

# somatic cells *(so-mat-ic-cells)*

## Definition

plural n. Any cell of a living organism other than the reproductive cells.

## Example Sentence

**Somatic cells** make up most of the tissues and organs in the body.

## More Example Sentences

Unlike **somatic cells**, germ cells are involved in reproduction.

## Synonyms

body cells; non-reproductive cells; diploid cells

## Antonyms

germ cells; gametes; reproductive cells

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