

separation[ˌsepə'reɪʃ(ə)n] *n*

1. отделение, разъединение, разделение, разобщение

the separation of Church and State - отделение церкви от государства

separation of the sexes in school - раздельное обучение мальчиков и девочек

the separation of /between/ Sweden and Norway - *уст.* отделение Норвегии от Швеции

separation from a church [an organization] - выход из членов церкви [из организации]

2. разлука

after a long separation - после долгой разлуки

separation from smb., smth. - разлука с кем-л., чем-л., жизнь вдали от кого-л., чего-л.

3. сортировка, разложение на части

separation into parts [into lots] - разделение на части [на участки]

4. *юр.* раздельное жительство супругов

separation from bed and board - раздельное жительство супругов

judicial separation - судебное разлучение

separation by consents - раздельное жительство по взаимному согласию

to get a separation from one's wife /from one's husband/ - разъехаться (*по взаимному соглашению или по решению суда*)5. 1) окончание договорных отношений, *особ.* окончание срока трудового соглашения

2) увольнение из армии; демобилизация

6. *физ.* разделение

separation of isotopes - разделение изотопов

7. *горн., хим.* обогащение8. *геол.* разделение, разобщение (*пласта, жилы*)9. *ав.*1) отделение (*ступени ракеты*)

2) эшелонирование

10. *спец.* расстояние, интервал, разнесение, разнос**separation**

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sep·ar·a·tion [separation separations] *BrE* [ˌsepə'reɪʃn] [®] *NAmE* [ˌsepə'reɪʃn]**noun**1. **uncountable, singular** the act of separating people or things; the state of being separate• ~ **(from sb/sth)** the state's eventual separation from the federation• ~ **(between A and B)** the need for a clear separation between Church and State2. **countable** a period of time that people spend apart from each other

• They were reunited after a separation of more than 20 years.

• Prolonged separations of this kind are damaging to very young children.

3. **countable** a decision that a husband and wife make to live apart while they are still legally married

• a legal separation

• Sixty per cent of all marital separations occur before the tenth year of marriage.

compare †divorceWord Origin:late Middle English: via Old French from Latin *separatio(n)-*, from *separare* 'disjoin, divide', from *se-* 'apart' + *parare* 'prepare'.Thesaurus:**separation** **noun** **U, sing.**

• He argued for the need for a clear separation between Church and State.

isolation • • **division** • • **segregation** • • **split** • • **partition** • |**formal dissolution** •separation/isolation/division/segregation **from** sb/sthseparation/division/segregation/split **between** A and Bseparation/division/segregation/split **into** parts**Separation or isolation?** **Isolation** is used of a country or its politics

• diplomatic/geographical/political/international isolation

This kind of **isolation** is usually seen as a bad thing. **Separation** is a more general word and is often seen as a good thing.Example Bank:

• She is visiting her family after a long separation.

• the clear separation of powers between the executive and the legislature

• the constitutional principle of separation of powers

• the constitutional separation of church and state

• the separation between Mary and her husband

• the separation from his wife

• the separation of children from their parents during the war

• All children will tend to suffer from separation from their parents, siblings and familiar surroundings.

• He argued for the need for a clear separation between Church and State.

• Many years passed before the state's eventual separation from the federation.

• She would not consider separation or divorce.

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the separation of church and state

separation between

the zone of separation between the warring factions

2. [**uncountable and countable**] a period of time that two or more people spend apart from each other:

the separation of families during wartime

3. [**countable**] a situation in which a husband and wife agree to live apart even though they are still married:their separation and later divorce ⇒ ↑divorce¹(1)**separation**

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