

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

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The synonyms of “Distill” are: make pure, purify, sublimate, distil, extract, condense

Distill as a Verb

Definitions of "Distill" as a verb

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

- *Undergo condensation; change from a gaseous to a liquid state and fall in drops.*
- *Remove impurities from, increase the concentration of, and separate through the process of distillation.*
- *Undergo the process of distillation.*
- *Extract by the process of distillation.*
- *Give off (a liquid).*



Synonyms of "Distill" as a verb (6 Words)

- condense** Express (written or spoken material) in fewer words; make concise.
*Water **condenses**.*
- distil** Extract by the process of distillation.
*She drew back from the dank breath that **distilled** out of the earth.*
- extract** Extract by the process of distillation.
*There are few attempts to **extract** generalities about the nature of the disciplines.*
- make pure** Make, formulate, or derive in the mind.
- purify** Remove contaminants from.
***Purify** the water.*

sublimate Vaporize and then condense right back again.
*Libido must be **sublimated** into productive work activities.*



Usage Examples of "Distill" as a verb

- *Distill the essence of this compound.*
- *The acid distills at a specific temperature.*
- *The doctor distilled a few drops of disinfectant onto the wound.*



Associations of "Distill" (30 Words)

anoint	Smear or rub with oil, typically as part of a religious ceremony. <i>High priests were anointed with oil.</i>
bathe	Clean one's body by immersion into water. <i>She was advised to bathe or shower daily.</i>
carbon	Carbon fibre. <i>The level of carbon in the atmosphere has been consistently rising.</i>
cleanse	(in biblical translations) cure (a leper). <i>Only God Himself can cleanse us.</i>
coke	Become coke. <i>Petroleum oils coke after distillation.</i>
distillation	The action of purifying a liquid by a process of heating and cooling. <i>The film is a distillation of personal experiences.</i>

extraction	The process of obtaining something from a mixture or compound by chemical or physical or mechanical means. <i>The dentist gave her a local anesthetic prior to the extraction.</i>
gas	Kill or harm by exposure to gas. <i>Gas was one of the most dreaded weapons of the war.</i>
gasoline	A volatile flammable mixture of hydrocarbons (hexane and heptane and octane etc.) derived from petroleum; used mainly as a fuel in internal-combustion engines.
kerosene	A light fuel oil obtained by distilling petroleum, used especially in jet engines and domestic heating boilers; paraffin oil.
lamp	Hunt at night using lamps especially for rabbits. <i>Inspectors can lamp the lines between the manholes for routine maintenance observations.</i>
lantern	The light chamber at the top of a lighthouse. <i>The building is well lit by the ring of windows in the octagonal lantern.</i>
lubricant	Lubricating. <i>The pipe ends had been smeared with lubricant.</i>
lubricate	Have lubricating properties. <i>The liquid in this can lubricates well.</i>
lubrication	An application of a lubricant to something. <i>People sitting putting the world to rights after more than sufficient lubrication.</i>
naphtha	A flammable oil containing various hydrocarbons, obtained by the dry distillation of organic substances such as coal, shale, or petroleum.
oil	Administer an oil or ointment to often in a religious ceremony of blessing. <i>Attempts should not be made to oil individual tanks too rapidly.</i>
petrochemical	Relating to petrochemistry. <i>A huge petrochemical works producing plastics.</i>
petrol	A volatile flammable mixture of hydrocarbons hexane and heptane and octane etc derived from petroleum used mainly as a fuel in internal combustion engines. <i>Petrol fumes.</i>
petroleum	A dark oil consisting mainly of hydrocarbons.
purge	A laxative. <i>In this plant was a milky substance which was a drastic purge.</i>
purify	Extract something from. <i>They set out to purify art by reviving the spirit and style of early religious painting.</i>

rarefy	Make more subtle or refined. <i>As the shell continues to expand and rarefy astronomers may eventually be able to see characteristic gamma rays from the radioactivity within.</i>
<u>refine</u>	Improve or perfect by pruning or polishing. <i>Sugar was refined by boiling it in huge iron vats.</i>
refinery	An industrial installation where a substance is refined. <i>An oil refinery.</i>
reserves	Civilians trained as soldiers but not part of the regular army.
<u>sanctify</u>	Make pure or free from sin or guilt. <i>A small shrine was built to sanctify the site.</i>
<u>solvent</u>	Capable of meeting financial obligations. <i>An unrivalled solvent of social prejudices.</i>
specie	Coins collectively. <i>The Bank of England in 1795 had held around 8 million in specie.</i>
wax	Cover with wax. <i>Wax the car.</i>

