

tabby

1. ['tæbi] *n*
 1. 1) полосатая кошка
 - 2) кошка (*в отличие от кота*)
 2. 1) старая сплетница, злопыхательница
 - 2) старая дева
 3. муар
 4. муаровое платье (*мж.* tabby gown, tabby dress)
 5. *стр.* земляной бетон
 6. *австрал. сл.* баба; деваха
2. ['tæbi] *a*
 1. полосатый, пёстрый
tabby cat - полосатая кошка
 2. муаровый
3. ['tæbi] *v*
 1. наносить тёмные полосы, делать полосатым
 2. каландрировать шёлк

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tabby [tabby tabbies] *BrE* ['tæbi] ^m *NAmE* ['tæbi] ^m **noun** (pl. **tabbies**) (*also*

'tabby cat)

a cat with brown or grey fur marked with dark lines or spots

Word Origin:late 16th cent. (denoting a kind of silk taffeta, originally striped, later with a watered finish): from French **tabis**, based on Arabic **al-'Attābiyya**, the name of the quarter of Baghdad where tabby was manufactured.**tabby**

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tabby /'tæbi/ *BrE* ^m *AmE* ^m **noun** (plural **tabbies**) [countable][**Date:** 1600-1700; **Origin:** tabby type of striped cloth (16-19 centuries), from French tabis, from Medieval Latin attabi, from Arabic, from Al-'Attabiya part of Baghdad where the cloth was originally made]

a cat with light and dark lines on its fur

—**tabby** *adjective***tabby**

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