

chromosome

[ˈkrəʊməsəʊm] *n* **биол.**

хромосома

chromosome map - рисунок расположения генов в хромосоме, хромосомная карта

chromosome set - набор хромосом

chromosome theory of heredity - хромосомная теория наследственности

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

chromo·some [chromosome chromosomes] *BrE* [ˈkrəʊməsəʊm] ^u *NAmE*

[ˈkrəʊməsəʊm] ^u **noun** (biology)

one of the very small structures like threads in the **nuclei** (= central parts) of animal and plant cells, that carry the **↑genes**

• Humans have 23 pairs of chromosomes in their cells.

see also **↑sex chromosome**, **↑X chromosome**, **↑Y chromosome**

Derived Word **↑chromosomal**

Word Origin:

late 19th cent.: coined in German from Greek *chrōma* 'colour' + *sōma* 'body'.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[**Date:** 1800-1900; **Language:** Greek; **Origin:** chroma (⇒ **↑chromatic**) + soma 'body'; because chromosomes easily take up coloring substances]

a part of every living cell that is shaped like a thread and contains the **↑genes** that control the size, shape etc that a plant or animal has ⇒ **y chromosome**

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