# Genetika 4. Determinasi Sex

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#### Human Chromosomes

• 22 pair of autosomes

Everyone has these

- 1 pair of sex chromosomes
  - Different for each sex
  - Non-identical but act homologous (no crossover)
- Homologous chromosomes interact, then segregate from one another during meiosis

## Y Chromosome

- Small chromosome
- Fewer than two dozen genes identified
- SRY gene = male

## <u>X chromosome</u>

- Large Chromosome
- Carries more than 2,300 genes
- Most genes deal with nonsexual traits
- Expressed in both males and females

#### Human Sex Determination

