

Tree 09

Use this map to find the common ancestor of any two families and hence their relationship to one another. If the common ancestor is N generations earlier than the earlier of the two families, then they are (N-1)th cousins -- possibly removed by a number of generations. For example:

- The families 2371 & 2155 have the common ancestor 0797, two generations earlier.
So the heads of 2371 and 2155 are first cousins.
- The families 2371 & 1441 have the common ancestor 1997, four generations before 1441.
But they themselves are removed by one generation. So the heads of 2371 & 1441 are third cousins once removed.







