

cucumber

[ˈkjuːkʌmbə] *n* **бom.**

огурец (*Cucumis sativus*)

sea cucumber - **зool.** голотурия, морской огурец (*Holothuria*)

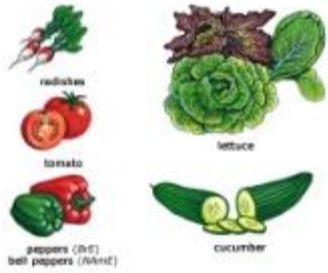
◇ cool as a cucumber - невозмутимый, хладнокровный

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cu·cum·ber [cucumber cucumbers] *BrE* [ˈkjuːkʌmbə] *NAmE* [ˈkjuːkʌmbər]

noun Salad vegetables countable, uncountable



a long vegetable with dark green skin and light green flesh that is usually eaten raw

see also ↑sea cucumber, **see** (as) cool as a cucumber **at** ↑cool *adj.*

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Old French *cocombre*, *coucombre*, from Latin *cucumis*, *cucumer-*.

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cu·cum·ber /ˈkjuːkʌmbə -ər/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [uncountable and countable]

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: *cocombre*, from Latin *cucumis*]



a long thin round vegetable with a dark green skin and a light green inside, usually eaten raw ⇒ **cool as a cucumber** **at** ↑cool¹(3)

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