

inane1. [ɪ'neɪn] **n** (*the inane*)

пустота, пустое пространство

2. [ɪ'neɪn] **a**

1. глупый, пустой; бессодержательный, бессмысленный

inane and tiresome book - бессодержательная и скучная книга

inane person - пустой человек

inane remark - глупое /раза/. идиотское/ замечание

inane smile - глупая /бессмысленная/ улыбка

2. **редк.** пустой, незанятый

inane space - пустое пространство

inane**inane** BrE [ɪ'neɪn] **n** NAmE [ɪ'neɪn] **a** adjective

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stupid or silly; with no meaning

- an inane remark

Derived Words ↑inanely • ↑inanityWord Origin:mid 16th cent.: from Latin **inanis** ‘empty, vain’.Example Bank:

- I wish you'd stop making these inane remarks!
- The last question was especially inane.

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[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: **inanis**]

very stupid or without much meaning:

Most pop lyrics are pretty inane.

an inane remark

—inanely adverb:

Dave smiled inanely.

—inanity /ɪ'nænəti, ɪ'nænɪti/ noun [uncountable and countable]**inane**

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