

**cistern**['sɪstən] *n*

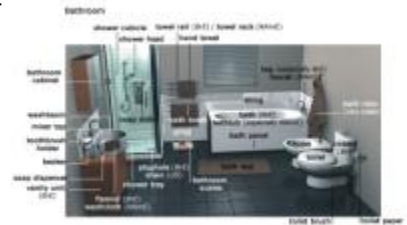
1. 1) бак
- 2) резервуар,местилище
- 3) цистерна  
cistern car - *ж.-д.* вагон-цистерна, железнодорожная цистерна
- 4) бачок (*в туалете*)
2. водоём; водный резервуар; водохранилище
3. *спец.* чаша  
barometric cistern - барометрическая чаша
4. *уст.* большой сосуд для охлаждения вина (*обыкн. серебряный*)
5. *анат.* полость; цистерна (*в мягкой оболочке мозга*)

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**cis-tern** [cistern cisterns] *BrE* ['sɪstən] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* ['sɪstərn] <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun* (BrE)

a container in which water is stored in a building, especially one in the roof or connected to a toilet

Word Origin:Middle English: from Old French *cisterne*, from Latin *cisterna*, from *mista* 'box', from Greek *kistē*.**cistern**

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