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CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL MUTATIONS: ABERRANT EUPLOIDY

● **Chromosomal mutations** describe alterations in chromosome structure or number of chromosomal copies

□ There are two _____ of chromosomal mutations

1. **Aberrant euploidy** refers to changes in the whole set of chromosomes

2. **Aneuploidy** refers to changes in parts of a single, or few chromosomes

Aberrant Euploidy

● There are a number of _____ to describe various types of chromosomal mutations

□ **Euploid** describes organisms with multiples of the basic chromosome set

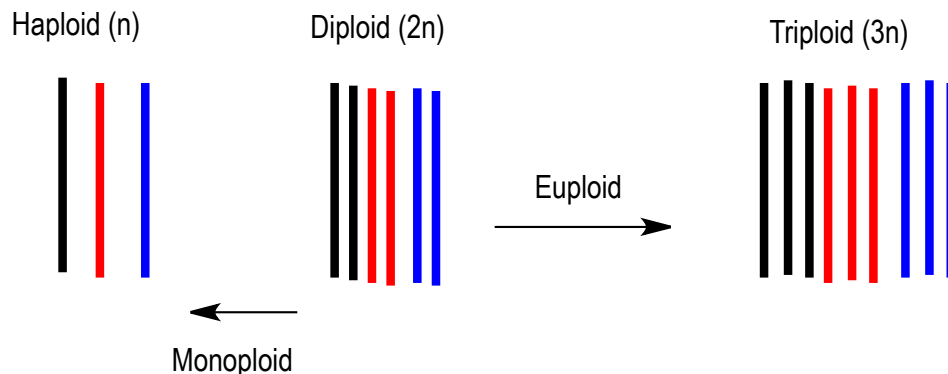
- Can contain more or fewer numbers of the normal set of the chromosomes

□ **Monoploids** describes normally diploid organisms that contain only one chromosome set

- **Parthenogenesis** describes the development of unfertilized egg into embryo without fertilization

- Ex: male bees, wasps, ants

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□ **Polyplloids** have _____ than two chromosome sets

- *Triploid (3n), tetraploid (4n), pentaploid (5n), hexaploid (6n)*

- They are divided into two classes:

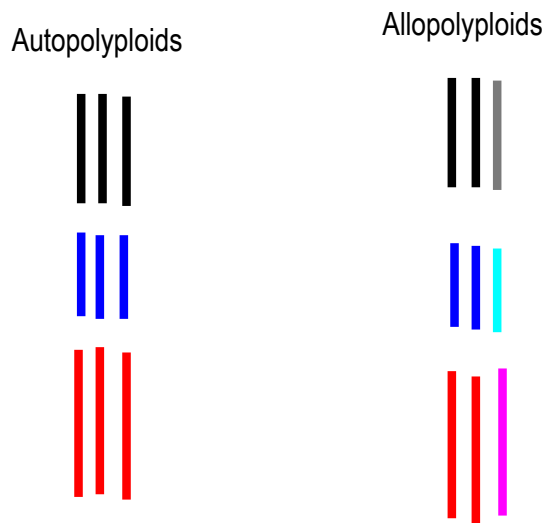
- **Autopolyploids** contain multiple chromosome sets from within one species

- **Allopolyploids** contain multiple chromosome sets from two closely related species

- Sets are called **homeologous** (semi-homologous)

- Mostly occurs in plants, but can occur in animals too

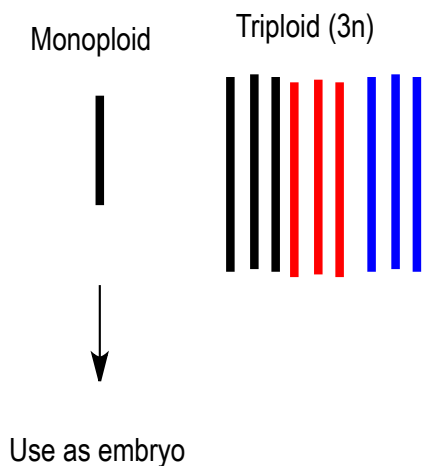
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Autopolyploidy

- *Autopolyploids* are typically triploids
 - Usually, they are _____ – but their gametes receive either two or one chromosome from each pair
 - Creates **aneuploidy** which describes organisms with mixtures of diploid and haploid chromosomes
 - Not all triploid pairs segregate equally
- There are many classes of autopolyploids
 - **Monoploids** – formed by using a haploid cell meant for fertilization as an embryo
 - **Autotriploids** – have triploids in each set (Ex: bananas) (3n)
 - **Autotetraploids** – typically result in larger sizes or flowers in plants/crops

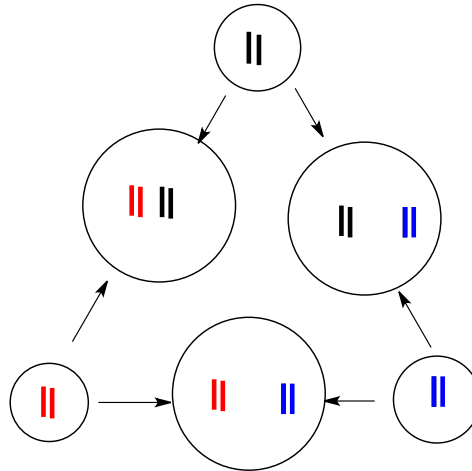
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Allopolyploidy

- *Allopolyploids* describes _____ that is a hybrid of two or more species
 - Usually, they are sterile – but their gametes receive either two or one chromosome from each pair
 - Most of these are synthetically created for crop plants (Ex: cotton and wheat)

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- **Endopolyploidy** describes diploid organisms where certain cells are polyploidy
 - Ex: Flowering plants, gut of mosquito larva, human liver cells
- **Colchicine** is a chemical that can induce nondisjunction in a laboratory

3. A species has $2n = 20$. How many chromosomes will be found per mutant cell in an autotriploid organism.
- a. 10
 - b. 20
 - c. 30
 - d. 60

CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL MUTATIONS: ANEUPLOIDY

- **Chromosomal mutations** describe alterations in chromosome structure or number of chromosomal copies

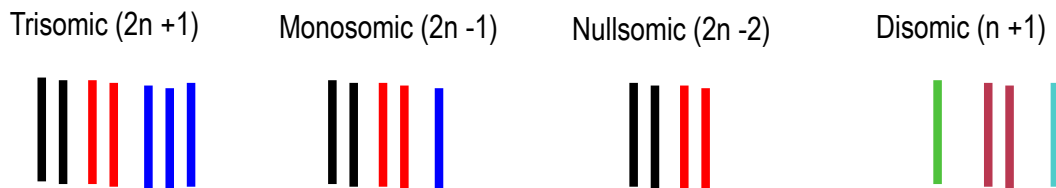
- There are two _____ of chromosomal mutations
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Aneuploidy

- **Aneuploidy** refers to organisms with chromosomes mutations found in some chromosomes, but not all

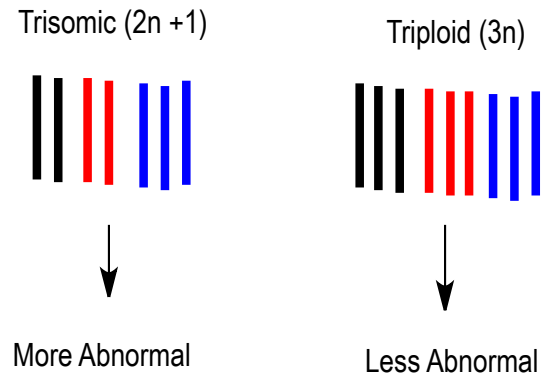
- There are many different _____ of aneuploidy
 - **Trisomic** ($2n + 1$) : Example includes Down Syndrome and Klinefelters
 - **Monosomic** ($2n - 1$) : Example includes turner syndrome
 - **Nullsomic** ($2n - 2$) : More rare than other types
 - **Disomic** ($n + 1$) : Occurs in haploids

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- **Nondisjunction**, which is the failure of chromosomes to separate properly during division, causes aneuploidy
 - Can occur in meiosis (most common) or early development mitosis (less common)
- Aneuploids are usually more abnormal than polyploids
 - **Gene balance**, which is the ratio of genes on one chromosome to genes on other chromosome
 - **Gene dosage**, which is the relation between numbers of gene copies and the amount of gene product
 - Dosage is more severe when there is an aberrant dose of a few vs. aberrant dose of all genes

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1. Which of the following chromosomal mutations increases the amount of genetic material from only some chromosomes?
 - a. Aberrant Euploidy
 - b. Aneuploidy
 - c. Monoploidy
 - d. Tetraploidy

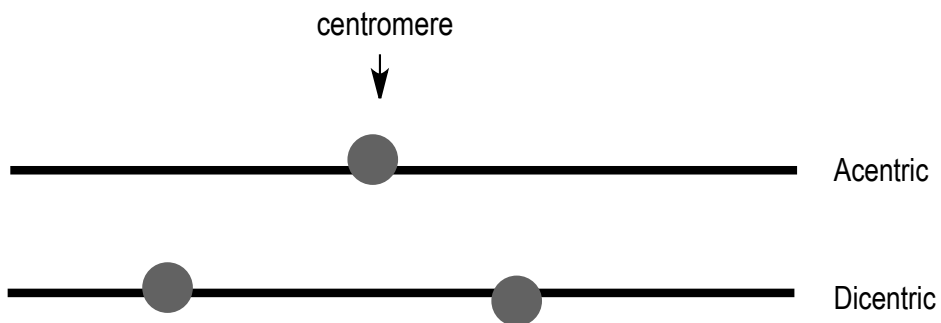
2. True or False: Aneuploids are more abnormal than polyploids
 - a. True
 - b. False

3. A species has $2n = 20$. How many chromosomes will be found per mutant cell in an monosomic organism.
- a. 10
 - b. 19
 - c. 20
 - d. 21

CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL REARRANGEMENTS: OVERVIEW

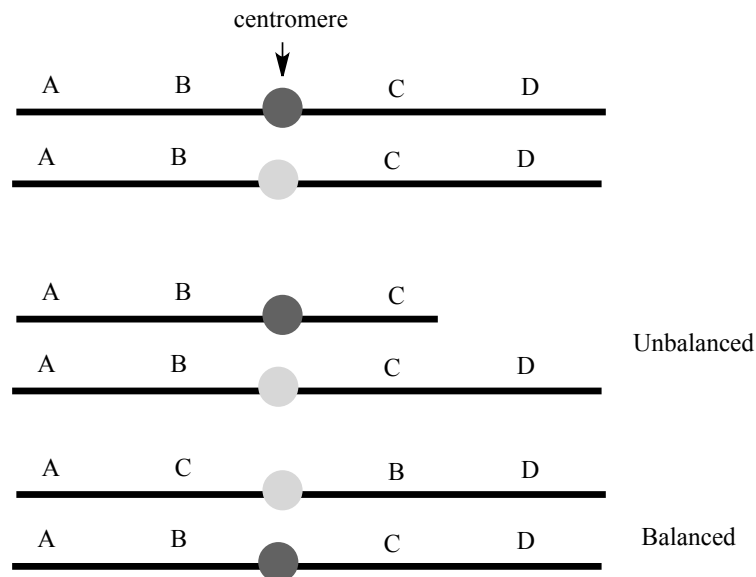
- **Chromosomal rearrangements** describe changes in chromosomal structure
 - There can be many _____ including: deletions, duplications, translocations, inversions
 - Rearrangements are named based on their occurrence in reference to the centromere
 - **Acentric chromosomes** are chromosomes that lack a centromere due to a chromosomal rearrangement
 - **Dicentric chromosomes** are chromosomes with 2 centromeres due to a chromosomal rearrangement
 - **Anaphase bridge** occurs when a dicentric is simultaneously pulled to opposite poles in anaphase

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- There are two rearrangement _____
 - **Unbalanced rearrangements** occur when there is a change of gene dosage of chromosomal segment
 - Occur through deletion or duplication
 - **Balanced rearrangements** occur when there is a change of gene order
 - Occur through inversions or translocations

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3. A chromosome with two centromeres is called what?
 - a. Bichromosome
 - b. Bivalent
 - c. Dicentric
 - d. Acentric

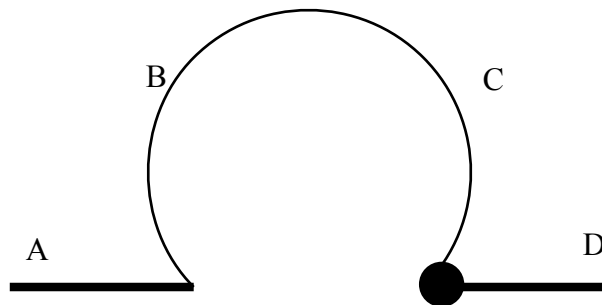
CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL REARRANGEMENTS: DELETIONS

- **Deletions** are a type of chromosomal rearrangement that results in a loss of a part of a chromosome arm
 - Deletions require that there are two breaks to cut out the segment
 - The deleted chromosomal segment contains no centromere – and is lost after cell division
 - There are many types of _____

Deletion type	Location of deletion
Intragenic deletion	Within a gene
Multigenic deletions	Multiple genes
Terminal Deletions	End of a chromosome
Intercalary Deletions	Interior of a chromosome

- Deletions cause a couple of important _____
 - **Pseudodominance** occurs when the deletion allows for a single recessive allele to show its phenotype
 - A **deletion loop** is created between between the normal homolog and its partner congaing the missing segment
 - Allows for proper segregation during meiosis
 - A human example of a deletion is **Cri du chat syndrome** which is caused by a deletion in chromosome 5

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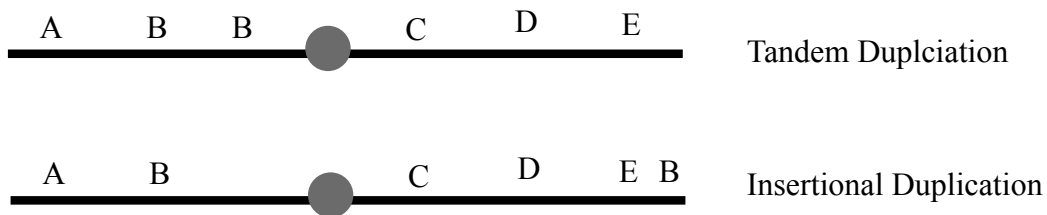


3. Which of the following genetic diseases is an example of a chromosomal deletion?
- a. Down syndrome
 - b. Familial down syndrome
 - c. Cri du Chat syndrome
 - d. Klinefelter's Disease

CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL REARRANGEMENTS: DUPLICATION

- **Duplications** are a type of chromosomal rearrangement where the chromosomal segment is doubled
 - There are many _____ of duplications
 - **Tandem duplications** occur when the duplicate regions are located adjacent to each other
 - **Insertional duplication** occurs when the duplications regions are located elsewhere in the genomes
 - **Segmental Duplications** are 10-50 kilobases in length and encompass very large sections

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- Duplications have been extremely important in evolution
 - rDNA duplications allows for ribosome formation
 - Causes three copies of alleles

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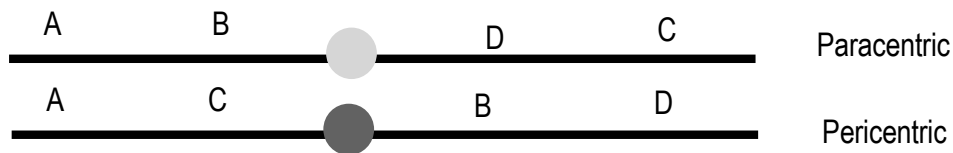
1. A person has a WT chromosome with the following segments. A B C • D E F G H. Which of the following shows how the chromosome would look after an insertional duplication?
 - a. A A B B C • D E F G H
 - b. A B C • D E F G H A B
 - c. A B A B C • D E F G H
 - d. A C • D E F G H

2. A person has a WT chromosome with the following segments. A B C • D E F G H. Which of the following shows how the chromosome would look after an tandem duplication?
 - a. A B B C • D E F G H
 - b. A B C • D E F G H B
 - c. A B A C • D E F G H
 - d. A C • D E F G H

CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL REARRANGEMENTS: INVERSIONS

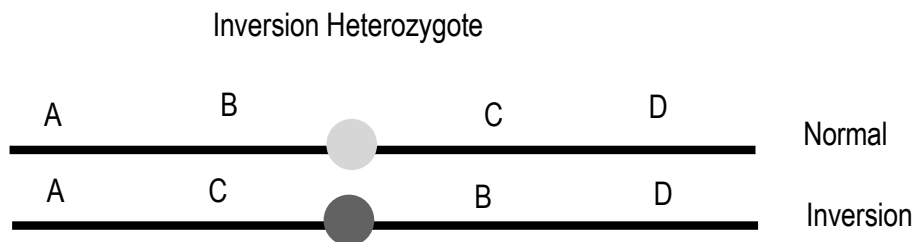
- An **inversion** describes a chromosomal rearrangement when the orientation of a segment is reversed
 - There two main _____ of inversions
 - **Paracentric** describes inversions when the centromere is outside
 - **Pericentric** describes inversion spanning the centromere

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- **Inversion heterozygote** describes an organism with one normal chromosome, and one inverted chromosome
 - This does not mean the alleles are heterozygous, just the _____
- An **Inversion loop** forms between the inversion heterozygotes to assist in segregation
 - Involves twisting one end of the inverted chromosome to pair with the uninverted chromosome
- A **balancer chromosome** is often used to suppress cross over in genetic studies
 - Balancer chromosomes contain multiple inversions and markers which disrupts synapsis and CO

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1. A person has a WT chromosome with the following segments. A B C • D E F G H. Which of the following shows how the chromosome would look after an paracentric inversion?
 - a. A B C • D E F G H
 - b. A B E D • C F G H
 - c. A B C • D G H
 - d. A B C • D G F E H

2. A person has a WT chromosome with the following segments. A B C • D E F G H. Which of the following shows how the chromosome would look after a pericentric inversion?
 - a. A B C • D E F G H
 - b. A B E D • C F G H
 - c. A B C • D G H
 - d. A B C • D G E F H

CONCEPT: CHROMOSOMAL REARRANGEMENTS: TRANSLOCATIONS

• **Translocations** describes when a chromosomal segment is moved to a different chromosome

□ **Reciprocal translocations** occur when chromosomes trade acentric fragments

- There are _____ ways these translocations are sorted into gametes (N=Normal T=translocated)

1. **Adjacent-1 segregation** – segregates like: (N2 T1) and (N1 T2)

- These are inviable

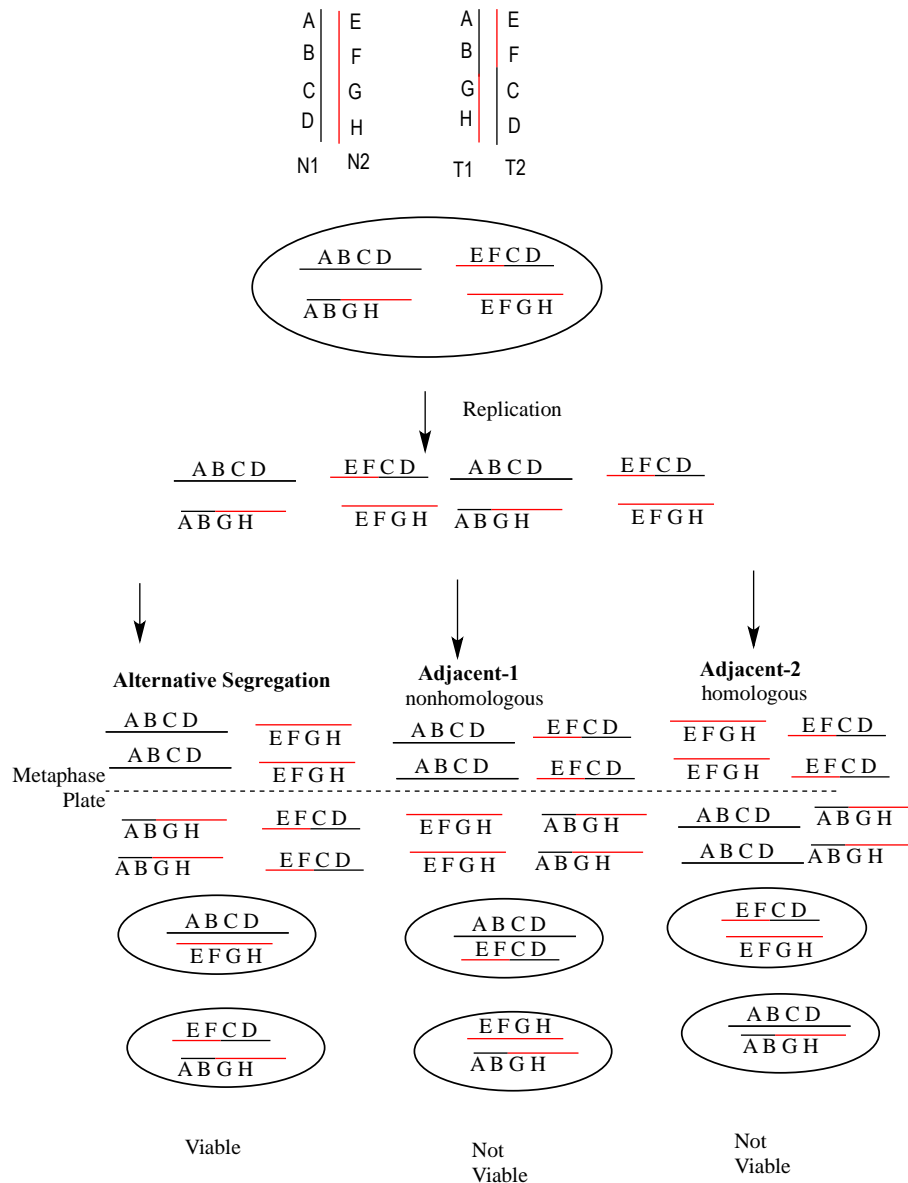
2. **Adjacent-2 segregation** – segregates like: (N1 T1) and (N2 T2)

- These are inviable

3. **Alternative segregation** – segregates like : (T1 T2) and (N1 N2)

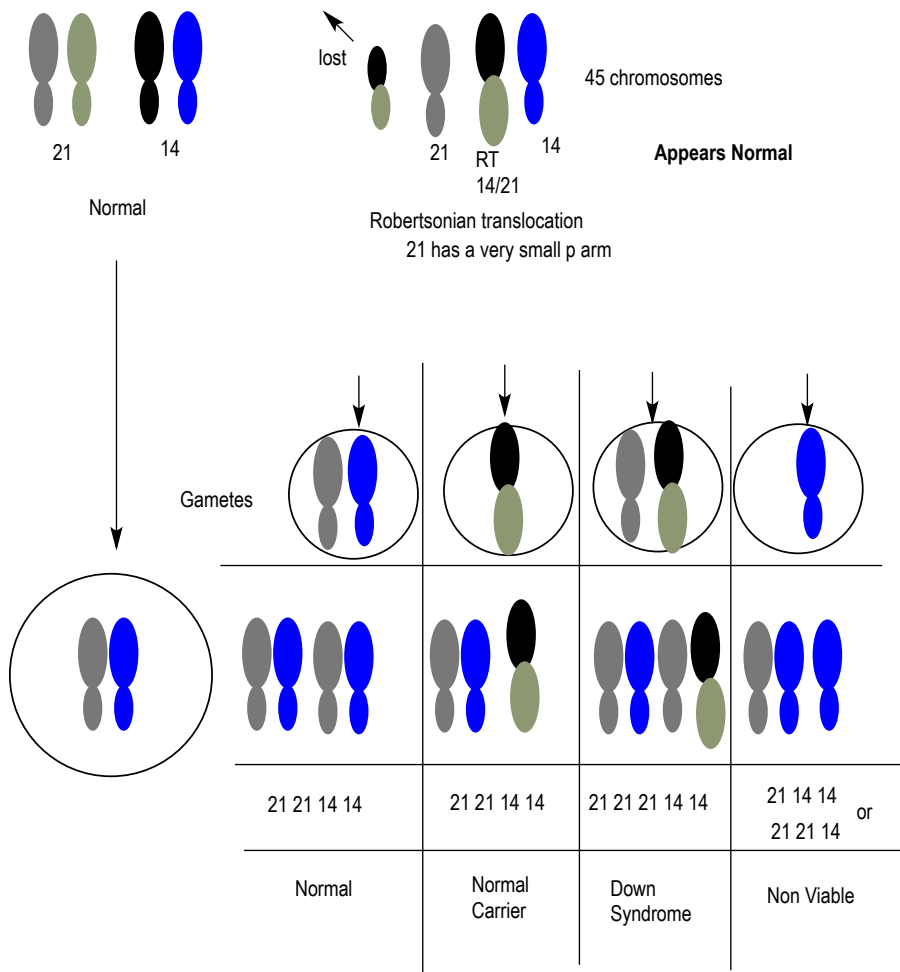
- The gametes are viable

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- **Robertsonian translocation** occurs when there are breaks at two short arms of two nonhomologous acrocentric
 - Forms a chromosome that contains two long arms from two nonhomologous chromosomes
- The *balanced form* (parent) results in _____ problems for the person
 - This because it takes the place of two acrocentric chromosomes
- The *unbalanced form* (child) it results in a chromosomal imbalance
 - Example: Familial down syndrome

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1. Which of the following represents the chromosomal segregation into gametes after a reciprocal translocation caused by adjacent-1 segregation? N=Normal chromosome T = Translocated chromosome
 - a. (N2 T1) and (N1 T2)
 - b. (N1 T1) and (N2 T2)
 - c. (T1 T2) and (N1 N2)

2. Which of the following ways reciprocal translocated chromosomes are sorted produces viable gametes?
 - a. Adjacent-1 segregation
 - b. Adjacent-2 segregation
 - c. Alternative segregation

3. An individual heterozygous for a reciprocal translocation has the following chromosomes. Which chromosomes do the gametes receive after alternative segregation?

<u>AB•CDEFG</u>	<u>JK•LMNOP</u>
<u>AB•CDNOP</u>	<u>JK•LMEFG</u>

- a. AB•CDEFG and JK•LMEFG
 b. AB•CDNOP and JK•LMEFG
 c. AB•CDNOP and JK•LMNOP

4. An individual heterozygous for a reciprocal translocation has the following chromosomes. Which chromosomes do the gametes receive after adjacent-1 segregation?

<u>AB•CDEFG</u>	<u>JK•LMNOP</u>
<u>AB•CDNOP</u>	<u>JK•LMEFG</u>

- d. AB•CDEFG and JK•LMEFG
 e. AB•CDNOP and JK•LMEFG
 f. AB•CDNOP and AB•CDEFG

5. An individual heterozygous for a reciprocal translocation has the following chromosomes. Which chromosomes do the gametes receive after adjacent-2 segregation?

AB•CDEFG
AB•CDNOP

JK•LMNOP
JK•LMEFG

- g. AB•CDEFG and JK•LMEFG
h. AB•CDNOP and JK•LMEFG
i. AB•CDNOP and AB•CDEFG

6. How many chromosomes does a person who is a carrier for familial down syndrome caused by a robertsonian translocation have?
- 45
 - 46
 - 47
 - 48