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gros·grain  (grō grān')

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n.

1. A closely woven silk or rayon fabric with narrow horizontal ribs.
2. A ribbon made of this fabric.

[French *gros grain*, coarse texture : *gros*, coarse, thick (from Old French; see [GROSS](#)) + *grain*, texture, grain (from Old French *graine*, grain, seed; see [GRAIN](#)).]

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