

# accretion *(ac-cre-tion)*

## Definition

n. 1 the process of gradual increase or growth esp. by additions from the outside; 2.the result of such a process. 3 the growing together of separate parts.

## Example Sentence

The last part of the legend is a later **accretion**.

## Synonyms

accrual; accumulation; addition; augmentation;  
buildup

## Antonyms

lose of

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