

crinkle

1. ['krɪŋk(ə)] *n*
 1. изгиб, извилина
 2. морщина, складка
 3. шелест, шорох; потрескивание
the crinkle of starched petticoats - шуршание крахмальных юбок
2. ['krɪŋk(ə)] *v*
 1. извиваться, изгибаться
 2. 1) морщить
2) морщиться
 3. 1) мять, сминать
the dress is all crinkled - платье совершенно мятое
2) мяться, сминаться
 4. завивать (волосы)
 5. потрескивать, издавать лёгкий потрескивающий звук; шуршать

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

crin·kle [crinkle crinkles crinkled crinkling] *verb, noun* BrE ['krɪŋkl] ^ˈ NAmE

['krɪŋkl] ^ˈ

verb intransitive, transitive

to become covered with or to form a lot of thin folds or lines, especially in skin, cloth or paper

- He smiled, his **eyes crinkling** .
- Her face crinkled up in a smile.
- The pages crinkled and curled and turned to ashes in the fire.
- ~ **sth** The binding had faded and the pages were crinkled.

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	crinkle
	BrE / 'krɪŋkl/
	NAmE / 'krɪŋkl/
he / she / it	crinkles
	BrE / 'krɪŋklz/
	NAmE / 'krɪŋklz/
past simple, past participle	crinkled
	BrE / 'krɪŋkld/
	NAmE / 'krɪŋkld/
-ing form	crinkling
	BrE / 'krɪŋklɪŋ/
	NAmE / 'krɪŋklɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late Middle English: related to Old English crincan 'bend, yield, fall in battle', of Germanic origin.

noun

a very thin fold or line made on paper, cloth or skin

- There were crinkles at the corner of her eyes when she smiled.

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I. **crin·kle** ¹ /'krɪŋkəl/ BrE ^ˈ AmE ^ˈ (also **crinkle up**) *verb* [intransitive and transitive]

[Date: 1300-1400; Origin: Perhaps from Old English cringan; ⇒ ↑cringe]

1. if you crinkle part of your face, or if it crinkles, you move it so that small lines appear on it:
 - His mouth crinkled into a smile.
 - He smiled boyishly, crinkling his eyes.
 - Her face crinkled up in disgust.

2. to become covered with small folds, or make something do this:

- The heat was beginning to make the cellophane crinkle.

—**crinkled** *adjective:*

- The pages were brown and crinkled.

II. **crinkle** ² BrE ^ˈ AmE ^ˈ *noun* [countable]

a thin fold, especially in your skin or on cloth, paper etc ⇒ **crease:**

- The first crinkles of age were beginning to appear round her eyes.

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