

exfoliation *(ex-fo-li-a-tion)*

Definition

n. 1 the peeling off in flakes or scales of bark or dead skin; 2 a thin flake of dead epidermis shed from the surface of the skin

Example Sentence

The rock has been weathered by means of **exfoliation**.

Synonyms

scale; shed; peeling off

Antonyms

attachment

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