

**solution****1. [səˈluːʃ(ə)n] n**

1. решение; разрешение (*проблемы и т. п.*); объяснение

solution of a difficulty - выход из затруднения

solution of one's doubts - разрешение чьих-л. сомнений

solution to /for/ a puzzle - решение загадки, ключ к загадке; ответ к кроссворду

solution of a question - решение вопроса

solution to a grievance - удовлетворение жалобы

**2. мед.**

1) разрешение болезни; окончание болезни

2) кризис (*в течении болезни*)

3. растворение, распускание

solution of sugar in tea - растворение сахара в чае

4. раствор

chemical [saturated, strong, weak] solution - химический [насыщенный, крепкий, слабый] раствор

to make /to mix/ a solution - приготовить раствор

5. растворённое состояние

to hold some substance in solution - держать какое-л. вещество в растворе /растворённым/

his ideas are still in solution - его взгляды всё ещё не сформировались

6. микстура, жидкое лекарство

7. *слец.* разрыв, прерывность; раздробление

solution of connection - разрыв /нарушение/ связи

solution of unity - распад единства

solution of continuity - а) разрыв непрерывности; нарушение преемственности б) *мед.* разрыв /нарушение/ целостности тканей

**2. [səˈluːʃ(ə)n] v**

обрабатывать *или* покрывать раствором

**solution**

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**so-lu-tion** [solution solutions] *BrE* [səˈluːʃ(ə)n] *NAmE* [səˈluːʃ(ə)n] **noun**

**1. countable** ~ (to sth) a way of solving a problem or dealing with a difficult situation

**Syn:** ↑answer

- Attempts to **find a solution** have failed.
- There's no simple solution to this problem.
- Do you have a better solution?

**2. countable** ~ (to sth) an answer to a ↑puzzle or to a problem in mathematics

- The solution to last week's quiz is on page 81.

**3. countable, uncountable** a liquid in which sth is dissolved

- an alkaline solution
- saline solution

**4. uncountable** the process of dissolving a solid or gas in a liquid

- the solution of glucose in water

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Old French, from Latin *solutio(n-)*, from *solvere* 'loosen'.

Thesaurus:

**solution** **noun** C

- There's no simple solution to the problem.

**answer** • **remedy** • **way out** • **key** • **resolution** • *informal* **fix** •

the solution/answer/remedy/key/resolution/fix to sth

**look for** a solution/an answer/the key/a fix

**find/provide** a solution/an answer/a remedy/the key/a resolution

Example Bank:

- His plan does not offer a real solution to the problem.
- The UN representative stressed the urgency of a speedy solution.
- The industry needs to look for technological solutions to their problems.
- They were seeking an ultimate solution to the city's traffic problem.
- a quick solution for dealing with the paper shortage
- aluminium ions in solution
- attempts to find a comprehensive political solution to the crisis
- carbon dioxide in solution
- Stomach ache can often be eased with an alkaline solution such as bicarbonate of soda.
- The doctor put compresses of saline solution on the worst burns.
- The solution to last week's quiz is on page 81.
- There's no simple solution to this problem.
- We need to make sure that it is a realistically workable solution.
- Will this lead to a peaceful solution of the conflict?

**solution****solu**tion **S2 W1** /sə'luʃən/ *BrE* <sup>m</sup> *AmE* <sup>m</sup> *noun*[**Word Family**: **noun**: ↑solution, ↑solvent, ↑solubility, ↑insolvency; **adjective**: ↑soluble ≠ ↑insoluble, ↑unsolved, ↑solvent ≠ ↑insolvent, ↑solvable ≠ ↑insolvable; **verb**: ↑solve; **adverb**: ↑insolvably][**Date**: 1300-1400; **Language**: Old French; **Origin**: Latin solutio, from solvere; ⇨ ↑solve]1. [countable] a way of solving a problem or dealing with a difficult situation ⇨ **solve**:  
The best solution would be for them to separate.**solution to/for**

There are no simple solutions to the problem of overpopulation.

2. [countable] the correct answer to a problem in an exercise or competition **SYN answer** ⇨ **solve****solution to**

The solution to last week's puzzle is on page 12.

3. [uncountable and countable] a liquid in which a solid or gas has been mixed:  
a weak sugar solution  
saline solution  
• • •**COLLOCATIONS****adjectives**

- **a good solution** A good solution is to harvest the crop early in September.
- **the best/perfect/ideal solution** Locking people in prison is not necessarily the ideal solution.
- **an effective solution** The government has failed to come up with an effective solution.
- **a satisfactory solution** (=good enough) We will not rest until a satisfactory solution is found.
- **a neat solution** (=simple and clever) This sounded like a neat solution to the skills shortage.
- **the only solution** The only solution is to greatly reduce our use of water.
- **the real solution** (=the only good solution) The real solution to the waste problem is to produce much less waste.
- **a possible solution** There are three possible solutions to this problem.
- **an alternative solution** We need to look for alternative solutions.
- **a simple/easy solution** There is no easy solution to this problem.
- **a quick/speedy solution** We need to find a quick solution.
- **a practical/workable solution** (=one that is really possible) They've had to find practical solutions to practical problems.
- **a long-term solution** (=one that will be effective for a long time) A long-term solution to the problem will not be possible until that conflict is resolved.
- **a quick-fix solution** (=one that solves a problem for a short time only) He has accused the government of looking for quick-fix solutions.
- **a peaceful/political solution** (=one that does not involve fighting) We will continue to work strenuously for a political solution acceptable to all parties.

**verbs**

- **find/come up with a solution** We are working together to find the best solution we can.
- **seek/look for a solution** The company is still seeking a solution to its financial problems.
- **provide/offer a solution** I don't think that tourism will provide a long-term solution to rural employment problems.
- **suggest/put forward a solution** The chairman put forward a possible solution.

**THESAURUS****a mixture of chemical substances**

- **compound** a chemical substance that contains atoms of two or more **elements**: common chemical compounds such as sodium chloride
- **solution** a liquid mixed with a solid or a gas: a weak sugar solution

**solution**

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