

**pesticide**['pestɪsaɪd] *n*

пестицид, средство для борьбы с вредителями

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**pesti·cide** [pesticide pesticides] *BrE* ['pestɪsaɪd] <sup>ˈ</sup> *NAmE* ['pestɪsaɪd] <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun*

countable, uncountable

a chemical used for killing ↑pests, especially insects

- vegetables grown without the use of pesticides
- crops sprayed with pesticide

**see also** ↑herbicide, ↑insecticideExample Bank:

- It is claimed that current levels of pesticide do not pose a threat to health.
- Some weeds have developed resistance to agricultural pesticides.
- Traces of pesticide in the water were ten times above permissible levels.
- tests for pesticide contamination in food
- the risk of pesticide exposure among farm workers
- the threat to human health from chemical pesticides in our food

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

**pes·ti·cide** /'pestəsəɪd, 'pestɪsaɪd/ *BrE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *AmE* <sup>ˈ</sup> *noun* [uncountable and countable]a chemical substance used to kill insects and small animals that destroy crops ⇒ **herbicide****pesticide**

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