

Bioinformatics

CS300

Chapter 1:

**Using Bioinformatics to
study genetic disorders**

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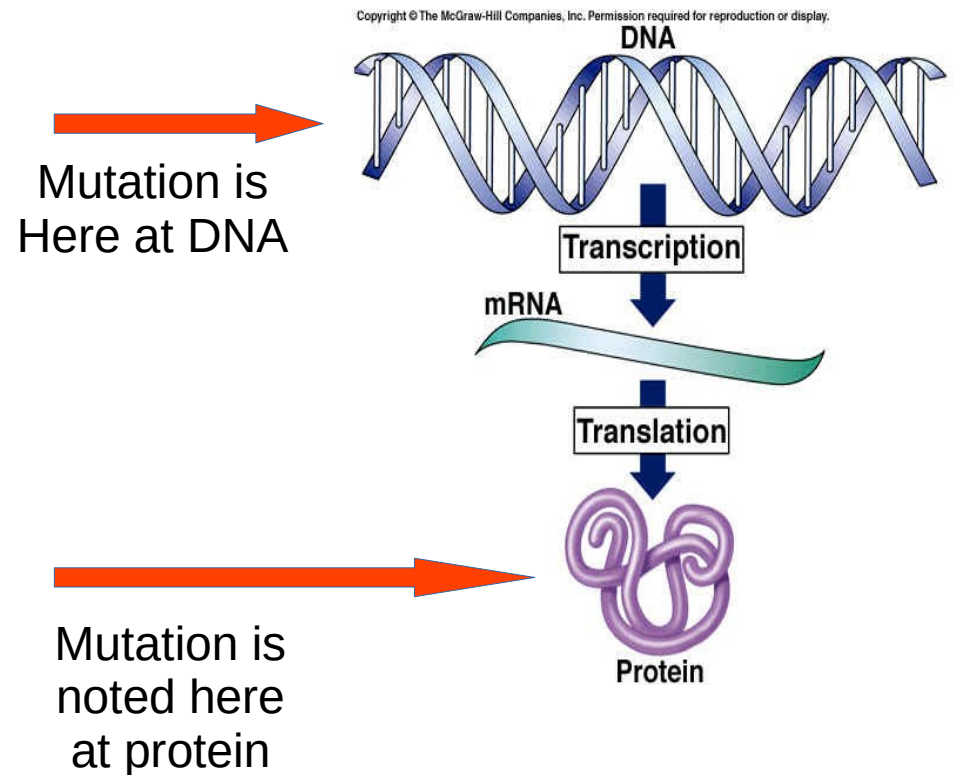
Genetic Disorder

- A disorder/disease with a genetic component
- Single gene disorders
- Mutation(s) in the sequence of a single gene
- Alters or eliminates protein product
- Caused by one or more abnormalities in the genome
 - substitutions
 - insertions
 - deletions
 - rearrangements



Mutations and Their Potential Effects

NonSense Mutation: a mutation in which a sense codon that corresponds to one of the twenty amino acids specified by the genetic code is changed to a chain-terminating codon.

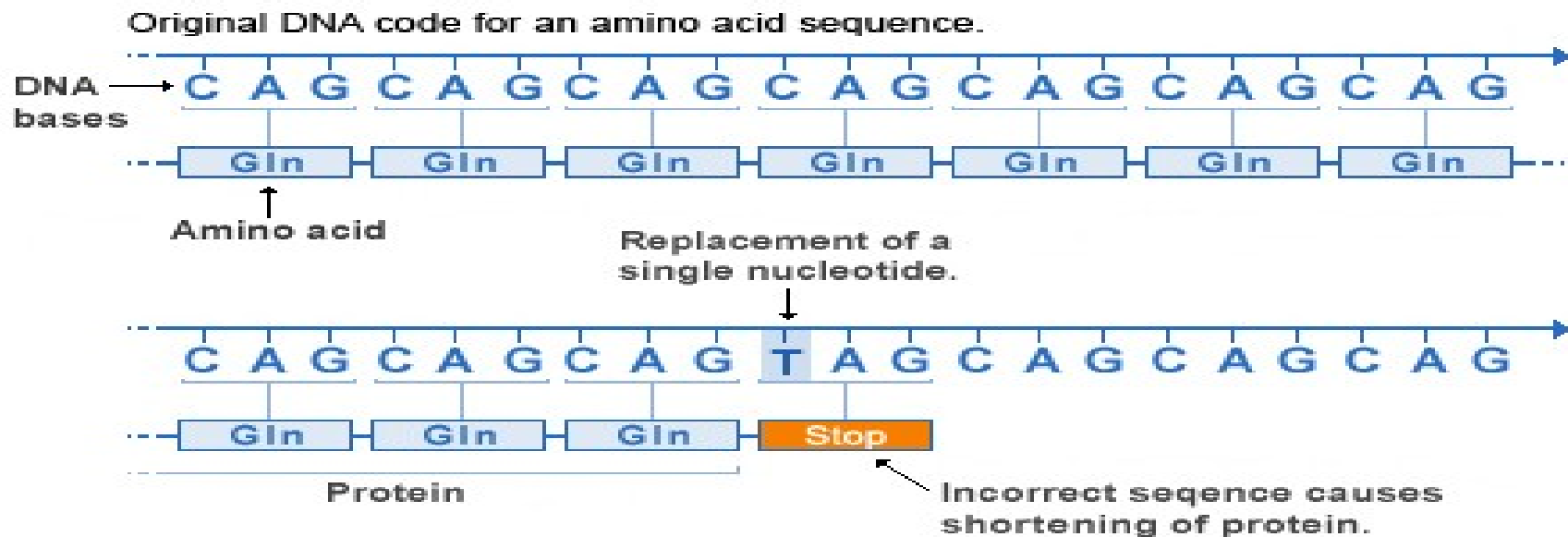


Mutations and Their Potential Effects

- Missense substitutions
- Nonsense substitutions
- Insertions/Deletions

Mutations that Alter Protein Products and Mutations that Eliminate Protein Products

Nonsense mutation



BioPython Programming

- `# install biopython`
- `python3 -m pip install biopython # global install`
- `python3 -m pip install biopython -user # local install`

```
import Bio # from python3 shell  
print(Bio.__version__) # 1.74
```

General Website:
<https://biopython.org/>

Getting Started:
[https://biopython.org/wiki/
Getting_Started](https://biopython.org/wiki/Getting_Started)





Two Cool Programs To Write!!

sequenceCompare.py

```
Sequence Comparison tool:
Usage: ./sequenceCompare.py

Note: The entered sequences must be the same length!!
Enter sequence :atcg
Enter sequence :attt

SeqA_str : atcg
SeqB_str : attt

Sequences are different at position : 2
SeqA_str[i] base is : c
SeqB_str[i] base is : t

Sequences are different at position : 3
SeqA_str[i] base is : g
SeqB_str[i] base is : t
```

Compare sequences to
find their differences!

smallTranslator.py

```
Original seqDNA   : atgcccgctttccccccccc Length : 21
DNA to RNA        : augcccgcuuuccccccccc
RNA to DNA         : atgcccgctttccccccccc
PROT from RNA      : MPAFPPP
```

Derive protein
sequences
from DNA code!

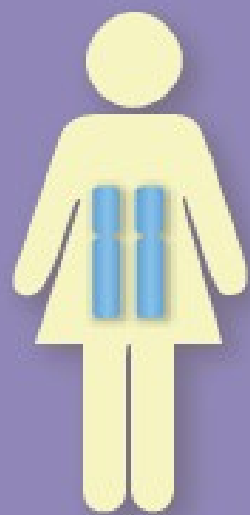


ALLEGHENY
COLLEGE

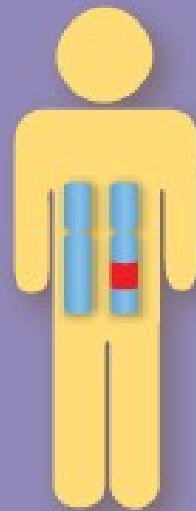
Where Do Some of These Mutations Come From?



Autosomal Dominant Inheritance



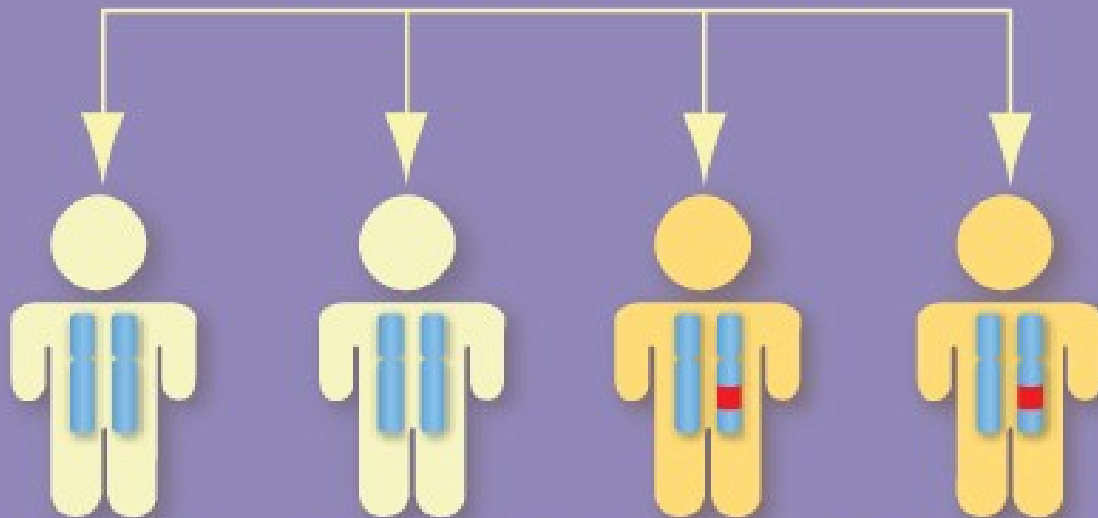
MOM DAD



Normal

Affected

Possible combinations:



Normal

Normal

Affected

Affected



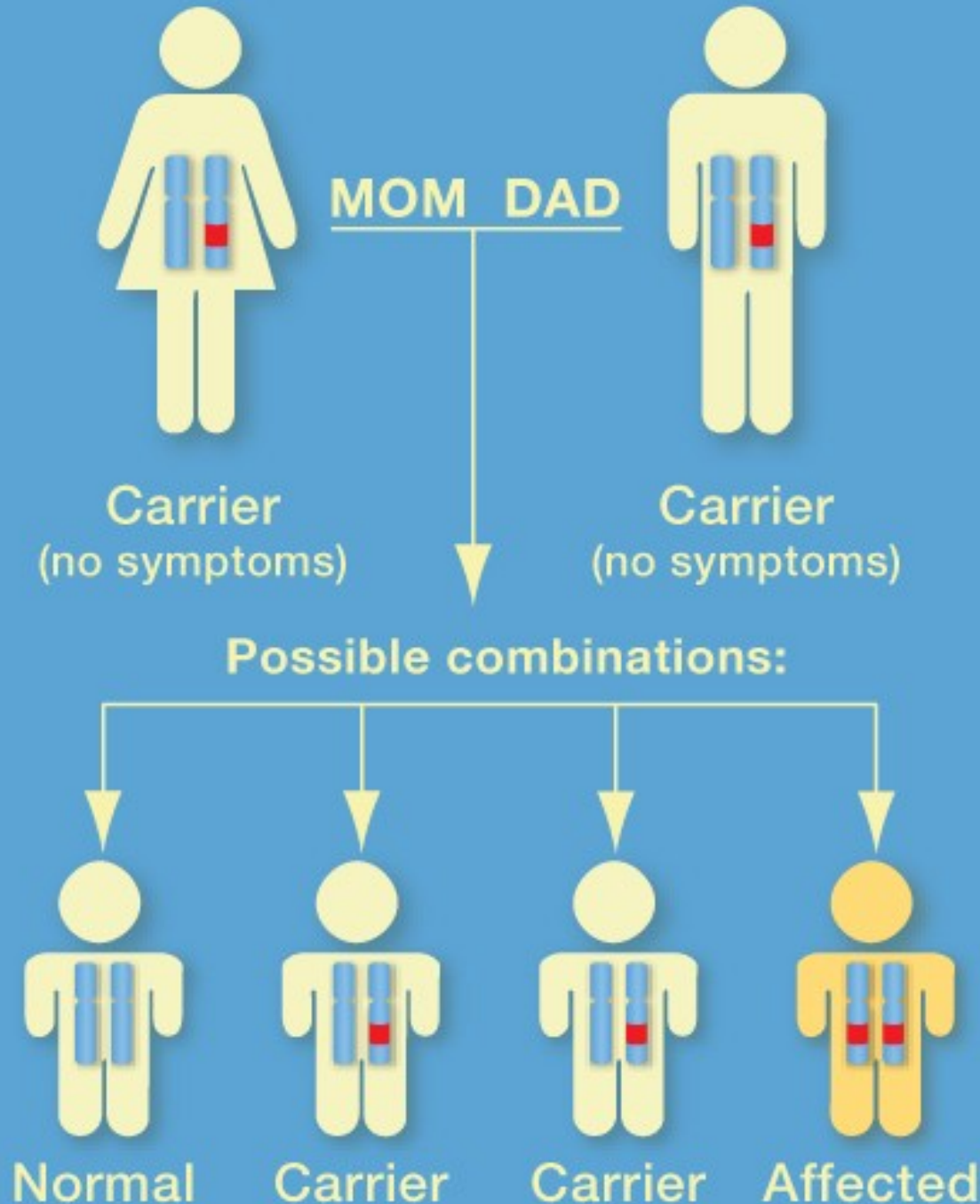
Chromosome with
normal copy of gene



Chromosome with
defective copy of gene

Each child inherits a normal copy from Mom and either a normal or a defective copy from Dad.

Autosomal Recessive Inheritance



- Chromosome with normal copy of gene
- Chromosome with defective copy of gene

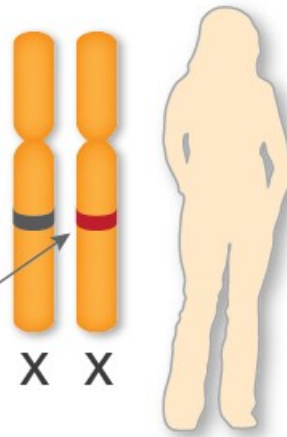
Each child inherits one copy of the gene from each parent.

X-Linked Inheritance

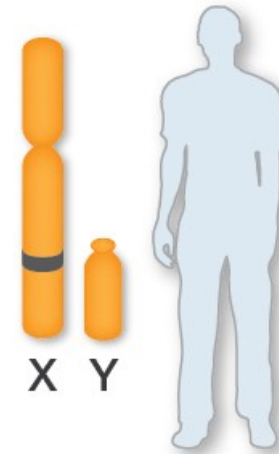
Parents:

Color vision gene

- Normal allele →
- Defective allele →

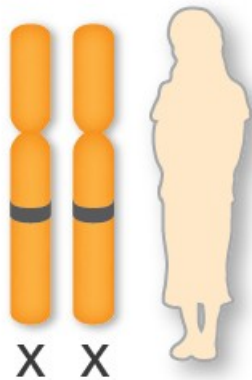


Normal vision
(*Colorblindness carrier*)

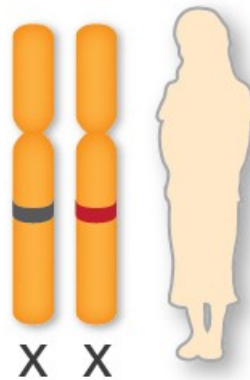


Normal vision

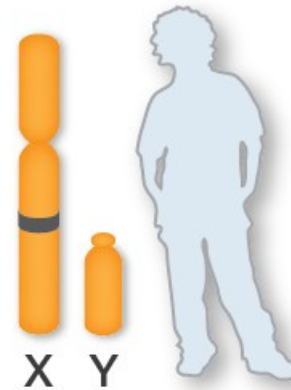
Possible offspring:



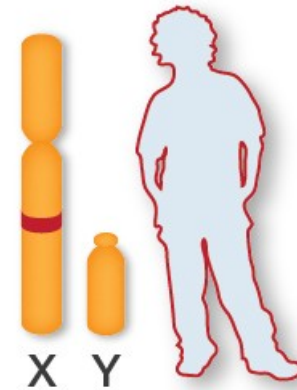
Normal vision



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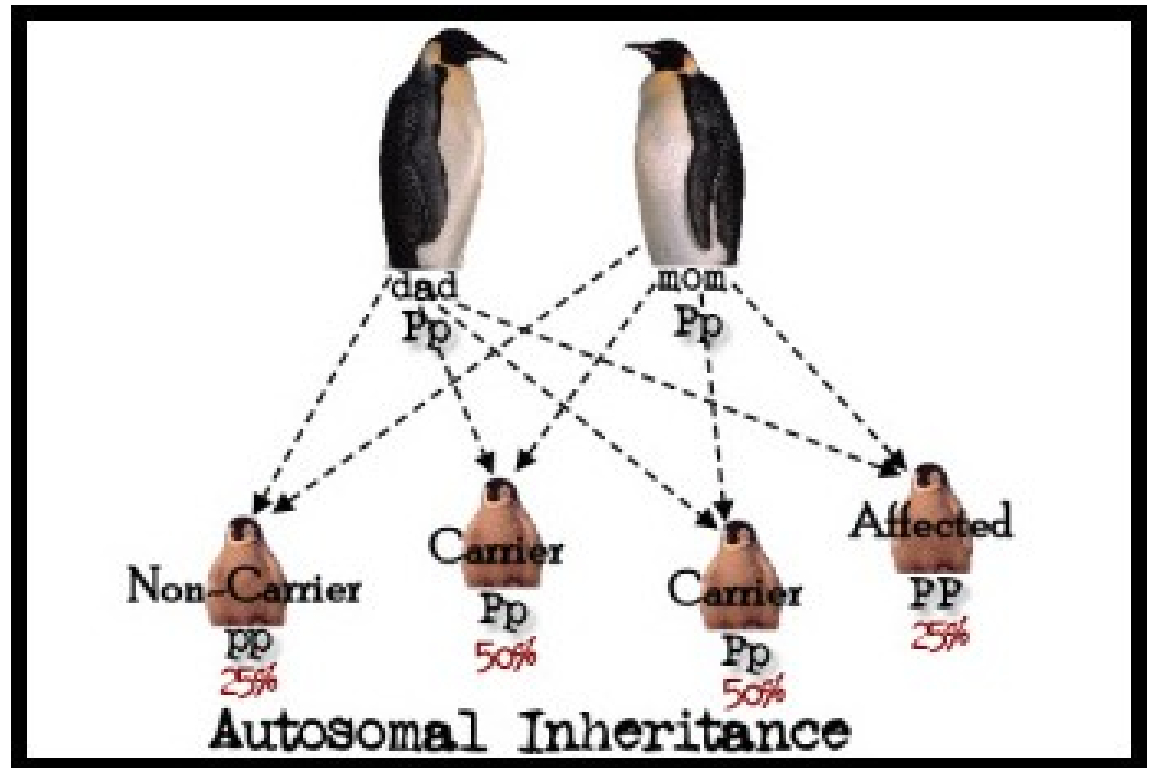
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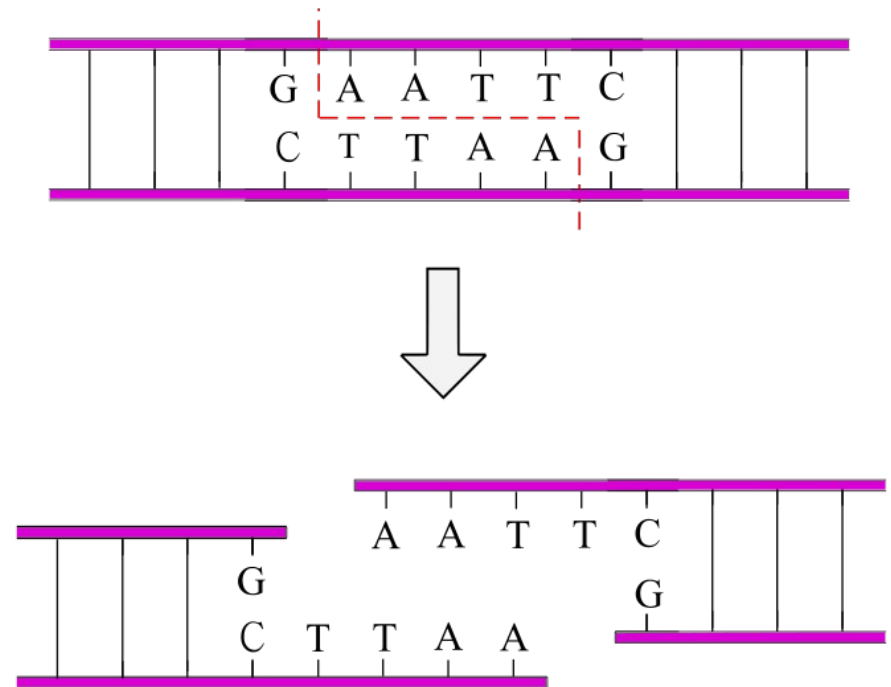
Colorblind

Single Gene Disorders

- Inheritance patterns are relatively simple
- Chances of inheritance in the text generation can be predicted by studying patterns in past generations.

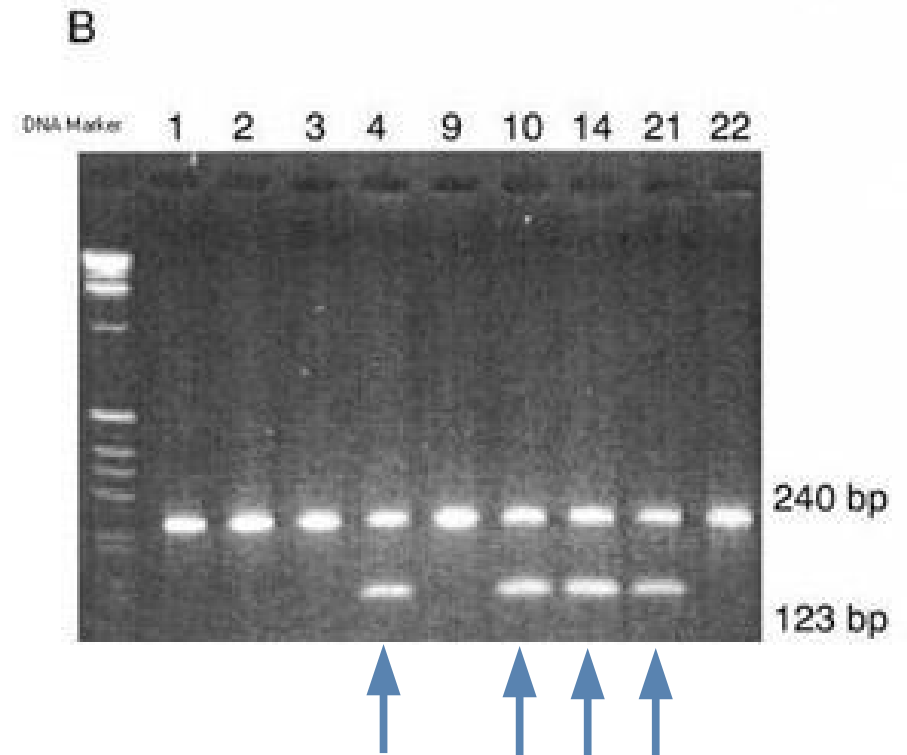
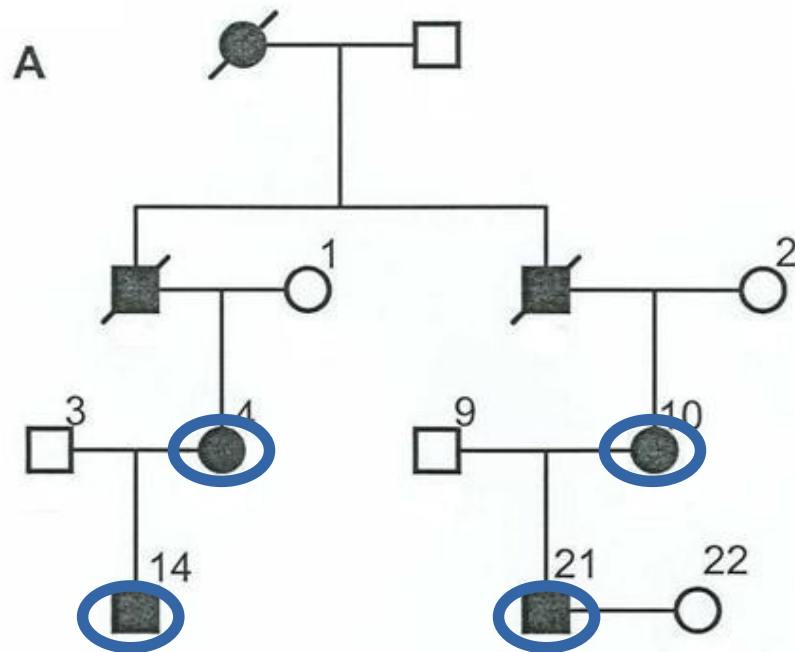


- Most genes identified in the 1980s-1990s
 - Pre-Bioinformatics: biological wet-lab work
- Restriction enzymes to cut sequences
- Cut DNA at specific sequence
 - 100s of different patterns
 - Disorder-breeding sequences could be studied



Single Gene Disorders

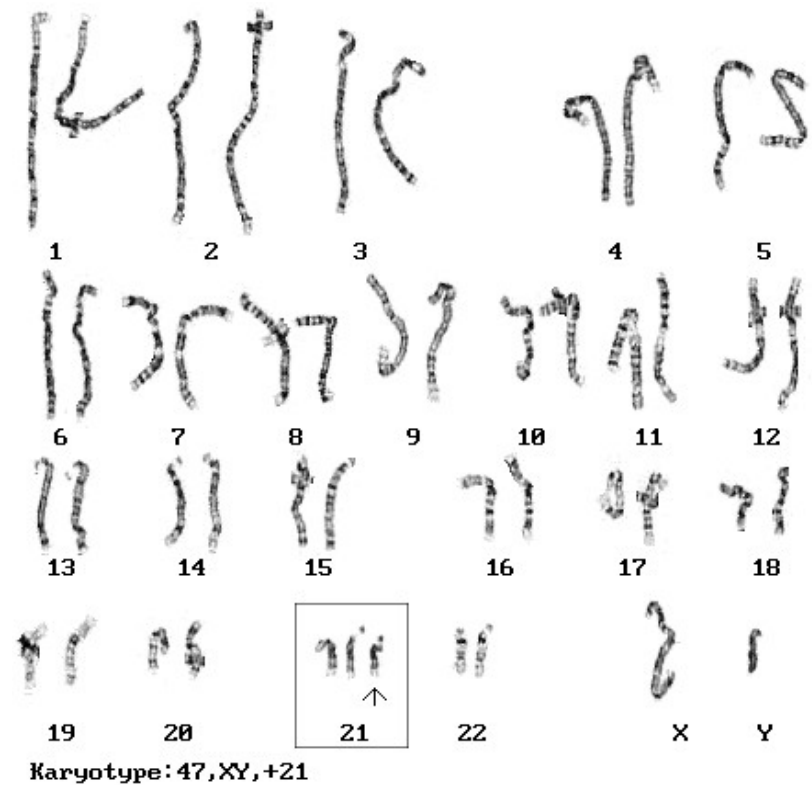
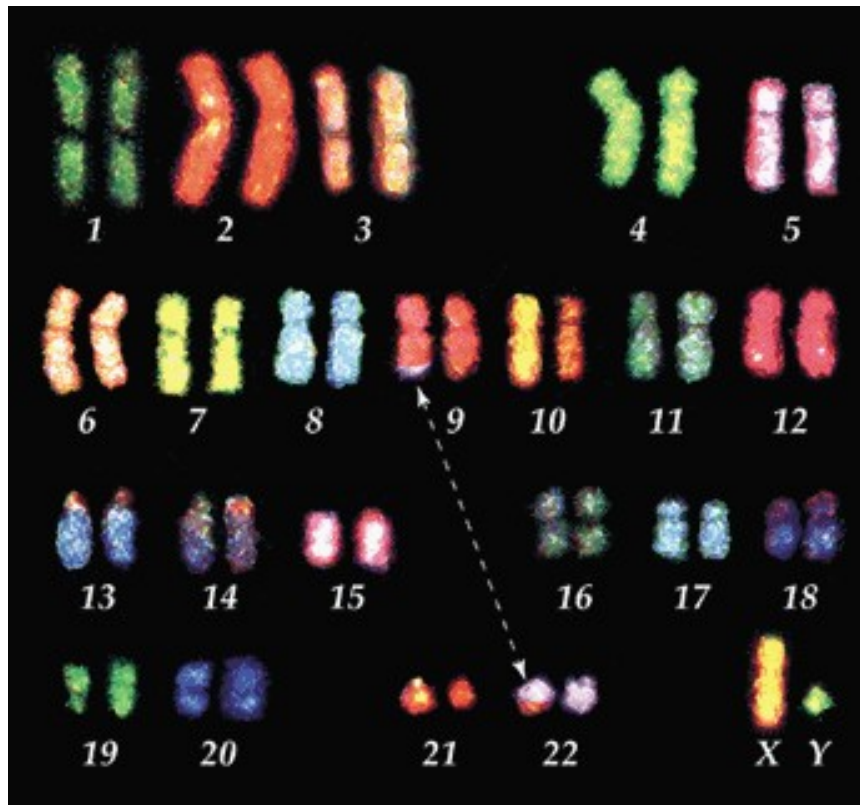
Pedigree analysis + Restriction Digest Analysis



Double bands indicate a carrier of a gene allele

Cytogenetics

- The field of biology concerned with mapping genes to specific locations on chromosomes



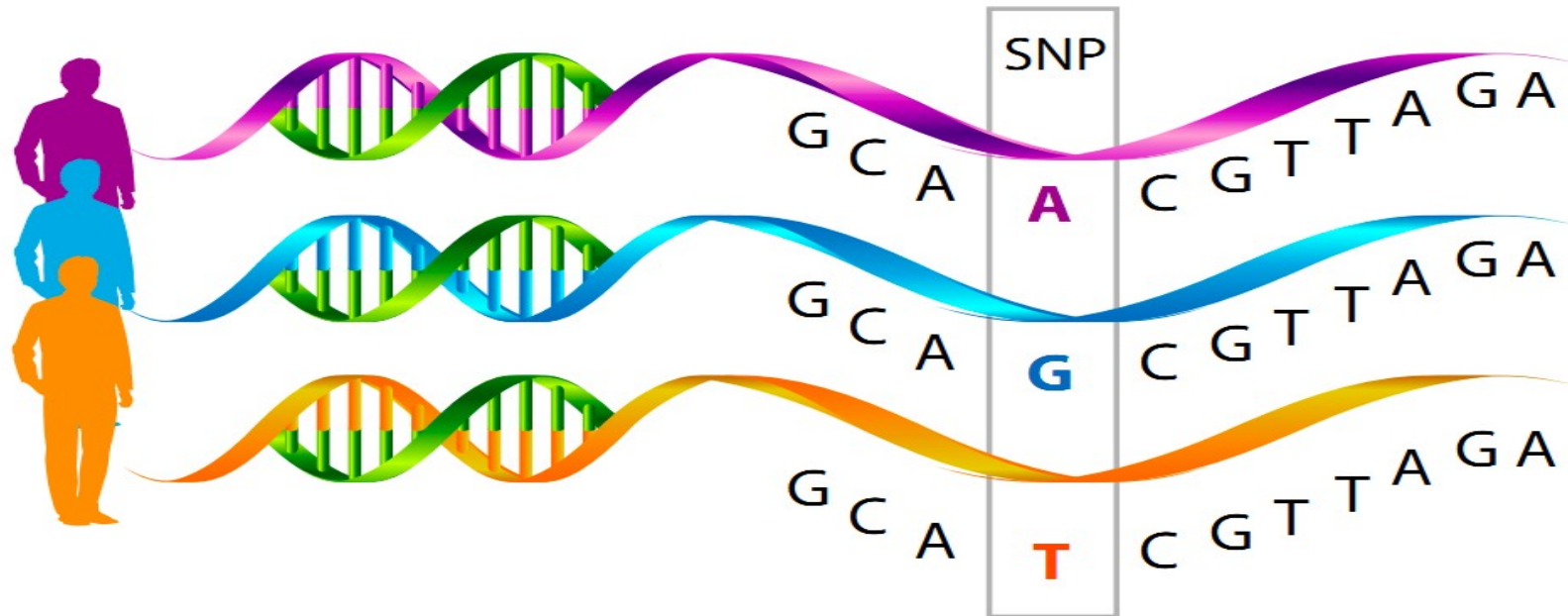


Genetic Disorder

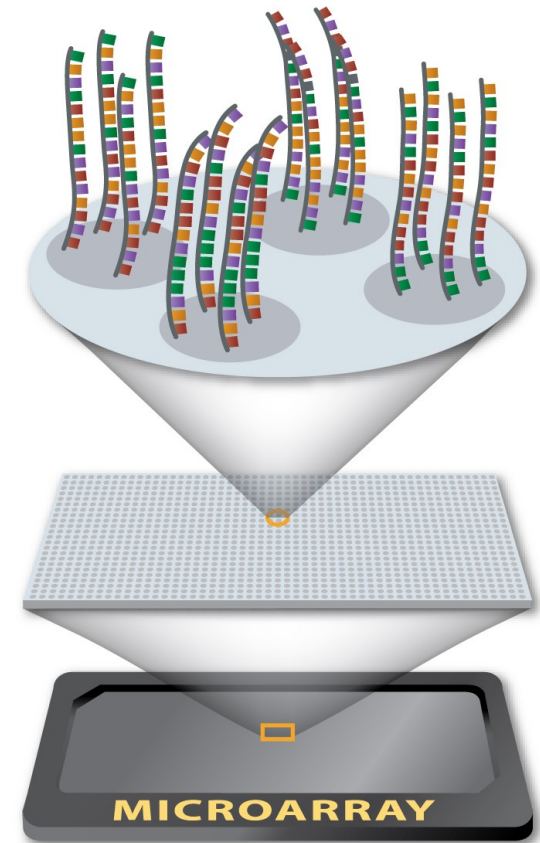
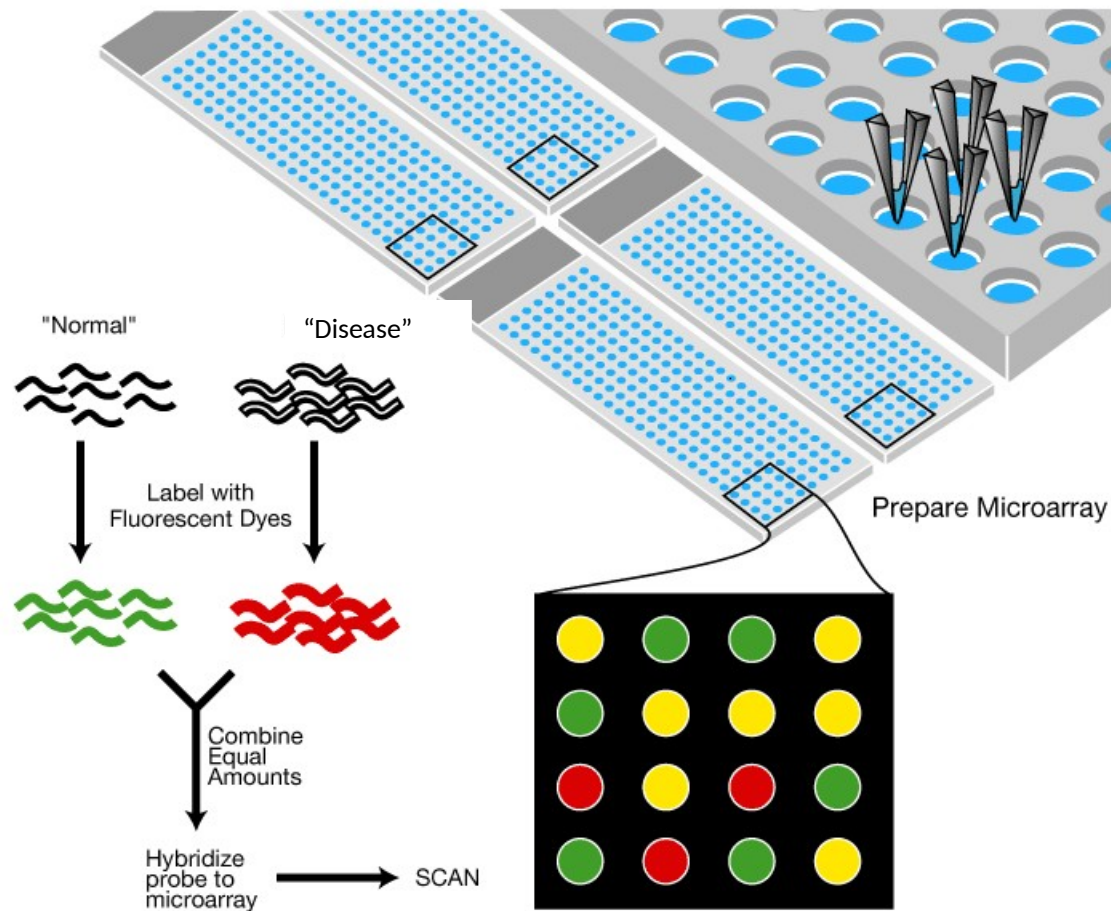
- A disease with a genetic component
- Caused by one or more abnormalities in the genome
- Complex or multifactorial disorders
 - Do not have a single genetic cause
 - Likely associated with the effects of multiple genes in combination with lifestyle and environmental factors
 - Do not have a clear cut pattern of inheritance

Genome-Wide Association Studies

- new technology/analysis - early 2000s
 - bioinformatics
- screen 1000s of genomes at once for **SNPs**
 - single nucleotide polymorphisms
 - Some SNPs may indicate disorders



DNA Microarray



Testing for genes of a specific allele



GWAS - Genome-wide Association Studies

NHGRI FACT SHEETS

genome.gov

Individuals with disease

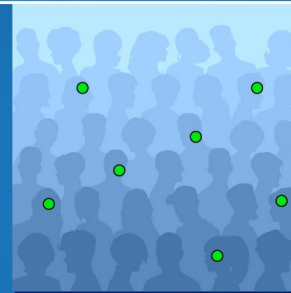
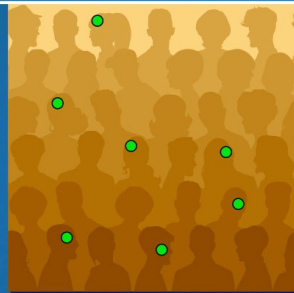


Individuals without disease



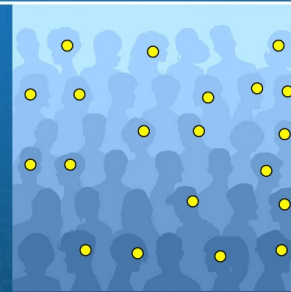
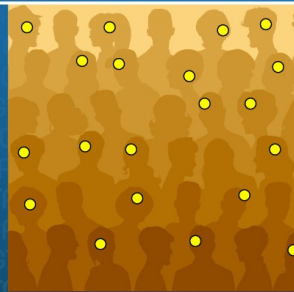
Using a CHIP can genotype
500,000 - 5 Million SNPs

SNP 1



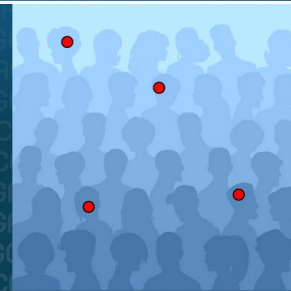
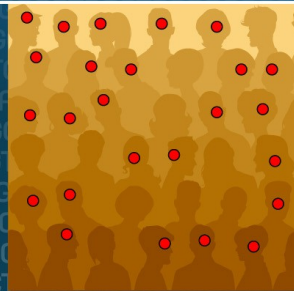
SNP 1
No association
to disease

SNP 2



SNP 2
No association
to disease

SNP 3



SNP 3
Associated
to disease

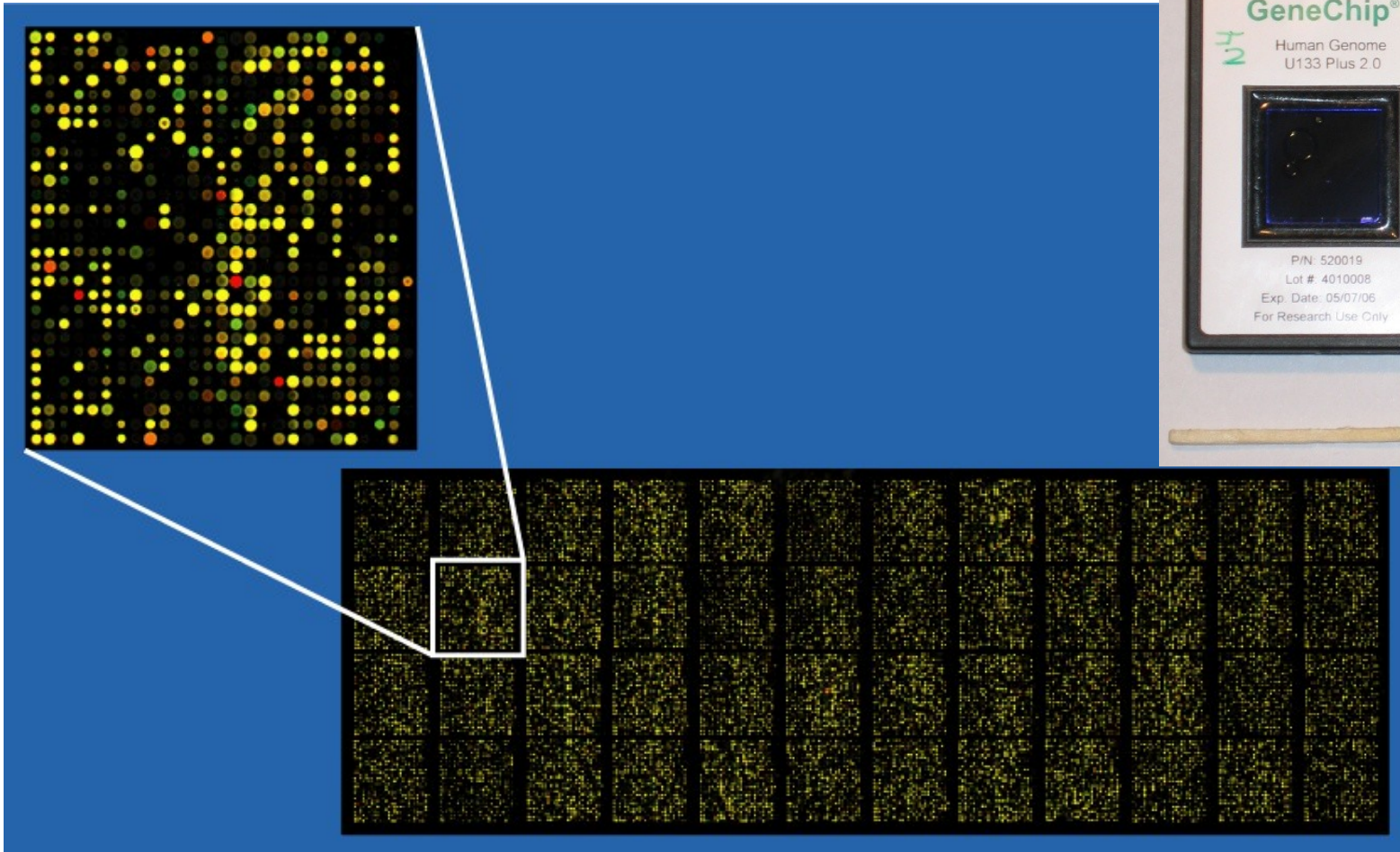


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National Human Genome
Research Institute






DNA Microarray





DNA Microarray

			Human Brain Microarray
Gene	Probe	Fold Change	
SAG	A_23_P5853	97.974	
	CUST_14866_PI416261804	20.417	
PDYN	CUST_653_PI417557136	90.414	
	A_24_P279870	52.069	
	CUST_635_PI417557136	47.493	
	CUST_643_PI417557136	43.811	
	A_23_P40262	41.904	
	CUST_645_PI417557136	41.007	
	CUST_649_PI417557136	38.397	



Candidate SNPs that May Be Correlated with Disorders Using Genome-Wide Association Studies (GWAS)

Table 2. GWAS results for all SNPs with $p < 10^{-6}$ in the 23andMe cohort.

SNP	Chr	Position	Region	Alleles	MAF	Cohort	OR	<i>p</i>
rs34637584	12	39020469	<i>LRRK2</i>	G/A	0.002	23andMe	9.615 (6.43–14.37)	1.82×10^{-28}
						IPDGC	–	–
i4000416	1	153472258	<i>GBA</i>	T/C	0.005	23andMe	4.048 (3.08–5.32)	5.17×10^{-21}
						IPDGC	–	–
rs356220	4	90860363	<i>SNCA</i>	C/T	0.375	23andMe	1.285 (1.22–1.36)	2.29×10^{-19}
						IPDGC	–	–
rs12185268	17	41279463	<i>MAPT</i>	A/G	0.211	23andMe	0.769 (0.72–0.82)	2.72×10^{-14}
						IPDGC	–	–
rs10513789	3	184242767	<i>MCCC1/LAMP3</i>	T/G	0.201	23andMe	0.803 (0.75–0.86)	2.67×10^{-10}
						IPDGC	0.873 (0.83–0.92)	1.7×10^{-6}
rs6812193	4	77418010	<i>SCARB2</i>	C/T	0.365	23andMe	0.839 (0.79–0.89)	7.55×10^{-10}
						IPDGC	0.90 (0.86–0.94)	3.29×10^{-6}
rs6599389	4	929113	<i>GAK</i>	G/A	0.075	23andMe	1.311 (1.19–1.44)	3.87×10^{-8}
						IPDGC	–	–
rs11868035	17	17655826	<i>SREBF1/RAI1</i>	G/A	0.309	23andMe	0.851 (0.80–0.90)	5.61×10^{-8}
						IPDGC	0.95 (0.91–0.996)	0.033
rs823156	1	204031263	<i>SLC41A1</i>	A/G	0.183	23andMe	0.827 (0.77–0.89)	1.27×10^{-7}
						IPDGC	–	–
rs4130047	18	38932233	<i>RIT2/SYT4</i>	T/C	0.313	23andMe	1.161 (1.10–1.23)	2.44×10^{-7}
						IPDGC	1.077 (1.03–1.13)	0.0014
rs2823357	21	15836776	<i>USP25</i>	G/A	0.376	23andMe	1.149 (1.09–1.21)	6.32×10^{-7}
						IPDGC	0.971 (0.93–1.02)	0.187



Data for Research

- Typically Protein: **Uniprot**
 - <http://www.uniprot.org/>
 - Search: Pink1 (protein)
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- Typically DNA and Genes: **National Center for Biotechnology Informatics (NCBI)**
 - <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/>
 - Search: “orchid” in Nucleotide database
 - (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/nuccore/NC_030915.1)

