

Need another word that means the same as “salvage”? Find 22 synonyms and 30 related words for “salvage” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Salvage” are: scavenge, relieve, salve, save, rescue, recover, retrieve, raise, reclaim, get back, restore, reinstate, retain, preserve, conserve, saving, recovery, raising, reclamation, restoration, salvation**

## Salvage as a Noun

### Definitions of "Salvage" as a noun

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

- *Payment made or due to a person who has saved a ship or its cargo.*
- *The act of rescuing a ship or its crew or its cargo from a shipwreck or a fire.*
- *The cargo saved from a wrecked or sunken ship.*
- *The act of saving goods or property that were in danger of damage or destruction.*
- *The rescue of a wrecked or disabled ship or its cargo from loss at sea.*
- *The rescue of property or material from potential loss or destruction.*
- *Property or goods saved from damage or destruction.*



## Synonyms of "Salvage" as a noun (7 Words)

- raising** The event of something being raised upward.  
*A **raising** of the land resulting from volcanic activity.*
- reclamation** The cultivation of waste land or land formerly under water.  
*The **reclamation** of our shared history.*



<b>recovery</b>	The act of regaining or saving something lost (or in danger of becoming lost). <i>Debt <b>recovery</b>.</i>
<b>rescue</b>	Denoting the emergency excavation of archaeological sites threatened by imminent building or road development. <i>Adopting a <b>rescue</b> cat may be one of the most rewarding things you will ever do.</i>
<b>restoration</b>	The restoration of the Bourbon monarchy in France in 1814 following the fall of Napoleon Louis XVIII was recalled from exile by Talleyrand. <i>The altar paintings seem in need of <b>restoration</b>.</i>
<b>salvation</b>	The act of delivering from sin or saving from evil. <i>The <b>salvation</b> of his party was the president's major concern.</i>
<b>saving</b>	An economy of or reduction in money, time, or another resource. <i>There was a <b>saving</b> of 50 cents.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Salvage" as a noun

- *A salvage operation was under way.*
- *Salvage taken from a ship that had sunk in the river.*
- *Surgery resulted in the salvage of damaged myocardium.*



## Salvage as a Verb

### Definitions of "Salvage" as a verb

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

- *Rescue (a wrecked or disabled ship or its cargo) from loss at sea.*
- *Retrieve or preserve (something) from potential loss or adverse circumstances.*
- *Collect discarded or refused material.*
- *Collect discarded material.*
- *Apprehend and execute (a suspected criminal) without trial.*
- *Save from ruin, destruction, or harm.*





## Synonyms of "Salvage" as a verb (15 Words)

- conserve** Use cautiously and frugally.  
*Energy is **conserved** in this process.*
- get back** Reach a destination; arrive by movement or progress.
- preserve** Prepare (fruit) for long-term storage by boiling it with sugar.  
*We **preserve** these archeological findings.*
- raise** Raise in rank or condition.  
*Melody managed to **raise** him to his feet.*
- reclaim** Tame or civilize (an animal or person).  
*A sufficient weight of plastic could easily be **reclaimed**.*
- recover** Get or find back recover the use of.  
*He **recovered** his balance and sped on.*
- reinstate** Restore (someone or something) to their former position or state.  
*The union threatened strike action if Owen was not **reinstated**.*



- relieve** Relieve oneself of troubling information.  
*The bird's body is black **relieved** only by white under the tail.*
- rescue** Keep from being lost or abandoned; retrieve.  
**Rescue** prisoners.
- restore** Restore by replacing a part or putting together what is torn or broken.  
**Restore** the emperor to the throne.
- retain** Keep (something) in place; hold fixed.  
*The rights of defendants must be **retained**.*
- retrieve** Find or extract (information stored in a computer).  
*Other features include the ability to store update **retrieve** and print your data.*
- salve** Apply salve to.  
*They **salved** my cuts and stopped the bleeding.*
- save** Save from sins.  
*This move will **save** money.*
- scavenge** Remove unwanted substances from.  
*Solid lead deposits of combustion would be **scavenged** from the engine.*



## Usage Examples of "Salvage" as a verb

- *An emerald and gold cross was salvaged from the wreck.*
- *It was the only crumb of comfort he could salvage from the ordeal.*
- *Those who are salvaged simply disappear from their homes or workplaces.*



## Associations of "Salvage" (30 Words)

<b>accrue</b>	(of a benefit or sum of money) be received by someone in regular or increasing amounts over time. <i>Financial benefits will <b>accrue</b> from restructuring.</i>
<b>atonement</b>	Compensation for a wrong. <i>He submitted his resignation as an act of <b>atonement</b>.</i>
<b>barge</b>	Convey freight by barge. <i>We can't just <b>barge</b> into a private garden.</i>

<b>deliver</b>	Bring to a destination make a delivery. <i>The court was due to <b>deliver</b> its verdict.</i>
<b><u>deliverance</u></b>	The action of being rescued or set free. <i>Prayers for <b>deliverance</b>.</i>
<b><u>deposit</u></b>	Matter that has been deposited by some natural process. <i><b>Deposit</b> the suitcase on the bench.</i>
<b>depositor</b>	A person who has deposited money in a bank or similar institution.
<b>drag</b>	The act of dragging pulling with force. <i>He <b>dragged</b> the big suitcase behind him.</i>
<b><u>drown</u></b>	Deliberately kill a person or animal by drowning. <i>I was <b>drowned</b> in work.</i>
<b>economize</b>	Spend sparingly, avoid the waste of. <i>I have to <b>economize</b> where I can.</i>
<b>fireman</b>	Play in which children pretend to put out a fire.
<b>frugal</b>	Avoiding waste. <i>A <b>frugal</b> meal.</i>
<b>galley</b>	A crescent-shaped seagoing vessel propelled by oars.
<b><u>haul</u></b>	The act of drawing or hauling something. <i><b>Haul</b> nets.</i>
<b>lifeboat</b>	A small boat kept on a ship for use in emergency, typically one of a number on deck or suspended from davits.
<b>lifeguard</b>	An attendant employed at a beach or pool to protect swimmers from accidents.
<b>pull</b>	The force used in pulling. <i>I <b>pulled</b> up some onions.</i>
<b>redeem</b>	Pay off (loans or promissory notes). <i>The thief on the cross who by a single act <b>redeemed</b> a life of evil.</i>
<b><u>redemption</u></b>	The act of purchasing back something previously sold. <i>God s plans for the <b>redemption</b> of his world.</i>
<b>repository</b>	A facility where things can be deposited for storage or safekeeping. <i>The metadata will be aggregated in a <b>repository</b>.</i>
<b>rescue</b>	Denoting the emergency excavation of archaeological sites threatened by imminent building or road development. <i>The dramatic <b>rescue</b> of nine trapped coal miners.</i>
<b><u>salvation</u></b>	Saving someone or something from harm or from an unpleasant situation. <i>The <b>salvation</b> of his party was the president s major concern.</i>



<b><u>save</u></b>	Save from sins. <i><b>Save</b> the instructions to a new file.</i>
<b>scrimp</b>	Be thrifty or parsimonious; economize. <i>I have <b>scrumped</b> and saved to give you a good education.</i>
<b>skimp</b>	Work hastily or carelessly; deal with inadequately and superficially. <i>She wore a yellow <b>skimp</b>.</i>
<b><u>sparingly</u></b>	To a meager degree or in a meager manner. <i>The sharply flavoured leaves should be used <b>sparingly</b>.</i>
<b>stinginess</b>	A lack of generosity; a general unwillingness to part with money.
<b><u>survivor</u></b>	One who lives through affliction. <i>The <b>survivors</b> of the fire were taken to a hospital.</i>
<b><u>thrifty</u></b>	Using money and other resources carefully and not wastefully. <i>He had been brought up to be <b>thrifty</b> and careful.</i>
<b>tug</b>	Tow a ship by means of a tugboat. <i>An overwhelming <b>tug</b> of attraction.</i>

