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syn·ge·ne·ic  (sĭn'jə-nē ĭk)

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adj.

Genetically identical or closely related, so as to allow tissue transplant; immunologically compatible: *syngeneic* grafts; *syngeneic* mice.

[From Greek *sungeneia*, kinship : *syn-*, *syn-* + *genos*, family; see **genə-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

syn·ge·ne i·cal·ly *adv.*

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