

Need another word that means the same as “reservoir”? Find 19 synonyms and 30 related words for “reservoir” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Reservoir” are: man-made lake, source, pool, lake, pond, stock, store, stockpile, reserve, reserves, supply, accumulation, bank, fund, receptacle, container, holder, repository, tank

Reservoir as a Noun

Definitions of "Reservoir" as a noun

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

- *Lake used to store water for community use.*
- *A population, tissue, etc. which is chronically infested with the causative agent of a disease and can act as a source of further infection.*
- *A large natural or artificial lake used as a source of water supply.*
- *A supply or source of something.*
- *A receptacle or part of a machine designed to hold fluid.*
- *Anything (a person or animal or plant or substance) in which an infectious agent normally lives and multiplies.*
- *Tank used for collecting and storing a liquid (as water or oil).*
- *A place where fluid collects, especially in rock strata or in the body.*
- *A large or extra supply of something.*



Synonyms of "Reservoir" as a noun (19 Words)

<u>accumulation</u>	(finance) profits that are not paid out as dividends but are added to the capital base of the corporation. <i>The accumulation of wealth.</i>
bank	A building in which the business of banking transacted. <i>The early ships had only twenty five oars in each bank.</i>
<u>container</u>	An object for holding or transporting something. <i>More containers can run on a server than traditional virtual machines.</i>
fund	A financial institution that sells shares to individuals and invests in securities issued by other companies. <i>He had set up a fund to coordinate economic investment.</i>
holder	A smallholder. <i>The FA Cup holders.</i>
lake	Any of numerous bright translucent organic pigments. <i>The fish was served in a lake of spicy sauce.</i>

man-made lake	A purplish red pigment prepared from lac or cochineal.
pond	The Atlantic Ocean. <i>He s relatively unknown on this side of the pond.</i>
pool	A swimming pool. <i>A pool of blood.</i>
receptacle	An electrical socket. <i>Fast food receptacles.</i>
repository	A burial vault (usually for some famous person). <i>A deep repository for nuclear waste.</i>
reserve	A district that is reserved for particular purpose. <i>She smiled and some of her natural reserve melted.</i>
reserves	Civilians trained as soldiers but not part of the regular army.
source	Anything that provides inspiration for later work. <i>The reporter had two sources for the story.</i>
stock	Farm animals such as cattle pigs and sheep bred and kept for their meat or milk livestock. <i>The vineyards were ploughed up and replanted using different vine stock.</i>
stockpile	A storage pile accumulated for future use. <i>A stockpile of nuclear weapons.</i>
store	A mercantile establishment for the retail sale of goods or services. <i>He keeps the ship s stores.</i>
supply	The activity of supplying or providing something. <i>A supply ship.</i>
tank	As much as a tank will hold. <i>A large class of 0 6 0 tanks.</i>



Usage Examples of "Reservoir" as a noun

- *The more water we use, the more land has to be flooded for reservoirs.*
- *Scotland has always had a fine reservoir of comic talent.*
- *There is a vast reservoir of herpes infection in the community.*
- *A reservoir of talent.*
- *If all three colours overlap then a black dot is printed from the black ink reservoir.*
- *An infectious agent depends on a reservoir for its survival.*
- *Big oil reservoirs are becoming harder to find.*



Associations of "Reservoir" (30 Words)

aqueduct	A conduit that resembles a bridge but carries water over a valley.
conductor	A person who directs the performance of an orchestra or choir. <i>He was appointed principal conductor of the Berlin Symphony Orchestra.</i>
conduit	A tube or trough for protecting electric wiring. <i>The gas pipe should not be close to any electrical conduit.</i>
construction	A group of words that form a constituent of a sentence and are considered as a single unit. <i>Their main business is home construction.</i>
culvert	Channel a stream or drain through a culvert. <i>A culverted drain.</i>
dam	Build a dam across a river or lake. <i>Discussion was in full flow and refused to be dammed.</i>

diesel	A heavy petroleum fraction used as fuel in diesel engines. <i>A diesel locomotive.</i>
<u>ditch</u>	Make or repair ditches. <i>Ditch a lover.</i>
electricity	Keen and shared excitement. <i>The electricity was back on.</i>
embankment	A bank of earth or stone built to carry a road or railway over an area of low ground. <i>A railway embankment.</i>
<u>engine</u>	A fire engine. <i>The roar of a car engine.</i>
<u>exhaust</u>	The system through which exhaust gases are expelled. <i>The country has exhausted its treasury reserves.</i>
floodgate	Something that restrains a flood or outpouring. <i>His lawsuit could open the floodgates for thousands of similar claims.</i>
<u>gate</u>	Supply with a gate. <i>The house was gated.</i>
<u>generator</u>	A person or thing that generates something. <i>He was the generator of several complaints.</i>
<u>heat</u>	The amount of heat that is needed to cause a specific process or is evolved in such a process. <i>Winners of the regional heats.</i>
hydroelectric	Of or relating to or used in the production of electricity by waterpower. <i>Economic and environmental aspect of the hydroelectric scheme.</i>
levee	A ridge of sediment deposited naturally alongside a river by overflowing water.
magnetism	The branch of science that studies magnetism. <i>His personal magnetism attracted men to the brotherhood.</i>
motor	Driven by a motor. <i>Motor energy.</i>
pipe	Play a tune on a pipe or pipes. <i>Outside at the back a curlew piped.</i>
<u>powerhouse</u>	A person or thing of great energy, strength, or power. <i>She appears to be an intellectual powerhouse.</i>
production	The creation of something as part of a physical, biological, or chemical process. <i>The production of white blood cells.</i>

- sluice** Transport in or send down a sluice.
*She **sluiced** her face in cold water.*
- storage** The retention of retrievable data on a computer or other electronic system.
*The room lacked **storage** space.*
- substation** A set of equipment reducing the high voltage of electrical power transmission to that suitable for supply to consumers.
- thermoelectric** Involving or resulting from thermoelectricity.
- transpiration** The emission of water vapor from the leaves of plants.
*Plants lose more than 90 per cent of their water through **transpiration**.*
- turbine** A machine for producing continuous power in which a wheel or rotor, typically fitted with vanes, is made to revolve by a fast-moving flow of water, steam, gas, air, or other fluid.

