

Need another word that means the same as “inferno”? Find 12 synonyms and 30 related words for “inferno” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Inferno” are: hell, infernal region, perdition, pit, conflagration, hell on earth, hellhole, snake pit, the pits, blaze, holocaust, firestorm**

## Inferno as a Noun

### Definitions of "Inferno" as a noun

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

- *A large fire that is dangerously out of control.*
- *Hell (with reference to Dante's Divine Comedy).*
- *A very intense and uncontrolled fire.*
- *Any place of pain and turmoil.*
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- *(Christianity) the abode of Satan and the forces of evil; where sinners suffer eternal punishment.*
- *A place or situation that is too hot, chaotic, or noisy.*
- *The abode of Satan and the forces of evil; where sinners suffer eternal punishment- John Milton.*



## Synonyms of "Inferno" as a noun (12 Words)

- blaze** A strong flame that burns brightly.  
*White ended the season in a **blaze** of glory with seven goals in as many games.*
- conflagration** A very intense and uncontrolled fire.  
*Tinder dry conditions sparked fears of a **conflagration** in many drought devastated communities.*
- firestorm** A very intense and destructive fire (typically one caused by bombing) in which strong currents of air are drawn into the blaze from the surrounding area making it burn more fiercely.  
*The incident triggered a political **firestorm**.*
- hell on earth** The abode of Satan and the forces of evil; where sinners suffer eternal punishment- John Milton.

- hellhole** Any place of pain and turmoil.  
*The floors of these little **hellholes** are awash with stinking chemical waste.*
- holocaust** An act of mass destruction and loss of life (especially in war or by fire).  
*A nuclear **holocaust**.*
- infernial region** An inhabitant of Hell.  
(in Christian theology) a state of eternal punishment and damnation into which a sinful and unrepentant person passes after death.  
*She used her last banknote to buy herself a square meal before **perdition**.*
- perdition**
- pit** An orchestra pit.  
*A demon from the depths of the **pit**.*
- snake pit** Limbless scaly elongate reptile; some are venomous.
- the pits** A workplace consisting of a coal mine plus all the buildings and equipment connected with it.



## Usage Examples of "Inferno" as a noun

- *The inferno of the Friday evening rush hour.*
- *The inferno of the engine room.*
- *The inferno had swept through the city.*





## Associations of "Inferno" (30 Words)

<b>abyss</b>	A deep or seemingly bottomless chasm. <i>The <b>abyss</b> between the two nations.</i>
<b>breach</b>	A gap in a wall, barrier, or defence, especially one made by an attacking army. <i>A <b>breach</b> in the mountain wall.</i>
<b>cavity</b>	A sizeable hole (usually in the ground). <i>The abdominal <b>cavity</b>.</i>
<b>chthonic</b>	Dwelling beneath the surface of the earth. <i>A <b>chthonic</b> deity.</i>
<b>conflagration</b>	A very intense and uncontrolled fire. <i>Tinder dry conditions sparked fears of a <b>conflagration</b> in many drought devastated communities.</i>
<b>dark</b>	Used of color having a dark hue. <i>I ll be home before <b>dark</b>.</i>
<b>decayed</b>	Having rotted or decomposed. <i>A <b>decayed</b> foundation.</i>
<b>delve</b>	Reach inside a receptacle and search for something. <i>The approach from the surface above had awed her so hugely <b>delved</b> were the tunnels.</i>
<b>demon</b>	A cruel wicked and inhuman person. <i>His eyes are bursting with pure <b>demon</b>.</i>
<b>die</b>	Cut or shape with a die. <i>Three toasters have <b>died</b> on me.</i>
<b>dint</b>	A dent or hollow in a surface. <i>The soft <b>dints</b> at the top of a coconut.</i>
<b>dug</b>	An udder or breast or teat.
<b>everlasting</b>	Lasting forever or a very long time. <i>The damned would suffer <b>everlasting</b> torment.</i>
<b>heaven</b>	Used in various exclamations as a substitute for 'God'. <i>Galileo used a telescope to observe the <b>heavens</b>.</i>
<b>infernal</b>	Irritating and tiresome (used for emphasis). <i>You re an <b>infernal</b> nuisance.</i>
<b>leaky</b>	Permitting the unwanted passage of fluids or gases. <i>A <b>leaky</b> roof.</i>

<b>nick</b>	Cut a nick into. <i>He was being fingerprinted in the <b>nick</b>.</i>
<b>peephole</b>	A hole (in a door or an oven etc) through which you can peep. <i>She peered through the security <b>peephole</b> in the solid oak door.</i>
<b>perdition</b>	(in Christian theology) a state of eternal punishment and damnation into which a sinful and unrepentant person passes after death. <i>Hurl'd headlong To bottomless <b>perdition</b> there to dwell.</i>
<b>permeable</b>	Allowing fluids or gases to pass or diffuse through. <i>A frog's skin is <b>permeable</b> to water.</i>
<b><u>pit</u></b>	Remove the pits from. <i>The recent protests over planned <b>pit</b> closures.</i>
<b><u>prison</u></b>	Imprison. <i>He died in <b>prison</b>.</i>
<b><u>purgatory</u></b>	A temporary condition of torment or suffering. <i>This was <b>purgatory</b> worse than anything she'd faced in her life.</i>
<b><u>quarry</u></b>	Extract something such as stones from or as if from a quarry. <i><b>Quarry</b> marble.</i>
<b>sick</b>	People who are sick. <i>Gossip that makes one <b>sick</b>.</i>
<b><u>sin</u></b>	Commit a sin. <i>Lord we have <b>sinned</b> against you.</i>
<b>stygian</b>	Dark and dismal as of the rivers Acheron and Styx in Hades.
<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>
<b><u>unearth</u></b>	Discover (something hidden, lost, or kept secret) by investigation or searching. <i>The CIA <b>unearthed</b> a plot to kill the President.</i>



