

emotive[i'məʊtɪv] *a*

1. волнующий, возбуждающий, вызывающий эмоции
2. эмоциональный
3. выражающий чувства
the emotive power of words - способность слов выражать чувства
4. *лингв.* **ЭМОТИВНЫЙ, аффективный**
emotive meaning - эмотивное значение
emotive prose - эмотивная проза

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

emo·tive *BrE* [i'məʊtɪv] ^u *NAmE* [i'moʊtɪv] ^u **adjective**

causing people to feel strong emotions

Syn: ↑emotional

- **emotive language /words**
- Capital punishment is a highly **emotive issue** .

Word Origin:[**emotive**] mid 18th cent.: from Latin **emot-** 'moved', from the verb **emovere**, from **e-** (variant of **ex-**) 'out' + **movere** 'move' .Example Bank:

- Capital punishment is a highly emotive issue.
- Try to keep your report factual and avoid using emotive language.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

e[m]o[t]ive /ɪ'məʊtɪv \$ ɪ'moʊ-/ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u **adjective**[**Word Family:** **noun:** ↑emotion, ↑emotionalism; **adverb:** ↑emotionally, ↑emotively; **adjective:** ↑emotional ≠ ↑unemotional, ↑emotive; **verb:** ↑emote]making people have strong feelings **SYN** emotional**emotive issue/subject/word etc**

" Child abuse is an emotive subject.

—**emotively** *adverb*

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THESAURUS■ **causing strong feelings**

- **emotional** causing people to have strong feelings – used especially about experiences, speeches, or subjects that people have strong feelings about: Returning home after a year in hospital was an emotional experience for Katy. | He gave an emotional speech at the funeral. | It was a very emotional moment. | Abortion rights is a highly emotional issue.
- **emotive** used about issues or language that make people have strong feelings: Fox hunting is a very emotive issue in Britain. | 'Indoctrination' is rather an emotive word.
- **moving** making you feel strong feelings of sadness or sympathy: Kelly's book about her illness is deeply moving. | a moving film
- **touching** making you feel slightly emotional – used especially when someone does something that shows how much they care about another person: Your loyalty is very touching. | My son phoned me to wish me good luck, which was a touching gesture.
- **poignant** making you feel strong feelings of sadness or pity, especially when you remember something in the past: Her youthful expression is a poignant reminder of the passing of time.
- **sentimental** (*also* **schmaltzy**) *informal* dealing with emotions such as love and sadness in a way that seems silly: He found the film too sentimental. | a schmaltzy comedy

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