Variations in Levels of Blood Clotting Factors IX and X in a Population of Normal Men: Possible Genetic Polymorphisms

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The coagulation of blood may be regarded as the final step in a sequence of physiologico-chemical reactions, each prior step of which triggers a subsequent one [1, 2]. The components of the sequence, conventionally designated by Roman numerals but also possessing physiologic appellations, have been defined by combining biochemical analysis with the physiologic study of mutant phenotypes and members of their families. Mutant phenotypes have been described in humans for 10 of the 13 components or "factors" of the sequence (Factors I, II, V, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, and XIII) and in dogs for at least three (Factors VII, VIII, IX). As expected, most of the mutated loci reside on autosomal chromosomes (I, II, V, VII, X, XI, XII, XIII), but two are X linked in both species (VIII, IX). The mutations are rare, and the two most commonly encountered abnormal phenotypes are the X-linked hemophilias A (Factor VIII, AHF deficiency) and B (Factor IX, Christmas-factor deficiency). The frequency in humans of the abnormal gene producing hemophilia A has been estimated to be $1-1.7 \times 10^{-4}$ and for hemophilia B, $2-3 \times 10^{-5}$ [3]. The hemophilia-A locus is known to be linked to the colorblindness and glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase loci, but the hemophilia-B locus has not yet been linked to any other locus on the X chromosome [4].

The abnormal phenotypes are usually ascertained through the existence of a hemorrhagic diathesis, and confirmation is by use of an in vitro bioassay. Identification of the abnormal phenotypes has depended upon demonstration of retarded coagulation values under test-tube conditions. Specific identification of an abnormality has depended upon matching the abnormal plasma against a battery of previously defined abnormal plasmas in a type of complementation test. When the unknown abnormal plasma sample fails to improve coagulation of one member of the abnormal battery but is able to improve the retarded coagulation of all others,

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specific identification is regarded as complete. Improvement of retarded coagulation of all members of the battery may imply the discovery of a new abnormality, implying perhaps the existence of a previously unsuspected clotting factor.

Assay procedures have been developed by quantitative adaptation of the complementation principle. Under controlled conditions, using a specifically defective plasma for, say, Factor IX, the Factor IX content of an unknown sample can be assayed in comparison with a standard. The relative corrective effects of the two can be compared and the unknown expressed as a fraction of the standard. These assay procedures are highly specific qualitatively but are only moderately precise quantitatively, because the end point is a function of a very large number of variables.

Until recently, only the more severe mutations causing significant reductions in clotting-factor level have been definable, because of the relative imprecision of the assays and the fairly large variations within normal populations. The population variation is thought to have a physiologic as well as a genetic basis, since a number of the factors are affected by developmental and environmental influences such as age, hypermetabolism, pregnancy, drugs, and exercise. Additional genetic variability has been uncovered recently by application of immunologic techniques. For example, both CRM⁺ and CRM⁻ variants are recognizable for both hemophilia A [5–7] and hemophilia B [8]. An additional Factor IX variant, B_m [9], has also been identified by coagulation procedures.

It occurred to us that study of a normal population of males for levels of Factor IX with a bioassay under careful control might reveal additional genetic variability. A polymorphism would be most easily detected for this factor, we reasoned, because Factor IX is related to a locus on the X chromosome, each male possessing only one such locus. The single sample collected on each subject was also assayed for Factors II and X (prothrombin and Stuart factor, respectively), because all three factors have many properties in common, that is, dependence upon vitamin K, susceptibility to coumarin compounds, adsorption and elution from alkaline earth particles, stability over time, and reasonably reliable assays. However, the results for Factor II are not reported in detail since (1) we were not able to control these assays as rigorously as the others, (2) the findings for this factor did not add significantly to the results, and (3) it is easier to understand the results of the statistical analyses in terms of two factors than in terms of three factors.

This paper will describe results which strongly suggest a relatively high frequency of polymorphism among normal males for Factor X (the Stuart factor) and a lower frequency of polymorphism for Factor IX.

SUBJECTS AND METHODS

Study Population

A group of 207 male students from the University of North Carolina volunteered for the experiment. All were Caucasians between the ages of 15 and 26 years. All professed to be in good health. Samples were obtained during a 3-week period in June 1965. The great majority of samples were obtained between 8 A.M. and 11 A.M. in the entry to the YMCA building from students en route to the snack bar. A few were obtained in the dormitories at night. In no case were samples obtained from men recently engaged in strenuous exercise.

Collection and Storage of Blood

A 5-ml sample of blood was drawn from each volunteer, using a single syringe technique. Then 4 ml of the blood was quickly mixed with 0.5 ml of 3.2% sodium citrate solution; the remainder was discarded. The samples were immediately packed in ice at 0° C and transported to the laboratory within several hours. After centrifugation under refrigeration, the sedimented cells were discarded and the pipetted plasma from each of the samples was stored at -20° C until assayed.

Control Plasma

A 50-ml sample of blood was drawn from each of 10 normal donors, anticoagulated with 3.2% sodium citrate in the ratio 1:8 v/v, and centrifuged. The 10 plasmas were then pooled and divided into lots of 0.2 ml each, a volume sufficient for one assay procedure, and stored at -20° C. A lot of the pooled control plasma was thawed prior to each procedure and used as the standard for comparison.

Assay Procedure

Factor IX was measured by a one-stage assay procedure developed by Barrow et al. [10] based upon the partial thromboplastin time. Factor X was assayed by a one-stage assay procedure developed by Hougie et al. [11], most recently described by Barrow and Graham [12]. Both assays were carried out on all samples during a period of 4 weeks by one of us (R. Lester).

RESULTS

The results of the assays on the 207 volunteers are tabulated in the Appendix. Each assay was carried out twice, and each result shown in the table is the average value for each factor on each person; the standard error of such a result was calculated to be 7.5 for Factor IX and 5.9 for Factor X. Inspection of the tabulated data reveals nothing striking. We did not, for example, encounter by chance a single person with a sufficiently abnormal assay value to suggest that he be regarded as a "bleeder."

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Basic Descriptive Statistics of the Sample, Testing for Departure from a Normal Distribution

		FACTOR	Assay
	Age (Years)	IX	x
Mean	20.72	123.98	106.91
Variance	3.41	745.79	623.85
Skewness	0.37*	0.31*	0.89**
Kurtosis	3.72*	3.65*	3.26
Range	15-26	46-217	56-190

* $.01 \le P \le .05$.

** .001≤ *P* ≤ .01.

Table 1 shows the basic descriptive statistics computed from the sample studied. The distributions of both factors are positively skewed and leptokurtic; the skewness is especially significant for Factor X. It has been shown that platy-kurtosis is evidence of bimodality, and, conversely, that leptokurtosis indicates "least bimodality" [13, 14]; this would imply that neither of the factors can possibly have bimodal distributions. However, the arguments used hold only for symmetric distributions; since the distributions are skewed, the measure of kurtosis in this case tells us very little about bimodality. It should be noted that a log transformation of the data will reduce the skewness, but, for Factor X at least, cannot eliminate it entirely.

The pairwise correlations are as follows, the indicated significance levels being appropriate for pairs of variables that follow bivariate normal distributions: age-Factor IX, -0.05; age-Factor X, 0.18 (P < .05); Factor IX-Factor X, 0.30 (P < .001). Although the variables are not normally distributed (see table 1), this departure from normality is probably insufficient to seriously affect the significance levels [15].

Figures 1*a* and 1*b* compare the data with the best-fitting normal distributions, as determined from the means and variances given in table 1. Each solid curve is a cumulative normal distribution; the dots are an empirical plot of $[r(x) - \frac{1}{2}]/n$ (ordinate) against *x* (abscissa), where *x* is a factor measurement on one individual and r(x) is the rank of *x* among *n* (207) measurements (the lowest measurement has rank 1, the highest has rank *n*). This method of plotting the data avoids the difficulty, inherent in drawing histograms, that the choice of class interval can greatly influence the picture obtained. It is immediately apparent from these plots that Factor IX is approximately normally distributed (even though it shows significant skewness and kurtosis), but that Factor X is a mixture of at least two normal distributions.

Using a very general computer program developed by Kaplan and Elston [16], maximum-likelihood estimates were obtained for a fit of a mixture of two normal distributions, with common variance, to the data for each factor. Thus, denoting the data by x_i , i = 1, 2, ..., n, the likelihood is proportional to

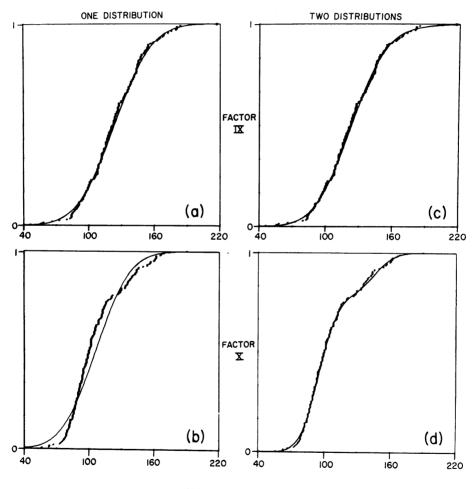
$$\sigma^{-n}\prod_{i=1}^{n}\left\{p\exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x_{i}-\mu_{1}}{\sigma}\right)^{2}\right]+(1-p)\exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{x_{i}-\mu_{2}}{\sigma}\right)^{2}\right]\right\},$$

and this is maximized to obtain estimates of μ_1 and μ_2 (the two means), σ^2 (the common variance), and p and (1-p) (the proportions of admixture). The standard errors of these estimates are calculated by inverting the observed information matrix, this latter being obtained by numerical double differentiation of the log-likelihood surface. The results are given in table 2, and a comparison of the data points and the corresponding theoretical curves are shown in figures 1c and 1d; these plots are similar to the plots shown in figures 1a and 1b, except that now the theoretical curve is, in each case, a mixture of the two corresponding distributions given in table 2. It is apparent that a mixture of two distributions fits the data

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	FACTO	DR IX	FACTOR X		
	Parameter	SE	Parameter	SE	
Mean of first distribution	122.98	2.06	96.03	1.23	
Mean of second distribution	195.68	34.13	146.10	2.52	
Common variance	654.15	75.50	194.31	22.75	
Proportion in first distribution	0.98	0.02	0.78	0.03	
Proportion in second distribution	0.02	0.02	0.22	0.03	

ESTIMATED PARAMETERS, AND STANDARD ERRORS, WHEN A MIXTURE OF TWO NORMAL DISTRIBUTIONS WITH COMMON VARIANCE IS FITTED TO SAMPLE



PERCENT CONTROL PLASMA

FIG. 1.—Empirical and theoretical cumulative plots when one normal distribution (a,b) or a mixture of two normal distributions (c,d) are fitted to the data for Factors IX and X.

better, as is to be expected, and that the poor fit for Factor X is greatly ameliorated. That the fit for Factor X is significantly better when a mixture of two distributions is postulated is seen by noting that the estimated proportion in the second distribution, 0.22, differs from zero by more than seven times its standard error. In the case of Factor IX, however, the corresponding proportion is not significantly different from zero.

Examination of the empirical plot for Factor X suggests the possibility of its being a mixture of three normal distributions, and so the best-fitting threedistribution mixture was also obtained, with the results given in table 3. The likeli-

TABLE 3

ESTIMATED PARAMETERS, AND STANDARD ERRORS, WHEN A MIXTURE OF
THREE NORMAL DISTRIBUTIONS WITH COMMON VARIANCE IS FITTED
TO FACTOR X DATA

	Parameter	
Mean of first distribution	95.30	1.26
Mean of second distribution	138.00	6.98
Mean of third distribution	160.71	8.36
Common variance	166.42	24.10
Proportion in first distribution	0.76	0.04
Proportion in second distribution	0.18	0.05
Proportion in third distribution	0.06	0.06

hood of the data under this model is 4.3 times larger than the likelihood for a mixture of two distributions; but, as is seen in table 3, the proportion of the third distribution is not significantly different from zero. If we assume the three proportions in table 3 are the population frequencies of three genotypes AA, Aa, and aa, then assuming Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium, the gene frequencies are 0.85 and 0.15. These result in the expected genotypic frequencies of 0.723, 0.255, and 0.022, which are not significantly different from the observed proportions. Furthermore, on the assumption that the rarer gene is dominant, the gene frequencies calculated from the two-distribution proportions in table 2 are similarly 0.88 and 0.12. The data are thus consistent with the hypothesis of polymorphism at an autosomal locus. Figure 2 shows the theoretical density functions for the best-fitting mixture of two distributions; the overall density for a mixture of three distributions, which may be theoretically more realistic, is indistinguishable from figure 2 when similarly graphed.

In view of the highly significant correlation between the two factors, it is of interest to determine whether this polymorphism for Factor X is in any way related to the distribution of Factor IX. With this in mind, maximum-likelihood estimates were obtained for a fit of a mixture of two bivariate normal distributions, with common variance matrix, to the data. Quite unexpectedly, two local maxima were found on the likelihood surface. Upon reflection, however, this finding is not surprising if the factors are parts of biologically independent systems. This appears

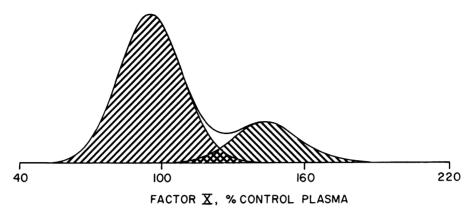


FIG. 2.—Theoretical component and overall density functions for a mixture of two normal distributions fitted to the data for Factor X.

to be confirmed by the estimates obtained, shown in table 4; the higher maximum is about 10^{12} times as large as the lower maximum.

Looking at the results for the higher maximum first, it is seen that the means and variance for Factor X, and also the proportions of admixture, are not significantly different from those obtained for Factor X in table 2. This maximum thus corresponds to the polymorphism for Factor X. It should be noted that the estimated means for Factor IX at this maximum are not significantly different, and, further-

TABLE	4
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ESTIMATED PARAMETERS, AND STANDARD ERRORS, WHEN A MIXTURE OF TWO BIVARIATE NORMAL DISTRIBUTIONS WITH COMMON VARIANCE MATRIX IS FITTED TO SAMPLE

	HIGHER LOCAL MAXIMUM				LOWER LOCAL MAXIMUM			
	Factor IX		Factor X		Factor IX		Factor X	
	Parameter	SE	Parameter	SE	Parameter	SE	Parameter	SE
Means of first distribution	122.26	2.16	96.61	1.26	122.69	2.20	106.34	1.86
Means of second distribution Common variances	130.73 730.57	4.45 72.02	147.36 204.01	2.65 24.51	193.93 652.05	40.46 77.13	137.93 603.07	20.48 61.74
	Param		SE		Param		SI	
Common correlation Proportion in first	0.3	0.34		0.10		6	0.11	
distribution Proportion in second	0.80		0.03		0.9	8	0.0)3
distribution	0.2	0.20		0.03		2	0.03	

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more, that the estimated common correlation between the two factors is not significantly different from that obtained (0.30) when a single bivariate distribution is assumed. Figure 3 is derived from the estimates obtained at the higher maximum and clearly shows that they correspond to a polymorphism for Factor X, virtually independent of Factor IX levels.

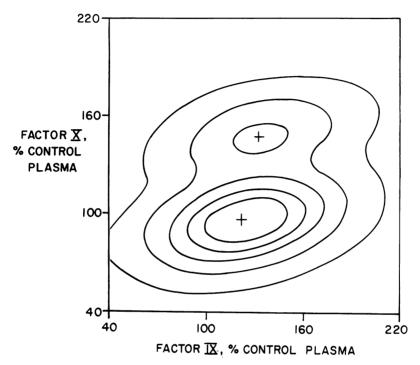
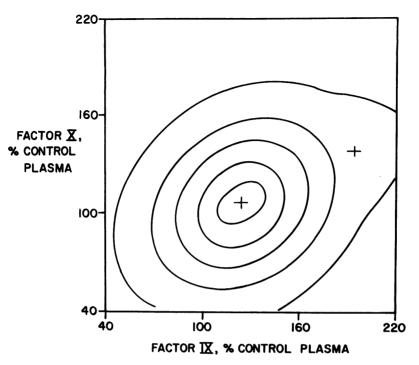


FIG. 3.—Equiprobability contours and means (+) for a mixture of two bivariate normal distributions fitted to the data, using maximum-likelihood estimates corresponding to the larger local maximum on the likelihood surface.

Conversely, if we look at the results given in table 4 for the lower maximum, we see that the estimates for Factor IX are virtually the same as the corresponding estimates for Factor IX in table 2 and that now the two means for Factor X are not significantly different; and, again, the correlation is not significantly changed. This can be seen pictorially in figure 4, indicating there may be a real polymorphism for Factor IX that is not significantly dependent upon levels of Factor X. However, a comparison of figures 3 and 4 shows that the polymorphism for Factor IX is much less clear. The significant correlation that is consistently found between the factors is most likely due to the common treatment undergone by each blood sample prior to the factor assays or the effects of environmental agents which affect both factors, for example, aspirin, etc.

Finally, in view of the significant correlation between age and Factor X, trivariate analyses were performed to investigate the possibility that the above results are



F.G. 4.—Equiprobability contours and means (+) for a mixture of two bivariate normal distributions fitted to the data, using maximum-likelihood estimates corresponding to the smaller local maximum on the likelihood surface.

an artifact, due perhaps to heterogeneity in the age distribution; this was found not to be the case. Similarly, in view of significant correlations with Factor II, appropriate quadrivariate analyses were performed; as indicated earlier, nothing was found that could invalidate our conclusions.

DISCUSSION

There are questions, both physiologic and genetic, which can be examined by a study of these members of the so-called prothrombin complex. Most opinion favors the view that their synthesis and physiologic action are independent, although the factors possess a number of common characteristics and are very difficult to separate by chemical means. An alternative theory to complete independence is that Factor II (prothrombin) is a "parent" molecule and Factors IX and X are derived from it by cleavage during coagulation [17]. Thus, in a study such as ours, *no correlation* between the levels of these factors would be consistent with the usual hypothesis, and *very strong correlation* would support the Seegers hypothesis. The observed correlation coefficients are of the order of .30, values which are significant in a sample of this size, but which cannot be regarded as very strong correlations. Furthermore, it is significant that our analyses suggest a polymorphism for Factor X that is independent of Factor II and IX levels, and also the possibility of a poly-

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morphism for Factor IX that is independent of Factor II and X levels. The results of this study are thus more compatible with the theory that the factors are synthesized independently, although they cannot completely rule out the alternative hypothesis.

Although highly suggestive, this study does not provide direct evidence for the existence of any genetic polymorphisms determining variations in the levels of the factors considered. Such evidence must come from the study of related individuals, using such methods of analysis as those proposed by Elston and Stewart [18]. There can be little doubt that the level of Factor X is a mixture of two (or more) distributions. Although the results may be considered ambiguous with regard to Factor IX, it should be noted that the second local maximum in the bivariate analysis confirms the univariate analysis. Day [19] has indicated that it is very easy, when performing such multivariate analyses, to estimate and find a mixture of two distributions when in fact sampling is from a single multinormal distribution. Using the estimates in table 4, it is possible to obtain estimates of the generalized distance between the pairs of populations; these are 3.68 at the higher local maximum and 2.85 at the lower one. The corresponding distances based on the univariate analyses (table 2) are 3.59 and 2.84 for Factors X and IX, respectively. Day considers the particular case of samples of size 200 for bivariate normal distributions, and it would seem probable from the simulation results he presents that all of these estimated generalized distances are significantly different from zero at the 5% level and, hence, unlikely to be due to sampling variation. We must therefore conclude that there may well be genetic polymorphisms for variation in the levels of both Factors IX and X. This suggests that carefully planned and executed family studies may clearly establish genetic polymorphisms; the task will, of course, be easier for Factor X.

SUMMARY

A study has been made of the plasma levels of physiologically closely related blood-clotting factors in a population of normal men. Analysis of the data strongly suggests a relatively high frequency of polymorphism for the Stuart factor (Factor X), with gene frequencies of about 0.85 and 0.15. There is also evidence of polymorphism for the Christmas factor (Factor IX), but at a much lower gene frequency. Study of the segregation of the factor levels in families ascertained through members with a high level should provide crucial evidence bearing on the question of polymorphism for these clotting factors.

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APPENDIX

Subject No.	Age	Factor IX* (%)	Factor X* (%)	Subject No.	Age	Factor IX* (%)	Factor X (%)
1	20	85	78	56	26	143	162
2	20	80	136	57	19	142	130
3	21	141	134	58	19	136	174
4		109	92			180	161
	18	84	92 87	59	20	148	157
5	18			60	18		
6	20	117	112	61	21	145	111
7	22	100	102	62	20	142	109
8	21	108	91	63	20	217	160
9	21	84	83	64	19	124	136
10	19	87	134	65	23	153	162
11	19	56	83	66	20	145	162
12	22	66	95	67	20	126	113
13	23	99	101	68	19	148	112
14	21	90	92	69	19	144	93
15	18	91	94	70	20	110	91
16	18	86	88	71	18	142	89
17	23	109	113	72	20	120	96
18	21	89	105	73	20	90	81
19	19	112	90	74	26	121	90
20		96	91	75	21	100	63
21	21	176	89	76	21	144	86
22	21	155	114	77	21	119	95
23	21	217	129	78	20	131	95
24	20	184	116	79	20	137	82
25	22	155	95	80	19	154	100
26	21	127	94	81	20	152	100
27	16	121	63	82	22	173	100
28	17	85	83	83	22	114	87
29	22	165	103	84	17	130	56
30	20	132	103	85	19	118	50 73
31	18	137	92	86	20	127	81
32	20	164	92 99	87	20 19	133	86
	22	132	99		19	116	80 76
	19						
		98	87		19	111	96
35	22	160	157	90	24	111	80
36	22	137	97	91	20	128	105
37	20	173	107	92	20	136	130
38	20	122	79	93	22	96	114
39	20	139	92	94	19	97	86
40	21	123	113	95	26	58	82
41	21	181	141	96	20	89	88
42	15	123	99	97	20	119	102
43	22	126	94	98	18	127	90
44	19	106	154	99	22	121	88
45	22	116	82	100	21	123	102
46	26	46	144	101	18	102	86
47	22	112	140	102	20	115	129
48	21	113	161	103	18	111	105
49	18	95	167	104	22	97	95
50	22	96	154	105	19	125	94
51	18	117	121	106	20	138	143
52	20	108	169	107	20	112	114
53	18	114	150	108	22	151	121
54	23	91	146	109	20	152	166

CLOTTING FACTOR ASSAYS ON 207 MALE VOLUNTEERS

APPENDIX	(Continued)
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		Factor IX*	Factor X*			Factor IX*	Factor X*
Subject No.	Age	(%)	(%)	Subject No.	Age	(%)	(%)
111	22	144	134	160	23	83	80
112	23	140	137	161	20	144	127
113	19	166	144	162	22	119	121
114	20	169	103	163	22	144	107
115	18	118	83	164	20	117	113
116	22	95	85	165	21	144	109
117	22	84	109	166	18	145	105
118	19	127	117	167	20	163	140
119	22	100	109	168	19	117	99
120	19	112	120	169	20	108	104
121	21	87	139	170	23	134	90
122	19	116	118	171	20	128	100
123	19	98	88	172	19	93	79
124	18	127	87	173	21	124	93
125	21	147	143	174	21	121	95
126	20	84	85	175	21	154	88
127	19	159	102	176	20	148	98
128	21	141	115	177	22	132	102
129	19	168	102	178	18	146	94
130	19	170	122	179	19	125	144
131	24	149	98	180	22	145	102
132	21	116	85	181	18	145	112
133	22	101	89	182	18	108	112
134	20	128	107	183	21	108	95
135	21	99	98	184	21	155	146
136	21	134	135	185	17	118	94
137	19	134	104	186	16	101	79
138	23	109	80	187	21	99	100
139	20	124	82	188	21	146	138
140	20	139	101	189	21	124	113
141	19	130	98	190	18	73	79
142	18	181	128	191	21	116	112
143	17	140	90	192	19	169	130
144	18	123	90 74 ·	193	22	109	116
145	21	146	92	193	20	109	97
146	23	181	92 97	195	17	105	77
147	19	106	85		19	91	75
148	24	123	116				
149	20	120	102	197	19	135	90
150	22	125	110	198	19	95	91
151	23	112	136	199	18	114	99
152	17	136	78	200	18	102	101
153	19	130	106	201	18	151	87
154	21	133	190	202	21	109	86
155	20	105	67	203	22	112	106
156	20	116	109	204	19	114	77
157	22	149	109	205	21	112	85
158	23	101	93	206	21	128	138
159	19	91	93 98	207	17	94	83

* See Methods section for standard.