

Need another word that means the same as "proliferation"? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for "proliferation" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Proliferation" are: increase, expansion, augmentation, multiplication, enlargement, amplification, mushrooming, snowballing, rise, escalation, rapid increase, growth, spread, buildout

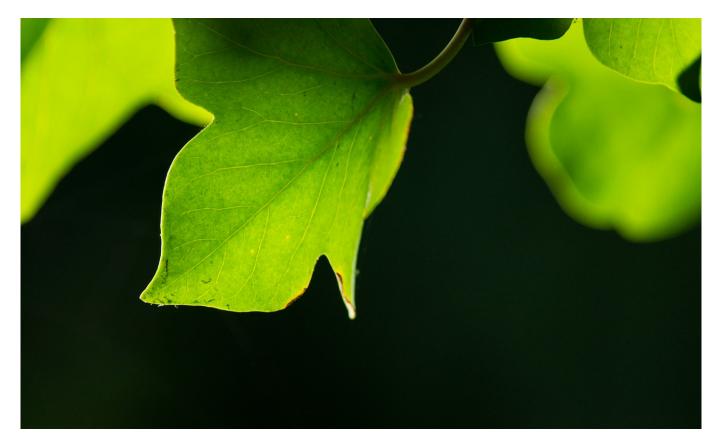
## **Proliferation as a Noun**

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

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "proliferation" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A rapid increase in number (especially a rapid increase in the number of deadly weapons.
- Rapid reproduction of a cell, part, or organism.
- Growth by the rapid multiplication of parts.
- Rapid increase in the number or amount of something.
- A large number of something.





# Synonyms of "Proliferation" as a noun (14 Words)

amplification	The amount of increase in signal power or voltage or current expressed as the ratio of output to input. <i>The words no real prospect of succeeding do not need any amplification.</i>
augmentation	The action or process of making or becoming greater in size or amount. The <b>augmentation</b> of the curriculum with new subjects.
buildout	The growth, development, or expansion of something. <i>The rapid</i> <b>buildout</b> of digital technology.
enlargement	The state of being enlarged. Talks on the <b>enlargement</b> of the EU.
escalation	A rapid increase; a rise. An <b>escalation</b> of violence.
expansion	Adding information or detail. A small <b>expansion</b> of industry.
growth	The process of increasing in amount, value, or importance. All <b>growth</b> s within the legally delimited Champagne zone are classified.



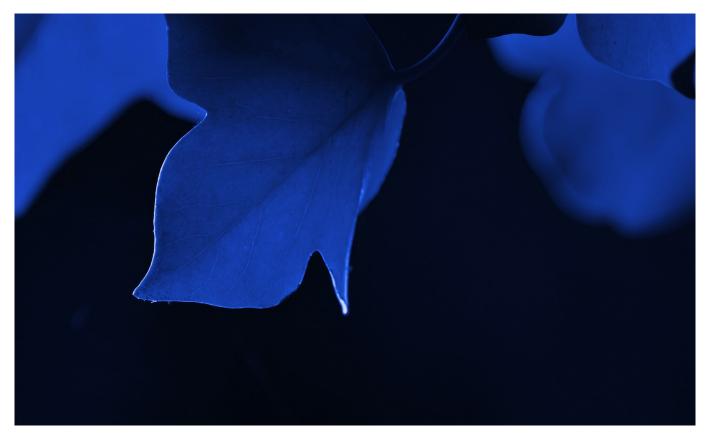
increase	The amount by which something increases. They proposed an <b>increase</b> of 15 percent in the fare.
multiplication	The process or skill of multiplying. <i>Repeated copying leads to a <b>multiplication</b> of errors.</i>
mushrooming	Fleshy body of any of numerous edible fungi. Our main concern is the <b>mushrooming</b> of unregulated hand car wash businesses.
rapid increase A part of a river where the current is very fast.	
rise	The property possessed by a slope or surface that rises. I gained the crest of a <b>rise</b> and saw the plain stretched out before me.
spread	A bedspread. The <b>spread</b> between lending and borrowing costs.





### Usage Examples of "Proliferation" as a noun

- Stress levels are high, forcing upon them a proliferation of ailments.
- A continuing threat of nuclear proliferation.
- The proliferation of nuclear weapons.
- We attempted to measure cell proliferation.



## Associations of "Proliferation" (30 Words)

<u>asunder</u>	Widely separated especially in space. <i>Torn <b>asunder</b></i> .
broad	Broad in scope or content T G Winner. A <b>broad</b> political stance.
<u>diffuse</u>	Spread or diffuse through. The second argument is more <b>diffuse</b> .
<u>diffusion</u>	The intermingling of substances by the natural movement of their particles. The rapid <b>diffusion</b> of ideas and technology.



<u>dispel</u>	Make (a doubt, feeling, or belief) disappear. <b>Dispel</b> doubts.
dispersal	The act of dispersing or diffusing something. Colleges had made large <b>dispersal</b> s and the shops were filled with books.
disperse	Denoting a phase dispersed in another phase as in a colloid. Winds <b>disperse</b> d the radioactive cloud high in the atmosphere.
dispersed	Distributed or spread over a considerable extent. Has ties with many widely <b>dispersed</b> friends.
<u>dispersion</u>	Spreading widely or driving off. The study looks at the <b>dispersion</b> of earnings with OECD member countries.
<u>disseminate</u>	Spread (something, especially information) widely. There is a subset of these low grade tumours that can <b>disseminate</b> and migrate.
dissemination	The opening of a subject to widespread discussion and debate. The <b>dissemination</b> of public information.
dissipate	Move away from each other. <i>The cloud of smoke dissipated.</i>
distribution	The commercial activity of transporting and selling goods from a producer to a consumer. Strength has two ingredients high cards and <b>distribution</b> .
diversify	Vary in order to spread risk or to expand. New plants will <b>diversify</b> the habitat.
effluence	The process of flowing out.
expand	Expand the influence of. Their business <b>expand</b> ed into other hotels.
exponentially	(with reference to an increase) more and more rapidly. Values distributed <b>exponentially</b> according to a given time constant.
imbue	Fill soak or imbue totally. His works are invariably <b>imbue</b> d with a sense of calm and serenity.
intersperse	Scatter among or between other things; place here and there. The debate was <b>intersperse</b> d with angry exchanges.
<u>peak</u>	Reach a highest point, either of a specified value or at a specified time. The disease <b>peak</b> ed in summer.
pervasiveness	The quality of spreading widely or being present throughout an area or a group of people. The <b>pervasiveness</b> of the odor of cabbage in tenement hallways.



proliferate	Increase rapidly in number; multiply. Pizza parlors <b>proliferate</b> in this area.
<u>scatter</u>	The act of scattering. He charged across the foyer <b>scatter</b> ing people.
scattered	Occurring or found at intervals or various locations rather than all together. <i>The forecast is for <b>scattered</b> showers.</i>
<u>spray</u>	Cover by spraying with a liquid. <i>Spray</i> water on someone.
spread	Become distributed or widespread. The violence <b>spread</b> from the city centre to the suburbs.
spreading	Act of extending over a wider scope or expanse of space or time.
<u>sprinkle</u>	Rain gently. The rain grew from a mere <b>sprinkle</b> to a respectable drizzle.
strew	Cover (a surface or area) with untidily scattered things. <i>Dead bodies <b>strew</b>ed the ground.</i>
suffuse	Cause to spread or flush or flood through, over, or across. His whole frame <b>suffuse</b> d with a cold dew.



