

JANUARY
Happy New Year

GENETICS

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What is genetics?

- The study of heredity is one of the most important sub-divisions of the biological sciences.

- The word "genetics" coined by Bateson in 1906. It is derived from the Greek word "gen".

- "gene" means "to become" or "to grow into".

"Webster" defines genetics as
"the branch of biology which deals with heredity and variations among related organisms, largely in their evolutionary aspect".

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"Heredity" may be defined as
"tendency of the animals to resemble their ancestors and relatives"

whereas the 'Variation' is "the tendency through which the organisms differ in specific ways from one another."

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Genes

The genes are the important constituent located in chromosomes which initiate the action leading to the distinct heredity charact.

They are the "ultimate unit of heredity"

- all animals and plants are composed of cells, either singly or in complex organizational patterns.

- Each cell has a nucleus which is very rich in highly complex nucleo-proteins

- DNA appears to be the basic living substance which has the capability of duplicating itself to form more DNA, a prerequisite of

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any living thing.

Chromosomes

which are responsible for the passing of the hereditary traits from parent to offspring.

Chromosomes are the carriers of genetic specifications that direct the fertilized egg to become a complete organism.

All plants and animals

Interaction of genes or Non allelic interaction
or factor hypothesis (or) inter genic interaction

Many characters are influenced by the interaction of two or more pairs of genes.

Depending upon the form of interaction, phenotypic ratios are modified in various ways, although the fundamental laws of the transmissions and heredity remain the same.

① Complementary genes

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② epistasis or inhibiting gene.

(C_1 or C_2 or C_3 or C_4 or C_5 or C_6 or C_7 or C_8 or C_9 or C_{10})

(i) Dominant epistasis

(ii) Recessive epistasis

effect of two alleles in a gene locus inhibiting the another gene 2 alleles in a locus called R. epistasis.

gene B express their character when epistatic gene 'A' dominant nature (AA or Aa)

In the epistasis 9:3:3:1 ratio 9:3:4

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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eg: Mice fur colour

- ①. Agouti.
- ②. Black
- ③. Albino.

Agouti colour - responsible gene 'A'

A gene - hypostatic gene.

~~C~~C' gene - epistatic gene.

- ①. gene arrangement for ~~agouti~~ colour
ccAA, ccAa, ccaa - colour - Albino
- ②. dominant allele C', when absence of dominant allele 'A', now ~~not~~ express

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- ③. dominant allele 'A', dominant C'
two ~~is~~ Agouti colour expressed
gene arrangement
C'C'AA, C'CAA, C'CAa
~~C'CaAa~~, C'caAa.

P, when C'C'aa Black X ccAA Albino



F₁ generation ♂ C'C'Aa X C'caAa



	CA	Ca	cA	ca
CA	CCAA Agouti	CCaA Ag	CcAA Ag	CcAa Ag
Ca	CcAa Agouti	CcAa B	CcAa Agouti	CcAa B
cA	CcAA Agouti	CcAa Agouti	ccAA albin	ccAa Albino
ca	CcAa Agouti	CcAa B	ccAa albin	ccAa Albino

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F₂ phenotype ratio 9:3:4

9 : Agouti

3 : Black

4 : Albino

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Supplementary factors or gene.

Epistasis

may be defined as two independent pairs of dominant genes, which interact in such a way that one dominant gene produces its effect whether the other is present or not, but when the second dominant gene is added to the first, a new character is expressed.

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Coat colour in mice
when done of coat color in mice
determined by Castle. B offspring
varieties of mice ①. Agouti (grey),
black and albino (white) to both
Agouti e is dominant to both
black & albino.
Black is dominant to albino
but recessive to agouti.
Albino is recessive to both
agouti & black.

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Agouti is produced by dominant
-nt gene A in the presence of another
dominant gene B.

Dominant gene B alone produces
black colour.
Dominant gene ~~A~~ alone produces
albino.

cast the crossed a homozygous
black mice (BBaa) with a homozygous
-gous albino (bbAA).
The F₁ individuals are agouti

female agouti.

Parents Black male albino female

BBaa

bbAA

gametes

(Ba)

(bA)

F₁ generation

BbAa

Agouti

F₁ individuals

Agouti ♂

X A. ♀

crossed

BbAa

BbAa

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gametes

B

9:3:4

	B	A	Ba	bA	ba
BA	BBAA	BBAA	BbAa	BbAa	BbAa
Ba	BBaa	BBaa	BbAa	BbAa	BbAa
bA	BbAA	BbAA	bbAa	bbAa	bbAa
ba	BbAa	BbAa	bbAa	bbAa	bbAa

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Control of comb in fowls

② Inheritance of Combs in fowls (9:3:3:1)

The interaction of two dominant genes to control the same character was discovered by Bateson + Punnett (1908) in Fowls.

They found four varieties of comb.

Rose comb is controlled by a dominant gene R
pea is " by another dominant gene P

— The recessive alleles of the above genes in the homozygous condition (rrpp)

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— But when the two genes (R & P) are brought together they interact and produce a new comb called walnut (similar in shape to a walnut meat)

— walnut comb is controlled by interaction two nonallelic dominant genes R and P

— The single comb is due to the interaction of two recessive genes r & p

Parent Rose comb ♀ × pea comb female
 $RRpp$ $rrPP$

gametes

Rp

rP

$RrPp$
walnut

F₁ generation

F₁ fowls are walnut ♂ × Walnut ♀
 crossed $RrPp$ $RrPp$

	RP	Rp	rP	rp
RP	$RRPP$	$RRPp$	$RrPP$	$RrPp$
Rp	$RRPp$	$RRpp$ Rose	$RrPp$ Walnut	$Rrpp$ Rose
rP	$RrPp$	$RrPp$ Walnut	$rrPP$ Pea	$rrPp$ Pea
rp	$RrPp$	$Rrpp$ Rose	$rrPp$ Pea	$rrpp$ Single

- 9 - w
- 3 - Rose
- 3 - Pea
- 1 - Single