

**thermal**

1. ['θz:m(ə)] *n* **обыкн. pl спец.**  
восходящий поток тёплого воздуха
2. ['θz:m(ə)] *a*
  1. 1) тёплый, горячий; термальный  
thermal spring - горячий источник
  - 2) бурный, пламенный, страстный
  2. 1) тепловой  
thermal shock - тепловой удар  
thermal capacity - *физ.* теплоёмкость  
thermal conduction - *физ.* теплопроводность  
thermal reactor - *физ.* реактор на тепловых нейтронах  
thermal station - теплоэлектроцентраль тепловая электрическая станция  
thermal energy - тепловая энергия  
thermal insulation - теплоизоляция  
thermal alarm = thermalarm  
thermal treatment - термообработка тепловая обработка  
thermal unit - *физ.* единица теплоты; тепловая единица  
British thermal unit - британская тепловая единица (= 1060 джоулям)
  - 2) калорический
  - 3) теплотворный (о способности)
  - 4) термический (об анализе)

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**ther·mal** [**thermal thermals**] **adjective, noun** *BrE* ['θz□m] *AmE* ['θz□rm]**adjective only before noun**

1. (**technical**) connected with heat
  - thermal energy
2. (*of clothing*) designed to keep you warm by preventing heat from escaping from the body
  - thermal underwear
3. (*of streams, lakes, etc.*) in which the water has been naturally heated by the earth
  - thermal springs

Word Origin:mid 18th cent. (in the sense 'relating to hot springs'): from French, from Greek **thermē** 'heat'.Derived Word ↑**thermally****noun**

1. **countable** a rising current of warm air used, for example, by a ↑**glider** to gain height
2. **thermals plural** (especially *BrE*) warm underwear that prevents heat from escaping from the body

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I. **thermal**<sup>1</sup> /'θz□məl \$ 'θz□v-*BrE* *AmE* **adjective** [only before noun][Date: 1700-1800; Language: Greek; Origin: therme; ⇒ ↑**therm**]

1. relating to or caused by heat:
  - thermal energy
2. thermal clothing is made from special material to keep you warm in very cold weather:
  - thermal underwear
3. thermal water is heated naturally under the earth:
  - thermal springs

II. **thermal**<sup>2</sup> *BrE* *AmE* **noun**

1. [**countable**] a rising current of warm air used by birds
2. **thermals** [**plural**] *British English informal* special warm clothing, especially underwear, worn under your other clothes

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