

DNA Percentages Are Important

These Percentages pertain to the amount of blood from a particular culture or region in a person's heritage makeup.

If 25% is equal to one's Grandparent, and we all have four Grandparents, then all the other percentages become important to determine the number of generations back. If these are rounded too severely then we miss whether it is this generation or a previous one.

I think two (2) decimal places at least should be considered.

Percentage	Ancestor
25	Grandparent
12.5	Great-Grandparent
6.25	Great- Great-Grandparent
3.125	Great- Great- Great-Grandparent
1.5625	Great- Great- Great- Great-Grandparent
0.78125	Great- Great- Great- Great- Great-Grandparent
0.390625	Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great-Grandparent
0.1953125	Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Grandparent
0.09765625	Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Grandparent
0.048828125	Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Great- Grandparent
Etc	

So 63% is possibly five (5) Great-Grandparents, i.e. 62.5. Could 40% possibly be three (3) Great-Grandparents, i.e. 37.5?

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