

Need another word that means the same as “conflagration”? Find 6 synonyms and 30 related words for “conflagration” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Conflagration” are: inferno, fire, blaze, flames, firestorm, holocaust**

## **Conflagration as a Noun**

### **Definitions of "Conflagration" as a noun**

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “conflagration” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *A very intense and uncontrolled fire.*
- *An extensive fire which destroys a great deal of land or property.*



## Synonyms of "Conflagration" as a noun (6 Words)

- blaze** Noisy and unrestrained mischief.  
*Their relationship broke up in a **blaze** of publicity.*
- fire** A fireplace in which a relatively small fire is burning.  
*The whisky lit a **fire** in the back of his throat.*
- firestorm** A storm in which violent winds are drawn into the column of hot air rising over a severely bombed area.  
*The incident ignited a **firestorm** of controversy.*
- flames** The process of combustion of inflammable materials producing heat and light and (often) smoke.
- holocaust** A Jewish sacrificial offering that was burned completely on an altar.  
*A nuclear **holocaust**.*

**inferno**

A very intense and uncontrolled fire.  
The ***inferno*** of the *Friday evening rush hour*.





## Usage Examples of "Conflagration" as a noun

- *Tinder-dry conditions sparked fears of a conflagration in many drought-devastated communities.*



## Associations of "Conflagration" (30 Words)

### **ablaze**

Very brightly coloured or lighted.  
*Streets **ablaze** with lighted Christmas trees.*

### **afire**

Lighted up by or as by fire or flame.  
*The whole mill was **afire**.*

### **aflame**

Keenly excited (especially sexually) or indicating excitement- Bram Stoker.  
*Pour brandy over the steaks and then set **aflame**.*

### **alight**

Lighted up by or as by fire or flame.  
*Visitors should **alight** at the Fort Road stop.*



<b><u>bask</u></b>	Lie exposed to warmth and light, typically from the sun, for relaxation and pleasure. <i>He went on <b>basking</b> in the glory of his first book.</i>
<b>blaze</b>	Indicate by marking trees with blazes. <i>The sun <b>blazed</b> down.</i>
<b>calamitous</b>	(of events) having extremely unfortunate or dire consequences; bringing ruin. <i>Such <b>calamitous</b> events as fires hurricanes and floods.</i>
<b><u>caustic</u></b>	A caustic surface or curve. <i><b>Caustic</b> jokes about political assassination talk show hosts and medical ethics.</i>
<b>crushing</b>	Physically or spiritually devastating; often used in combination. <i>A <b>crushing</b> blow.</i>
<b><u>demon</u></b>	A cruel, evil, or unmanageable person. <i>He worked like a <b>demon</b> to finish the job on time.</i>
<b><u>destructive</u></b>	Causing great and irreparable damage. <i>The <b>destructive</b> power of weapons.</i>
<b>devastate</b>	Cause extensive destruction or ruin utterly. <i>She was <b>devastated</b> by the loss of Damian.</i>
<b>douse</b>	Cover with liquid; pour liquid onto. <i>Stewards appeared and the fire was <b>doused</b>.</i>
<b>extinguish</b>	Extinguish by crushing. <i>A look which would have <b>extinguished</b> any man.</i>
<b>firefighter</b>	A member of a fire department who tries to extinguish fires.
<b><u>flame</u></b>	Shine or glow like a flame. <i>Your opinions and mine are probably different but please don't <b>flame</b> me.</i>
<b>flaming</b>	Informal intensifiers. <i>Her <b>flaming</b> hair.</i>
<b><u>flare</u></b>	Become flared and widen usually at one end. <i>Every star seemed to <b>flare</b> with new intensity.</i>
<b>incandescence</b>	The phenomenon of light emission by a body as its temperature is raised.
<b><u>inferno</u></b>	(Christianity) the abode of Satan and the forces of evil; where sinners suffer eternal punishment. <i>The <b>inferno</b> of the engine room.</i>
<b>perdition</b>	The abode of Satan and the forces of evil; where sinners suffer eternal punishment- John Milton. <i>Hurl'd headlong To bottomless <b>perdition</b> there to dwell.</i>

<b><u>pit</u></b>	A person's armpit. <i>They dug a <b>pit</b> to bury the body.</i>
<b><u>purgatory</u></b>	(in Catholic doctrine) a place or state of suffering inhabited by the souls of sinners who are expiating their sins before going to heaven. <i>Infernal punishments are <b>purgatory</b> and medicinal.</i>
<b>pyrotechnic</b>	Of or relating to the craft of making fireworks. <i><b>Pyrotechnic</b> keyboard virtuosity.</i>
<b>rekindle</b>	Relight (a fire). <i><b>Rekindle</b> her love.</i>
<b>ruinous</b>	In ruins; dilapidated. <i>A <b>ruinous</b> effect on the environment.</i>
<b>smoulder</b>	Smoke coming from a smouldering fire. <i>The controversy <b>smouldered</b> on for several years.</i>
<b>tinder</b>	Material for starting a fire. <i>He lit it with a <b>tinder</b>.</i>
<b>underworld</b>	The world of criminals or of organized crime. <i>A man reputed to be a godfather of the Glasgow <b>underworld</b>.</i>

