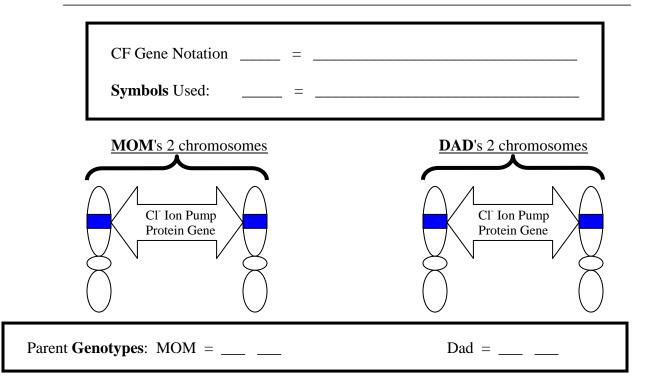
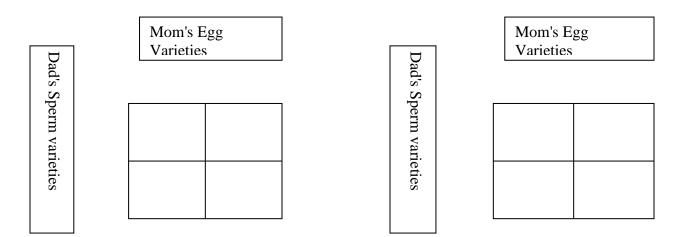
BTR (): **CF**

- 1) Use your notes to explain the differences between the following terms:
 - gene vs. allele:
 - genotype vs. phenotype: _____
 - homozygous vs. heterozygous: _______





UV n Mutation Graph

A student wanted to study the relationship between UV light exposure and bacterial mutation rate. She placed one colony of bacteria under each of the following experimental conditions (sunlight, 100W, 200W, 300W & 400 Watt UV tanning bulbs) and then recorded the number of mutations after three days in the data table below.

Mutation Rate Data								
Light	# of							
Conditions	Mutations							
Sunlight	15							
100 W UV	13							
200 W UV	17							
300 W UV	25							
400 W UV	40							

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Create a **graph** of the data above. Be sure to include a proper title, label axes with units, appropriate number scales, and correctly plotted data including a key if needed.

1. Identify the Independent variables from this experiment

2. Identify the **Dependent** variables from this experiment

3. Identify 2 variables that should be held **constant** for this to be a valid experiment

4. Identify the **Control Group** in this experiment, or suggest an appropriate control group if one was not part of the experimental design.

5. Based on the student's results, provide a **conclusion** for the student's question: how does UV light exposure impact bacterial mutation rate?

6. Predict the # of mutations for a bacteria colony under a **350** watt UV tanning bulb?

7. Predict the # of mutations for a bacteria colony under a **450** watt UV tanning bulb?

8. Upon closer observations, the student noticed that sometimes the mutations crippled the bacteria to the point that they could not complete cell division. A few bacteria, however, began to produce a crusty, black pigment that protected them from UV mutation damage. The student also noticed that every once-in-a-while a mutation in the DNA did not change any of the proteins that the bacteria were making. Which of the following is the BEST conclusion about the IMPACT of mutations on bacteria cells?

- a. Mutations are harmful to bacteria
- b. Mutations are helpful to bacteria
- c. Mutations have no effect on bacteria
- d. Mutations can be helpful, harmful, or neutral to bacteria

Stand Where You Believe

	Circle >	YES	NO	Maybeit depends on:
1)	Explain:			