

**standstill**['stænd,sti:l] *n*

1. остановка, пауза  
to bring to a standstill - останавливать  
to come to a standstill - а) останавливаться б) заходить в тупик
2. бездействие, застой  
to be at a standstill - бездействовать, стоять на мёртвой точке
3. **воен.**
  - 1) затишье, прекращение боевых действий
  - 2) комендантский час  
standstill order - приказ о введении комендантского часа
4. **юр.** сохранение статус-кво  
◇ to ride a horse to a standstill - загнать лошадь

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**stand-still** ['standstill standstills] *BrE* ['stændsti:l] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* ['stændsti:l] <sup>ˈ</sup> **noun****singular**

a situation in which all activity or movement has stopped

**Syn:** ↑halt

- The security alert **brought** the airport **to a standstill** .
- Traf firiðthe northbound lane is **at a** complete **standstill** .

Example Bank:

- The roadworks brought the traf f to a standstill.
- The train came to a complete standstill.
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a situation in which there is no movement or activity at all

**come to a standstill/bring something to a standstill**

\* Strikers brought production to a standstill.

**at a standstill**

\* Traf f was at a standstill.

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