

Supplementary Data: Frequency of the *LRRK2* G2019S mutation in South African patients with Parkinson's disease

Table S1 Demographics of the 647 South African PD probands

	N	Mean AAO in years (SD)	Males N (%)	Mean AAO males (SD)	Mean AAO females (SD)
All	647	57.5 (12.5)	375 (58%)	58.6 (12.5)	58.4 (12.6)
EOPD (< 50 years)	154 (24%)	40.3 (12.5)	94 (15%)	39.9 (12.5)	40.9 (12.5)
LOPD (\geq 50 years)	493 (76%)	62.8 (12.3)	281 (43%)	62.4 (12.5)	63.3 (12.2)
Ancestral origin	European (Afrikaner)	European	African	Mixed ancestry	Asian Indian
All	184 (28%)	195 (30%)	91 (14%)	171 (26%)	6 (1%)
EOPD (< 50 years)	54 (29%)	31(16%)	25 (27%)	41 (24%)	3 (50%)
LOPD (\geq 50 years)	130 (71%)	164 (84 %)	66 (73%)	130 (76%)	3 (50%)
Mean AAO (SD)	55.3 (12.5)	60.3 (12.4)	56.4 (12.6)	57.4 (12.5)	51.3 (12.1)
Mean AAO EOPD (SD)	39.9 (12.5)	41.3 (12.4)	41.9 (12.5)	40.4 (12.5)	37.3 (12.2)
Mean AAO LOPD (SD)	62.0 (12.2)	63.9 (12.2)	62.7 (12.5)	62.7 (12.3)	65.3 (11.5)
Family history	Positive	Negative	Unknown		
All	173 (27%)	466 (72%)	8 (1%)		
EOPD (< 50 years)	48 (28%)	105 (23%)	N/A		
LOPD (\geq 50 years)	125 (72% %)	361 (77%)	N/A		
Mean AAO (SD)	56.7 (12.5)	57.7 (12.6)	N/A		
Mean AAO EOPD (SD)	40.4 (12.5)	40.2 (12.5)	N/A		
Mean AAO LOPD (SD)	62.9 (12.4)	62.7 (12.5)	N/A		

AAO, Age at onset of PD; EOPD, Early-onset PD; LOPD, Late-onset PD; SD, Standard deviation; Mixed ancestry refers to a population unique to South Africa resulting from an admixture of individuals of African, European and Asian ancestral origins [Patterson *et al.* 2010].

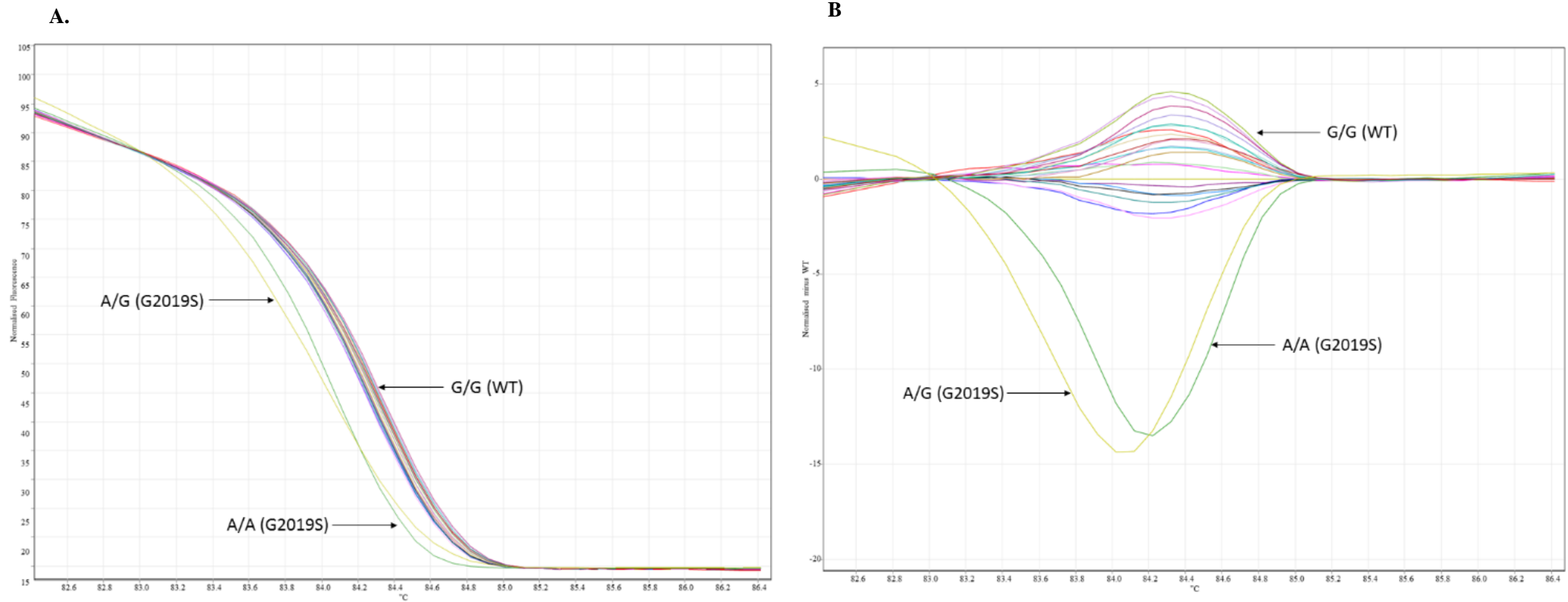


Figure S1 High-resolution melt (HRM) analysis of the *LRK2* G2019S mutation. Normalization (A) and difference (B) graphs illustrate that heterozygous and homozygous forms of the mutation can clearly be distinguished from the wild-type.

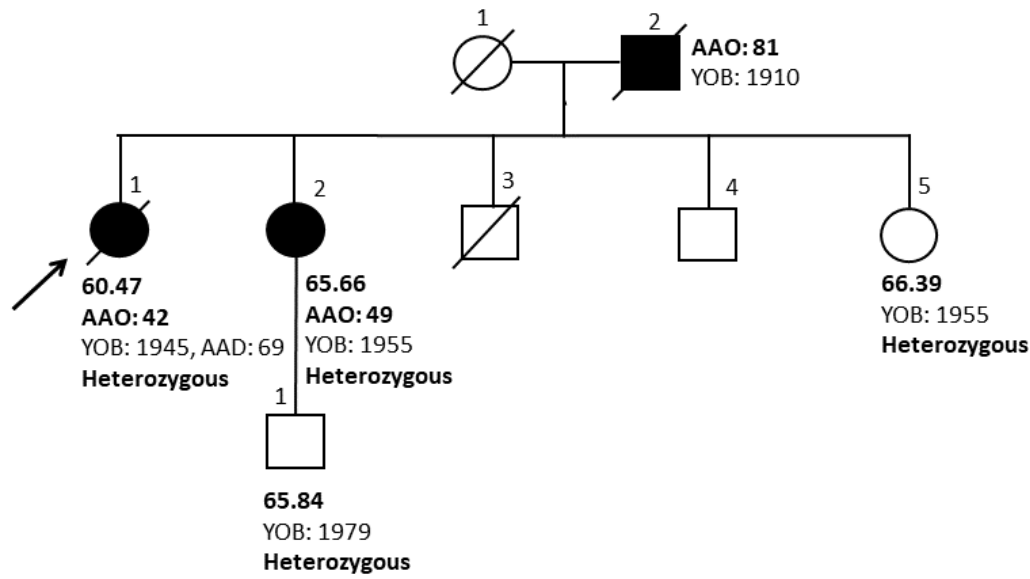
Table S2 Prevalence estimates with exact 95% binomial confidence intervals for detecting the G2019S mutation in South African Parkinson's disease patients.

	N	Number of G2019S carriers	Prevalence (%)	Exact 95% CI (%)	
				Low	High
All	647	8	1.2	0.5	2.4
European (Afrikaner)	184	0	0	0	2.0
European	195	7	3.6	1.5	7.3
African	91	0	0	0	4.0
Mixed ancestry	171	1	0.6	0.02	3.2
Asian Indian	6	0	0	0	45.9

CI, confidence interval

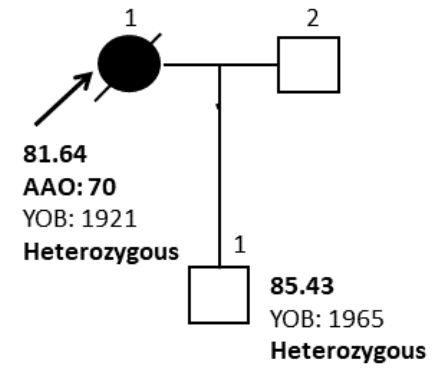
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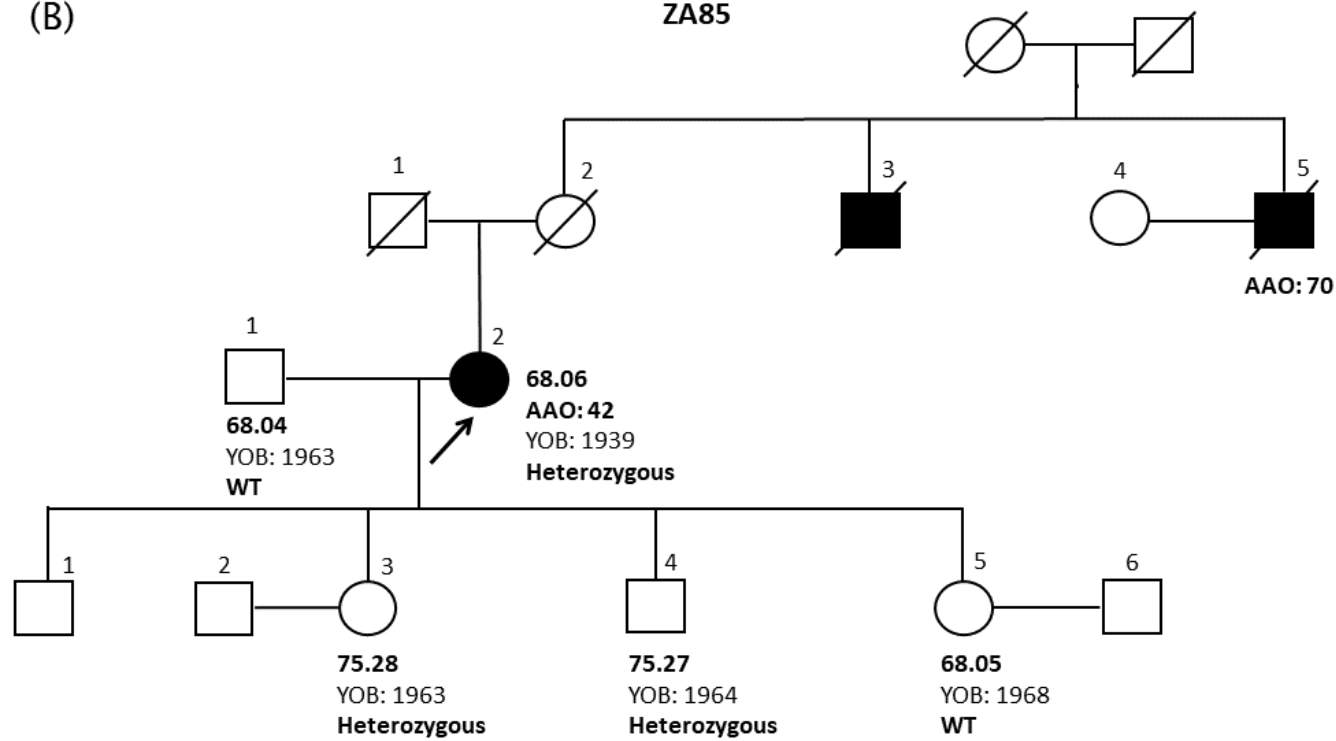
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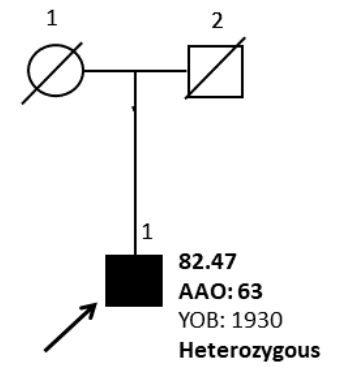
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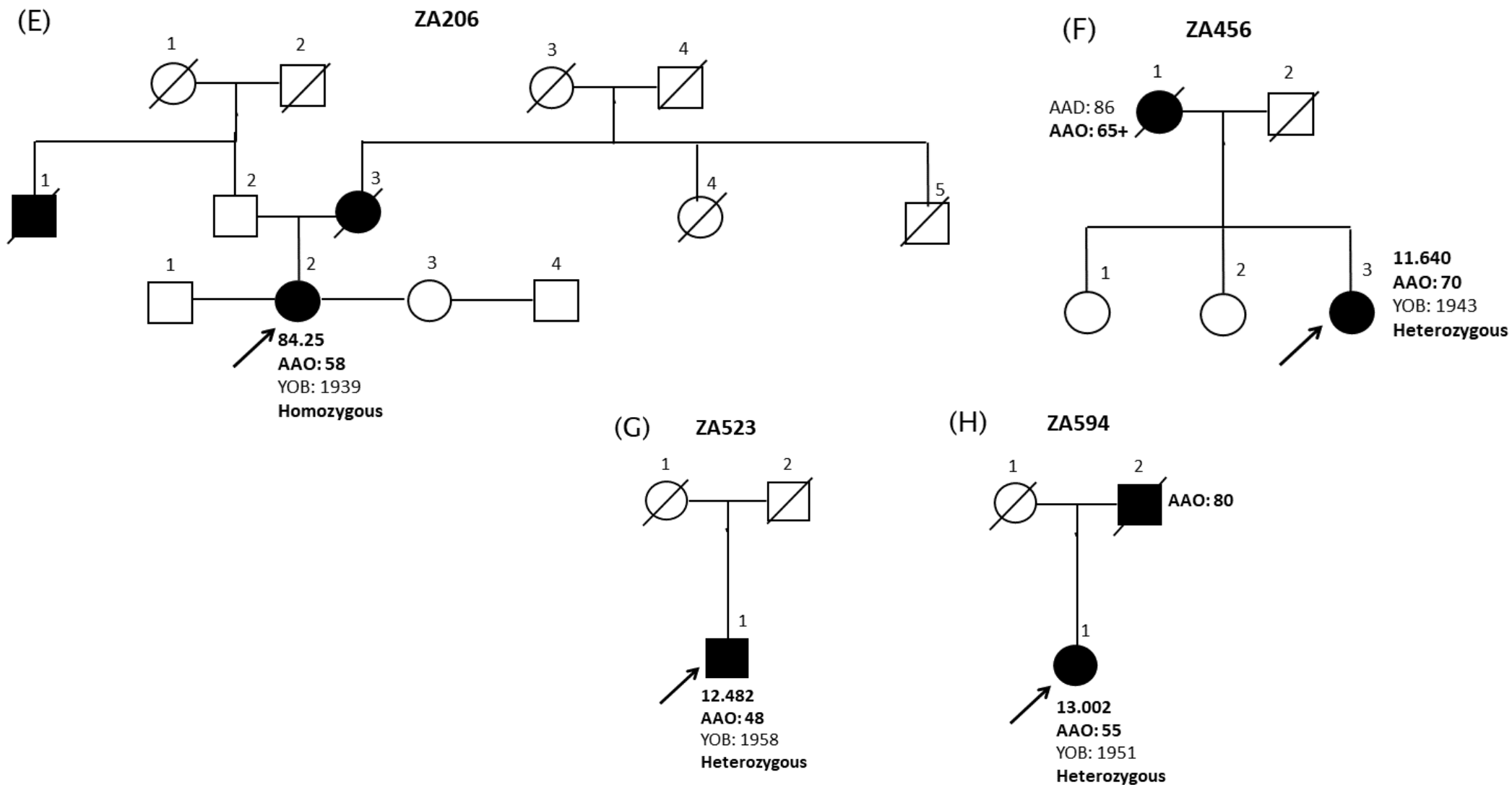


Figure S2 Pedigrees of families with *LRRK2* G2019S carriers.

The family number (ZA) is indicated above each pedigree. Males are indicated by a square and females are depicted as circles. The laboratory ID numbers, age at onset (AAO), date of birth (YOB), age at death (AAD; where known) and genotypes are indicated below each symbol. Filled in (black) symbols indicate affected individuals and deceased individuals are indicated with a diagonal strikethrough line. G2019S-positive individuals from families A, B, C and D were reported previously [Bardien *et al.*, 2010].

Table S3 Summary of published studies on *LRRK2* G2019S in sub-Saharan African populations

Reference	Country	Cohort	Sample size	Frequency of G2019S	Ancestry of G2019S carriers
Okubadejo et al., 2008	Nigeria	Unrelated patients	57 patients; 51 controls	None detected	-
Bardien et al., 2010	South Africa	Unrelated patients	205 patients	4/205 (2%)	Ashkenazi Jewish (3); Mixed ancestry (1)
Cilia et al., 2012	Ghana	Unrelated except for two siblings	54 patients; 46 controls	None detected	
Yonova-Doing et al., 2012	Zambia	Unrelated patients	39 patients; 181 controls	None detected	-
Mahne et al., 2016	South Africa	Unrelated except for two siblings	16 patients	None detected	-
Okubadejo et al., 2018	Nigeria	Unrelated patients	126 patients; 54 controls	None detected	-
Present study	South Africa	Unrelated patients	647 patients	8/647 (1.2%)	Ashkenazi Jewish (7); Mixed ancestry (1)

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