

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

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The synonyms of “Upsurge” are: rush, spate, surge, growth, rise, enlargement, expansion, extension, multiplication, elevation, swelling, inflation

Upsurge as a Noun

Definitions of "Upsurge" as a noun

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

- *A sudden forceful flow.*
- *An upward surge in the strength or quantity of something; an increase.*
- *A sudden or abrupt strong increase.*

Synonyms of "Upsurge" as a noun (12 Words)

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| elevation | The raising of the consecrated elements for adoration at Mass. <i>An elevation of 300 metres.</i> |
| enlargement | The state of being enlarged. <i>Talks on the enlargement of the EU.</i> |
| expansion | A discussion that provides additional information. <i>German expansion in the 1930s.</i> |
| extension | The property of occupying space. <i>Drinks were served until the early hours of the morning without any extension having been granted.</i> |

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| growth | Vegetation that has grown. <i>The only growth was some salt grass.</i> |
| <u>inflation</u> | Lack of elegance as a consequence of being pompous and puffed up with vanity. <i>The gross inflation of salaries.</i> |
| multiplication | The act of producing offspring or multiplying by such production. <i>Repeated copying leads to a multiplication of errors.</i> |
| rise | The property possessed by a slope or surface that rises. <i>They cheered the rise of the hot air balloon.</i> |
| rush | A sudden quick movement towards something, typically by a number of people. <i>The pre Christmas rush.</i> |
| spate | A large number or amount or extent. <i>A spate of attacks on holidaymakers.</i> |
| <u>surge</u> | A sudden or abrupt strong increase. <i>An upsurge of emotion.</i> |
| swelling | An abnormal enlargement of a part of the body, typically as a result of an accumulation of fluid. <i>Painless swellings may appear in the lower abdomen.</i> |

Usage Examples of "Upsurge" as a noun

- *An upsurge of emotion.*
- *An upsurge in violent crime.*
- *An upsurge in vandalism and violent crime.*

Associations of "Upsurge" (30 Words)

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| augment | Grow or intensify. <i>He augmented his summer income by painting houses.</i> |
| augmentation | The lengthening of the time values of notes in a melodic part. <i>The augmentation of the curriculum with new subjects.</i> |
| <u>bloat</u> | Become bloated or swollen or puff up. <i>The dead man s stomach was bloated.</i> |
| <u>boom</u> | (of a bittern) utter its characteristic resonant cry. <i>Business is booming.</i> |
| dilate | Become wider. <i>His pupils were dilated.</i> |

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| distend | Cause to expand as it by internal pressure. <i>The abdomen distended rapidly.</i> |
| efficiency | An action designed to achieve efficiency. <i>She did the work with great efficiency.</i> |
| enlarge | Make larger. <i>She enlarged the flower beds.</i> |
| escalate | Make or become more intense or serious. <i>The Allies escalated the bombing.</i> |
| expand | Expand the influence of. <i>The dough expands.</i> |
| expansion | A discussion that provides additional information. <i>German expansion in the 1930s.</i> |
| growth | The process of an individual organism growing organically; a purely biological unfolding of events involved in an organism changing gradually from a simple to a more complex level. <i>A growth of hair.</i> |
| increase | A change resulting in an increase. <i>They proposed an increase of 15 percent in the fare.</i> |
| increment | A regular increase in salary on an incremental scale. <i>All sizes from 4 30 mm in 1 mm increments.</i> |
| inflate | Become inflated. <i>He has inflated the money supply to allow companies to continue in their old ways.</i> |
| inflated | Distended through being filled with air or gas. <i>Inflated salaries.</i> |
| inflation | A brief exponential expansion of the universe (faster than the speed of light) postulated to have occurred shortly after the big bang. <i>In inflation everything gets more valuable except money.</i> |
| inflationary | Characterized by or tending to cause monetary inflation. <i>Succeeding governments tried to reduce inflationary pressures.</i> |
| maximize | Make as large or great as possible. <i>A thriller that maximizes the potential of its locations.</i> |
| price | Determine the price of. <i>He puts a high price on his services.</i> |
| productivity | The rate of production of new biomass by an individual, population, or community; the fertility or capacity of a given habitat or area. <i>Nutrient rich waters with high primary productivity.</i> |

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| rates | A local tax on property (usually used in the plural). |
| rise | Rise up. <i>They cheered the rise of the hot air balloon.</i> |
| skyrocket | Propels bright light high in the sky, or used to propel a lifesaving line or harpoon. <i>The cost of the welfare system has skyrocketed.</i> |
| spate | A large number or amount or extent. <i>A spate of attacks on holidaymakers.</i> |
| stagflation | Persistent high inflation combined with high unemployment and stagnant demand in a country's economy. |
| <u>surge</u> | A sudden powerful forward or upward movement, especially by a crowd or by a natural force such as the tide. <i>He levelled the score and then surged ahead.</i> |
| swell | Excellent; very good. <i>Everything was just going swell.</i> |
| <u>upgrade</u> | Get better travel conditions. <i>Check that the upgrade is installed and performing correctly.</i> |
| widen | Make (clothes) larger. <i>Widen the range of applications.</i> |