

grid
[grid] *n*

1. решётка
2. = gridiron | 1, 2, 2) и 5
3. *тол.* координатная сетка
kilometric grid - километровая сетка
plane /two-dimensional/ grid - плоская /двумерная/ сетка
spatial /three-dimensional/ grid - пространственная /трёхмерная/ сетка
grid lines - линии координатной сетки
4. *элк.*
 - 1) сетка
barrier [screen] grid - барьерная [экранная] сетка
grid emission - эмиссия сетки
 - 2) управляющий провод (*в криотроне*)
5. *радио* сетка
6. *эл.* аккумуляторная пластина
grid potential /voltage/ - напряжение пластины
7. 1) электросеть
2) вещательная сеть
8. *авт.* место старта гонок
9. *опт.* растр

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

grid [grid grids] *BrE* [ɡrɪd] ^u *NAmE* [ɡrɪd] ^u *noun*

1. a pattern of straight lines, usually crossing each other to form squares
 - New York's grid of streets
2. a frame of metal or wooden bars that are parallel or cross each other
see also ↑cattle grid
3. a pattern of squares on a map that are marked with letters or numbers to help you find the exact position of a place
 - The **grid reference** is C8.
4. (*especially BrE*) a system of electric wires or pipes carrying gas, for sending power over a large area
 - the national grid (= the electricity supply in a country)
 - the development of the country's electricity grid
5. (in motor racing) a pattern of lines marking the starting positions for the racing cars
 - He has been put in the front row of the starting grid.
6. (*often the Grid*) *singular (computing)* a number of computers that are linked together using the Internet so that they can share power, data, etc. in order to work on difficult problems
Idiom: ↑off the grid

Word Origin:

mid 19th cent.: back-formation from ↑gridiron.

Example Bank:

- An Ordnance Survey grid reference gives the position of a place to within 100 metres.
- Power can be fed from wind generators into the electricity grid system.
- The artist drew a set of grid lines over the area to be painted.
- The grid lines on the map run north-south.
- We superimposed a grid over the image.
- the Manhattan street grid
- Each of the grid squares on the map is equal to one square kilometre.

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grid /ɡrɪd/ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u *noun* [countable]

[Date: 1800-1900; Origin: gridiron]

1. a metal frame with bars across it ⇔ ↑cattle grid
2. a pattern of straight lines that cross each other and form squares:
 - Its streets were laid out in a grid pattern.
3. a set of numbered lines printed on a map so that the exact position of any place can be referred to:
 - The pilots were just given a grid reference (=number referring to a point on a map) of the target.
4. the network of electricity supply wires that connects ↑power stations and provides electricity to buildings in an area:
 - the national grid (=the electricity supply in a country)
5. (*also starting grid*) a set of starting positions for all the cars in a motor race

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