configuration Apresyan (En-Ru) [kən,fıgjv'reı](ə)n] n 1. конфигурация, очертание, форма configuration of the ground - воен. рельефместности 2. астр. конфигурация, видимое положение светила относительно Солнца 3. хим. конфигурация, пространственная связь атомов в молекуле 4. психол. склад (психики) personality configuration - склад личности configuration Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed. configuration [configuration configurations] BrE [ken,fige/rei[n] * NAmE [kən,figjə'rei[n] noun 1. (formal or technical) an arrangement of the parts of sth or a group of things; the form or shape that this arrangement produces 2. (computing) the equipment and programs that form a computer system and the way that these are set up to run Word Origin: mid 16th cent. (denoting the relative position of celestial objects): from late Latin configuratio(n-), from Latin configurare 'shape after a pattern', from con- 'together' + figurare 'to shape'. Example Bank: • The design is based on four configurations of squares.

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configuration /kən,fɪgə'reɪʃən, -gjə- \$ -gjə-/ BrE AmE noun [uncountable and countable]

1. formal or technical the shape or arrangement of the parts of something SYN layout configuration of

the configuration of pistons in an engine

• The stars seemed to appear in a different configuration.

2. technical the combination of equipment needed to run a computer system

There was a changing configuration of lights coming from the stadium.

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