

parasol['pærəsɒl] *n*

1. зонтик (*от солнца*)
2. *усм.* тент
3. *ав.* парасоль
4. *воен.* авиационное прикрытие, прикрытие войск с воздуха

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para·sol [parasol parasols] *BrE* ['pærəsɒl] *NAmE* ['pærəsɔːl] *NAmE*

['pærəsəl] noun

1. a type of light umbrella that women in the past carried to protect themselves from the sun
2. a large umbrella that is used for example on beaches or outside restaurants to protect people from hot sun

compare ↑sunshadeWord Origin:early 17th cent.: from French, from Italian **parasole**, from **para-** ‘protecting against’ + **sole** ‘sun’ (from Latin **sol**).**parasol**

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a type of ↑umbrella used to provide shade from the sun

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