silo Apresyan (En-Ru)

- **1.** ['sail| θv] n (pl -os [-{'sail} θvz])
 - 1. 1) силосная яма или башня

silo cutter - силосорезка

silo granary - силосное зернохранилище

- 2) бункер (для хранения цемента и т. п.)
- 2. воен. стартовая шахта
- **2.** ['saıləν] *ν*

силосовать, закладывать силос

silo

silo [silo silos] BrE ['saɪləʊ] ** NAmE ['saɪloʊ] ** noun (pl. silos)

1. a tall tower on a farm used for storing grain, etc.

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- 2. an underground place where nuclear weapons or dangerous substances are kept
- 3. an underground place where †silage is made and stored

Word Origin:

mid 19th cent.: from Spanish, via Latin from Greek siros 'corn pit'.

Example Bank:

- In modern mills, grain is stored in silos which are often separate from the mill.
- It is believed there are missile silos located in the desert.
- The grass is cut for hay, then some of it is stored in silos.

silo

silo /ˈsaɪləʊ \$ -loʊ/ BrE * AmE * noun (plural silos) [countable]

[Date: 1800-1900, Language: Spanish, Origin: Latin sirus, from Greek siros 'hole for storing corn']

- 1. a tall structure like a tower that is used for storing grain, winter food for farm animals etc
- 2. a large structure under the ground from which a large †missile can be fired

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