

Need another word that means the same as “virile”? Find 6 synonyms and 30 related words for “virile” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Virile” are: male, manful, manlike, manly, potent, masculine**

## Virile as an Adjective

### Definitions of "Virile" as an adjective

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

- *Characterized by energy and vigor.*
- *Capable of copulation.*
- *Characteristic of a man.*
- *Having strength, energy, and a strong sex drive (typically used of a man).*
- *(of a male) capable of copulation.*
- *Having or characterized by strength and energy.*



## Synonyms of "Virile" as an adjective (6 Words)

<b>male</b>	Of a fitting or part of machinery manufactured to fit inside a corresponding female part. <i>The participants are mostly <b>male</b>.</i>
<b>manful</b>	Brave and resolute, especially in a difficult situation. <i>A <b>manful</b> attempt to smile.</i>
<b>manlike</b>	Resembling human beings. <i>Women should not be compelled to be <b>manlike</b>.</i>
<b><u>manly</u></b>	Characteristic of a man. <i>A <b>manly</b> torso of perfect proportions.</i>
<b><u>masculine</u></b>	Associated with men and not with women. <i>A <b>masculine</b> cadence.</i>
<b>potent</b>	(of a male) capable of copulation. <i><b>Potent</b> liquor.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Virile" as an adjective

- *A virile and ever stronger free society.*
- *A strong, virile performance of the Mass.*
- *He was a powerful, virile man.*
- *A new and virile leadership.*

## Associations of "Virile" (30 Words)

<b>bold</b>	A bold typeface or letter. <i>A coat with <b>bold</b> polka dots.</i>
<b>boyish</b>	Of, like, or characteristic of a male child or young man. <i>His <b>boyish</b> charm.</i>
<b><u>brave</u></b>	People who are brave. <i>He put up a <b>brave</b> fight before losing.</i>

<b>courage</b>	A quality of spirit that enables you to face danger or pain without showing fear. <i>She called on all her <b>courage</b> to face the ordeal.</i>
<b>gamete</b>	A mature haploid male or female germ cell which is able to unite with another of the opposite sex in sexual reproduction to form a zygote.
<b>genital</b>	(in Freudian theory) relating to or denoting the final stage of psychosexual development reached in adulthood. <i><b>Genital</b> herpes.</i>
<b>impotence</b>	An inability (usually of the male animal) to copulate. <i>People speak constantly of their social and political <b>impotence</b>.</i>
<b>laddie</b>	A boy or young man (often as a form of address). <i>He s just a wee <b>laddie</b>.</i>
<b>libido</b>	The energy of the sexual drive as a component of the life instinct. <i>Loss of <b>libido</b>.</i>
<b>macho</b>	Machismo. <i>The big <b>macho</b> tough guy.</i>
<b>male</b>	An animal that produces gametes spermatozoa that can fertilize female gametes ova. <i>The <b>males</b> have brilliant sky blue wings.</i>
<b>manlike</b>	(of a woman) having an appearance or qualities associated with men. <i>A <b>manlike</b> creature.</i>
<b>manliness</b>	The traditional male quality of being brave and strong. <i>The author s alleged lack of <b>manliness</b>.</i>
<b>manly</b>	Possessing qualities befitting a man. <i><b>Manly</b> sports.</i>
<b>masculine</b>	A masculine word or form. <i>The dance presents the world of the <b>masculine</b> its raw energy.</i>
<b>mighty</b>	(of an action) performed with or requiring great strength. <i>The baby is <b>mighty</b> cute.</i>
<b>muscular</b>	Having a robust muscular body build characterized by predominance of structures bone and muscle and connective tissue developed from the embryonic mesodermal layer. <i>A <b>muscular</b> boxer.</i>
<b>musculature</b>	The system or arrangement of muscles in a body, part of the body, or an organ. <i>The shape and <b>musculature</b> of a dolphin.</i>
<b>potent</b>	Having a strong physiological or chemical effect. <i><b>Potent</b> liquor.</i>

<b>powerful</b>	Possessing physical strength and weight rugged and powerful. <i>The horse s <b>powerful</b> kick.</i>
<b>puissant</b>	Having great power or influence. <i>He would become a <b>puissant</b> man.</i>
<b>robust</b>	Strong enough to withstand or overcome intellectual challenges or adversity. <i>A <b>robust</b> tale.</i>
<u><b>sinewy</b></u>	(of meat) full of sinews; especially impossible to chew. <i>A short <b>sinewy</b> sunburnt man.</i>
<u><b>sir</b></u>	Term of address for a man. <i>Excuse me <b>sir</b>.</i>
<b>strong</b>	Relating to or denoting the strongest of the known kinds of force between particles which acts between nucleons and other hadrons when closer than about 10 cm so binding protons in a nucleus despite the repulsion due to their charge and which conserves strangeness parity and isospin. <i>He was not a <b>strong</b> swimmer.</i>
<b>testosterone</b>	A potent androgenic hormone produced chiefly by the testes; responsible for the development of male secondary sex characteristics.
<u><b>tough</b></u>	Physically toughened. <i>The <b>tough</b> bottoms of his feet.</i>
<b>tycoon</b>	A wealthy, powerful person in business or industry. <i>A newspaper <b>tycoon</b>.</i>
<u><b>vigorous</b></u>	Characterized by or involving physical strength, effort, or energy. <i>A <b>vigorous</b> denial.</i>
<u><b>virility</b></u>	(in a man) the quality of having strength, energy, and a strong sex drive; manliness. <i>Great importance is placed on a man s <b>virility</b>.</i>