

Problem Set 2 Solutions

Special topics in genetics and genomics (140.668)

1. The easy ones first:

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 0 | \text{IBD} = 2) = 0$$

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 1 | \text{IBD} = 2) = 0$$

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 2 | \text{IBD} = 2) = 1$$

The IBD = 1 cases are pretty simple, too:

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 0 | \text{IBD} = 1) = 0$$

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 1 | \text{IBD} = 1) = \text{marker heterozygosity}$$

$$= 1 - \sum_i p_i^2$$

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 2 | \text{IBD} = 1) = \sum_i p_i^2$$

The IBD = 0 cases are harder. We're taking two random draws from the genotypes

$$\begin{array}{cccc} (a_1, a_1) & (a_1, a_2) & \dots & (a_1, a_k) \\ & (a_2, a_2) & \dots & (a_2, a_k) \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & (a_k, a_k) \end{array}$$

with probabilities

$$\begin{array}{cccc} p_1^2 & 2p_1p_2 & \dots & 2p_1p_k \\ & p_2^2 & \dots & 2p_2p_k \\ & & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & p_k^2 \end{array}$$

and we want to find the probability they share 0, 1, or 2 alleles by state.

First:

$$\Pr(\text{IBS} = 2 | \text{IBD} = 0) = \Pr[(11, 11), (22, 22), \dots, (kk, kk), (12, 12), (13, 13), \dots, \text{etc.})$$

$$= \sum_i p_i^4 + \sum_i \sum_{j:j>i} (2p_i p_j)^2$$

$$\text{[now we simplify]} = \sum_i p_i^4 + 2 \sum_i p_i^2 \sum_{j:j \neq i} p_j^2$$

$$= \sum_i p_i^4 + 2 \sum_i p_i^2 (\sum_j p_j^2 - p_i^2)$$

$$= \sum_i p_i^4 + 2 \{ (\sum_i p_i^2)^2 - \sum_i p_i^4 \}$$

$$= 2 \{ \sum_i p_i^2 \}^2 - \sum_i p_i^4$$

The other two are similar; with (painful) simplification, we get:

$$\begin{aligned}\Pr(\text{IBS} = 1 | \text{IBD} = 0) &= 4\{\sum p_i^2 + \sum p_i^4 - \sum p_i^3 - (\sum p_i^2)^2\} \\ \text{and } \Pr(\text{IBS} = 0 | \text{IBD} = 0) &= 1 - 4\sum p_i^2 - 3\sum p_i^4 + 4\sum p_i^3 + 2(\sum p_i^2)^2\end{aligned}$$

Note: The biggest issues are the coefficients and the ranges of the summations (e.g., $\sum_i \sum_{j:j>i}$ or $\sum_i \sum_{j:j \neq i}$ or $\sum_i \sum_j$). *Be precise!*

Special case: $p_1 = p_2 = p_3 = p_4 = 1/4$.

IBD	IBS		
	0	1	2
0	21/64	36/64	7/64
1	0	3/4	1/4
2	0	0	1

2. Let M = parental mating type, G = kids' genotypes, and DSP = “discordant sibpair.”

$$\begin{aligned}\Pr(\text{IBD} = v | \text{DSP}) &= \sum_{M,G} \Pr(\text{IBD} = v | M, G, \text{DSP}) \Pr(G | M, \text{DSP}) \Pr(M | \text{DSP}) \\ &= \sum_{M,G} \Pr(\text{IBD} = v | M, G) \Pr(G | M, \text{DSP}) \Pr(M | \text{DSP})\end{aligned}$$

Calculating $\Pr(M | \text{DSP})$ is similar to that for the affected sibpair, as calculated in class:

M	$\Pr(M)$	$\Pr(\text{DSP} M)$	$\Pr(M \text{DSP})$	$\Pr(M \text{DSP})$ when $p = 0.05$
DD $\times$ Dd	$4p^3(1-p)$	1/2	$\alpha \cdot 2p^3(1-p)$	~ 0.0656
Dd $\times$ Dd	$4p^2(1-p)^2$	3/8	$\alpha \cdot (3/2)p^2(1-p)^2$	~ 0.9344

where $\alpha = 1/[2p^3(1-p) + (3/2)p^2(1-p)^2]$

Then we calculate $\Pr(G | M, \text{DSP})$ and $\Pr(\text{IBD} = v | M, G)$ for all possible M, G :

M	G	$\Pr(G M, \text{DSP})$	$\Pr(\text{IBD} = v M, G)$		
			0	1	2
DD $\times$ Dd	DD, Dd	1	1/2	1/2	0
Dd $\times$ Dd	DD, Dd	2/3	0	1	0
Dd $\times$ Dd	DD, dd	1/3	1	0	0

We then sum up to get $\Pr(\text{IBD} = v | \text{DSP})$:

0	1	2
0.344	0.656	0

3. Let K = IBD status at disease gene and X = IBD status at marker.

$$\begin{aligned}\Pr(X = v|\text{DSP}) &= \sum_k \Pr(X = v|\text{DSP}, K = k) \Pr(K = k|\text{DSP}) \\ &= \sum_k \Pr(X = v|K = k) \Pr(K = k|\text{DSP})\end{aligned}$$

For $r = 0.05$, the transition matrix $\Pr(X = x|K = k)$ is the following:

K	X		
	0	1	2
0	0.819	0.172	0.009
1	0.086	0.828	0.096
2	0.009	0.172	0.819

Note that the rows sum to 1.

We multiply each row by the result for $\Pr(K = k|\text{DSP})$ from problem 1, and obtain the following for $\Pr(X = x|\text{DSP})$.

0	1	2
0.338	0.602	0.059