

# tearing

 (*tear-ing*)

## Definition

v. separate or cause to separate abruptly; n. shedding tears; adj. marked by extreme intensity of emotions or convictions

## Example Sentence

He is **tearing** the paper. OR He is **tearing** up at the sad news.

## Synonyms

rip; cut; snap; bust

## Antonyms

taping; gluing

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