

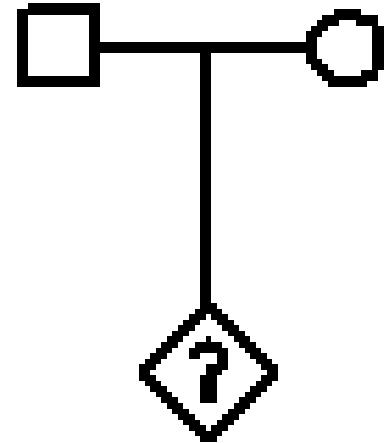
Genetic risk calculations: recessive disease

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Problem

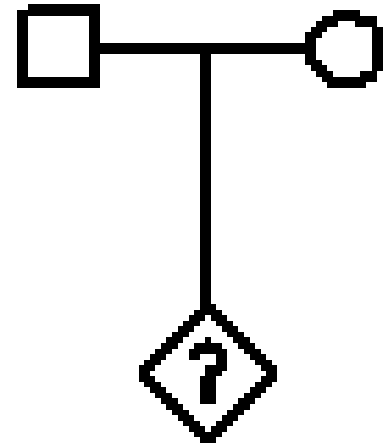
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 - $P(M) = q$
 - $P(D|MM)=1$
 - $P(D|MN)=P(D|MM)=0$
- What is the risk for “?”



Solution

- $P(\text{MN}|\text{person is unaffected}) = ?$

	H-MM	H-NM	H-NN	
Prior, $P(H_i)$	q^2	$2qp$	p^2	
Conditional, $P(X H_i)$	0,0	1,0	1,0	Total, $P(X)$
Joint, $P(H_i)P(X H_i)$	0,0	$2qp$	p^2	$p(2q+p)$
Posterior, $P(H_i X)$	0,0	$2q/(2q+p)$	$p/(2q+p)$	



$$= 2q / (2q + p) =$$

$$= 2q / (2q + 1 - q) = 2q / (1 + q)$$

$$- \text{if } q \rightarrow 0 \text{ } P(\text{MN}|\text{unaffected}) \approx 2q$$

- Risk for the child of unaffected parents:

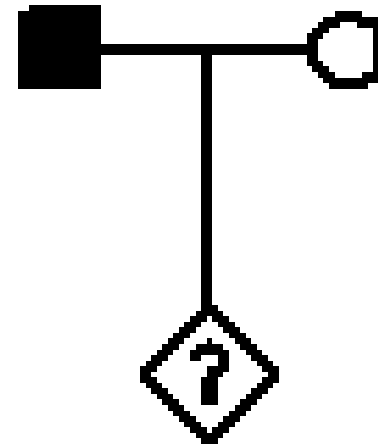
$$\frac{1}{4} P(\text{fa}=\text{MN}, \text{mo}=\text{MN}|\text{fa}, \text{mo}=\text{Unaffected}) =$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} P(\text{MN}|\text{person is unaffected})^2 = q^2 / (1 + q)^2$$

$$- \text{if } q \rightarrow 0 \text{ risk} \approx q^2$$

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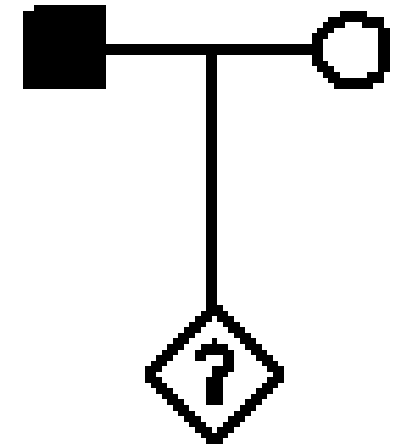
- $P(MN|person\ is\ unaffected) =$
 $= 2q / (2q + p) =$
 $= 2q / (2q + 1 - p) = 2q / (1 + q)$

- Risk for the child:

$$\frac{1}{2} P(mo=MN|mo=Unaffected) =$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} 2q / (1 + q) = q / (1 + q)$$

- if $q \rightarrow 0$ risk $\approx q$

- Relative risk for a child of affected person = $1/q$



Task

- Given the carrier frequency is $1/30$ (CF case).
compute
 - Risk for a child of unaffected parents
 - Risk for a child of affected mother and unaffected father
 - Relative risk for a child of an affected parent

Solution, approximate

- Carrier frequency
 - $q_a = \text{carr.freq}/2 \Rightarrow q_a = 1/60 = 0.0167$
- risk for a child of unaffected parents
 - $q_a^2 = 1/3600 = 0.000278$
- risk for a child of affected mother and unaffected father
 - $q_a = 1/60 = 0.0165$
- Relative risk for a child of an affected parent
 - $1/q_a^2 = 60$

Solution, exact

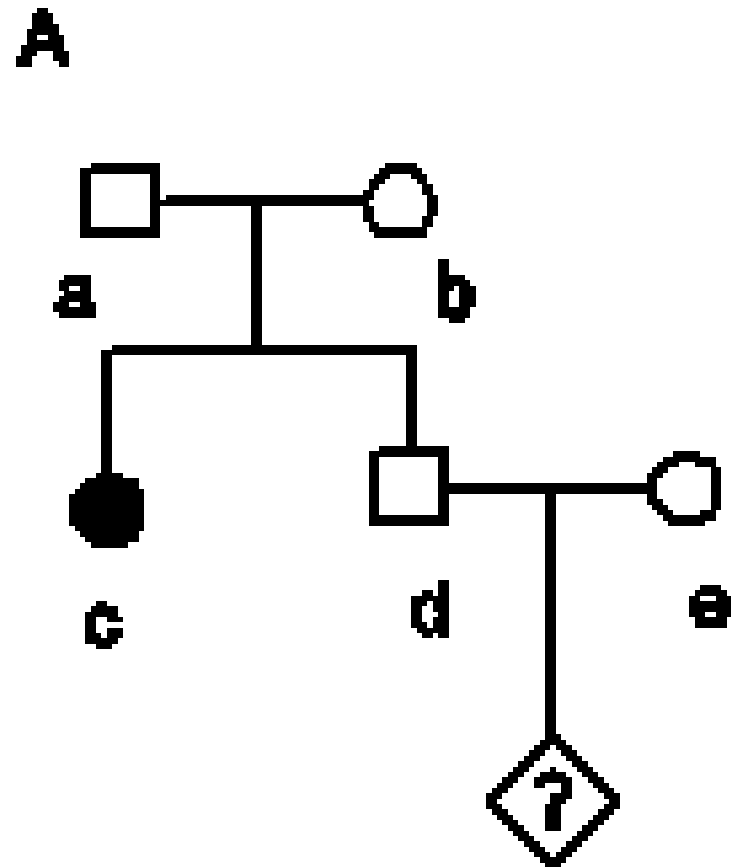
- Carrier frequency
 - $q_e = 1 - \sqrt{(1 - \text{carr.freq.})} \Rightarrow q_e = 0.0168$ (0.8% more)
- risk for a child of unaffected parents
 - $q_e^2 / (1+q_e)^2 = 0.000273$ (1.7 % less)
- risk for a child of affected mother and unaffected father
 - $q_e / (1+q_e) = 0.0165$
- Relative risk for a child of an affected parent
 - $1/q_e = 60.5$

Solution, comparison

carrier freq	0,03		
	exact	approx	Error, %
q	0,01681	0,01667	0,84
both parents U	0,00027	0,00028	-1,66
one parent D	0,01653	0,01667	-0,83
RR	60,49576	60,00000	0,82

Problem

- Recessive model
 - $P(M) = 1/40 = 2.5\%$
 - $P(D|MM)=1$
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- What is the risk for “?”



Solution (a)

(a) compute risk that “e” is a heterozygote given “e” is not affected

H_{MM} : “e” is MM

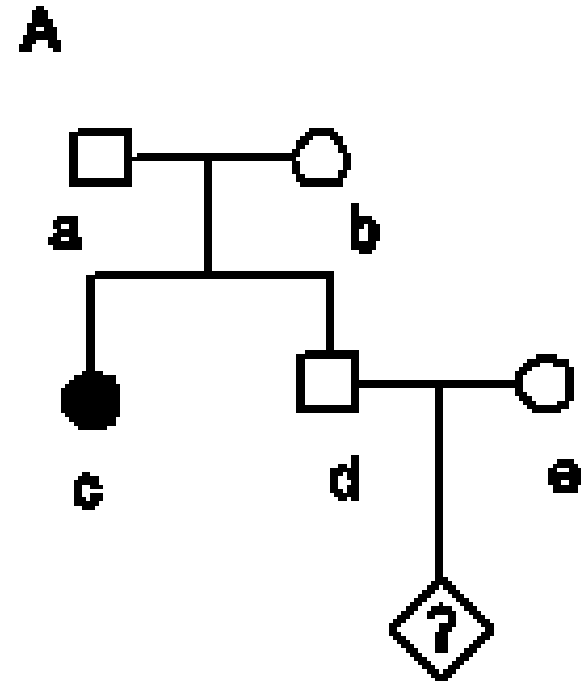
H_{MN} : “e” is MN

H_{NN} : “e” is NN

$$P(H_{MM}) = 1/40 * 1/40 = 1/1600$$

$$P(H_{MN}) = 2 * 1/40 * 39/40 = 78/1600$$

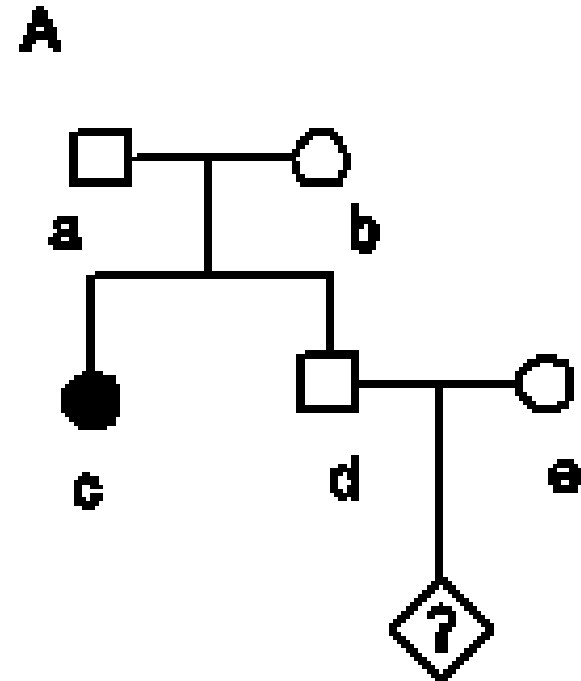
$$P(H_{NN}) = 39/40 * 39/40 = 1521/1600$$



Solution (a)

(a) compute risk that “e” is a heterozygote given “e” is not affected

$$P(e=MN|e \text{ is Unaffected}) = \\ = 2q / (1 + q) = 0.049$$



Solution (b)

(b) compute risk that “d” is heterozygote, given pedigree data

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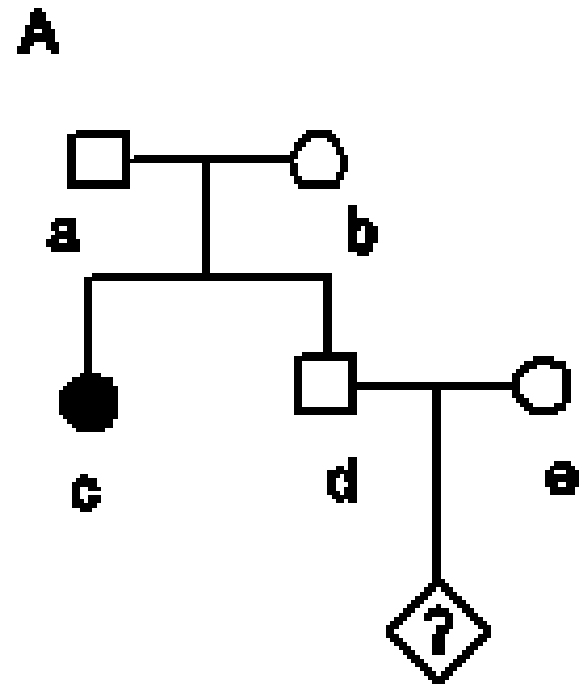
H_{MN} : “d” is MN

H_{NN} : “d” is NN

$$P(H_{MM}) = 1/4$$

$$P(H_{MN}) = 1/2$$

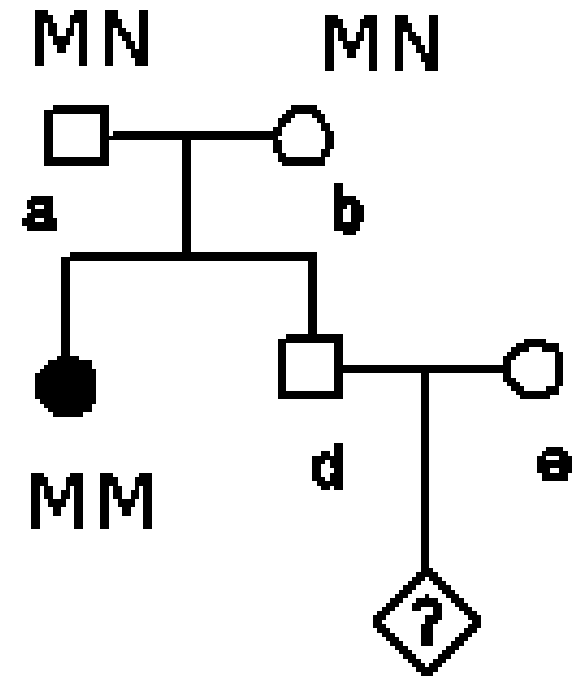
$$P(H_{NN}) = 1/4$$



Solution (b)

(b) compute risk that “d” is heterozygote, given pedigree data

	H-MM	H-NM	H-NN	
Prior, $P(H_i)$	0,25000	0,50000	0,25000	
Conditional, $P(X H_i)$	0,00000	1,00000	1,00000	Total, $P(X)$
Joint, $P(H_i)P(X H_i)$	0,00000	0,50000	0,25000	0,75000
Posterior, $P(H_i X)$	0,00000	0,66667	0,33333	1,00000



$$P(d=MN|\text{pedigree, } d \text{ is Unaffected}) \\ = 2/3$$

Solution (c)

(c) Risk is

$P(e=MN|e \text{ is Unaffected}) \times$

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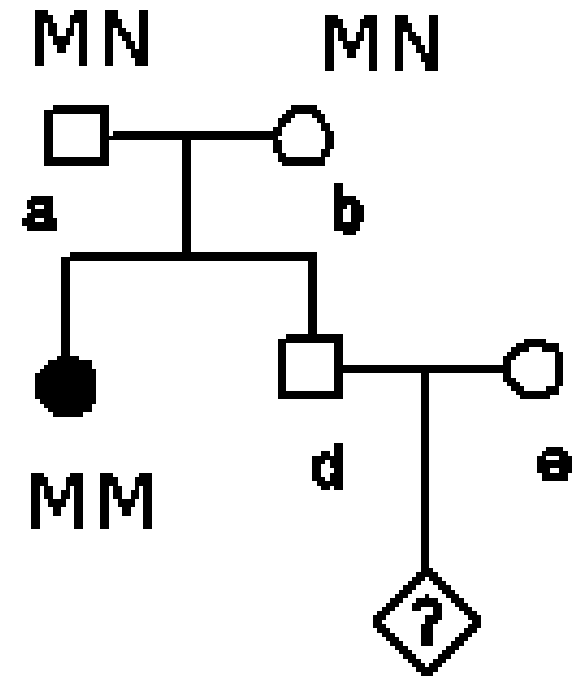
$1/4 =$

$= 0.049 \times 2/3 \times 1/4 =$

$= 0.008$

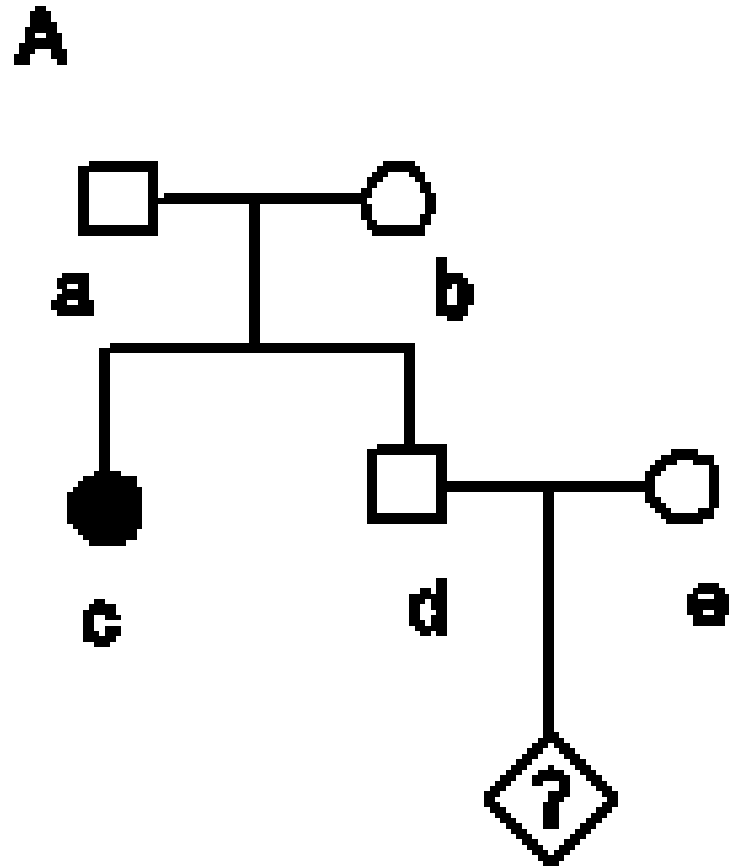
$RR = 0.008/(1/1600) =$

$1600 \times 0.008 = 12.8$



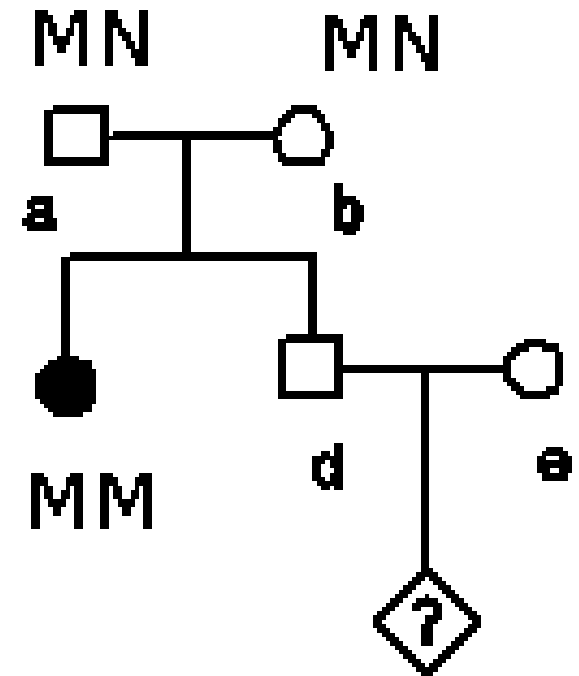
Generalization

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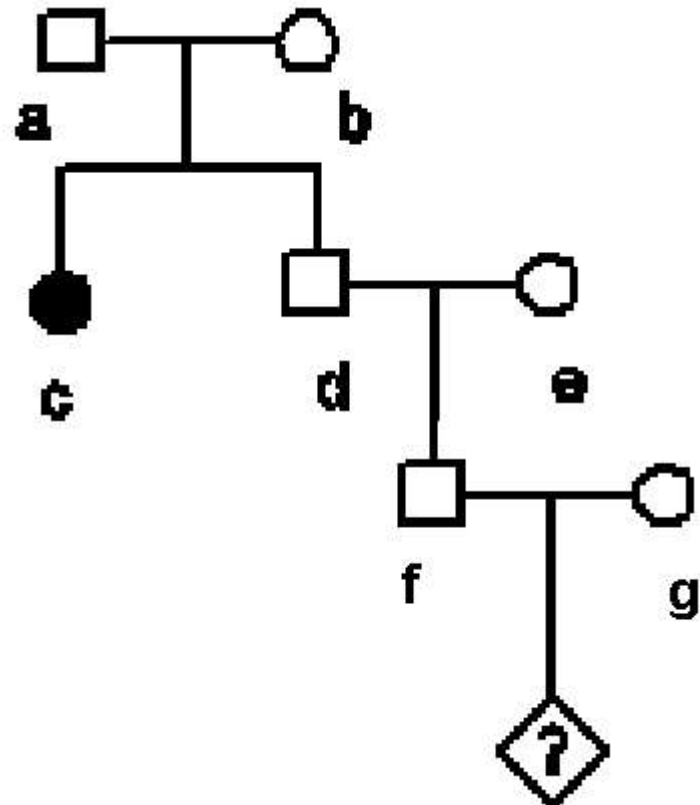
Solution for q

- $P(e \text{ is MN} | X1, q) = 2q / (1 + q)$
- $P(e \text{ is MN} | X1, q) = 2/3$
- Risk for “?” is
 $\frac{1}{4} P(e \text{ is MN} | X1, q) P(e \text{ is MN} | X1, q) =$
 $= q / (3 (1 + q))$



Task

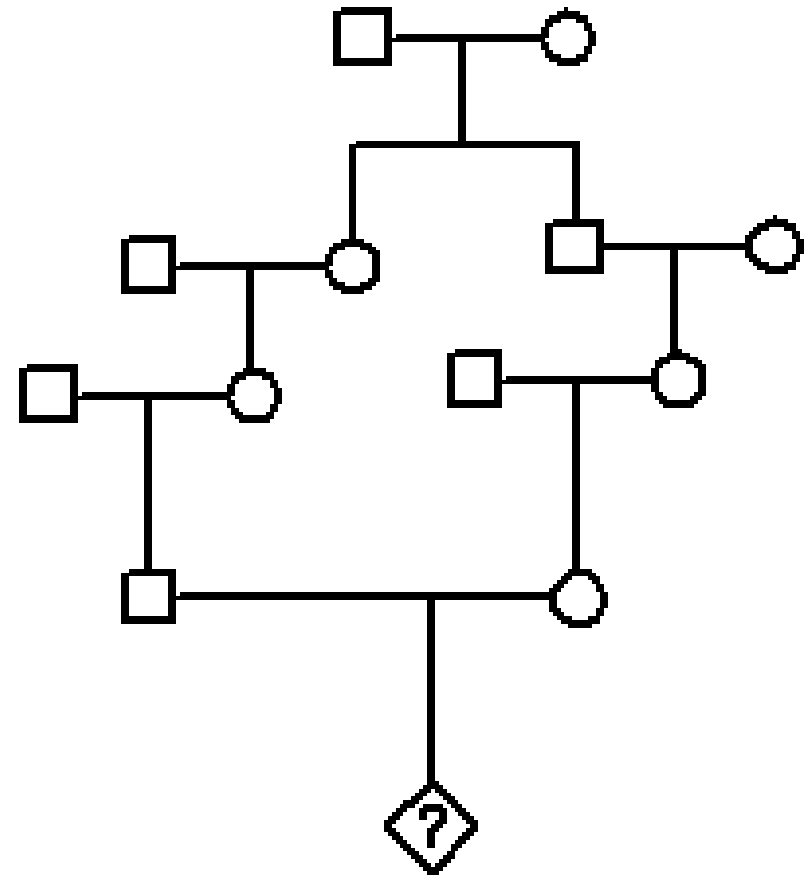
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Answer

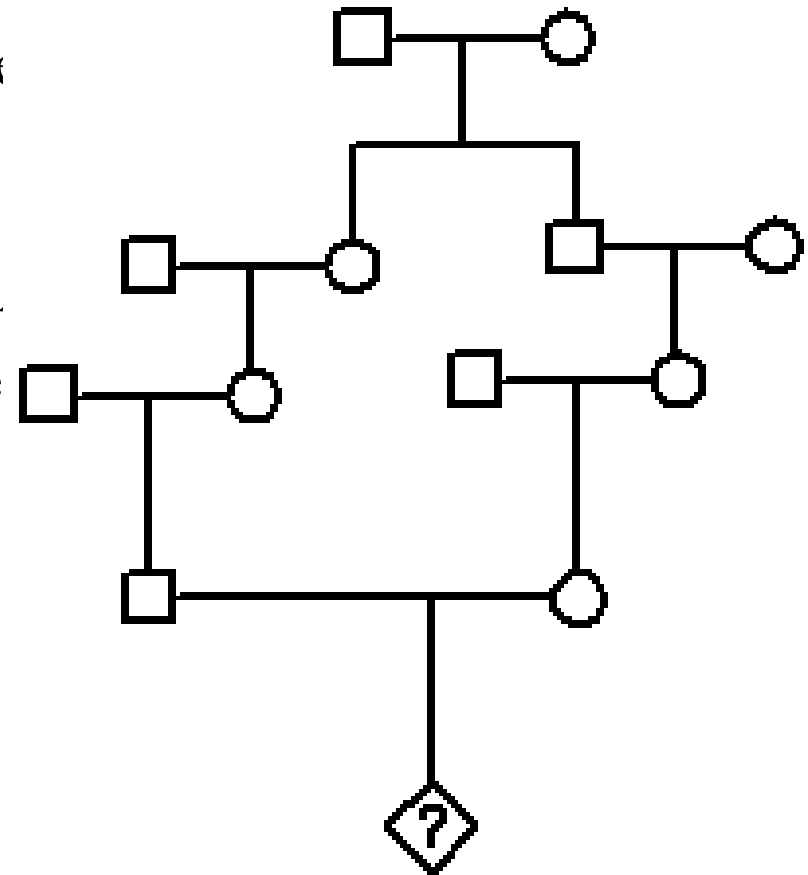
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- Recessive model
- Let $q \rightarrow 0$
 - then only one source of mutation must be in the pedigree
- ...What is the risk for “?”



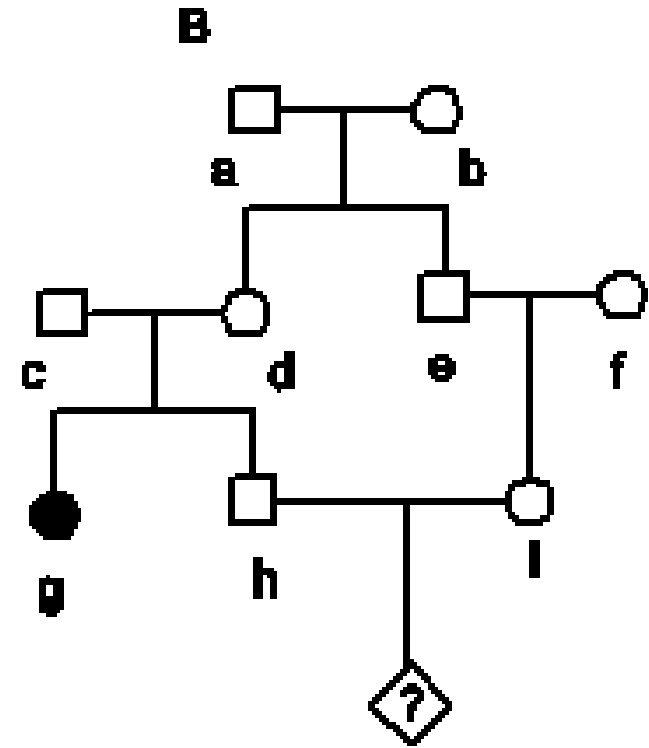
Solution

- ...What is the risk for “?”
 - Parents at first generation must be MN x NN
 - $\Pr(\text{MN} \times \text{NN}) \approx 2 \cdot 2q = 4q$
 - Probability that M is transmitted by both parents of the child of interest is $\frac{1}{2}^6 = 1/64$
 - Risk for child is
 - $4q \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{64} = q / 64 = qF$
 - Relative risk for a child of first cousin marriage is
 - $(qF)/q^2 = F/q = 1 / (64q)$
 - if $q = 0.1\%$ then $RR = 15.6$



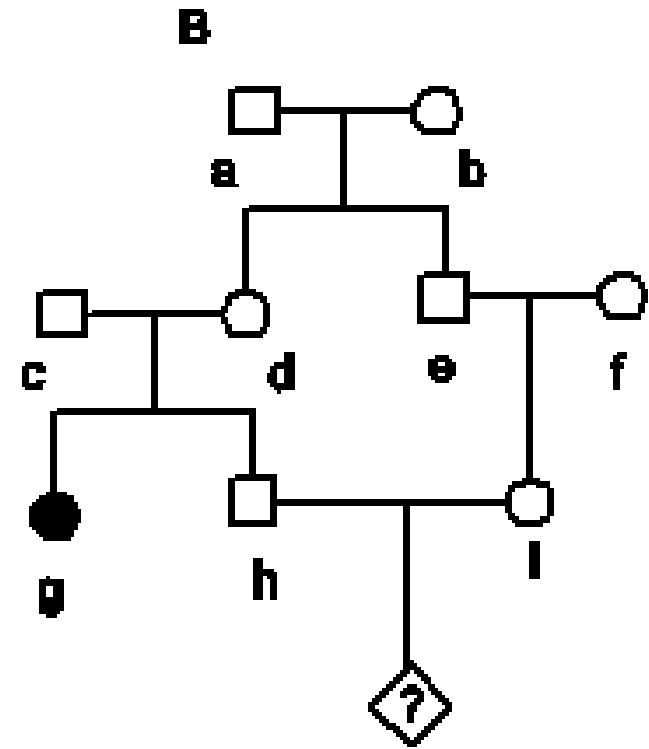
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- Recessive model
 - $P(M) = q$
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- What is the risk for “?”
 - $P(h=MN|X) = 2/3$
 - $P(i=MN|X) = ?$
 - Risk = $\frac{1}{4} \frac{2}{3} P(I=MN|X)$



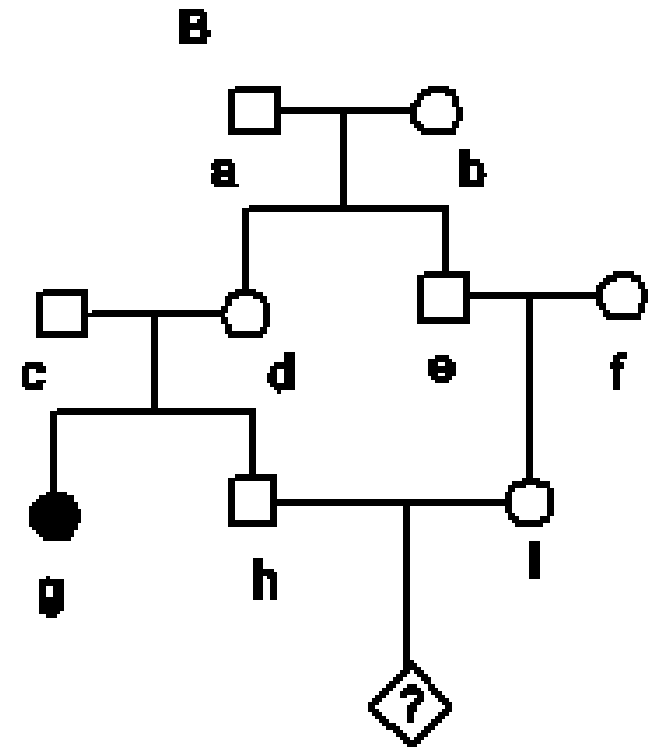
Ideas

- Let $q \rightarrow 0$
 - then only one source of mutation must be in the pedigree
 - we know that “d” is a carrier
 - ...



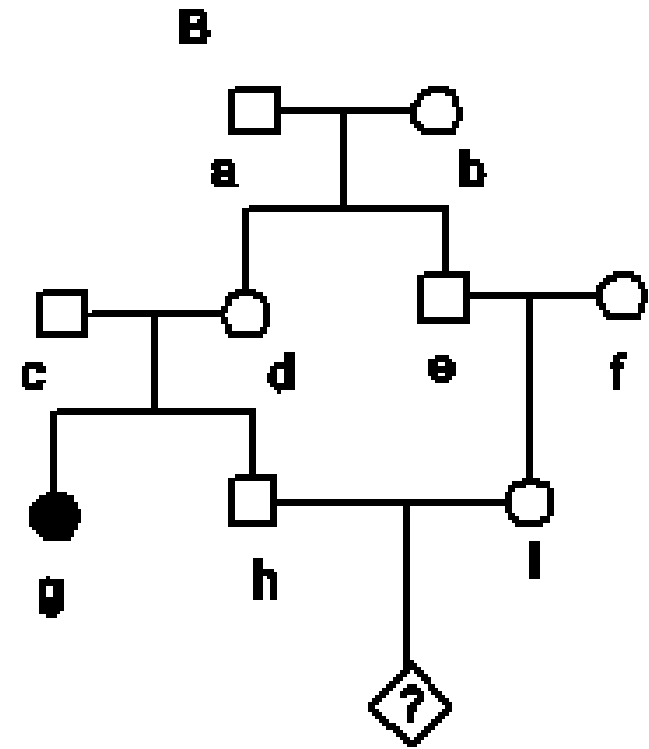
Solution

- Let $q \rightarrow 0$
 - we know that “d” is a carrier
 - thus “a” or “b” is carrier
 - the chances that the mutation segregates also to “i” is $\frac{1}{4}$



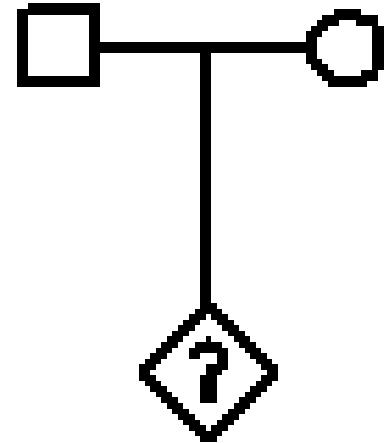
Solution

- Risk =
= $1/4 \cdot 2/3 \cdot P(I=MN|X)$
= $1/4 \cdot 2/3 \cdot 1/4 = 1/24 = 0.042$
- Does not depend on q !
(but we assumed it is small)



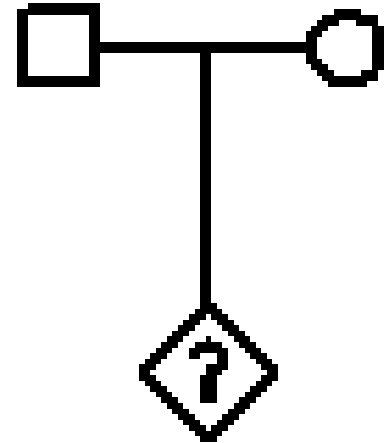
Incorporating more information

- Performing a test checking for known mutations in the gene
- Test has some “sensitivity”:
detects $X\%$ of the mutations
(miss some rare mutations)



Problem

- Recessive model
 - $P(M) = q$
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 - $P(D|MN)=P(D|NN)=0$
- Both parents test negative at the test with 85% sensitivity
- What is the risk for “?”



Solution

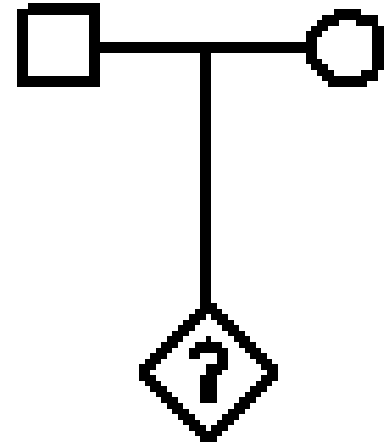
- For a parent, probability to be MN given he/she is unaffected is

$$P(MN|U) = 2q / (1 + q)$$

$$\text{and } P(NN|U) = 1 - 2q / (1 + q)$$

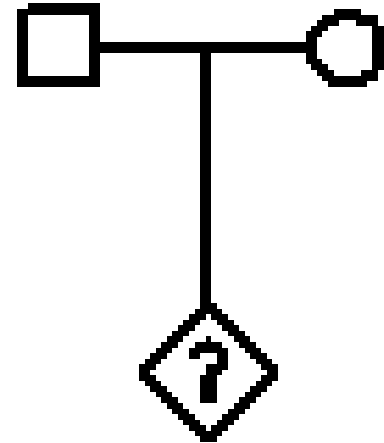
- X, information, is that it tests negatively

$$P(MN | U, test -) = \frac{P(U | MN)P(test - | MN)P(MN)}{\sum_{g=MM, MN, NN} P(U | g)P(test - | g)P(g)}$$



Example

- Assume that mutation frequency, q is $1/60$ in the *CF gene*
- Test sensitivity is 85%
 - What is the probability for a child to be affected with CF if both parents are unaffected and test negatively for CF gene?
 - How test information modifies the risk?



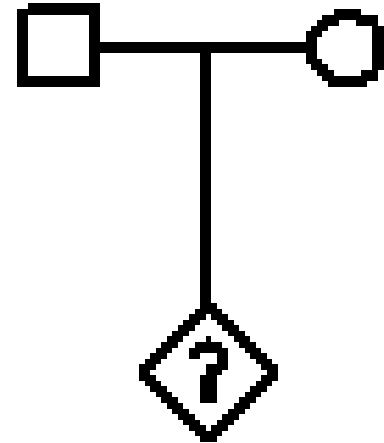
Solution

- $P(MN|U) = 2q / (1 + q) = 0.033$
- $P(NN|U) = 0.97$
- $P(\text{test}=\text{negative}|MN) = 0.15$
- $P(\text{test}=\text{negative}|NN) = 1.0$
- $P(MN/U, \text{test}) = 0.005$

$$\begin{aligned} P(\text{both parents are MN} | U, U, \text{test}, \text{test}) &= \\ &= P(MN/U, \text{test}) P(MN/U, \text{test}) = \\ &= 0.00003 \end{aligned}$$

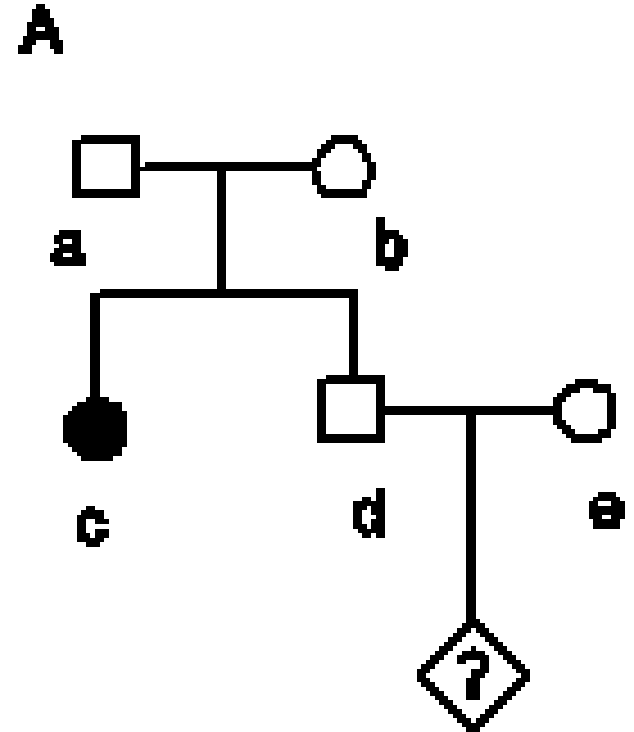
Risk for child is 0.000006 (vs pop. risk of 0.00028)

is 43 times lower than risk before the test



Task

- Assume CF model
- Both parents “d” and “e” test negative at the test with 85% sensitivity
- What is the risk for “?”
- What is RR for “?”



Answer