

thicket['θɪkɪt] *n*

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thicket**thicket** [thicket thickets] *BrE* ['θɪkɪt] ^m *NAmE* ['θɪkɪt] ^m *noun*

1. a group of bushes or small trees growing closely together
 - a dense thicket of bamboo
2. a large number of things that are not easy to understand or separate
 - He spent the morning trying to work his way through a thicket of statistics.

Word Origin:Old English thiccet (from †**thick** and -et).**thicket**

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thicket /'θɪkət, 'θɪkɪt/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m *noun* [countable][**Language:** Old English; **Origin:** thiccet, from thicce; ⇒ †**thick** ¹]a group of bushes and small trees **SYN** **copse**

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THESAURUS

- **forest** a very large area of land with a lot of trees growing closely together: In 1500, most of the country was forest. | the Black Forest in Germany
- **woods** (also **wood** *British English*) an area of land covered with a lot of trees, that is smaller than a forest: Behind the house were the woods that we used to play in. | Follow the path through a small wood.
- **woodland** an area of land that is covered with trees – used especially for describing the type of land in an area: The site covers 74 acres of beautiful ancient woodland.
- **rainforest** a thick forest with tall trees, in tropical parts of the world that have a lot of rain: Tropical rainforests are home to over half of the planet's plant and animal species. | the Indonesian rainforest
- **jungle** an area of tropical forest where trees and large plants grow very closely together: the jungles of Borneo | The palace was hidden for centuries in Guatemala's dense jungle.
- **grove** a small group of trees, or an area of land planted with a particular type of fruit tree: The temple was built in the centre of a small grove of trees. | the olive groves of southern Spain
- **copse** /kɒps \$ kɑːps/ a small area of trees or bushes growing closely together: At the top of the field was a copse full of rabbits.
- **plantation** a large area of trees planted for their wood, fruit etc: a rubber plantation
- **thicket** /'θɪkət, 'θɪkɪt/ a small group of bushes, plants, or small trees growing closely together: Tall bamboo thickets fringed the narrow river.

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