

Need another word that means the same as “stagnation”? Find 2 synonyms and 30 related words for “stagnation” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Stagnation” are: stagnancy, doldrums

Stagnation as a Noun

Definitions of "Stagnation" as a noun

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

- *The state of not flowing or moving.*
- *Lack of activity, growth, or development.*
- *Inactivity of liquids; being stagnant; standing still; without current or circulation.*
- *A state of inactivity (in business or art etc).*



Synonyms of "Stagnation" as a noun (2 Words)

- doldrums** A state or period of stagnation or depression.
*Hurricane Verity had been born in the **doldrums**.*
- stagnancy** A state of inactivity (in business or art etc.)



Usage Examples of "Stagnation" as a noun

- *There is a risk of intellectual stagnation.*
- *Clotting in blood vessels is associated with stagnation of the blood.*
- *Economic growth of less than 1% per year is considered to be economic stagnation.*
- *A period of economic stagnation.*
- *Blocked drains resulting in water stagnation.*



Associations of "Stagnation" (30 Words)

abeyant	Inactive but capable of becoming active.
deflation	The removal of particles of rock, sand, etc. by the wind. <i>A long deflation lasted until about 1896.</i>
deterioration	Process of changing to an inferior state. <i>A deterioration in the condition of the patient.</i>
dilatory	Intended to cause delay. <i>They resorted to dilatory tactics forcing a postponement of peace talks.</i>
doldrums	A state of inactivity (in business or art etc). <i>Hurricane Verity had been born in the doldrums.</i>
dormancy	The state in which a disease causes no symptoms but is not cured and is liable to recur. <i>Various animal models have been used to study the dormancy of tuberculosis in humans.</i>

<u>dormant</u>	Lying with head on paws as if sleeping. <i>Her feelings of affection are dormant but easily awakened.</i>
economy	A particular system or stage of an economy. <i>The Scots are famous for their economy.</i>
idleness	A state of inaction; inactivity. <i>He was punished for his idleness at school.</i>
<u>inaction</u>	Lack of action where some is expected or appropriate. <i>Future generations will condemn us for inaction.</i>
inactive	Lacking in energy or will- George Meredith. <i>Inactive Crohn s disease.</i>
inactivity	A disposition to remain inactive or inert. <i>People are frustrated with government inactivity.</i>
<u>inert</u>	Lacking the ability or strength to move. <i>She was fat and inert.</i>
latent	(of a microorganism, especially a virus) present in the body without causing disease, but capable of doing so at a later stage, or when transmitted to another body. <i>They have a huge reserve of latent talent.</i>
<u>lazy</u>	Moving slowly and gently. <i>Too lazy to wash the dishes.</i>
<u>lifeless</u>	Deprived of life; no longer living. <i>After the dance the littered and lifeless ballroom echoed hollowly.</i>
lull	Calm or send to sleep, typically with soothing sounds or movements. <i>For two days there had been a lull in the fighting.</i>
<u>motionless</u>	Not moving; stationary. <i>An eagle hung almost motionless close to the ground.</i>
passivity	The state of inactivity of a metal made unreactive by a thin inert surface layer of oxide. <i>The perceived passivity of the populace is deceptive.</i>
quiescence	A state of quiet (but possibly temporary) inaction. <i>This method has been shown to induce sleep like quiescence in adult animals.</i>
quiescent	In a state or period of inactivity or dormancy. <i>The quiescent level of centimeter wave length solar radiation.</i>
<u>recession</u>	The action of receding; motion away from an observer. <i>Measures to pull the economy out of recession.</i>

<u>retired</u>	No longer active in your work or profession. <i>A retired headmaster.</i>
<u>sedentary</u>	Inhabiting the same locality throughout life; not migratory or nomadic. <i>Forced by illness to lead a sedentary life.</i>
sluggish	Not active or brisk. <i>Alex woke late feeling tired and sluggish.</i>
<u>stagnant</u>	(of a body of water or the atmosphere of a confined space) having no current or flow and often having an unpleasant smell as a consequence. <i>Stagnant water.</i>
stagnate	Cause to stagnate. <i>Teaching can easily stagnate into a set of routines.</i>
<u>stationary</u>	Not changing in quantity or condition. <i>The car remained stationary with the engine running.</i>
torpid	(at Oxford University) a series of races for eight-oared rowing boats held in Hilary term. <i>We sat around in a torpid state.</i>
unanimated	Not animated or enlivened; dull. <i>His unanimated rhetorical style.</i>

