



# Fortified

(adjective)

- provided with defensive works as protection against attack.

**ETYMOLOGY:** late Middle English: from French *fortifier*, from late Latin *fortificare*, from Latin *fortis* 'strong'.



## Synonyms:

- Strengthen
- Secure
- Bolster

Sentences containing the word 'fortified' in different forms:

- The castle was fortified with a large stone wall and moat.
- The cereals were fortified with vitamins and iron.
- His home was fortified to protect from invasion.



French translation:  
Fortifié (M)/fortifiée (F).

## Antonyms

- Weaken
- Dilute
- Loosen