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adj.

1.

a. Capable of being molded; plastic.

b. Formed of a moldable substance, such as clay or earth.

2. Of or relating to earthenware or pottery.

[Latin *fictilis*, made of clay, from *fictus*, past participle of *ingere*, to mold; see **dheigh-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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