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Definition of louver in English:

# louver

(also **louvre**)

Pronunciation   /'looʊvər/ /'luvər/

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## NOUN

- 1 Each of a set of angled slats or flat strips fixed or hung at regular intervals in a door, shutter, or screen to allow air or light to pass through.

*'murky light filters through the vertical louvers of the window blinds'*[More example sentences](#)[Synonyms](#)

- 2 A domed structure on a roof, with side openings for ventilation.

*'It has a steeply pitched octagonal roof, drawing smoke and steam upwards from the great corner fireplaces to an elaborate central louvre.'*[More example sentences](#)

## Origin

Middle English (in [louver](#) (sense 2)): from Old French lover, lovier 'skylight', probably of Germanic origin and related to [lodge](#).

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