Hair Thickness: It's in Your Genes

play+aef53864f0, we could not determine your chances of having thick hair strands.

What makes hair thicker or thinner?

How thick or thin your individual strands of hair are depends on the size and shape of your hair follicles. Typically, people of East Asian descent have thicker hair strands than people of African or European descent.

Your genotype at one tested marker

One genetic marker seems to play a big role in determining the thickness of your hair strands. This genetic marker is in a gene called EDAR that is important for hair follicle development. Unfortunately, we could not determine your result at this marker. This can happen because of random test error or other factors that interfere with the test.

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Result: Result not determined

Scientific Details

Results based on genetic associations found in the following studies:


Mou C et al. (2008). "Enhanced ectodysplasin-A receptor (EDAR) signaling alters multiple fiber characteristics to produce the East Asian hair form." Hum Mutat. 29(12):1405-11.


Keep in mind that this result is for informational purposes only.
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play+899dd6e9f, your genetics make you less likely to have thick hair strands.

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play+fdb6bac0bb, your genetics make you more likely to have thick hair strands

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Result: More likely to have thick hair strands

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