

# livid

- [ˈlɪvɪd] **a**
- 1) синевато-серый, серовато-синий  
to be livid with cold - посинеть от холода
  - 2) багровый  
livid marks on the body - багровые следы (*плети и т. п. на теле*)
  2. **поэт.** (смертельно) бледный
  3. **разг.** обозлённый, злой  
to become livid - разозлиться  
livid with rage - побагровевший от злости

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

livid **BrE** [ˈlɪvɪd] <sup>u</sup> **NAmE** [ˈlɪvɪd] <sup>u</sup> **adjective**

1. extremely angry  
**Syn:** **↑** **furious**  
• Dad will be livid when he finds out.
2. dark bluish-grey in colour  
• a livid bruise

## Word Origin:

[**livid**] late Middle English (in the sense ‘of a bluish leaden colour’): from French **livide** or Latin **lividus**, from **livere** ‘**be bluish**’. The sense ‘**furiously angry**’ dates from the early 20th cent.

## Example Bank:

- Her face was livid with anger.
- He was livid that he hadn't been invited.
- She drove home livid with anger.

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liv **ɪd** /ˈlɪvəd, ˈlɪvɪd/ **BrE** <sup>u</sup> **AmE** <sup>u</sup> **adjective**

[**Date:** 1400-1500; **Language:** French; **Origin:** livide, from Latin lividus, from livere ‘**to be blue**’]

1. extremely angry **SYN** **furious**:  
<sup>u</sup> She was absolutely livid that he had lied.
2. **formal** a mark on your skin that is livid is dark blue and grey:  
<sup>u</sup> livid bruises
3. **literary** a face that is livid is very pale  
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## THESAURUS

### ■ extremely angry

- **furious/livid** extremely angry: She was furious when she found out he'd been lying to her. | He looked absolutely livid.
- **outraged** very angry and shocked by something you think is unfair or wrong: Most people were outraged by the 9/11 attacks. | complaints from outraged viewers
- **incandescent with rage** **British English formal** extremely angry – used mainly in writing, for example in newspaper reports: Gordon Brown was reported to be incandescent with rage over the article.
- **lose your temper** to suddenly become very angry and start shouting at someone: It was the first time I'd seen her lose her temper.

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