

PUNNETT SQUARE POSTER PROJECT

The following is a list of genetic traits found in human beings:

1. Freckles (F) are dominant to no freckles (f).
2. Separate eyebrows (B) is dominant to connected eyebrows (b).
3. Free earlobes (E) are dominant to attached earlobes (e).
4. Curly hair (HH), straight hair (hh), and wavy hair (Hh) exhibit incomplete dominance.
5. Widow's peak (P) is dominant to no widow's peak (p).
6. Thick lips (TT), medium lips (Tt), and thin lips (tt) exhibit incomplete dominance.

A man has the following characteristics:

- a. heterozygous freckles
- b. heterozygous eyebrows
- c. attached earlobes
- d. curly hair
- e. heterozygous widow's peak
- f. medium lips

His wife has the following characteristics:

- a. heterozygous freckles
- b. heterozygous eyebrows
- c. homozygous free earlobes
- d. straight hair
- e. heterozygous widow's peak
- f. medium lips

1. What is the man's genotype? _____
2. What is the woman's genotype? _____
3. Determine all possible genotypes for the man's sperm cells.
HINT: There are 16 different sperm cells.
4. Determine all possible genotypes for the woman's egg cells.
HINT: There are 16 different egg cells.
5. Using a Punnett Square, determine the % of phenotypes for their children.
HINT: There are 24 different possible phenotypes.
6. Sketch and color a drawing of all 24 possible offspring using the attached sheet of paper.

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Component	Points Earned	Point Value
man's genotype		1
woman's genotype		1
16 sperm cells		4
16 egg cells		4
24 offspring phenotypes		16
24 offspring pictures (drawn, colored, fraction)		12
poster-sized Punnett Square		12
<i>TOTAL POINTS EARNED</i>		50

COMMENTS

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PARENTAL GENOTYPES:

• MAN'S GENOTYPE = _____

• WOMAN'S GENOTYPE = _____

GAMETE GENOTYPES:

16 SPERM CELLS

16 EGG CELLS

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16. _____

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OFFSPRING PHENOTYPES:

1. _____ / 256
2. _____ / 256
3. _____ / 256
4. _____ / 256
5. _____ / 256
6. _____ / 256
7. _____ / 256
8. _____ / 256
9. _____ / 256
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23. _____ / 256
24. _____ / 256

