# Mandibular Right First Molar 

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# MANDIBULAR FIRST MOLAR 

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## Mandibular first molar

- It is the sixth mandibular tooth from the median line
- It is the largest tooth in the mandibular arch



## Buccal Aspect

- the crown is roughly trapezoidal.
- The occlusal side is longer than cervical



## Mandibular first molar

$\square$ It has five well developed cusps: two buccal, two lingual, and one distal
$\square$ It has two welldeveloped roots, one mesial and one distal


## Buccal Aspect

- Two developmental grooves appear on the crown portion. The mesiobuccal and the distobuccal developmental groove
- Mesial developmental groove is shorter than distal
- The cervical line is regular, dipping apically toward the root bifurcation.



## Buccal Aspect

- The 2buccal cusps,distal cusp and tips of its lingual cusps can be seen
- The outline of all cusps are convex
- The mesiobuccal, distobuccal, and distal cusps are relatively flat in comparison with
 lingual cusp


## Buccal Aspect

- The two buccal cusps make up $80 \%$ of the buccal surface of the crown
- The distal cusp, is small, and more rounded (pointed) making 20\%.
- The mesiobuccal cusp is usually the widest mesiodistally of the three cusps.


## Buccal aspect

- mesial outline is concave (nearly straight)
- Mesial contact are at the junction of occlusal and middle third
- distal outline is nearly straight
- Distal contact area is little cervical than mesial because of distal cusp shorter than mesiobuccal cusp

Mesiobuccal=11mm Mesiobuccal at cervix $=9 \mathrm{~mm}$


## Mesial Aspect

$\square$ two cusps and one root only are to be seen: the mesiobuccal and mesiolingual cusps and the mesial root
$\square$ The buccal cusp is flat, sharpness of the mesiolingual cusp can be noted
Dthe cervical line is irregular and higher lingually than buccally about 1 mm higher.


## Mesial Aspect

- The buccal outline is convex above the cervical line.
- on the buccal side the crest of curvature is at the junction of the cervical and middle third
- Above the cervical ridge the outline become straighter or flat to the buccal cusp
- The lingual outline of the crown is straight
- The crest of the lingual contour is located at the center of the middle third of the crown



## Occlusal Aspect

$\square$ hexagonal from the occlusal aspect
$\square$ The crown measurement is about1 mm greater mesiodistally than buccolingually.
$\square$ The buccolingual measurement of the crown is greater on the mesial than on the distal side

## Occlusal Aspect

The crown taper lingually
$\square$ Mesiodistal measurment buccaly greater than lingually
$\square$ great part of the buccal surface may be seen, whereas only a small portion of the lingual surface may be seen

## Occlusal surface

DThe mesiobuccal cusp is slightly larger than either of the two lingual cusps, which are almost equal to each other in size
$\square$ the distobuccal cusp is smaller than any one of the other three mentioned
$\square$ the distal cusp the smallest of all.


## Occlusal surface

One major fossa: is the central fossa it is centrally placed on the occlusal surface


## Occlusal surface

- central developmental groove
- mesiobuccal developmental groove,
- distobuccal developmental groove,
- lingual developmental groove.


## Occlusal surface



Mesiobuccal=11mm Mesiobuccal at cervix $=9 \mathrm{~mm}$


- intercuspal $=5 \mathrm{~mm}$
- buccolingual $=10.5 \mathrm{~mm}$
- Buccolingual at cervix $=9 \mathrm{~mm}$


