A **confused** expression crossed her face.*
- dementia** A chronic or persistent disorder of the mental processes caused by brain disease or injury and marked by memory disorders, personality changes, and impaired reasoning.

<b>diarrhea</b>	Frequent and watery bowel movements; can be a symptom of infection or food poisoning or colitis or a gastrointestinal tumor.
<b>discombobulated</b>	Having self-possession upset; thrown into confusion. <i>He is looking a little pained and <b>discombobulated</b>.</i>
<b>discomfort</b>	Something that makes a person feel physically uncomfortable. <i>His remarks caused her <b>discomfort</b>.</i>
<b>dismayed</b>	Struck with fear, dread, or consternation.
<b>disorient</b>	Cause someone to lose their sense of direction disorientate. <i>I was <b>disoriented</b> by the dark.</i>
<b>dizziness</b>	A reeling sensation; a feeling that you are about to fall. <i>The medicine can cause <b>dizziness</b> or nausea.</i>
<b>dizzy</b>	Make dizzy or giddy. <i>Had a <b>dizzy</b> spell.</i>
<b>earache</b>	An ache localized in the middle or inner ear. <i>I ve got <b>earache</b>.</i>
<b>epilepsy</b>	A neurological disorder marked by sudden recurrent episodes of sensory disturbance, loss of consciousness, or convulsions, associated with abnormal electrical activity in the brain.
<b>fatigue</b>	Cause (someone) to feel exhausted. <i>Buccinator and orbicularis oris muscles showing signs of <b>fatigue</b>.</i>
<b>frenetic</b>	Fast and energetic in a rather wild and uncontrolled way. <i>A <b>frenetic</b> pace of activity.</i>
<b>giddiness</b>	A reeling sensation; a feeling that you are about to fall. <i>Symptoms include nausea vomiting and <b>giddiness</b>.</i>
<b>groggy</b>	Stunned or confused and slow to react (as from blows or drunkenness or exhaustion). <i>The sleeping pills had left her feeling <b>groggy</b>.</i>
<b>headache</b>	Something or someone that causes anxiety; a source of unhappiness. <i>I ve got a splitting <b>headache</b>.</i>
<b>ill</b>	Suffering from an illness or disease or feeling unwell. <i>He was <b>ill</b> prepared.</i>
<b>migraine</b>	A severe recurring vascular headache; occurs more frequently in women than men. <i>I m getting a <b>migraine</b>.</i>
<b>nausea</b>	Disgust so strong it makes you feel sick. <i>The stories will launch a wave of public <b>nausea</b> and outrage.</i>

<b>numbness</b>	Partial or total lack of sensation in a part of the body; a symptom of nerve damage or dysfunction. <i>Tingling and <b>numbness</b> in the left arm.</i>
<b>pain</b>	Cause mental or physical pain to. <i>Chest <b>pains</b>.</i>
<b>sickness</b>	Defectiveness or unsoundness. <i>A woman suffering an incurable <b>sickness</b>.</i>
<b>stupor</b>	The feeling of distress and disbelief that you have when something bad happens accidentally. <i>Someone stole his wallet while he was in a drunken <b>stupor</b>.</i>
<b>syncope</b>	The loss of sounds from within a word (as in `fo`c`sle` for `forecastle.
<b>toothache</b>	Pain in a tooth or teeth. <i>He has a <b>toothache</b>.</i>
<b>vomiting</b>	The reflex act of ejecting the contents of the stomach through the mouth.

