## Homework Assignment 4

**Total Points: 100** 

(Due Thursday, October 12, 2023 at 5PM)

Please email your answer (compiled pdf file from R markdown) and R code to Cenxiao (CENXIAO@email.sc.edu)

- 1. Use the hdata.txt downloaded from the class website (command below), and
  - (a) Find Mendelian inconsistency due to potential genotyping error in every genetic marker for every offspring using R assuming parents' genotypes are correct. [Hint: Use **intersect** and modify the R code in Lab8.R.] (30 points)

## **Data Description:**

faid: Father's ID (0 indicates founder) moid: Mother's ID (0 indicates founder)

iid: Individual ID

sex: M: male, F: Female

weight: weight

m11: the first allele in m1 marker m12: the second allele in m1 marker

>hdata.url<-

"http://people.stat.sc.edu/hoyen/STAT588/Data/hdata.txt"
>hdata<-read.table(file=hdata.url, header=T, sep="\t")</pre>

(b) Remove offsprings with Mendelian inconsistency, and create genotype data using R. For example, take

Original data: m11 m12 m21 m22

M1 M2 M3 M2 M2 M1 M2 M3

And create this:

Genotype data: m1 m2 M1\_M2 M2\_M3

Notice that both ("M1, "M2") and ("M2", "M1") should be the same "M1\_M2" genotype.

[Hint: use sort and paste] (15 points)

(c) Perform gene association test using the genotype data generated from offspring. Identify any genetic markers that are associated

with weight adjusting for **faid** and **sex**. Interpret your findings: which allele in what marker increases weight by how much on average? (15 points).

- 2. Use the FAMuSS data, determine the minor allele and its frequency for the actn3\_1671064 SNP. Report these frequencies overall and stratified by the variable labeled Race. Interpret your findings. (15 points)
- 3. Based on the FAMuSS data, determine whether any of the four SNPs within the akt2 gene are associated with percentage change in non-dominant arm muscle strength as measured by NDRM.CH. (15 points)
- 4. Based on the FAMuSS data, determine whether there is a deviation from Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium (HWE) for the akt1\_t10726c\_t12868c SNP. Check whether stratifying by the variable Race alters your findings. (10 points)

## Get FAMuSS data:

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>fmsURL<-
"http://people.stat.sc.edu/hoyen/STAT588/Data/FMS_d
ata.txt"
>fms<-read.delim(file=fmsURL, header=TRUE,
sep="\t")</pre>
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