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armour
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1. ['a:mə] n
  1. броня (корабля, танка и т. п.)
    armour belt - мор. броневой пояс
  2. бронетанковые войска
  3. 1) ист. доспехи; латы, шлем и т. п.
  2) кольчуга (под одеждой)
  4. шит, защита; опора
    a chilling courtesy was his only armour - ледяная учтивость была его единственным средством зашиты
    behind the armour of knowledge [of prosperity] - за бронёй/за стеной/ образованности[материальной обеспеченности]
  5. скафандр (водолаза, космонавта)
  6. зоол. , бот. панцирь
  7. эл. оплётка (провода)
2. ['a:mə] v
  покрывать бронёй
                                                                                     Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.
armour
ar-mour [armour armours armoured armouring] (especially US armor)BrE
['a□mə(/i]
             NAmE ['a□rmə]r ¯
                                noun uncountable
 1. special metal clothing that soldiers wore in the past to protect their bodies while fighting
  · a suit of armour
  • (figurative) Monkeys do not have any kind of protective armour and use their brains to solve problems.
 2. metal covers that protect ships and military vehicles such as tanks
 3. (technical) military vehicles used in war
  · an attack by infantry and armour
  see a chink in sb's armour at 1chink n, a knight in shining armour at 1knight n
    Word Origin:
    Middle English: from Old French armure, from Latin armatura, from armare 'to arm', from arma 'armour, arms'.
    Example Bank:
     • He wore a suit of heavy armour and carried a sword.
     · police officers in full body armour

    the police should be protected by body armour.

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                           British English, armor American English /'a□me$ 'a□rmet noun
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[uncountable]
  [Date: 1200-1300, Language: Old French, Origin: armure, from Latin armatura; ⇒ ↑armature]
  1. metal or leather clothing that protects your body, worn by soldiers in battles in past times:
         a knight wearing a suit of armour
  2. a strong metal layer that protects military vehicles:
         armour-clad warships
  3. a strong layer or shell that protects some plants and animals
  ⇒ a chink in sb's armour at ¹chink¹(3), ⇒ a knight in shining armour at ¹knight¹(4)
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