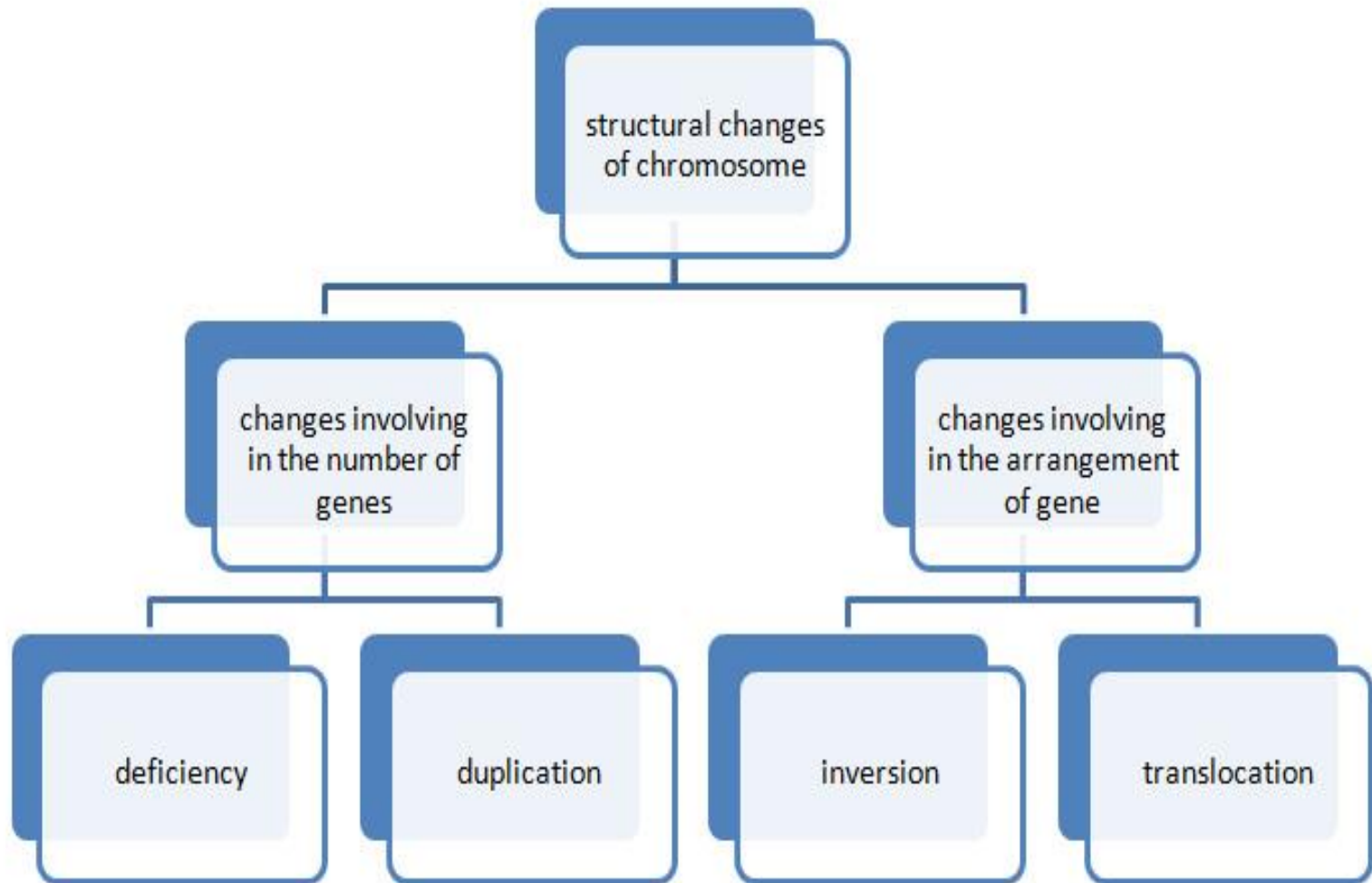
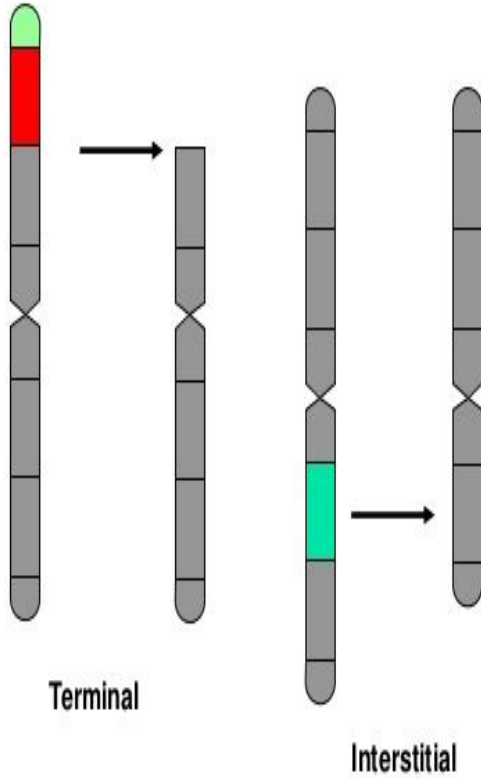


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# Deficiencies

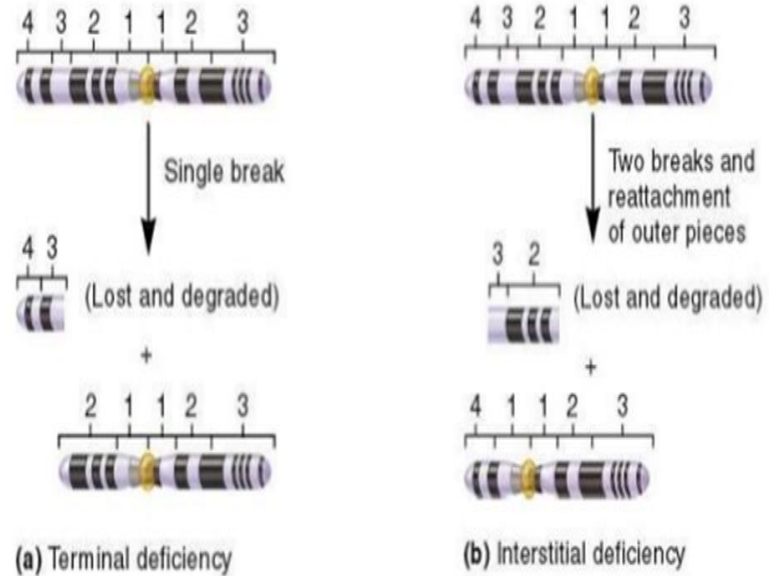
- Phenotypic consequences of deficiency depends on
  - Size of the deletion
  - Functions of the genes deleted
- Phenotypic effect of deletions usually detrimental



**Two types of deletion**

# Deletion

- Loss of a region of chromosome
- A chromosomal deficiency occurs when a chromosome breaks and a fragment is lost



(a) Terminal deficiency

(b) Interstitial deficiency

- Known disorders in humans include
- [Wolf-Hirschhorn syndrome](#), which is caused by partial deletion of the short arm of chromosome 4; and
- [Jacobsen syndrome](#), also called the terminal 11q deletion disorder.

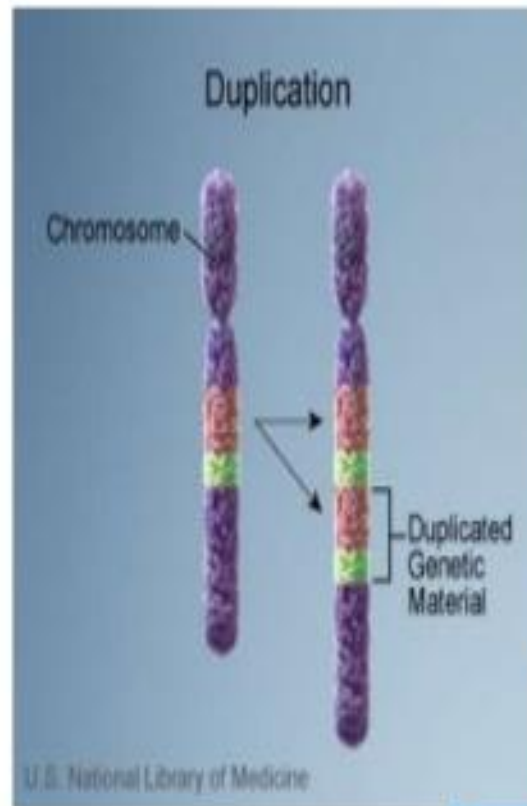
## Cri-du-chat Syndrome

- High-pitched cry
- intellectual disability
- delayed development
- small head size
- low birth weight
- weak muscle tone in infant



# Duplication

- ❖ *A duplication is a chromosomal mutation that results when a segment of DNA breaks off and attaches onto the homologous chromosome.*
- ❖ *There are different forms of chromosomal duplications or different tandem configuration* →
  1. *tandem*
  2. *reverse tandem*
  3. *terminal tandem*



**Fig. 8.7 Chromosomes of *Drosophila* species**

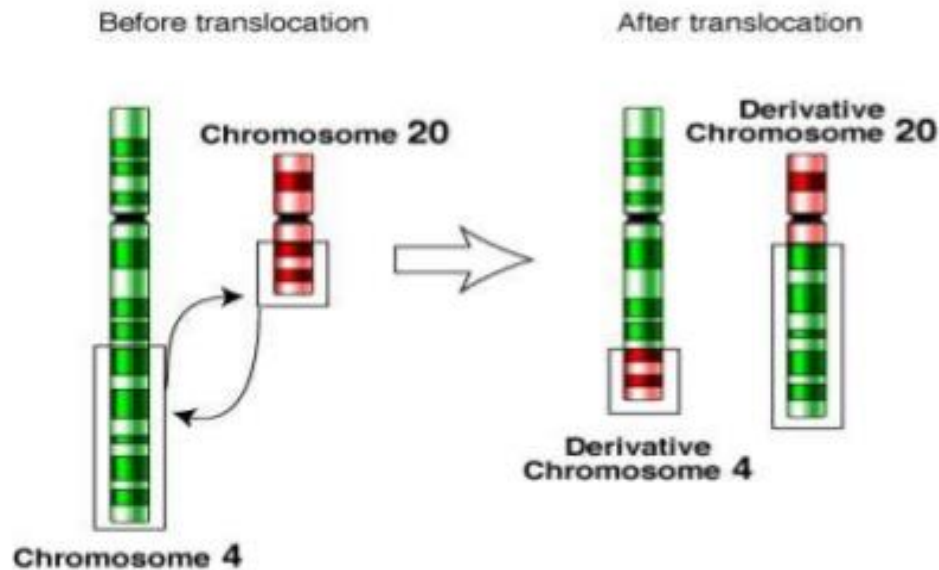


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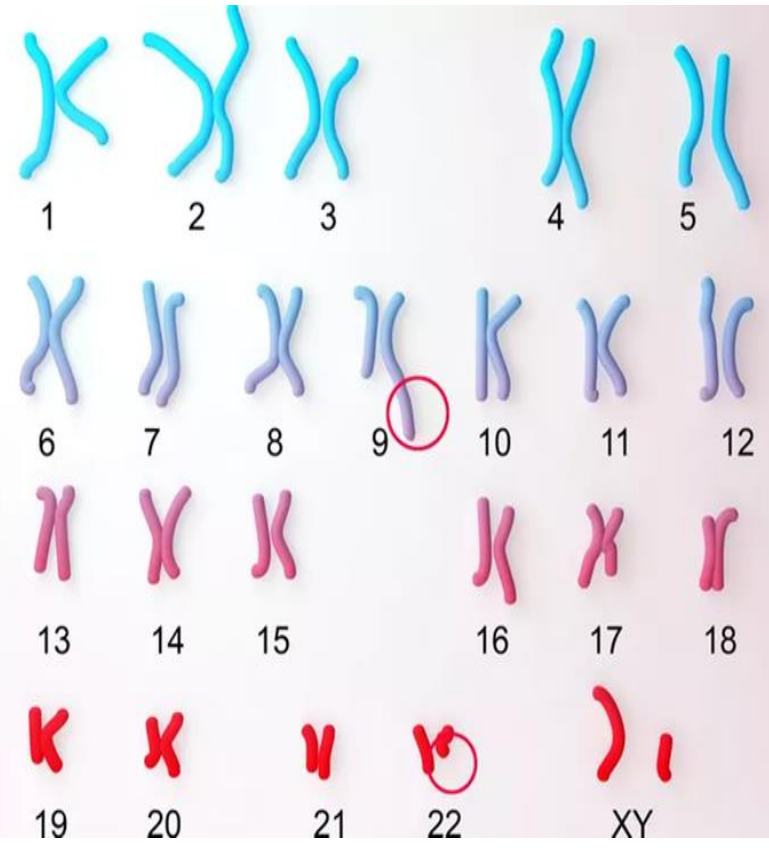
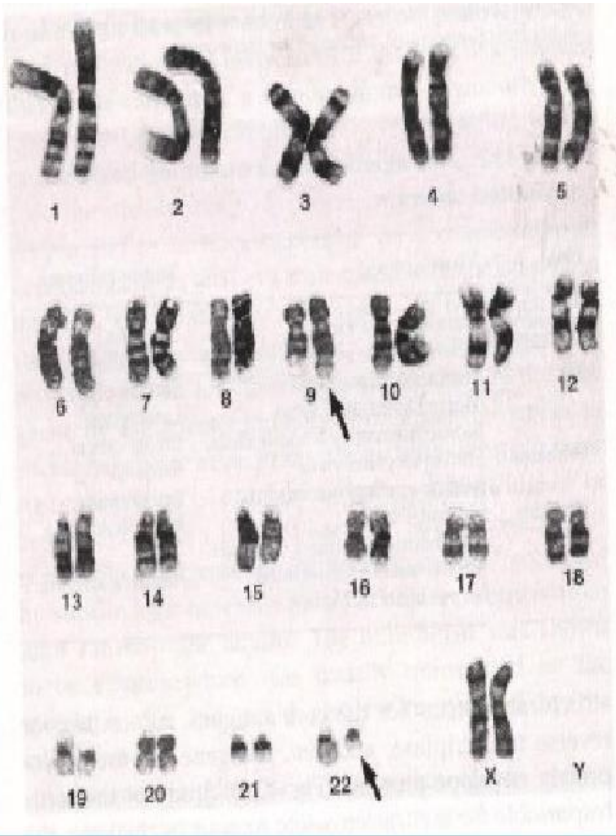
- Translocations: A portion of one chromosome is transferred to another chromosome. There are two main types of translocations:
- Reciprocal translocation: Segments from two different chromosomes have been exchanged.
- Robertsonian translocation: An entire chromosome has attached to another at the centromere - in humans these only occur with chromosomes 13, 14, 15, 21 and 22.

# Reciprocal Translocation

- Involves two chromosomes
- One break in each chromosome
- The two chromosomes exchange broken segments

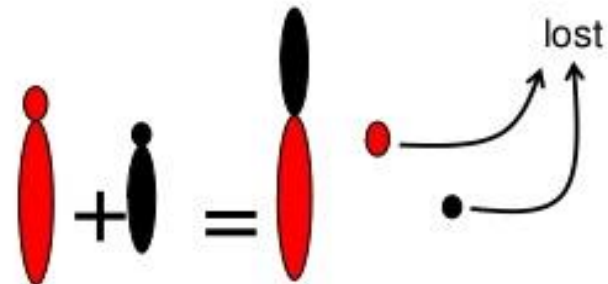
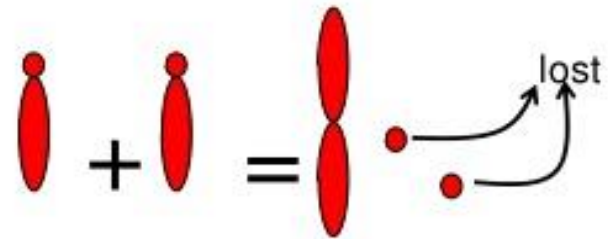


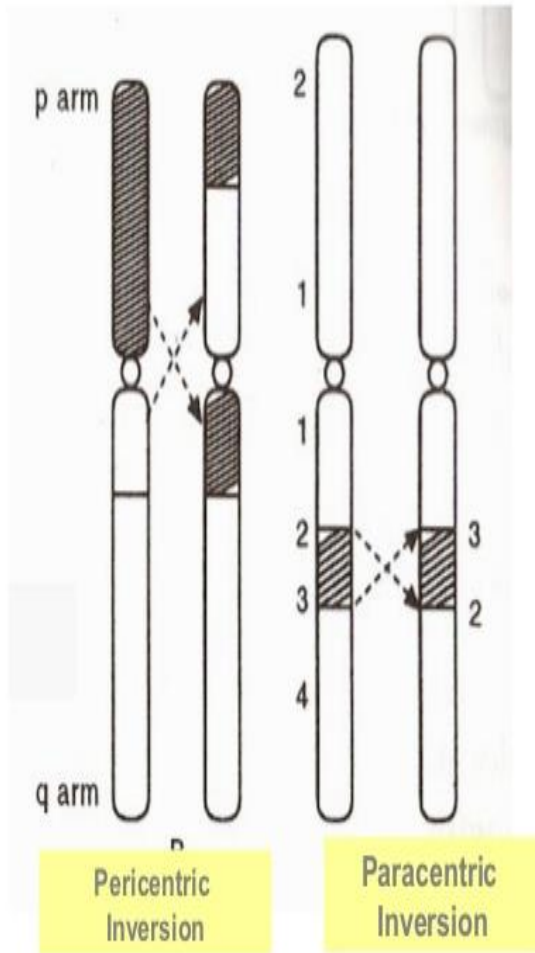




# Robertsonian Translocation

- Named after W. R. B. Robertson who first identified them in grasshoppers in 1916
- Most common structural chromosome abnormality in humans
  - Frequency = 1/1000 livebirths
- Involves two acrocentric chromosomes
- Two types
  - Homologous acrocentrics involved
  - Non-Homologous acrocentrics involved





## INVERSION

## Inversion

- A segment of chromosome that is flipped relative to that in the homologue
- Two breaks in one chromosome
- The fragment generated rotates 180° and reinserts into the chromosome

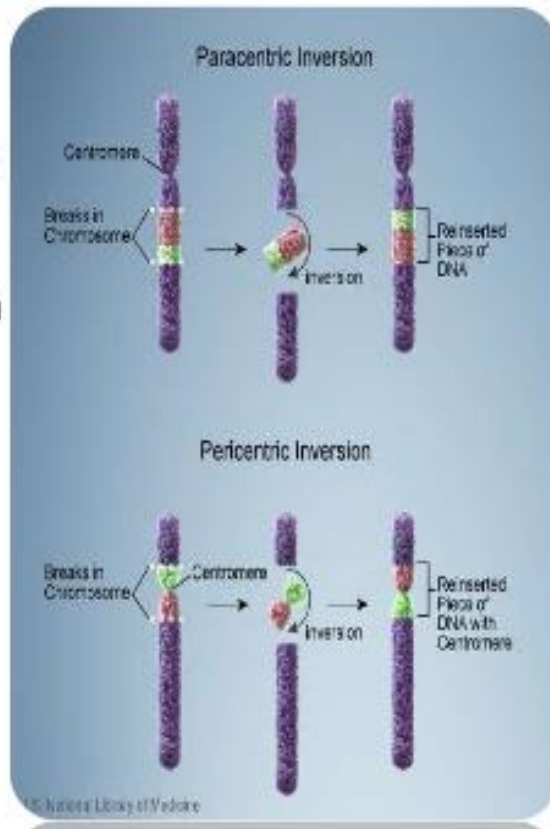
**Pericentric** -  
involves p and q  
arm



**Paracentric** -  
involves only  
one arm

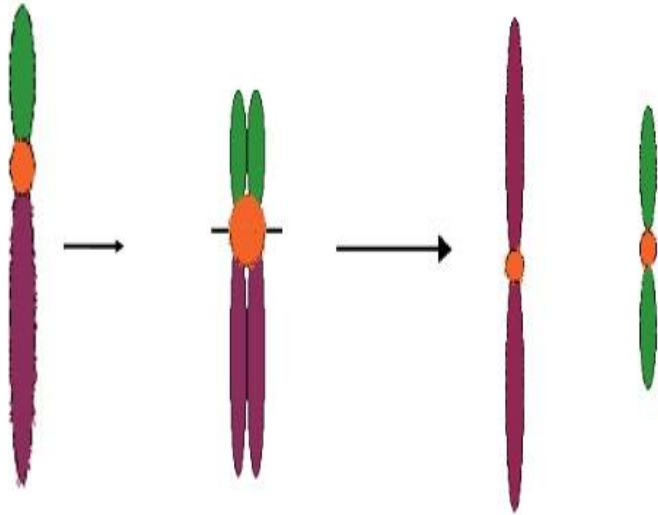


**If the centromere is not part of the rearranged chromosome segment, it is a paracentric inversion.**



**If the centromere is part of the inverted segment, it is described as a pericentric inversion.**

## Isochromosome (Transverse centromeric division)



Example:

- Long arm of X- chromosome remains, short arms lost
- Cytogenetic variant of Turner's syndrome

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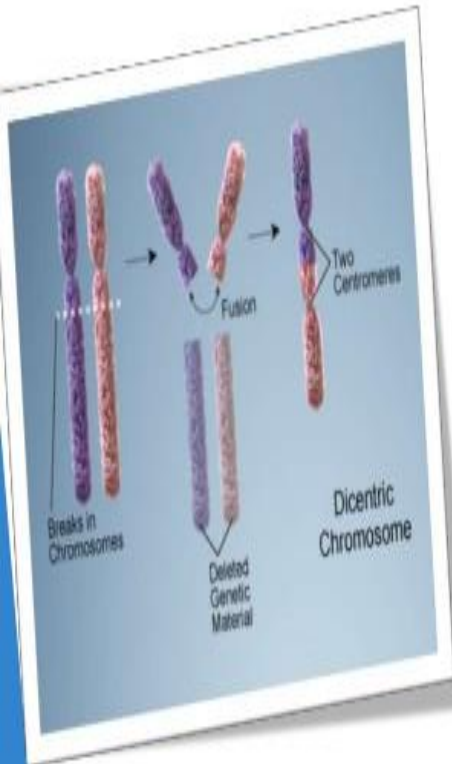
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### **Dicentric chromosomes:**

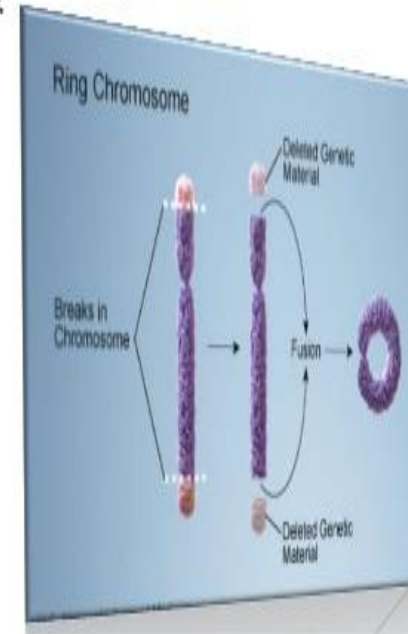
*Unlike normal chromosomes, which have a single constriction point (centromere), a dicentric chromosome contains two centromeres. Dicentric chromosomes result from the abnormal fusion of two chromosome pieces, each of which includes a centromere. These structures are unstable and often involve a loss of some genetic material.*



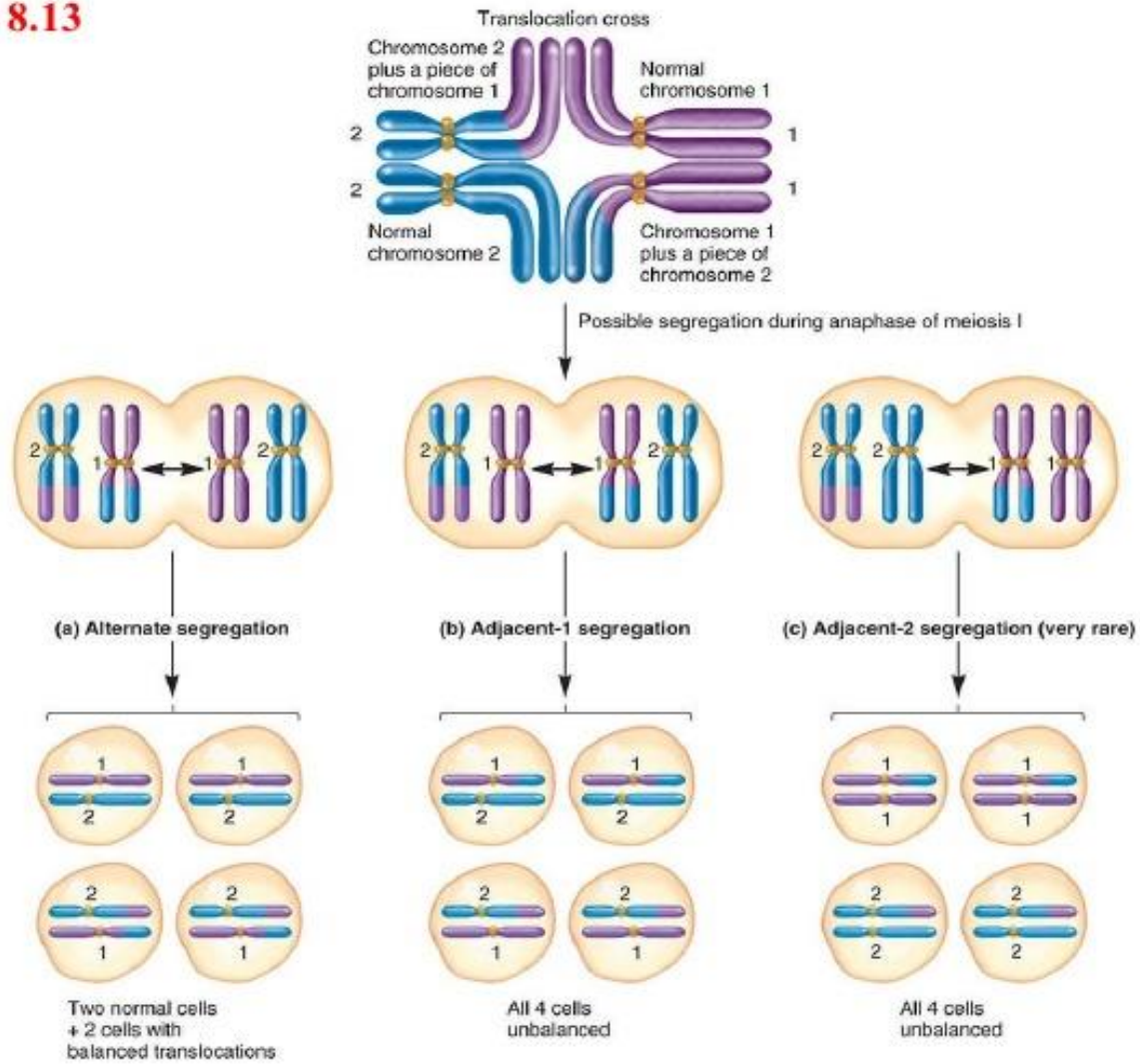
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### **Ring chromosomes:**

*Ring chromosomes usually occur when a chromosome breaks in two places and the ends of the chromosome arms fuse together to form a circular structure. The ring may or may not include the chromosome's constriction point (centromere). In many cases, genetic material near the ends of the chromosome is lost.*



**Figure 8.13**



**Chromosomal translocations play a large role in blood • cancers. It's estimated that translocation are presented in up to 90% of LYMPHOMAS and over 50% of LEUKEMIAS.**

**Following some examples :**

**t (8;22) : Acute myeloblastic leukemia**

**t (9;22) : Philadelphia Chromosome**

**t (15;17) : Acute promyelotic leukemia**

**t (12;15), t(1;12) Acute myelogenous leukemia**

**t (2;5) Anaplastic large cell lymphoma**

**t (8;14) Burkitt's lymphoma**

**t (11;14) Mantle cell lymphoma**

**t (14;18) Follicular lymphoma**



# **SOME Diseases resulted from chromosomal deletion •**

<b>Cri-du-chat (cat cry) Syndrome</b>	<b>46,XX/XY,5p15.2 / 46,XX/XY,5p15.3</b>
<b>Retinoblastoma</b>	<b>46,XX/XY,13q14</b>
<b>Wilms Tumor</b>	<b>46,XX/XY, 11P13</b>
<b>Wolf-Hirschhorn Syndrome</b>	<b>46, XX/XY, 4 short arm</b>
<b>Williams Syndrome</b>	<b>46,XX/XY, 4 long arm</b>
<b>Prader- Willi Syndrome Paternal</b>	<b>46,XX/XY,15 long arm (q11-q13) –</b>
<b>Angelman Syndeome Maternal</b>	<b>46,XX/XY, 15 long arm(q11-q13) --</b>

## **SOME types of chromosomal duplication**

Duplication of chromosome 4, short arm	46,XX/XY
Duplication of chromosome 4, long arm	46, XX/XY
Duplication of chromosome 7, long arm	46, XX/XY
Duplication of chromosome 9, short arm	46, XX/XY

## **Some types of chromosomal inversion/ below are 3 types of inversion in human chromosome**

Chromosomal inversion in human is known as  $\text{inv}(9)(\text{p}12\text{q}13)$  ( Paracentric inversion )

Chromosomal inversion in human is known as  $\text{inv}(3)(\text{q}24\text{q}27)$  { Pricentric inversion }

Chromosomal Inversion in human as  $\text{inv}(2)(\text{p}11.2\text{q}13)$  { Paracentric inversion }

## IMPORTANT NOTE

- في الملزمة الصفحتين ٤ ٢ و ٤ ٣ توجد ثلاثة جداول تتضمن عدد من التغييرات الصبغية \ الكروموسومية العددية و التركيبية و تأثيراتها في الانسان ، مثلا الجدول في صفحة ٤ ٢ يوضح التغييرات الصبغية \ الكروموسومية التركيبية خصوصا النوعين الفقدان و التضاعف و ماهي الاعراض التي تحدث عنها في الانسان.
- اما الجدولين في الصفحة ٤ ٣ فيوضحان ( الجدول الاول يبين المختصرات و ماذا تعني و الجدول الثاني يبين نوع التغيير و مفهومه )

**Thanks for your listening**

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