

kernel

[kɜːnl] *n*

1. 1) зерно
- 2) зёрнышко (*плода*)
- 3) ядро, ядрышко
kernel of a nut [of an almond] - ядро ореха [миндаля]
kernel of a cherry [of a peach] - косточка вишни [персика]
2. суть, сущность
the kernel of a narrative- суть рассказа
the true kernel of the matter /question/ - истинная сущность вопроса
like many stereotypes this contains a kernel of truth - как многие избитые фразы, и эта содержит зерно истины
3. 1) *физ.* керн, сердцевина (*частицы*)
- 2) *мат.* ядро
kernel mode - *вчт.* режим ядра
4. *метал.* стержень (*литейный*)
5. *лингв.* ядро, ядерное предложение (*тж.* kernel sentence)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

ker·nel [kernel kernels] *BrE* ['kɜːnl] *NAme* ['kɜːrnl] **noun**

1. the inner part of a nut or seed
2. the central, most important part of an idea or a subject
 - the kernel of her argument
 - There may be a kernel of truth (= a small amount of truth) in what she said.

Word Origin:

Old English cyrnel, diminutive of ↑corn (the plant).

Example Bank:

- pine/apricot kernels

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ker·nel /'kɜːnl/ *BrE* *AmE* **noun** [countable]

[*Language:* Old English; *Origin:* cyrnel, from corn; ⇨ ↑corn]

1. the part of a nut or seed inside the shell, or the part inside the stone of some fruits
2. [usually singular] one of the small yellow pieces on a corn ↑cob
3. [usually singular] the most important part of a statement, idea, plan etc **SYN core**
kernel of
This evidence is the kernel of the defendants' case.
4. [usually singular] a very small part or amount of something
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