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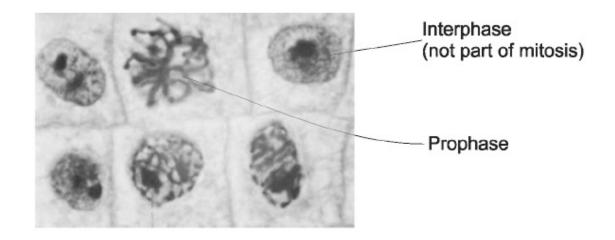
Chapter Ten: Reproduction

- 10.1 Growth and Cell Reproduction
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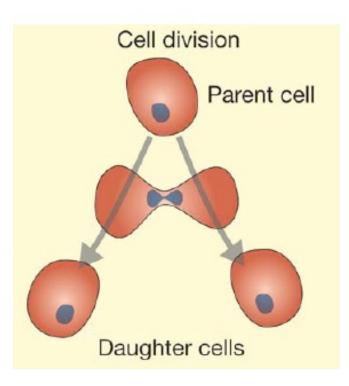
Investigation 10A Observing the Cell Cycle

• How much time is spent in different stages of the cell cycle?





10.1 Growth and Cell Reproduction

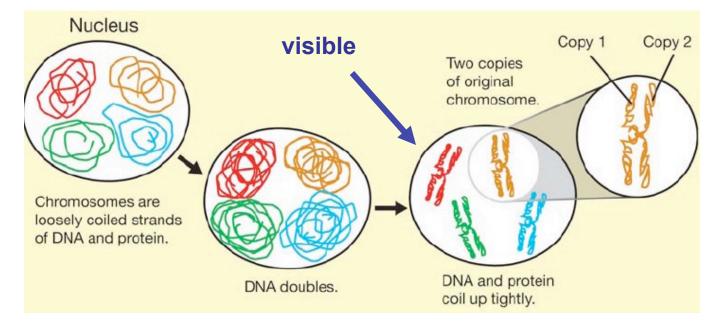


- The process of one cell dividing into two daughter cells is called cell division.
- Most of the cells in your body reproduce by dividing this way.



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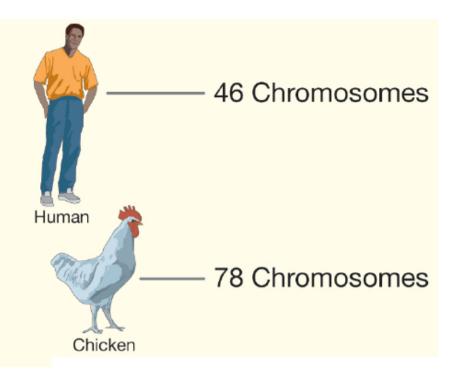
- A chromosome is a structure made of DNA and protein in cells with a nucleus.
- Individual chromosomes are not clearly visible under a microscope until just before a cell divides.





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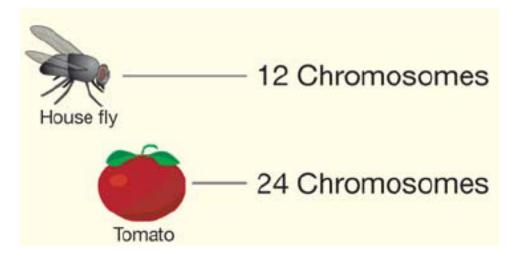
- Chromosomes organize the DNA.
- For example, humans have 46 chromosomes, but chickens have 78.





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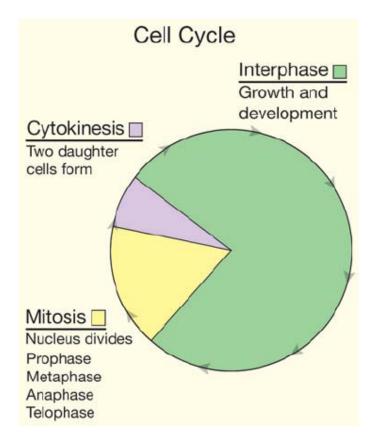
• A house fly has 12 chromosomes and a tomato plant has 24.



Does having more chromosomes mean the organism is more complex?



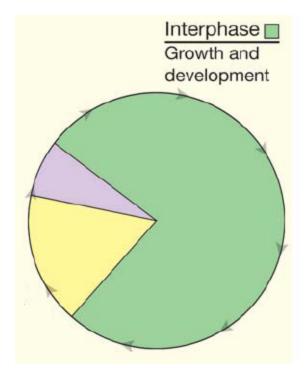
- The cell cycle is the period of time from the beginning of one cell division to the beginning of the next.
- It consists of three stages:
 - 1. interphase
 - 2. mitosis
 - 3. cytokinesis



Which part of the cell cycle takes the longest?



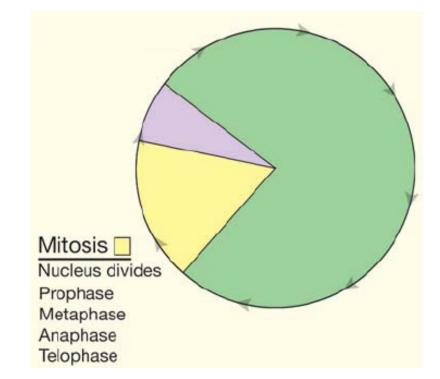
- Interphase is the stage that occurs in between cell divisions.
- During interphase the cell grows and develops and performs its functions.



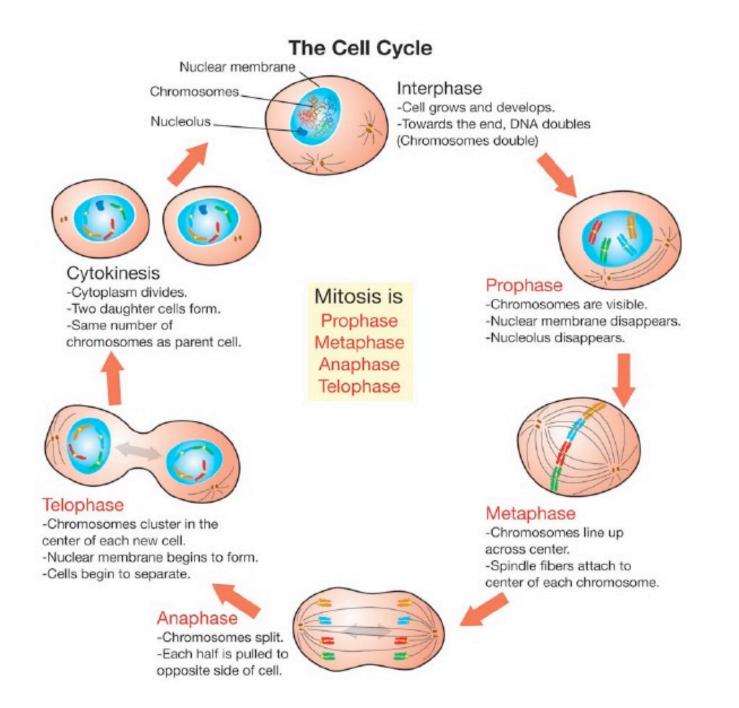
What stage follows interphase?



- Mitosis is the process in cell division where the nucleus divides into two nuclei, each with an identical set of chromosomes.
- Mitosis is divided into four phases:
 - 1. prophase
 - 2. metaphase
 - 3. anaphase
 - 4. telophase.

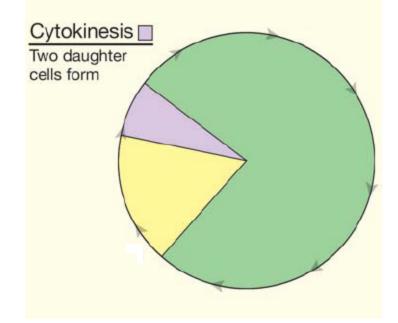


What stage follows mitosis?





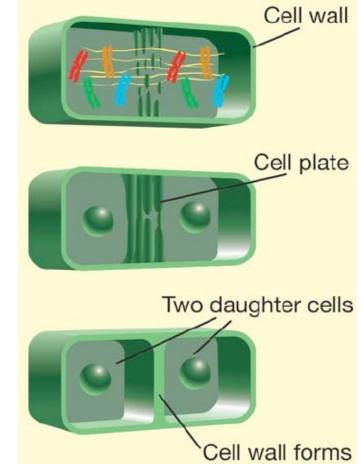
- The shortest stage of the cell cycle is called cytokinesis.
- In cytokinesis, the cytoplasm and its organelles divide into two daughter cells.

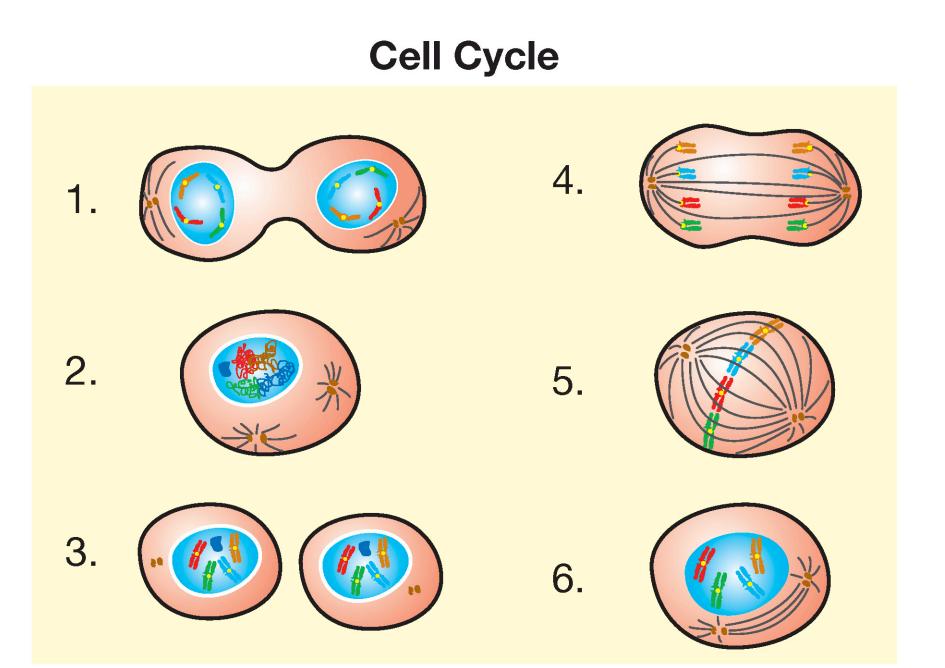




 Cytokinesis in plant cells is different because a cell plate forms.

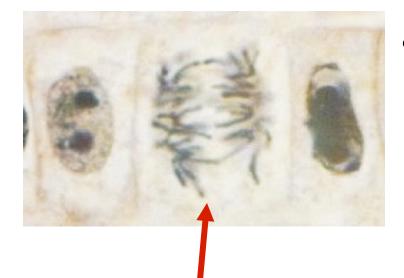
What stage follows cytokinesis?







10.1 Observing the cell cycle



Can you see what stage and phase this cell shows? With a microscope and specially prepared slides, we can observe the cell cycle and identify each part.