

tweezers

[ˈtwiːzəz] *n употр. с ел. во мн. ч.*

пинцет, щипчики (*мж.* a pair of tweezers)

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tweez-ers *BrE* [ˈtwiːzəz] ^{pl} *NAmE* [ˈtwiːzəz] ^{pl} **noun**

plural



a small tool with two long thin parts joined together at one end, used for picking up very small things or for pulling out hairs

- a pair of tweezers

Word Origin:

[**tweezers**] mid 17th cent.: extended form of obsolete tweeze 'case of surgical instruments', shortening of etweese, anglicized plural of etui.

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[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Origin:** tweeze 'case of small instruments' (1600-1700) from etweese 'tweeze' (17-18 centuries), from the plural of etwee 'tweeze' (17-19 centuries), from French étui]



a small tool that has two narrow pieces of metal joined at one end, used to pull or move very small objects:

She was plucking her eyebrows with a pair of tweezers.

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