fabulous Apresyan (En-Ru)

['fæbjvləs] a

1. 1) вымышленный, легендарный, мифический; басенный

fabulous beasts - сказочные животные fabulous description - вымышленное описание

2) эмоц.-усил. потрясающий, поразительный, невероятный

fabulous wealth - сказочное богатство at a fabulous price - по баснословной цене

a house of fabulous size - дом невероятных размеров

2. выдумывающий небылицы

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

fabu·lous BrE ['fæbjələs] * NAmE ['fæbjələs] * adjective

- 1. (informal) extremely good
 - · a fabulous performance
- · Jana is a fabulous cook.
- · The food looks fabulous.
- 2. (formal) very great
- fabulous wealth /riches/beauty
- 3. only before noun (literary) appearing in fables
 - · fabulous beasts

Word Origin:

[fabulous] late Middle English (in the sense 'known through fable'): from French fabuleux or Latin fabulosus 'celebrated in fable', from fabula 'story', from fari 'speak'.

Example Bank:

- · I want an outfit that'll make me look fabulous.
- · Jane's a fabulous cook.
- They put on a fabulous performance.

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[Date: 1400-1500; Language: Latin; Origin: fabulosus, from fabula; ⇒ ↑fable]

- 1. extremely good or impressive SYN wonderful:
 - You look fabulous!
 - a fabulous meal
 - The room has fabulous views across the lake.
- 2. [only before noun] very large in amount or size SYN huge:
 - the Duke's fabulous wealth
- **3**. [only before noun] fabulous creatures, places etc are mentioned in traditional stories, but do not really exist ⇒ **fable**

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