

Simple Probability

Using a deck of cards, find the probability of drawing the following out of the deck.
(Remember: probability is always a number between 0 and 1, written as a fraction!)

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| 1. | P (queen) | $\frac{4}{52}$ | 6. | P (ace of clubs OR 7) | $\frac{5}{52}$ |
| 2. | P (3 of hearts) | $\frac{1}{52}$ | 7. | P (not an ace) | $\frac{12}{13}$ |
| 3. | P (3 OR 5) | $\frac{2}{13}$ | 8. | P (number that is not even) | $\frac{5}{13}$ |
| 4. | P (number from 1 to 5) | $\frac{5}{13}$ | 9. | P (card) | 1 |
| 5. | P (face card) | $\frac{1}{4}$ | 10. | P (13) | 0 |

Using a die (six-sided cube), find the probability of rolling the following number.

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| 1. | P (1) | $\frac{1}{6}$ | 6. | P (not odd) | $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 2. | P (even number) | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7. | P (0) | 0 |
| 3. | P (composite number) | $\frac{1}{3}$ | 8. | P (multiple of 6) | $\frac{1}{6}$ |
| 4. | P (2 OR 4) | $\frac{1}{3}$ | 9. | P (even OR 1) | $\frac{2}{3}$ |
| 5. | P (number > 7) | 0 | 10. | P (1 OR 2 OR 3) | $\frac{1}{2}$ |

"Simple Probability"

Remember our SKUNK game? Probability is the chance part of the game.

probability - the chance that an event will happen

probability = # of ways the event can occur
total possible outcomes

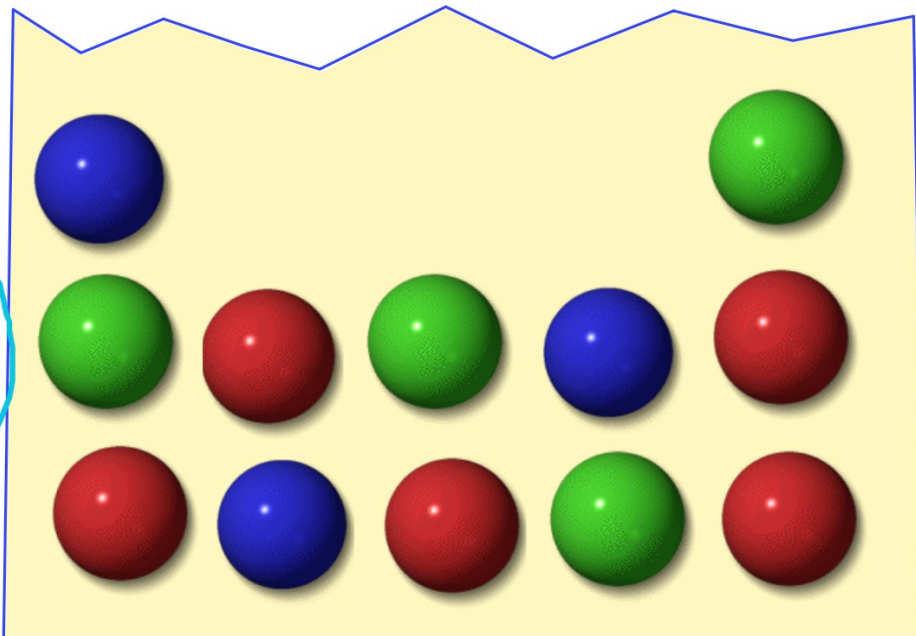
Formula

A coin is tossed. What is the probability that will land face up?

$$\frac{1}{2}$$



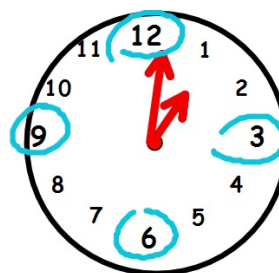
A bag contains 5 red marbles, 4 green marbles, and 3 blue marbles. Shana picks a marble without looking. What is the probability that she will pick a blue marble?



$$\frac{3}{12} = \frac{1}{4}$$

A 12-hour mantle clock strikes the hour. What is the probability that the hour is divisible by 3?

$$\frac{4}{12} = \frac{1}{3}$$



A number cube is tossed.

What is the probability that it will land on 6?

$$\frac{1}{6}$$

What is the probability that it will land on an odd number?

$$\frac{1}{2}$$



If a dice is rolled once, what is the probability that it will show an even number? An odd number?

$$\frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

If a dice is rolled once, what is the probability that it will show a prime number (1 is not prime)?

$$\frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

If a dice is rolled once, what is the probability that it will show a multiple of 3?

$$\frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

If a dice is rolled once, what is the probability that it will show a multiple of 1? A multiple of 7?

$$1 \quad 0$$

A deck of cards contains 52 cards,
13 from each suit. If a card is
flipped over, what is the probability
that it is a spade?

$$\frac{1}{4}$$

That it is a face card (J, Q, K) of
any suit?

$$\frac{12}{52} = \frac{3}{13}$$

A bag contains two black, eight red, five orange, and five green jelly beans. A blindfolded student draws one jelly bean. Find the probability of each outcome.

1. It is not black $\frac{18}{20} = \frac{9}{10}$
2. It is black or red $\frac{1}{2}$
3. It is not yellow 1
4. It is orange $\frac{5}{20} = \frac{1}{4}$
5. It is blue 0
6. It is red, green, or black $\frac{15}{20} = \frac{3}{4}$