

1. There was a bottle of ..... mineral water on the table. **CARBON**
2. Our factory does not emit any ..... into the atmosphere. **POLLUTE**
3. It has the second largest ..... of a national park in Africa. **DIVERSION**
4. Carbon ..... is heavier than air, it won't float. **OXYGEN**
5. He was the brains behind the design of a new artificial ski slope in Denmark's capital Copenhagen, built on the roof of a huge ..... that burns waste to produce heat and electricity.  
**INCINERATION**
6. However other "big ..... " like America do not want the treaty to come into force until after 2020. **EMIT**
7. We must get more ..... countries on board, and it is your duty to take care of this.  
**INDUSTRY**
8. The large number of ..... plastic bottles that are land-filled on the relatively small island are expected to cause environmental problems in the future. **DEGRADE**
9. Control and ..... is a professional job involving trying to exclude the *insects* from the building and trying to kill those already present. **TERMINATE**
10. .... aquatic invasive species is rarely practical, and most managers in North America now focus on containment and ongoing population suppression. **ERADICATE**
11. These two plants are used in similar ways, but differ ..... **CHEMISTRY**
12. The ..... of the rainforest is threatened by companies that cut down trees. **EXIST**
13. Examples of ..... energy are wind and solar powers. **NEW**
14. Solar ..... is the energy given off by the sun in all directions. **RADIANT**
15. Alaska is already home to 60 percent of the country's ..... areas. **WILD**
16. Just past the museum, a large, open ..... area comes into view. **GRASS**
17. This industry does not deserve the environmentalist ..... which is often heaped upon it. **HOSTILE**
18. *Plastic* pollution is more than unsightly. It has a ..... and direct effect on wildlife. **DISASTER**
19. The brain begins to suffer ..... damage after four to six minutes without oxygen.  
**REVERSE**
20. The ..... goal of the talks is eliminating pesticide usage on wetlands, but the negotiations have been complicated by a host of related issues. **MOUNT**
21. Forests in Latvia will never have fully recovered from the ..... stupid policy of cutting down trees for export. **CATASTROPHE**
22. I feel that the time has come for ..... changes in our approach towards goods we buy.  
**SUBSTANCE**
23. .... manure contributes major pollutants and has become a growing problem in many areas. **LIFE**
24. Businesses continue to ..... for plastic giants even amid new regulations. **FLOUR**
25. Soil ..... is the physical, chemical and biological decline in soil quality. **DEGRADE**
26. In my opinion, it's the government who should be a major ..... to the development of new recycling policies. **CONTRIBUTE**
27. The effects of soil ..... go beyond the loss of fertile land. **EROSIVE**
28. It has led to increased pollution and ..... in streams and rivers, clogging these waterways and causing declines in fish and other species. **SEDIMENT**
29. They probably do contribute massively to the ..... of our rivers. **ACID**
30. There are food ..... in most regions of Africa. **SCARCE**