## Word Origin:

Middle English (originally 'a person who sold things in the gross' (i. ein large quantities)): from Old French grossier, from medieval Latin grossarius, from late Latin grossus 'gross'.

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grocer

groCer /'grəʊsə $ 'groʊsər/ BrE ** AmE ** noun [countable]

[Date: 1200-1300; Language: Old French; Origin: grossier 'person who sells in large quantities', from gros; ⇒ †gross¹]

1. someone who owns or works in a shop that sells food and other things used in the home

2. grocer's a grocer's shop
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