

**fridge**  
 [frɪdʒ] *n разг.*  
 холодильник (домашний)

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 a piece of electrical equipment in which food is kept cold so that it stays fresh  
 • This dessert can be served straight from the fridge.



See also: ↑icebox ▪ ↑refrigerator

Word Origin:  
 1920s: abbreviation, probably influenced by the proprietary name Frigidaire.

Example Bank:

- Place the dough in the fridge overnight
- The fridge was stocked with food and drink.
- The kids raid the fridge when they get home.
- The kids tend to raid the fridge when they get home from school.

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 [Date: 1900-2000; Origin: refrigerato]

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a large piece of electrical kitchen equipment, used for keeping food and drinks cool **SYN** refrigerator ⇔ freezer

**fridge**  
 12500 **5924**<sup>MCW</sup>  
 15000 **2420**<sup>COCA</sup>  
 RANGE: **2k** REFRIGERATE 12582  
 refrigerate 1998  
 refrigerated 1178  
 refrigerating 61  
 refrigerates 4  
 refrigeration 646  
 refrigerations 0  
 refrigerator 5893  
 refrigerators 896  
 fridge 1845  
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