Family Tree Sizes

A family tree is a diagram outlining the linkages and relationships of a family. With this, it is important to take note of the different family tree sizes for different purposes, mediums, and kinds.

Family Tree Sizes Standard

A family tree is used in school projects, documents for inheritance and property, research tools for family studies, and records for ancestry. These documents serve different purposes, regardless a family tree must be in the average dimension to ensure its quality and efficiency.

US Letter

The US Letter size is 8.5 inches x 11 inches or 215.9 mm x 279.4 mm. This paper size is wider than other paper sizes and is perfect for a family tree, especially for a horizontal layout. US Letter size is commonly used in the US and other neighboring countries for documents and other paper trails.

A4 Sizes

A4 size is 8.27 inches x 11.69 inches or 210 mm x 297 mm. A4 is relatively taller than US Letter size and is used for family trees in various countries worldwide. A4 is a good canvas for a family tree because of its extra inches high that may come in handy for inverted family trees.

Stationery

A stationery size is 8 inches by 10 inches. The stationery size is also called 8R. As the name suggests, a stationery size is commonly used for stationery like posters, photo prints, wall art, postcards, etc.

Family Tree Sizes for Print

Family trees in print are not a common thing it is depending on the culture and beliefs of a family, however, other families prefer to display their family tree in their homes as part of their decoration and family heritage. In printing a family tree, most families prefer bigger paper sizes which range from 11 inches x 14 inches to 60 x 78 inches, and an average size of 22 x 44 inches, not too large, and not too small just enough to showcase the family ancestry. The material for the family trees is often that of a poster or those in large paper rolls that allows custom sizing.

Family Tree Sizes for Print

11" Inches

14" Inches

78" Inches

60" Inches

44" Inches

22" Inches

Family Tree Sizes for MS Word

The default document size of MS Word is Letter at 8.5 inches x 11 inches. You have the option to change and adjust the size depending on the kind of document you are making. For family trees, the default Letter size can suffice, but MS Word also offers different size options, such as Legal, A3, A4, B4, B5, and custom.
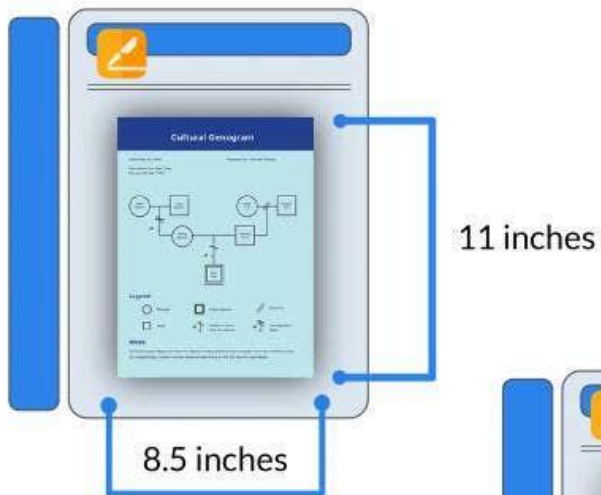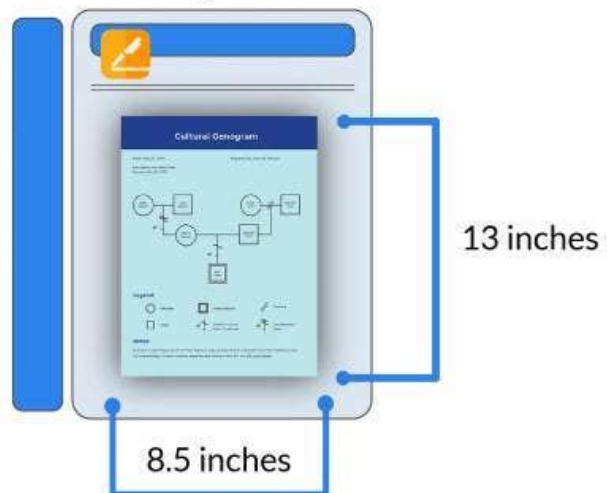
Family Tree Sizes for Apple Pages

The default paper size for Apple Pages is the same as MS Word at US Letter of 8.5 inches x 11 inches. This size works well in creating a family tree, however, Apple Pages has more size recommendations for you to use, like US Legal, Executive, 8.5 x 13, A4, A5, B5, JB5, Executive(JIS), Postcard (JIS), Double Postcard (JIS), and many other custom size options. Apple Pages allows you to easily manage other document elements, such as document format, file layout, font style, and font size.
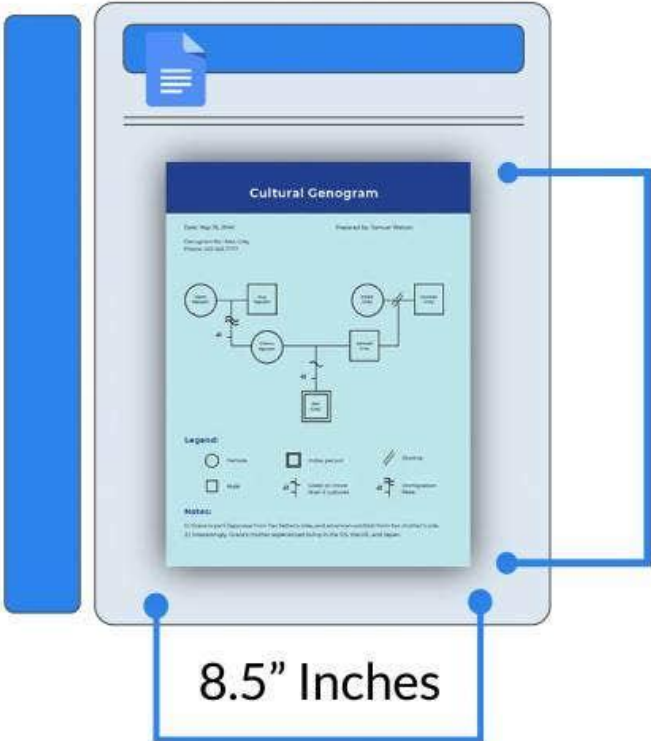
Family Tree Sizes for Apple Pages

Letter

11 inches

8.5 inches

Legal

13 inches

8.5 inches

Family Tree Sizes for Google Docs

Among all the word-processing software above, Google Docs is among the most accessible and relatively easy to use. Google Docs has the same default paper size as the two above, Letters 8.5 inches wide by 11 inches high. For family trees, the standard size and default Google Docs size are the same which instantly makes family tree creation easier and more efficient in Google Docs.

FAQs

How big can a family tree be?

A family tree can be whatever size you want, but the minimum standard is US Letter, A4 Size, and Stationery, and the maximum size in print is 60 x 78 inches.

What is the layout of a family tree?

A family tree layout can be in a tree form, line graph, bar graph, horizontal pedigree chart, and other kinds of graphs and charts.

How can I change font size in family tree?

The changing of font size in your family tree depends on the software you are using, for most, you can simply toggle the font size to show the different font sizes.

How to make a large wall-sized pedigree family tree?

Making a large-wall-sized pedigree family chart is not easy for normal people, it needs to be made by a professional maker or printing company because of its size and material requirement.

What are the dimensions of family tree?

The standard and average dimensions of a family tree are US Letter size at 8.5 x 11 inches, A4 size at 8.27 inches x 11.69 inches, and Stationery at 8 inches x 10 inches.

How to print a family tree in 8?x 10? size?

Ask for an 8R size in the printing shop, and ensure that the print size and paper size are Stationery at 8 x 10 inches.

How to scale the family tree size?

Scaling a family tree size depends on the software or program you are using, initially, you only need to decide on the paper size or choose between templates.

What is the average size of a family tree in inches?

The average size of a family tree in inches is 8.5 inches x 11 inches the Letter size, or other standard sizes are A4 at 8.27 inches x 11.69 inches and Stationery at 8 x 10 inches.

How to print your family tree in perfect size using Word?

Make sure to set your page layout correctly, and choose the appropriate font style and size, orientation, and proper printing dimensions.

What font size should be used for family tree

The normal font size uses in pre-made templates and family tree generators are 6 and 7, however, they appear smaller when printed, so a recommended font size of 8 to 12 can suffice.