51. Probabilities on Inheritance in Consanguineous Families. VII

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VII. Mother-descendants combinations through several consanguineous marriages

1. Special combinations with several consanguineous marriages

The main purpose of the present chapter is to determine the probability of a mother-descendants combination designated by

$$\pi_{(\mu\nu;n)_t|\mu\nu}(\alpha\beta;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) \equiv A_{\alpha\beta}\kappa_{(\mu\nu;n)_t|\mu\nu}(\alpha\beta;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) \qquad (\mu = \mu_{t+1},\nu = \nu_{t+1}).$$

By definition, the reduced probability $\kappa_{(\mu\nu;\,n)_t|\mu\nu}$ is given by $\kappa_{(\mu\nu;\,n)_t|\mu\nu}(a\beta;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) = \sum \kappa_{(\mu\nu;\,n)_t}(a\beta;\,ab)\kappa_{\mu\nu}(ab;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2).$

Evidently, this probability is symmetric with respect to μ_r and ν_r for any r with $1 \leq r \leq t$, while it is quasi-symmetric with respect to μ and ν , i.e.

 $\kappa_{(\mu\nu;n)_t|\nu\nu}(\alpha\beta;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) = \kappa_{(\mu\nu;n)_t|\nu\mu}(\alpha\beta;\xi_2\eta_2,\xi_1\eta_1).$

In the present section we first deal with the case where the n_r , μ and ν are all equal to unity. After substituting the known expressions, its defining equation yields

$$\begin{split} \kappa_{(\mu\nu;\,1)_t|11}(a\beta;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) \!=\! \sigma(\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) \!+\! 2^{-t+1}A_t U(a\beta;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) \\ &+ 4u_t \sum R(ab)\kappa(ab;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) \!+\! 2v_t \sum S(a\beta;\,ab)\kappa(ab;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2) \\ &+ 4w_t \sum T(a\beta;\,ab)\kappa(ab;\,\xi_1\eta_1,\,\xi_2\eta_2). \end{split}$$

Thus, it remains only to determine the last three residual terms, i.e.

$$\mathfrak{X}(\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) = \sum R(ab)\kappa(ab;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2), \ \mathfrak{Y}(aeta;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) = \sum S(aeta;ab)\kappa(ab;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2), \ \mathfrak{Z}(aeta;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2) = \sum T(aeta;ab)\kappa(ab;\xi_1\eta_1,\xi_2\eta_2),$$

which are evidently symmetric with respect to $\xi_1\eta_1$ and $\xi_2\eta_2$. Actual computation leads to the following results: