

**scrum**

[skrʌm] *n разг.*

1. *спорт.* = scrumage | 2
2. толпа; давка, толкотня  
present-buying scrums - предпраздничная давка в магазинах

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**scrum** [skrʌm skrʌms] *BrE* [skrʌm] <sup>ⓘ</sup> *NAmE* [skrʌm] <sup>ⓘ</sup> **noun**

1. (*also formal* **scrum·mage**) a part of a ↑**rugby** game when players from both sides link themselves together in a group, with their heads down, and push against the other side. The ball is then thrown between them and each side tries to get it.
2. the group of players who link themselves together in a **scrum**
3. (*especially BrE*) a crowd of people who are pushing each other
  - There was a real scrum when the bus arrived

See also: ↑**scrummage**

Word Origin:

late 19th cent.: abbreviation of ↑**scrummage**.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[**Date:** 1800-1900; **Origin:** scrummage 'scrum' (19-21 centuries), from scrummage]

1. [**countable**] a part of a game of ↑**rugby** when the players all push together in a circle, with their heads down, and try to get the ball
2. [**singular**] *British English informal* a crowd of people who are all close together and pushing each other to try to get something:  
He struggled through the scrum of people to the kitchen.

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