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Is Air Fluid?

Q:

Is air a fluid?

A:

Yes! A fluid is any substance that flows. Air is made of stuff, air particles, that are loosely held together in a gas form. Although liquids are the most commonly recognized fluids, gases are also fluids. Since air is a gas, it flows and takes the form of its container.