

wasteland[ˈweɪstlənd] *n*

1. пустошь; пустырь; бросовая земля
2. застой (*интеллектуальный и т. п.*); пустота (*существования и т. п.*)

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waste·land [wasteland wastelands] *BrE* [ˈweɪstlənd] [ⓘ] *NAmE* [ˈweɪstlənd] [ⓘ]**noun** countable, uncountable

an area of land that cannot be used or that is no longer used for building or growing things on

- industrial wasteland
- the desert wastelands of Arizona
- (*figurative*) The mid 1970s are seen as a cultural wasteland for rock music.

Example Bank:

- The film was shot in the desert wasteland of southern California

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waste·land /ˈweɪstlənd, -lənd/ *BrE* [ⓘ] *AmE* [ⓘ] *noun* [uncountable and countable]

1. an unattractive area, often with old ruined buildings, factories etc on it

urban/industrial wasteland

- the restoration of industrial wasteland

2. a place, situation, or time that has no excitement or interest **SYN** desert:

- The seventies were a cultural wasteland.

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