

plutonium

[plu:'tʌvniəm] *n* *XUM*.

плутоний

plutonium reactor - а) плутониевый реактор; б) реактор для производства плутония

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

plu-to-nium *BrE* [pluːtoʊniəm] *NAmE* [pluːtoʊniəm] *noun uncountable*

(*symb.* **Pu**)

a chemical element. **Plutonium** is ↑radioactive and is used in nuclear weapons and in producing nuclear energy.

Word Origin:

[**plutonium**] 1940s: from Greek '**Pluto**', on the pattern of neptunium, being the next planet beyond Neptune.

Example Bank:

- one ton of plutonium extracted from spent nuclear fuel
- the capability to enrich uranium or reprocess plutonium
- the plane that dropped a plutonium bomb on the city of Nagasaki

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plu-to-ni-um /pluːtoʊniəm-ˈtuː-/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [uncountable]

[*Date:* 1900-2000; *Language:* Modern Latin; *Origin:* Pluto]

a ↑radioactive metal that is used in the production of ↑nuclear power, and in nuclear weapons. It is a chemical ↑element: symbol Pu

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