gable Apresyan (En-Ru)

[ʹgeɪb(ə)l] *n архит.*
фронтон, щипец

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gable Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

gable [**gable gables**] *BrE* [ˈɡeɪbl] *NAmE* [ˈɡeɪbl] noun
the upper part of the end wall of a building, between the two sloping sides of the roof, that is shaped like a triangle

Word Origin:
Middle English: via Old French from Old Norse gafl, of Germanic origin; related to Dutch gaffel and German Gabel **'fork'** (the point of the gable originally being the fork of two crossed timbers supporting the end of the roof-tree).

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gable Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

gable /ˈɡeɪbəl/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [countable]
[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: Old Norse gafl]
the upper end of a house wall where it joins with a sloping roof and makes a shape like a ↑triangle:
the gable end of the barn

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