# *MAP3K6* mutations in a neurovascular disease causing stroke, cognitive impairment and tremor

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#### table e1: Detailed clinical information on the studied individuals

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Abbreviations in table e1:

AF, atrial fibrillation; Angio, angiography; ANS, autonomous nervous system; Ap, angina pectoris; BP, blood pressure; COLD, chronic obstructive lung disease; CT, computed tomography; CTA, CT angiography; Cran CTA, CT angiography of arteries from aortic arch to vertex; CVI, cerebrovascular insult; Dm, diabetes mellitus; DVT, dep vein thrombosis; ECG, electrocardiogram; HT, arterial hypertension; ICH, intracerebral hemorrhage; LP, lumbar puncture; LVH, left ventricular hypertrophy; MI, myocardial infarction; MMSE, Mini mental status examination; MoCA, Montreal Cognitive Assessment; MRI, magnetic resonance imaging; mut, mutated; ND, not determined; Obe, obesity; OH, orthostatic hypotension; SDH, subdural hematoma; Smo, smoking; TTE, transthoracic echography of the heart; WMH, white matter hyperintensities; WT, wild type; y, years;

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# supplemental data e1: Genetic examinations of the proband and family

Whole exome and subsequently whole genome sequencing data of the **proband III.18** was analyzed for potentially disease-causing variants in the following genes implicated in known monogenic disorders with cerebral vasculopathy:

Location	Inheritance	Gene	Associated main neurological phenotype acc. to OMIM	Association with cSVD	Documented stroke§
Genes for o	cerebral sma	II vessel dis	ease from Stroke Gene Panels 1 ar	nd 2 (ref. [10] in main article)	
3p21.31	AD	TREX1	CRV	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
20q13.12	AD	CTSA	CARASAL	AL cSVD (with WMH, ICH)	
10q26.13	AD	HTRA1	CARASIL /(CADASIL type2)	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
19p13.12	AD	NOTCH3	CADASIL	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
13q34	AD	COL4A1	Brain SVD	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar, ICH)	yes
13q34	AD	COL4A2	Brain SVD	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar, ICH)	yes
Xq22.1	X-L	GLA	Fabry disease	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
20p11.21	AD	CST3	CAA	cSVD (ICH)	yes
13q14.2	AD	ITM2B	CAA	cSVD (with WMH, stroke-like)	yes
21q21.3	AD	APP	CAA	cSVD (with WMH, ICH)	yes
18q12.1	AD	TTR	CAA	cSVD (with WMH, ICH)	yes
22q11.1	AR	CECR1	Sneddon syndrome	cSVD (with WMH)	yes
16p13.11	AR	ABCC6	Pseudoxanthoma elasticum	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
1p34.1	AR	MMACHC	Methylmalonic aciduria/ homocystinuria	cSVD (with WMH)	yes
1p36.22	AD	MTHFR	Homocystinuria	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
21q22.3	AR	CBS	Homocystinuria	cSVD (with WMH, lacunar)	yes
6p12.3	AD/AR	MUT	Methylmalonic aciduria	cSVD (with WMH)	yes
17q25.3	AR	GAA	Glycogen storage disease II	cSVD (with ICH)	yes
Xq21.1	X-LR	ATP7A	Menkes disease	cSVD (with WMH)	yes
6p25.3	nd/AD	FOXC1	Axenfeld-Rieger syndrome	cSVD	yes
12p12.2	AD	PDE3A	Hypertension and brachydactyly	cSVD (secondary to HBP*)	yes
16q22.1	AD	HSD11B2	Apparent mineralocorticoid excess	cSVD (secondary to HBP)	yes
10q23.31	AD	ACTA2	Moya Moya 5	cSVD (with WMH)	yes
10q21.1	AD	PRKG1	Aortic aneurysm, familial thoracic 8	cSVD*	no
8q24.3	AD/AR	CYP11B1	Aldosteronism	cSVD*(-HBP)	no
16p12.2	AD	SCNN1B	Pseudohypoaldosteronism	cSVD*(-HBP)	no
16p12.2	AD	SCNN1G	Pseudohypoaldosteronism	cSVD*(-HBP)	no
Genes for I	monoaenic fa	orms of SVD	/WMH identified since the publicat	ion of Stroke Gene Panels (re	f. [10] in main article)
19p13.11	AR	COLGALT1		cSVD	yes (2 cases) <sup>1</sup>
17p13.1	AR	CTC1	Cerebroretinal microangiopathy	presumed cSVD	yes (2 cases) <sup>2</sup>
17p13.1	AR	SNORD118	Leukoencephalopathy	presumed cSVD	yes (2 cases) <sup>3</sup>

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5q32	AD	CSF1R	Leukoencephalopathy	not considered vascular	yes (3 cases) <sup>4</sup>
Genes for	r cerebral a	amyloid angiop	athy not known to cause stro	oke	
20p13	AD	PRNP	CĂA	cSVD	no
9q33.2	AD	GSN	CAA	cSVD	no
Monogen 1q25.3	ic causes AD	of Familial basa XPR1	al ganglia calcification BGC	presumed vascular	no
	1		al ganglia calcification	procurad veccular	
5q32	AD	PDGFRB	IBGC	presumed vascular	no
8p11.21	AD	SLC20A2	IBGC	presumed vascular	no
22q13.1	AD	PDGFB	IBGC	presumed vascular	no
9p13.3	AR	MYORG	IBGC	presumed non-vascular	no

<sup>§</sup>Documented stroke in at least one carrier of a pathogenic variant in this gene, as defined in reference 6 of the main article. \*, no clinical case with this phenotype; AD, autosomal dominant; AR, autosomal recessive; CAA, cerebral amyloid angiopathy; cSVD, cerebral small vessel disease; HBP, high blood pressure; ICH, intracerebral hemorrhage; LAA, large artery atherosclerosis; LAN, large artery non-atherosclerotic; nd, not determined; PMC, PubMed Central PMID, PubMed identification number; WMH, white matter hyperintensities; X-LR, X-chromosome linked recessive.

Genes associated with small vessel disease from our previously published stroke gene panel SGP1 and 2 (reference 6 in the main article), and additional 4 possible stroke-genes that more recently were associated with stroke episodes in humans are analyzed. Genes associated only with intracerebral cavernoma were not analyzed. Basal ganglia calcifications-associated mutations are also known to cause cerebrovascular disease, but to date they are not associated with clinically manifest stroke. The brain pathology phenotype reported for *CSF1R*, *SNORD118* and *CTC1* is different, showing cysts and spheroids. These were not identified at the post mortem examination of our patient, when specifically investigated for this purpose.

In **whole exome sequencing** data, no likely pathogenic/pathogenic variant (according to ACGM/ACP criteria) was found with an allele frequency of below 0.01.

**Whole genome sequencing** revealed the following variants in the (genomic regions of the) genes implicated in known monogenic disorders with cerebral vasculopathy (listed above). Here, we used a cutoff minor allele frequency of 0.05 to also assess low-frequency variants.

# supplemental data e1 – table 2:

Gene name	Variant	Impact	Frequency in gnomAD genomes from Non-Finnish Europeans	Frequency in Swefreq		Human Splicing Finder
PDE3A	ENST00000359062.3: c.961-4041C>T [intron 2-3], rs117966728	MODIFIER	0,033191	0,034	1,382	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.649-294A>G [intron 10-11], rs184039734	MODIFIER	0,012395	0,0085	0,312	Activation of an intronic cryptic acceptor site. Potential alteration of splicing. Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.685-177T>C [intron 11-12], rs74124328	MODIFIER	0,046090	0,034	1,403	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.727-390A>T [intron 12-13], rs192501203	MODIFIER	0,010725	0,007	1,224	No significant splicing motif alteration detected. This mutation has probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1432+494A>G [intron 21-22], s182203175	MODIFIER	0,007420	0,008	6,969	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1433-549C>T [intron 21-22], rs186477441	MODIFIER	0,007287	0,008	3,271	No significant splicing motif alteration detected. This mutation has probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1776+449G>A [intron 24-25], rs184033102	MODIFIER	0,007403	0,008	0,571	No significant splicing motif alteration detected. This mutation has probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1776+497C>T [intron 24-25], rs189013305	MODIFIER	0,007397	0,008	0,256	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1776+1145T>A [intron 24-25], rs145381623	MODIFIER	0,007397	0,008	1,604	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.1777-204G>A [intron 24-25], rs185724740	MODIFIER	0,007335	0,008	1,396	Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST0000360467.5: c.1979-6C>T [intron 25-26], rs190632602	LOW	0,005424	0,008	4,465	No significant splicing motif alteration detected. This mutation has probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.2038+75A>G [intron 26-27], rs185332559	MODIFIER	0,007461	0,008	0,465	No significant splicing motif alteration detected. This mutation has probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.2759-245C>G [intron 31-32], rs74468721	MODIFIER	0,012653	0,027	2,982	Activation of an intronic cryptic donor site. Potential alteration of splicing. Creation of an intronic ESE site. Probably no impact on splicing.
COL4A2	ENST00000360467.5: c.2759-74C>G [intron 31-32], rs78589207	MODIFIER	0,012593	0,028	0,034	Alteration of WT Branch Point. Potential alteration of splicing
ITM2B	ENST00000378565.5: c.715+167G>A [intron 5-6], rs9332295	MODIFIER	0,013800	0,01	0,145	Alteration of an intronic ESS site. Probably no impact on splicing.

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HSD11B2	NC_000016.10: g.67431114G>A, rs56265397	MODIFIER	0,010681	0,018	7,307	
GAA	ENST00000302262.3: c.271G>A p.(Asp91Asn) [ <b>exon 2</b> ], rs1800299	MODERATE	0,034974	0,03	25,6	Alteration of an exonic ESE site. Potential alteration of splicing.
CTC1	NC_000017.10: g.8130048C>T rs3027250	MODIFIER	0,039026	0,033	2,078	
NOTCH3	ENST00000263388.2: c.*837G>A [ <b>exon 33</b> ], rs12082	MODIFIER	0,026137	0,024	3,778	Alteration of an exonic ESE site. Potential alteration of splicing.

All variants were heterozygous. One exonic variant in the *GAA* gene received a CADD score above 20. Bi-allelic variants in *GAA* cause Glycogen storage disease II (Pompe disease), but this variant was relatively common, has been reported in ClinVar as benign (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/clinvar/variation/4020/). Furthermore, heterozygous *GAA* variants are not known to cause Pompe disease, and we consider the clinical phenotype in the present family not compatible with Pompe disease, although both may have white matter hyperintensities on MRI. The table above shows a summary of the variants and only some of the prediction tools used.

#### Detailed description of the bioinformatics pipeline used for WGS analyses:

The obtained VCF file was annotated with VEP v98.2.<sup>5</sup> The GRCh37/hg19 reference sequence was used. Variant frequencies for non-Finnish Europeans and Swedish were retrieved from gnomAD genomes and exomes database<sup>6</sup> and SweGen Variant Frequency Dataset of SweFreq<sup>7</sup> respectively. Only variants in the genes of the list above were selected and analyzed further.

Variants with low genotype quality and read depth were filtered out. Only rare variants (MAF<1% or absent from databases with known variants) and variants of low frequency (MAF<5%) in the Swedish population were selected.

Non coding variants were prioritized using CADD<sup>8</sup>, GWAVA<sup>9</sup> and FATHMM-MKL.<sup>10,11</sup>

Genomic Evolutionary Rate Profiling (GERP) scores were also obtained.<sup>12</sup>

In order to determine if a variant may disrupt splicing motifs and if it is predicted to affect splicing, Human Splicing Finder (HSF version 3.1)<sup>13</sup> and SpliceAI (version 1.3)<sup>14</sup> were used.

Disruption of transcription regulatory motifs and DNase I hypersensitive sites that represent open chromatin regions accessible to transcription factors were also investigated. wgEncodeRegTfbsClusteredV3 table was downloaded from TFBS Clusters track which derived from a large collection of ChIP-seq experiments.<sup>15-17</sup>

wgEncodeRegDnaseClusteredV3 table was downloaded from DNAse Clusters track which contains DNaseI Hypersensitive Sites .<sup>18</sup> Both tables are stored in the UCSC genome browser.<sup>19-21</sup>

Coding variants were further annotated by using a number of in silico tools like SIFT,<sup>22</sup> PolyPhen2,<sup>23</sup> LRT,<sup>24</sup> Mutation Taster,<sup>25</sup> Mutation Assessor,<sup>26</sup> FATHMM,<sup>11</sup> PROVEAN,<sup>27</sup> VEST3,<sup>28,29</sup> REVEL<sup>30</sup> (data not shown).

# Co-segregation analyses of WES data from eight family members: Identification of *MAP3K6* c.322G>A p.(Asp108Asn) variant.

All heterozygous variants with a frequency of below 0.05 in databases were selected from the WES datasets. They were combined in the following order:

#### supplemental data e1 – table 3:

Step 1: Variants shared by III.17, III. 18, and III.20	661 variants
Step 2: Variants from Step 1 shared by III.19	487 variants
Step 3: Variants from Step 2 NOT in III.24	219 variants
Step 4: Variants from Step 3 shared by III.22	37 variants
Step 5: Variants from Step 4 shared by III.11	12 variants
Step 6: Variants from Step 5 shared by III.4	11 variants (table below)

#### At Step 6, the following 11 variants remained:

#### supplemental data e1 – table 4:

Chromosome- Position hg19	-	Nucleotide change, location			Frequency in Swegen		Poly- phen
1-24394835	MYOM3 NM_152372.3	c.3173G>C <b>exonic</b>	p.(Arg1058Pro)	0.00053	0.00100	0.02	0.08
1-27692767	MAP3K6 NM_004672.4	c.322G>A exonic	p.(Asp108Asn)	ND	ND	0.00	1.00
1-144916676*	NBPF9 NM_001277444.1	c.5357+91920C>T intronic   c.2583+88748C>T intronic   c.1679G>A <b>exonic</b>	-   -   p.(Trp560Ter)	ND	ND	0.00	0.00
1-144922523*	NBPF9 NM_001277444.1	c.5357+97767C>T intronic   c.2583+94595C>T intronic   c.884G>A <b>exonic</b>	-   -   p.(Arg295His)	ND	ND	0.00	0.00

6-2890836*	LOC101927730 NR_110841.1  SERPINB9 NM_004155.5	intronic_nc  c.724-2C>T intronic	-   -	0.05000	0.09000	0.00	0.00
10-8106135	GATA3 NM_001002295.1	c.924+34A>G intronic	-	0.02800	0.02100	0.00	0.00
19-5245977	PTPRS NM_002850.3	c.798C>T <b>exonic</b>	p.(=)	0.02000	0.03300	0.00	0.00
19-5604875	SAFB2 NM_014649.2	c.1369A> <b>G exonic</b>	p.(Thr457Ala)	0.00724	0.01400	0.01	0.12
19-10081951	COL5A3 NM_015719.3	c.3775-17A>C intronic	-	0.01600	0.04500	0.00	0.00
19-11031712	CARM1 NM_199141.1	c.1538-14C>T intronic	-	0.02500	0.03900	0.00	0.00
19-11170680	SMARCA4 NM_001128849.1	c.4865-41C>G intronic	-	0.00003	-1.00000	0.00	0.00

\*Since the time of original co-segregation analyses, genomic databases have increased and with renewed annotation using gnomAD v2.0 exomes and genomes, the three variants at positions 1-144916676, 1-144922523, and 6-2890836 were excluded as they were too frequent in gnomAD.

Of these, *MAP3K6* c.322G>A p.(Asp108Asn) was the only one that was located in an exon and was predicted to have a highly deleterious effect in both the Sift (low values indicate deleteriousness, lowest possible: 0.0) and PolyPhen (high values indicate deleteriousness, highest possible: 1.0) prediction tools.

Analyses were performed independently by three bioinformaticians (E.K., S.S. and K.T.) at different centers, starting with variant annotation step. All three identified this variant as the topmost candidate. We also analyzed the data using III.23 instead of III.24 as unaffected, and found no additional variant that we considered potentially pathogenic (data not shown).

*In silico* prediction of the effect of the *MAP3K6* c.322G>A p.(Asp108Asn) variant was also evaluated by additional tools:

Prediction tool	Score	Prediction
SIFT	0.01	deleterious
Polyphen2_HDIV	1.0	deleterious
Polyphen2_HVAR	0.996	deleterious
MutationTaster	1.000	deleterious
MutationAssessor	2.195	moderate
FATHMM	-0.9	tolerated
RadialSVM	0.227	deleterious
LR	0.573	deleterious
VEST3	0.252	
CADD_raw	5.193	
CADD_phred	32	
GERP++_RS	4.76	
phyloP46way_placental	2.457	
phyloP100way_vertebrate	4.704	
SiPhy_29way_logOdds	17.535	

### supplemental data e1 – table 5:

#### Determining the shared haplotype around MAP3K6 c.322G>A in affected members

Data were phased and missing genotypes were imputed by using Beagle 5.1.<sup>31,32</sup> Then identity-bydescent (IBD) segments were detected by using hap-id program.<sup>33</sup> The smallest segment containing the variant of interest found to be shared across any two affected members was 1.39 Mb long (chr1:26499281-27889773), spanning 36 genes.

# Analysis of sequence alterations, short tandem repeats and copy number variants within the shared haplotype around *MAP3K6* c.322G>A

Within this 1.39Mb shared segment, we analyzed WGS data from III.18, looking for any other variant that may not have been detected by WES but that may be potentially disease-causing. WGS data was analyzed for sequence alterations, copy number variants and short tandem repeats with an algorithm that is also used for clinical genetic testing at the Dept. of Clinical Genetics, Lund.

For sequence alterations, we used the same annotation and filtering steps as for WES data. For the detection of copy number variants, variants were called using a combination of CNVnator<sup>34</sup>, TIDDIT<sup>35</sup> och Manta<sup>36</sup>. Locally developed software SVBD was used to combine all variants that showed a 70% or more overlap between these tools. Detected variants were annotated and ranked in a pipeline with the following tools: VEP<sup>37</sup>, AnnotSV<sup>38</sup>, Pre-score (local Pearlscript), Genmod and Compound finder (local Pearlscript). Short tandem repeats were analysed using ExpansionHunter (Illumina,

<u>https://github.com/Illumina/ExpansionHunter</u>) and annotated using Stranger (<u>https://github.com/moonso/stranger</u>).

We found the following single nucleotide variants and small indels (with MAF<0.05):

Position	Change	Gene	Variant	Function	dbSNP	PopFreq	CADD	Also	Co-
(hg38)								detected	segregating
								by WES	in family?
1-26473999	C→T	HMGN2 NM_005517	c.91-86C>T	ncRNA_exonic	rs114289390	0.0139	0.35	YES	NO
1-26890065	C→CTTCG	GPN2 NM_018066	c.31_32insCGAA	p.Gly11AlafsTer22	rs770679034	2	28.0	YES	NO
1-27355361	T→C	MAP3K6 NM_004672	c.*30A>G	3UTR	rs201154544	0.0004	2.0	YES	YES*
1-27366276	C→T	MAP3K6 NM_004672	c.322G>A	p.Asp108Asn	rs947285063	~	29.0	YES	YES
1-27534293	A→C	AHDC1 XM_024446461	c.*667T>G	3UTR	NA	0.0005	19.0	NO	NA
1-28690203	G→GTT	GMEB1 NM_006582	c.241+37_241+38dup	ncRNA_exonic	rs878890649	~	3.0	NO	NA

#### supplemental data e1 – table 6:

~ not reported. \* MAP3K6 c.\*30A>G in the 3' untranslated region was not detected in our co-segregation analyses where only exonic and splice site variants were considered. It fully co-segregates with MAP3K6 c.322G>A in all individuals analyzed by NGS, marking a common haplotype. We consider MAP3K6 c.322G>A the more likely disease cause.

We found 6 larger deletions and 1 larger insertion in this region of chromosome 1:

Туре	Start loc	Stop loc	Length	Region	Function	Frequency	Gene(s)	Comment:
	(hg38)	(hg38)						
DEL	25264901	25335500	70600	RSRP1:5UTR	RSRP1:5_prime_UTR_variant		RSRP1	Homozygous (copy number = 0).
				RHD:exonic	RHD:transcript_ablation	0.3814	RHD	Spans entire RHD gene.
				SDHDP6:exonic	SDHDP6:transcript_ablation		SDHDP6	
DEL	26282320	26282398	78	exonic	inframe_deletion	~	UBXN11	Seen in several <i>in house</i> samples.
DEL	26803744	26803842	98			~		Low coverage. No gene.
DEL	26826601	26827000	400	exonic	coding_sequence_variant	~	ZDHHC18	Overlaps with exon1 of
								ZDHHC18.
DEL	28294766	28295236	470			~		Technical artefact.
INS	29100326	29100657	331	ncRNA_exonic	non_coding_transcript_variant	~	EPB41	Uncertain*
DEL	30908401	30908900	500	exonic	coding_sequence_variant	~	SDC3	Exon 1 of SDC3.

#### supplemental data e1 – table 7:

\*Algorithm insufficiently evaluated for insertions. ~ not reported.

There was one whole-gene deletion of RHD, which we consider not relevant as there is normal genetic variation of blood group antigens, including deletions.

None of these variants were considered to be a more likely cause for the disease in this family than *MAP3K6* c.322G>A p.(Asp108Asn).

We did not identify any short tandem repeat.

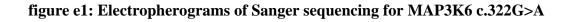
# table e2: Variants in *MAP3K6* in WES data from 22 probands with young-onset familial stroke

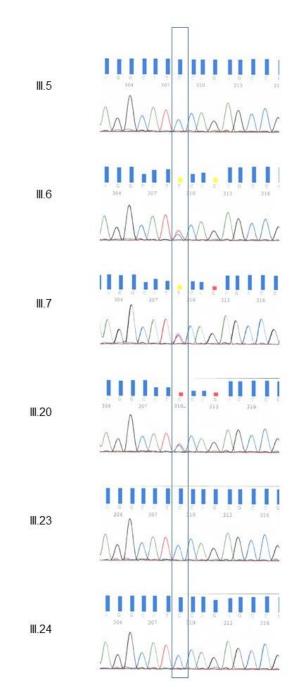
Position (hg17)	1-27692767-C-T	1-27689154-A-G	1-27688743-T-C	1-27685067-G-A
MAP3K6 transcript	NM 001297609 and	NM 001297609	NM 004672	NM 001297609
and variant	NM 004672	c.T1209C	c.1256-2A>G [exon9],	c.C2595T p.(Ser865Ser)
	c.G322A	p.(Asp403Asp) [exon 7],	NM 001297609	[exon 19],
	p.(Asp108Asn) [exon 1]	NM_004672	c.1232-2A>G [exon8]	NM_004672
	,	c.T1233C		c.C2619T p.(Ser873Ser)
		p.(Asp411Asp) [exon 8]		[exon 20]
Genotype	heterozygous	heterozygous	heterozygous	heterozygous
Location	exonic	exonic	intronic splice site	exonic
Variant type	nonsynonymous SNV	synonymous SNV	splicing	synonymous SNV
GnomAD	0	0.0000922	0.00372	0.000007128
1000G_ALL			0.002	
1000G_EUR			0.007	
ExAC_Freq		0.0001	0.0038	
ExAC_NFE		0	0.0046	
dbSNP			rs55841735	
CADD_phred	32	7.727	19.25	9.021
Individual	Family reported here	Proband of Family 9 in	Proband of Family 3	Proband of Family 20 in
		Ilinca et al. 2020	and of Family 12 in	llinca et al. 2020
		(reference)	llinca et al. 2020	(reference)
			(reference)	, ,
Subtype of first-ever	SVD, ICH	SVD	SVD (both)	Coagulation defect
stroke according to				
classification in ref.				
[14]				
Presence of WMH	Y	Υ	Y (in both)	Ν

The 22 probands with young-onset familial stroke from Sweden and Finland (from reference 12 in the main manuscript) carried a total of 104 variants in the *MAP3K6* gene; 31 different variants, each detected in 1-19 individuals. Three variants had an allele frequency of below 0.01 and were located in exons or splice site; these are shown above.

Of these, the splice site variant NM\_004672 c.1256-2A>G [exon9], and NM\_001297609 c.1232-2A>G [exon8] had the highest CADD-phred score, but DNA was unavailable from additional affected members from the two families where it was detected and further analyses have not been possible.

SNV, single nucleotide variant.





For individuals III.20 and III.23, Sanger sequencing confirmed WES results. Four additional members were only examined for this variant after the *MAP3K6* variant was identified by cosegregation analyses.

III.6, III.7 and III.20 are heterozygous carriers of *MAP3K6* c.322G>A p.(Asp108Asn), whereas the other individuals are homozygous for wild type c.322G.

# supplemental data e2: VEGF measurements in serum

### **Results of measurements:**

Cases: Affected family members	VEGF levels	Controls: Age- and sex-	VEGF levels
carrying MAP3K6 c.322G>A	(pg/ml)	matched controls	(pg/ml)
Case 1	312	Control 1	387
Case 2	207	Control 2	632
Case 3	306	Control 3	415
Case 4	367	Control 4	472
Case 5	680	Control 5	247
Case 6	456	Control 6	324
Case 7	715	Control 7	237
Case 8	604	Control 8	172
Mean (±SD)	456 (±178)	Mean (±SD)	361 (±139)

### Statistical evaluation: Mann-Whitney Test

#### Ranks

	VAR2	Ν	Mean Rank	Sum of Ranks
VAR1	Controls	8	7,5	60
	Cases	8	9,5	76
	Total	16		

#### **Test Statistics**<sup>a</sup>

	VAR1
Mann-Whitney U	24
Wilcoxon W	60
Z	-0,840
Asymp. Sig. (2-tailed)	0,401
Exact Sig. [2*(1-tailed Sig.)]	0,442 <sup>b</sup>

a. Grouping Variable: VAR2

b. Not corrected for ties.

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