

GENETIC

PROBLEMS

I

SOLUTIONS



#3

IF B = BLACK  
b = WHITE

a.) BLACK GUINEA PIG.  
B\_?



TEST CROSS

BLACK      WHITE  
B\_      x      bb

IF BB THEN ALL OFFSPRING BLACK  
BUT IF Bb THEN 50% BLACK  
50% WHITE

a.) GETTING A WHITE PIG.  
(EVERY ONE)

b.) TEST CROSS

#4

B = BLACK  
b = WHITE

BLACK x WHITE

a.) IF 23 OFFSPRING BLACK THEN BLACK BB

b.) IF 12 OFFSPRING BLACK AND ONE IS WHITE THEN

BLACK WAS

Bb.

#5

B = BLACK  
b = WHITE



a) Prob of 1 Black is  $\frac{3}{4}$ .  
 So Prob of 3 uses Rule  
 of Mult Intere  $(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4}) = \frac{27}{64}$

b) Prob of B, B, w, w  
 $(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4}) = \frac{9}{256}$

c) Prob 3 Black 1 White  
 $(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4}) = \frac{27}{512}$

d) A Black or A white or

Scenario #1  $(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{3}{64}$   
 BF WM

Scenario #2  $(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{3}{64}$   
 WM BF

$\frac{3}{64} + \frac{3}{64} = \frac{6}{64}$

Rule of Addition

#6 B = Black      Prob. of Black is  $\frac{3}{4}$   
 b = white      Prob. of white is  $\frac{1}{4}$   
 Bb x Bb

a)

BBBw	→	$(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})$	=	$\frac{27}{256}$
BBwB	→	$(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{3}{4})$	=	$\frac{27}{256}$
BwBB	→		=	$\frac{27}{256}$
wBBB	→		=	$\frac{27}{256}$
			+	$\frac{27}{256}$
				$\frac{108}{256} = \frac{27}{64}$

b)

BBww	→	$(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{3}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4})$	=	$\frac{9}{256}$
BwwB				$\frac{9}{256}$
wBBw				$\frac{9}{256}$
wwBB				$\frac{9}{256}$
wBwB				$\frac{9}{256}$
BwBw				$\frac{9}{256}$
			+	$\frac{9}{256}$
				$\frac{54}{256} = \frac{27}{128}$

c)

MmMf	→	$(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{2})$	=	$\frac{1}{16}$
MmFm				$\frac{1}{16}$
MfMm				$\frac{1}{16}$
FmMm				$\frac{1}{16}$
			+	$\frac{1}{16}$
				$\frac{4}{16} = \frac{1}{4}$

#7 RED x WHITE →  
 ↓  
 1:2:1

\* NOTE: A COMPLETE DOMINANCE SITUATION  
 WOULD LEAD TO A 3:1 PHENOTYPIC  
 RATIO!

↳ GENE INTERACTIONS EITHER CO-DOMINANCE OR  
 INCOMPLETE DOMINANCE

- b.) IF PINK SHOWS UP THEN INCOMPLETE DOMINANCE  
 c.) IF RED & WHITE MIXED SHOWS UP THEN CO-DOMINANCE

#8

a)  $C^R C^R \times C^W C^W = P_{RW} = 1:0$ ,  $C_{RW} = 1:0$   
 All Red All  $C^R C^W$

b)  $C^R C^W \times C^W C^W$   
 1:1 1:1  
 50% Red 50%  $C^R C^W$   
 50% White 50%  $C^W C^W$

c)  $C^R C^W \times C^R C^R$   
 1:1 1:1  
 50% Red 50%  $C^R C^W$   
 50% Red 50%  $C^R C^R$

#9

a) Bull x Cow

↓  
2 CRW, 6 CRK, 1 CW CW

BOTH PARENTS ARE CRW x CRW  
(RatN) (RatN) VERY CONFIDENT.

b) Bull x Cow

2 CRK

NEITHER PARENT CAN BE WHITE VERY CONFIDENT  
BUT PARENTS CAN BE RATN OR RED AND RETNLY  
ANY COMBO OF THE TWO

c) Bull x Cow

17 CW CW

BOTH PARENTS ARE WHITE (CW CW) VERY CONFIDENT

#10 No. in these gene interactions the hybrid  
Genotypes Result in phenotypes different  
from the Homozygous dominant Genotype.

#11 Bull x Cow  
P<sup>1</sup>Q<sup>1</sup>R<sup>1</sup> x P<sup>2</sup>Q<sup>2</sup>R<sup>2</sup>

a) Red, white, horn  $\rightarrow (\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{32}$   
Red Horn, white  $\rightarrow (\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4}) = \frac{1}{32}$   
Horn, Red, white  $= \frac{1}{32}$   
Horn, white, Red  $= \frac{1}{32}$   
white, Red, Horn  $= \frac{1}{32}$   
white, Horn, Red  $= \frac{1}{32}$

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$$\frac{6}{32} = \frac{3}{16}$$

b.) Red, white, Horn.

$$(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{4})(\frac{1}{2}) = \frac{1}{32}$$



#12

AMPUTATED = aa (LETHAL)  
NORMAL = AA  
Aa (CARRIER)

a.) Bull x Cow

$$Aa \quad Aa = \begin{array}{c} A \quad a \\ A \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline AA & Aa \\ \hline \end{array} \\ a \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline Aa & \cancel{aa} \\ \hline \end{array} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{PHENOTYPE} \\ 3:0 \\ \text{NORMAL} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{GENOTYPE} \\ 2:1 \\ Aa:AA \end{array}$$

b.) Bull x Cow

$$Aa \quad x \quad AA = \begin{array}{c} A \quad a \\ A \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline AA & Aa \\ \hline \end{array} \\ A \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline AA & Aa \\ \hline \end{array} \end{array} = \begin{array}{l} \text{PHENOTYPE} \\ 4:0 \\ \text{NORMAL} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{GENOTYPE} \\ 1:1 \\ AA:Aa \end{array}$$

#13

$$\text{Bull } (Aa) \times \text{Cow } (Aa) \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} A \quad a \\ A \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline AA & Aa \\ \hline \end{array} \\ a \quad \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline Aa & \cancel{aa} \\ \hline \end{array} \end{array}$$

a) NON CARRIER, FEMALE AND CARRIER, MALE

$$\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{2}{36} = \frac{1}{18}$$

b.)

$$\begin{array}{l} CCN \rightarrow \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{27} \\ CNC = \frac{4}{27} \\ NCC = \frac{4}{27} \\ \hline + \frac{4}{27} \end{array} \quad \frac{12}{27}$$

#14

a) Woman (O) x Man (AB)

	i	i
$I^A$	$I^A i$	$I^A i$
$I^B$	$I^B i$	$I^B i$

Pheno: 1:1  
A : B

Geno: 1:1  
 $I^A i$  :  $I^B i$

b) Woman (AB) x Man (AB)

	$I^A$	$I^B$
$I^A$	$I^A I^A$	AB
$I^B$	AB	$I^B I^B$

Pheno: 1:2:1  
A : AB : B

Geno: 1:2:1  
 $I^A I^A$  :  $I^A I^B$  :  $I^B I^B$

#15

Women x Men

a) O x A

	i	i
$I^A$		

Possible	Impossible
A	AB
O	B

b) A x B

	$I^A$	i
$I^B$		

All None

c) B x AB

	$I^B$	i
$I^A$		
$I^B$		

A  
B  
O  
AB

#16

a) Mom (?) x Husband (O)

DAUGHTER  
(A)  $I^A i$   
or  
 $I^A I^A$

	$I^A$	
$i$	$I^A i$	$i$
$i$	$i$	$i$

Mom could be  $I^A$  (A)  
or  $I^A I^B$  (AB)

b) Mom (?) x Husband (AB)

SON  
(A)  $I^A$

	$I^A$	$I^B$
$I^A$	$I^A I^A$	$I^A I^B$
$I^B$	$I^A I^B$	$I^B I^B$

Mom could be ANYTHING  
(Any blood type). But could  
NOT be homozygous B

c) Mom (?) x Husband (O)

DAUGHTER (B)  
 $I^B$

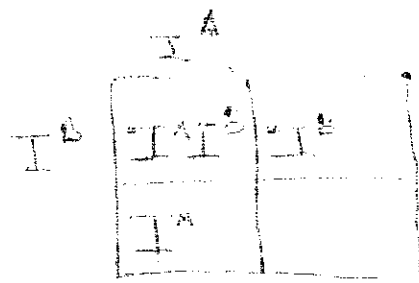
SON (A)  
 $I^A$

	$i$	$i$
$I^A$	$i$	$i$
$I^B$	$i$	$i$

Mom is DEFINITELY  
 $I^A I^B$  (AB)

#17 Wanda (A) x Howard (B)

$I^A$        $I^B$



a) DAUGHTER C

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{8}$$

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Assuming of course both parents are heterozygous. In fact we will assume parents are carriers for the remaining problem as well for simplicity's sake.

b.) Kid A, Kid A

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{16}$$

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c.) Son A, Daughter A

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{64}$$

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d.) Son A, Daughter A  
 Daughter A, Son A

$$= \frac{1}{64} + \frac{1}{64}$$

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$$\frac{2}{64} = \frac{1}{32}$$

$A^1A^1 = \text{BROWN (AA)}$   
 $A^2A^2 = \text{YELLOW}$   
 $AA = \text{AGOSTI}$   
 $Aa = \text{AGOSTI}$   
 $aa = \text{BLACK}$

1)  $A^1A^1 \times A^1a$

	$A^1$	$a$	
$A^1$	$A^1A^1$	$A^1a$	Phenoc 2:1 yellow: AGOSTI
$a$	$A^1a$	$aa$	

Genoc  
 1:1:1  
 $A^1A^1 : A^1a : aa$

2)  $AA \times Aa$

$AA$	$\times$	$Aa$	Phenoc 1:0 All AGOSTI
$Aa$	$\times$	$AA$	
$AA$	$\times$	$AA$	

Genoc  
 1:1  
 or 1:0

3)  $Aa \times Aa$

$Aa$	$\times$	$Aa$	Phenoc 3:1 AGOSTI : BLACK
$Aa$	$\times$	$Aa$	

Genoc  
 1:2:1  
 $AA : Aa : aa$

4)  $AA \times aa$

$AA$	$\times$	$aa$	Phenoc 1:0 All AGOSTI
$Aa$	$\times$	$aa$	

Genoc  
 1:0  
 All  $Aa$

5)  $Aa \times aa$

$Aa$	$\times$	$aa$	Phenoc 1:1 AGOSTI : BLACK
$Aa$	$\times$	$aa$	

Genoc  
 $AA : Aa$

#19

$A^y A^y = \text{LETHAL (EARLY)}$   
 $A^y \_ = \text{YELLOW}$   
 $AA = \text{AGOUTI}$   
 $Aa = \text{AGOUTI}$   
 $aa = \text{BLACK}$

}  $A^y > A > a$

a) AGOUTI FEMALE x YELLOW MALE  
 $A\_ \times A^y\_$

0% CHANCE NO WAY TO PRODUCE  $A^y A^y$  OFFSPRING.

b.) FEMALE YELLOW x MALE BLACK  
 $A^y A \times aa$

0% DITTO

c.) YELLOW FEMALE x BLACK MALE  
 $A^y\_ \times aa$

0% CHANCE IF FEMALE IS  $A^y a$  (CARRYING a ALLELE) BUT IF SHE CARRIES THE A ALLELE

Titus ↓

	$A^y$	$A$
$a$		$Aa$
$a$		$Aa$

50% CHANCE

#20

$C$  = Full color  
 $Cc^{ch}$  = GRAY  
 $c^{ch}c^{ch}$  = CHINCHILLA

Full FEMALE UNKNOWN GENOTYPE

$C?$  x MATE WITH MALE CHINCHILLA

So

	$c^{ch}$	$c^{ch}$
$C$	$Cc^{ch}$	$Cc^{ch}$
$?$	$c^{ch}$	$c^{ch}$

50% will be Full

BUT IF THE OTHER 50% IS CHINCHILLA THEN FEMALE IS  $Cc^{ch}$

OR

IF 50% IS GRAY THEN SHE IS  $Cc$

OR

IF ALL OFFSPRING ARE FULL THEN SHE MUST BE A PUREBRED  $CC$