

3. Mutable c.

A mutable c allele has been found which frequently mutates to C in both somatic and germinal tissue. It has been possible to select for early and late occurrences of the mutations. Crosses to Ac testers have failed to reveal any Ac activity. The cytological picture is normal. There is no sign of chromosome breakage. The mutations from c to C are not accompanied by variegation of any of the proximal markers as might be expected if the mutation involved chromosome breakage and was followed by sister union. Clusters of germinal mutations on the ears have not been found.

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