

**accretion**[ə'kri:ʃ(ə)n] *n*

1. 1) разрастание; прирост, приращение  
accretion of power - усиление власти  
accretion of territory - приращение территории  
accretion to the capital - *эк.* прирост стоимости капитала
- 2) дополнение, добавка  
the last part of the legend is a later accretion - последняя часть легенды - это более позднее наложение  
towers and other accretions to the castle - башни и другие позднейшие пристройки к замку  
accretions of grime - наложения грязи (*на стенах и т. п.*)
2. *биол.* органический рост
3. срастание, сращение
4. *юр.*  
1) = accession I 5  
2) увеличение доли наследника (*в случае смерти, отказа от наследства и т. п. сонаследников*)
5. *геол.* аккреция, нанос земли
6. *pl метал.* настывли
7. *астр.* аккреция (*захват межзвездного вещества небесным телом*)  
accretion disk - аккреционный диск

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**ac·cre·tion** [accretion accretions] *BrE* [ə'kriːʃn] *NAmE* [ə'kriːʃn] **noun**

(technical or formal)

1. **countable** a layer of a substance that is slowly added to sth
2. **uncountable** the process of new layers being slowly added to sth
  - the accretion of sand by wind action

Word Origin:early 17th cent.: from Latin *accretio*(n-), from *acrescere* 'become larger', from *ad-* 'to' + *crescere* 'grow'.**accretion**

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**ac·cre·tion** /ə'kriːʃn/ *BrE* *AmE* **noun** [uncountable and countable] *formal*[Date: 1600-1700; Language: Latin; Origin: *accretio*, from *acrescere*, from *ad-* 'to' + *crescere* 'to grow']

1. a layer of a substance which slowly forms on something
2. a gradual process by which new things are added and something gradually changes or gets bigger

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