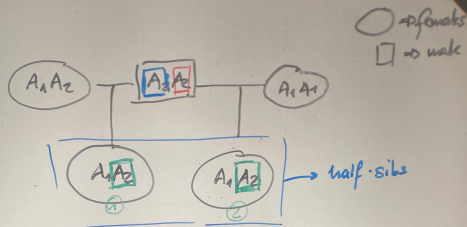


Example:



What is the kinship coefficient between half-sibs?

→ What is the probability of A_2 in half-sib ① is identical by descent with A_2 in half-sib ②

- Probability that half-sib ① inherits A_2 from the father is $1/4$. The same for half-sib ②: $1/4$
- These two events occurring together has probability of $1/4 \cdot 1/4 = 1/16$
- The same applies to the red ancestral allele A_2 . For both offspring to inherit the red A_2 , the probability is $1/16$
- Kinship coefficient: $1/16 + 1/16 = 1/8$