

## SECTION-1

### ● SINGLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

both 'a' both 's' both 'i' both 'n'

$$1. P = \frac{1 \times 2 + 2 \times 4 + 2 \times 1 + 2 \times 1}{8 \times 8} = \frac{14}{64} = \frac{7}{32}$$

2. selecting 3 out of 7 already drawn

$$P = \frac{{}^7C_3 \times {}^3C_2}{{}^{10}C_5} = \frac{5}{12}$$

3. Case I  $F = B$

0	0	4	5
1	1	3	4
2	2	2	3
3	3	1	2
4	4	0	1

Case II  $L = R$

$$P = \frac{4 \left( \frac{9!}{4!5!} + \frac{9!}{3!4!1!1!} + \frac{9!}{2!2!2!3!} + \frac{9!}{3!3!1!2!} + \frac{9!}{4!4!1!1!} \right)}{4^9}$$

$$= \frac{3969}{4^7}$$

4. Let he takes 'n' chances

$$P = 1 - P(\text{none correct})$$

$$[\because \text{Total ways to answer} = 2^5 - 1 = 31]$$

$$= 1 - \frac{{}^{30}C_n}{{}^{31}C_n} = 1 - \frac{31-n}{31} = \frac{n}{31}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n}{31} > \frac{1}{8} \Rightarrow n \geq 4$$

[minimum value of  $n = 4$ ]

$$\text{Alternate : } \rightarrow P(\text{getting correct in } r^{\text{th}} \text{ trial}) = \frac{{}^{30}C_{r-1}}{{}^{31}C_{r-1}} \times \frac{1}{32-r} = \frac{1}{31}$$

$\therefore P(\text{correct in } 1^{\text{st}} \text{ trial or } 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ trial or } \dots \text{ or } n^{\text{th}} \text{ trial})$

$$= \frac{1}{31} + \frac{1}{31} + \frac{1}{31} + \dots + \frac{1}{31} = \frac{n}{31}$$

$$5. (1-p)^n + {}^nC_1(1-p)^{n-1}p \left( (1-p)^m + {}^mC_1(1-p)^{m-1}p \right) + {}^nC_2(1-p)^{n-2}p^2(1-p)^m$$

$\downarrow$  none defective  
 $\downarrow$  1 defective  
 $\downarrow$  none defective in sample of next 'm' items  
 $\downarrow$  1 defective in next 'm' items

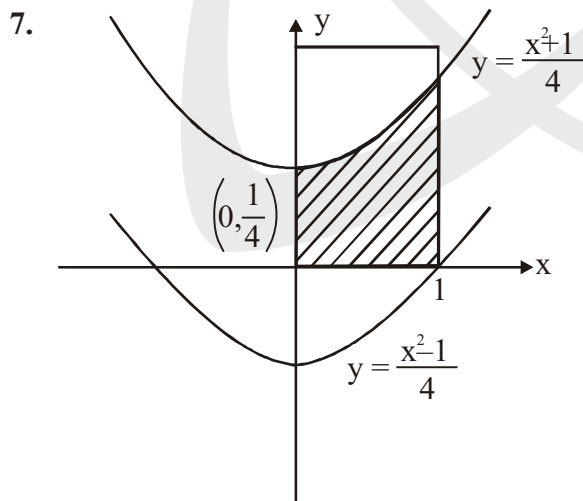
$$6. P = \frac{{}^3C_1 2^m - {}^3C_2 (1)^m}{3^m} = \frac{2^m - 1}{3^{m-1}}$$

$A \rightarrow$  number of ways s.t. there is no A

$B \rightarrow$  number of ways s.t. there is no B

$C \rightarrow$  number of ways s.t. there is no C

$$n(A \cup B \cup C) = S_1 - S_2 + S_3 = {}^3C_1 2^m - {}^3C_2 1^m + 0$$



$$|x_1 - x_2| = \sqrt{(x_1 + x_2)^2 - 4x_1x_2} = \sqrt{m^2 - 4n} \leq 1$$

$$|m^2 - 4n| \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq x^2 - 4y \leq 1$$

$$A = \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 + 1}{4} dx = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P = \frac{1/3}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

8.

$$P = \frac{{}^nC_0 x^n y^0 + {}^nC_2 x^{n-2} y^2 + {}^nC_4 x^{n-4} y^4 + \dots}{(x+y)^n}$$

$$= \frac{(x+y)^n + (x-y)^n}{2(x+y)^n}$$

9. 4 steps or 6 steps

$$P = \frac{\frac{4!}{2!2!}}{4^4} + \frac{+2\left(\frac{6!}{3!2!1!} - \frac{4!}{2!2!} \times 2!\right)}{4^6} = \frac{3}{64}$$

$$10. \frac{x}{2} - \left\{ \frac{x}{2} \right\} + \frac{x}{3} - \left\{ \frac{x}{3} \right\} + \frac{x}{5} - \left\{ \frac{x}{5} \right\} = \frac{31x}{30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \frac{x}{2} \right\} + \left\{ \frac{x}{3} \right\} + \left\{ \frac{x}{5} \right\} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} \in I, \frac{x}{3} \in I \text{ \& } \frac{x}{5} \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 30k, k \in I$$

$$\therefore P = \frac{33}{1000}$$

$$11. P(A \cap B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cup B) \geq x + y - 1$$

$$\& P(A \cap B) \leq x$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \in \left[ \frac{x+y-1}{y}, \frac{x}{y} \right]$$

12.

$$P = \frac{{}^7C_2(2^4 - 2)}{7^4} = \frac{6}{49}$$

13. Number of favourable ways =  $n!$

(distribute  $n$  red balls over  $n$  white balls)

$$\text{no. of total ways} = \frac{(2n)!}{(n!)(2!)^n}$$

(divide  $2n$  balls into ' $n$ ' equal groups)

$$\therefore p = \frac{n!}{\left( \frac{(2n)!}{(n!)(2!)^n} \right)} = \frac{2^n}{2^n C_n}$$

14. Let number  $s$  are  $x_1, x_1 + 2d, x_1 + 4d$

$$x_1 + 4d \leq 4m + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 \leq 4(m - d) + 1, \quad d = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$$

$$\therefore \text{Number of favourable ways} = (4m - 3) + (4m - 7) + \dots + 1$$

$$= \frac{m}{2} (4m - 2) = m(2m - 1)$$

$$\text{Number of total ways} = {}^{4m+1}C_3 = \frac{(4m+1)4m(4m-1)}{6}$$

$$p = \frac{m(2m-1)6}{(4m+1)4m(4m-1)} = \frac{3(2m-1)}{2(16m^2-1)}$$

15.  $E_i \rightarrow$  the event that ' $i$ ' white are drawn from the first bag

$A \rightarrow$  one ball drawn from second bag is white.

$$\begin{aligned} P(E_2/A) &= \frac{P(A/E_2)P(E_2)}{\sum_{i=1}^5 P(E_i)P(A/E_i)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{{}^4C_3 {}^6C_2}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{2}{5}}{\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{{}^4C_1 {}^6C_4}{{}^{10}C_5} + \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{{}^4C_2 {}^6C_3}{{}^{10}C_5} + \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{{}^4C_3 {}^6C_2}{{}^{10}C_5} + \frac{{}^4C_4 {}^6C_1}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{1}{5}} \\ &= \frac{4 \times 15 \times 2}{4 \times 4 \times 15 + 3 \times 6 \times 20 + 2 \times 4 \times 15 + 6} = \frac{20}{121} \end{aligned}$$

## 16. Number of favourable ways

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{10} {}^{10}C_r^2 + 2 \sum_{r=1}^9 {}^{10}C_r {}^{10}C_{r+1} + 2 \sum_{r=1}^8 {}^{10}C_r {}^{10}C_{r+2}$$

(difference 0)                      (difference 1)                      (difference 2)

$$= ({}^{20}C_{10} - 1) + 2 ({}^{20}C_{11} - 10) + 2 ({}^{20}C_8 - {}^{10}C_2)$$

$$= {}^{20}C_{10} + 2 {}^{20}C_{11} + 2 {}^{20}C_{12} - 111$$

$$\text{no. of total ways} = (2^{10} - 1)^2$$

$$P = \frac{{}^{20}C_{10} + 2({}^{20}C_{11} + {}^{20}C_{12}) - 111}{(2^{10} - 1)^2}$$

$$17. \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{a^x + b^x}{2} \right)^{2/x} = e^{\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{a^x + b^x}{2} - 1 \right) \frac{2}{x}} = e^{\ln ab} = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$ab = 6$$

$$(a, b) = (1, 6), (6, 1), (2, 3), (3, 2)$$

$$P = \frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9}$$

18.

$$P = \frac{\frac{1}{n} \times 1}{\frac{1}{n} \times 1 + \frac{n-1}{n} \times \frac{1}{n}} = \frac{n}{2n-1}$$

19.

$$P = \frac{\frac{2}{10} \times 0.6}{\frac{2}{10} \times 0.6 + \frac{3}{10} \times 0.5 + \frac{5}{10} \times 0.4} = \frac{12}{47}$$

20. Let probability of single bacteria to die = P

$$\therefore P = \frac{1}{4} \times 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times P \times P + \frac{1}{4} \times P \times P \times P$$

bacteria die or split

A  $\rightarrow$  bacteria do not splitB  $\rightarrow$  bacteria split into 2

$C \rightarrow$  bacteria split into 3

$D \rightarrow$  bacterial die

$$P(D) = P(D \cap A) + P(D \cap B) + P(D \cap C)$$

$$P = \frac{1}{4} \times 1 + \frac{1}{2} \times P \times P + \frac{1}{4} \times P \times P \times P$$

$$\Rightarrow P^3 + 2P^2 - 4P + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (P - 1)(P^2 + 3P - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

$\therefore$  Probability that bacteria survives

$$= 1 - \frac{\sqrt{13} - 3}{2} = \frac{5 - \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

21.  $A \rightarrow$  last throw get 1, 2, 3 or 4

$B \rightarrow$  last throw get 2, 3, or 4

$$P(B/A) = \frac{3}{4}$$

22. (C)

$$P = \frac{\frac{{}^5C_5}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{5}{5} + \frac{{}^5C_4 {}^5C_1}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{4}{5} + \frac{{}^5C_3 {}^5C_2}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{3}{5} + \frac{{}^5C_2 {}^5C_3}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{{}^5C_1 {}^5C_4}{{}^{10}C_5} \times \frac{1}{5}}{5}$$

$$= \frac{5}{5 + 100 + 300 + 200 + 25}$$

$$= \frac{1}{126}$$

23. Favourable cases are (1, 4), (1, 9), (2, 8), (4, 9)

$$\therefore P = \frac{4}{{}^9C_2} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$24. \quad P = {}^4C_1 \left( \frac{3}{9} \right) \left( \frac{6}{9} \right)^3 = \frac{32}{81}$$

$$25. \quad P = 1 - \frac{{}^{14}C_5}{{}^{15}C_5} = \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$26. \quad P_1 \text{ get paired with } P_2 \text{ in 1st round} = 2k$$

$$\text{where } K(2+3+4) = 1 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\therefore P(P_2 \text{ reaches second round}) = 1 - P(P_2 \text{ paired with } P_1)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{9} = \frac{7}{9}$$

$$27. \quad x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 8, 27$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No. of favourable ways} &= \frac{{}^{8-3+2}C_2 - 3 \times 3}{3!} + \frac{{}^{27-3+2}C_2 - 3^{27-18+2}C_2 - (1+3 \times 7)}{3!} \\ &= 25 \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \frac{25}{{}^{15}C_3} = \frac{25}{455} = \frac{5}{91}$$

$$28. \quad \underbrace{HH \dots H}_{m} X X \dots X \quad P = \frac{1}{2^m} + \frac{m+1}{2^{m+1}} - \frac{1}{2^{2m+1}}$$

$$THH \dots HXX \dots X = \frac{(m+3)2^m - 1}{2^{2m+1}}$$

$$XTHH \dots HX \dots X$$

$$\vdots$$

$$XX \dots X \underbrace{THH \dots H}_m$$

$$29. \quad P = \frac{4^4 - ({}^2C_1 3^4 - 2^4)}{6^4} = \frac{55}{648}$$

Favourable number of ways

= Number appearing can be 2, 3, 4, 5 only – at least one of 2 or 5 excluded.

30. 7 digits are distinct and  $a_3$  is the smallest

$$\therefore \text{Number of favourable ways} = {}^{10}C_7 \times 1 \times {}^6C_2$$

$\downarrow$   
 selecting  
7 digit

$\downarrow$   
 selecting  
 $a_3$

$\downarrow$   
 selecting  
 $a_1, a_2$

$$P = \frac{\left( \frac{10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 6 \times 5}{3 \times 2 \times 2} \right)}{9 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4}$$

$$= \frac{5}{1512}$$

31.  $A \rightarrow$  event that white balls are not among the 10 selected marbles.

$B \rightarrow$  event that blue balls are not among the 10 selected marbles.

$C \rightarrow$  event that red balls are not among the 10 selected marbles.

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) = \left( \frac{80}{100} \right)^{10} + \left( \frac{70}{100} \right)^{10} + \left( \frac{50}{100} \right)^{10} - \left( \frac{50}{100} \right)^{10} - \left( \frac{30}{100} \right)^{10} - \left( \frac{20}{100} \right)^{10}$$

$$= \frac{8^{10} + 7^{10} - 3^{10} - 2^{10}}{10^{10}}$$

32.  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = 2P(A) - (P(A))^2$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A) = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

33.  $P(\bar{A} \cap \bar{B}) = 1 - P(A \cup B) = \frac{7}{18}$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cup B) = \frac{11}{18}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = \frac{11}{18}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{18}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{1}{6}$$



34. Odds against missing card being spade

$$= \frac{P(\text{missing card is not spade \& 2 cards drawn are spades})}{P(\text{missing card is spade \& 2 cards drawn are spades})}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{4} \times \frac{{}^{13}C_2}{{}^{51}C_2}}{\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{{}^{12}C_2}{{}^{51}C_2}}$$

$$= \frac{3 \times 13 \times 12}{12 \times 11} = \frac{39}{11}$$

35.  $|x - y| \geq 6$  holds for (1, 7), ..., (1, 10), (2, 8), (2, 9), (2, 10), (3, 9), (3, 10), (4, 10)

Number of ways for which  $|x - y| \geq 6 = 4 + 3 + 2 + 1 = 10$

$$P(|x - y| \leq 5) = 1 - \frac{10}{{}^{10}C_2} = \frac{7}{9}$$

36. Probability =  $\frac{{}^6C_3}{6^3} = \frac{5}{54}$

37.  $\underbrace{HH \dots H}_7 \underbrace{XX \dots X}_{\text{H or T}}$

$$P = \frac{1}{2^7}$$

THH -----HX--X

$$P = \frac{1}{2^8}$$

XTH -----HX--X

$$P = \frac{1}{2^8}$$

⋮

X--XTHH--H  
last 7

$$P = \frac{1}{2^8}$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{2^7} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2^8} + \frac{1}{2^8} + \frac{1}{2^8} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^8}}_{5 \text{ times}} = \frac{1}{2^7} + \frac{5}{2^8}$$

$$= \frac{7}{2^8}$$

$$38. \quad \frac{2}{7} = \frac{{}^nC_1 {}^{n-4}C_2}{{}_3{}^nC_3}$$

$$\frac{2}{7} = \frac{n(n-4)(n-5)}{n(n-1)(n-2)} = \frac{(n-4)(n-5)}{(n-1)(n-2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5n^2 - 57n + 136 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 8.$$

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 39. \quad (x-y) = n & \text{number of } (x, y) = n+1 \\
 & = n-1 \quad \text{number of } (x, y) = n+2 \\
 & \vdots \\
 & = 1 \quad \quad \quad = 2n \\
 & = 0 \quad \quad \quad = 2n+1
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \text{Number of favourable ways} &= 2((n+1) + (n+2) + (n+3) + \dots + (2n)) + 2n+1 \\
 &= 3n^2 + 3n + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P = \frac{3n^2 + 3n + 1}{(2n+1)^2}$$

$$40. \quad P = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{5}}{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{5}} = \frac{12}{17}$$

41. Clearly his car is at one of the crosses

$|\times \times \times \times \dots \times|$

The number of ways in which the remaining  $(m-1)$  cars can take their places (excluding the car of the man)

$$= {}^{n-1}C_{m-1}$$

The number of ways in which the remaining  $(m-1)$  cars can take places leaving the two places on two sides of his car  $= {}^{n-3}C_{m-1}$

$$\therefore P = \frac{{}^{n-3}C_{m-1}}{{}^{n-1}C_{m-1}} = \frac{(n-m)(n-m-1)}{(n-1)(n-2)}$$

$$42. \quad P = {}^6C_2 \left( \frac{6}{12} \right)^2 \left( \frac{6}{12} \right)^4 \frac{6}{12} = \frac{15}{128}$$

$$43. \quad \log_a b = \log_{2^m} 2^n = \frac{n}{m}$$

Let	$m = 1,$	$n = 2, 3, \dots, 25$	number of $(m, n) = 24$
	$m = 2,$	$n = 4, 6, \dots, 24$	number of $(m, n) = 11$
	$m = 3,$	$n = 6, 9, \dots, 24$	number of $(m, n) = 7$
	$m = 4,$	$n = 8, 12, \dots, 24$	number of $(m, n) = 5$
	$m = 5,$	$n = 10, 15, 20, 25$	number of $(m, n) = 4$
	$m = 6,$	$n = 12, 18, 24$	number of $(m, n) = 3$
	$m = 7,$	$n = 14, 21$	number of $(m, n) = 2$
	$m = 8,$	$n = 16, 24$	number of $(m, n) = 2$
	$m = 9,$	$n = 18$	number of $(m, n) = 1$
	$m = 10,$	$n = 20$	number of $(m, n) = 1$
	$m = 11,$	$n = 22$	number of $(m, n) = 1$
	$m = 12,$	$n = 24$	number of $(m, n) = 1$
	$P = \frac{62}{25 \times 24} = \frac{31}{100}$		

44.  $A$  = number of persons going to hotel  $A = 1$

$B$  = number of persons going to hotel  $A = 0$

$C$  = number of persons going to hotel  $B = 0$

$D$  = number of persons going to hotel  $C = 0$

$$P = 1 - \frac{n(A \cup B \cup C \cup D)}{n(s)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n(A \cup B \cup C \cup D) &= \sum n(A) - \sum n(A \cap B) + \sum n(A \cap B \cap C) - n(A \cap B \cap C \cap D) \\ &= ({}^{20}C_1 \cdot 2^{19} + 3 \cdot 2^{20}) - ({}^{20}C_1 \cdot 1^{19} \times 2 + 1 \times 2 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P = 1 - \left( \frac{13 \cdot 2^{20} - 43}{3^{20}} \right)$$

$$45. \quad P = \frac{7!}{3!2!2!2!} \times 2! = \frac{30}{7^6}$$

$$46. \quad P = \frac{{}^8C_2 + {}^7C_2}{{}^{15}C_3} = \frac{7}{65}$$

$$47. \quad \text{Probability of getting prime outcome in any throw} = P(2, 3, 5) = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \quad P = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{16} ({}^8C_0^2 + {}^8C_1^2 + {}^8C_2^2 + \dots + {}^8C_8^2)$$

$$= \frac{{}^{16}C_8}{2^{16}}$$

$$48. \quad P(A \cup B \cup C) = 1, P(A \cap B \cap C) = 0$$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad P(A) + P(B) = 1$$

$$P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C) - (P(A \cap B) + P(B \cap C) + P(C \cap A)) + P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad 1 = 1 + \frac{7}{15} - (0 + P(B \cap C) + \frac{1}{5}) + 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad P(B \cap C) = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$50. \quad P = \frac{{}^6C_3 \times 1}{{}^7C_4} = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$51. \quad 3H; (2H, 2T); (1H, 4T); 6T$$

$$P = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \frac{4!}{2!2!} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^4 + \frac{5!}{4!} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6$$

$$= \frac{8 + 24 + 10 + 1}{64} = \frac{43}{64}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 52. & x \quad x^4 \\
 & 5k \quad 5\lambda \\
 & 5k+1 \quad 5\lambda+1 \\
 & 5k+2 \quad 5\lambda+1 \\
 & 5k+3 \quad 5\lambda+1 \\
 & 5k+4 \quad 5\lambda+1
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= \frac{{}^{80}C_2 + {}^{20}C_2}{{}^{100}C_2} \\
 &= \frac{20 \times 19 + 80 \times 79}{100 \times 99} = \frac{19 + 316}{5 \times 99} \\
 &= \frac{335}{5 \times 99} = \frac{67}{99}
 \end{aligned}$$

53.

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= \frac{{}^7C_3 \times 9}{7!} \\
 &= \frac{1}{16}
 \end{aligned}$$

54.

$$P = \frac{{}^nC_3 \times 1}{{}^nC_3 \times 3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

55.

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{6+5}{36} + \frac{2}{11} \right) = \frac{193}{792}$$

## SECTION-2

## ONE OR MORE THAN ONE CORRECT

$$1. (a) \frac{7 \times 8 + 7 \times 8}{{}^{64}C_2} = \frac{7 \times 8 \times 2 \times 2}{64 \times 63} = \frac{1}{18}$$

$$(b) p = \frac{7 \times 7 + 7 \times 7}{{}^{64}C_2} = \frac{2 \times 7 \times 7 \times 2}{64 \times 63} = \frac{7}{144}$$

Alternate : (a)  $\frac{4(2)}{\downarrow \text{Corner squares}} + \frac{24 \times 3}{\downarrow \text{Corner row \& column squares excluding 4 corner squares}} + \frac{36 \times 4}{\downarrow \text{remaining squares}}$

$$= \frac{1+9+1}{8 \times 63} = \frac{1+9+1}{2 \times 9} = \frac{1}{18}$$

(b)  $\frac{36 \times 4 + 24 \times 2 + 4 \times 1}{64 \times 63} = \frac{7}{144}$

2. Let

$$P(\bar{E}_1 \cap \bar{E}_2 \cap \bar{E}_3) = x = P(\bar{E}_1)P(\bar{E}_2)P(\bar{E}_3)$$

$$P(E_1 \cap \bar{E}_2 \cap \bar{E}_3) = a = P(E_1)P(\bar{E}_2)P(\bar{E}_3)$$

$$P(\bar{E}_1 \cap E_2 \cap \bar{E}_3) = b = P(\bar{E}_1)P(E_2)P(\bar{E}_3)$$

$$P(\bar{E}_1 \cap \bar{E}_2 \cap E_3) = x = P(\bar{E}_1)P(\bar{E}_2)P(E_3)$$

$$\frac{a}{x} = \frac{P(E_1)}{P(\bar{E}_1)} = \frac{P(E_1)}{1 - P(E_1)} \Rightarrow P(E_1) = \frac{a}{a + x}$$

$$P(\bar{E}_1)P(\bar{E}_2)P(\bar{E}_3) = x = \frac{x}{a + x} \cdot \frac{x}{b + x} \cdot \frac{x}{c + x}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + x)(b + x)(c + x) = x^2$$

3. (A) pool-A

pool-B

$P_4$   
×  
×  
×  
×

×  
×  
×  
×

$$P = \frac{{}^4C_3}{{}^7C_3} = \frac{4}{35}$$

(B)

$P = 0$  (obvious)

(C)

$P = 1$  (obvious)

(D)	Pool-A	Pool-B	Pool -C	Pool-D
	$P_6$	$\times$	$\times$	$\times$
	$\times$	$\times$	$\times$	$\times$

$$P = \frac{{}^2C_1}{{}^7C_1} = \frac{2}{7}$$

4.  $D \rightarrow$  event that person keeps driver

$E_1 \rightarrow$  event that person own sedan

$E_2 \rightarrow$  event that person own SUV

$$P(D) = P(E_1 \cap \bar{E}_2)P(D/E_1 \cap \bar{E}_2) + P(\bar{E}_1 \cap E_2)P(D/\bar{E}_1 \cap E_2) + P(E_1 \cap E_2)P(D/E_1 \cap E_2)$$

$$= \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{6}{10} \times \frac{6}{10} + \frac{7}{10} \times \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{7}{10} + \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{9}{10}$$

$$= \frac{103}{250}$$

$$P(E_1/D) = \frac{P(E_1 \cap \bar{E}_2)P(D/E_1 \cap \bar{E}_2) + P(E_1 \cap E_2)P(D/E_1 \cap E_2)}{P(D)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{54}{250}\right)}{\left(\frac{103}{250}\right)} = \frac{54}{103}$$

6.  $A \rightarrow$  event that candidate passes in exam A.

$B \rightarrow$  event that candidate passes in exam B.

$C \rightarrow$  event that candidate passes in exam C.

$$P(A \cap B \cap C) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{1}{10} = abc$$

$$\frac{2}{5} = \sum P(A \cap B) - 3P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum P(A \cap B) = \frac{7}{10}$$

$$\frac{3}{4} = \sum P(A) - \sum P(A \cap B) + P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum P(A) = \frac{27}{20} = a + b + c$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7. P(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 \cup \dots \cup A_n) &= 1 - P(\bar{A}_1 \cap \bar{A}_2 \cap \bar{A}_3 \cap \dots \cap \bar{A}_n) \\ &= 1 - P(\bar{A}_1) P(\bar{A}_2) \dots P(\bar{A}_n) \\ &= 1 - ((1 - P(A_1)) (1 - P(A_2)) \dots (1 - P(A_n))) \end{aligned}$$

8. Let

$$P(A) = P$$

$$P(B) = \frac{1}{2} P$$

$$P(C) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times P$$

$$P(A) + P(B) + P(C) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{7}{4} P = 1 \Rightarrow P = \frac{4}{7}$$

9.

$$P(n) = 1 - \frac{{}^6C_n n!}{6^n} \quad n \leq 6$$

$$P(2) = 1 - \frac{{}^6C_2 2!}{6^2} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P(3) = 1 - \frac{{}^6C_3 3!}{6^3} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$P(4) = 1 - \frac{{}^6C_4 4!}{6^4} = \frac{13}{18}$$

$$P(6) = 1 - \frac{6!}{6^6} = \frac{319}{324}$$

10. Probability of getting more even than odd = probability of getting less even than odd outcomes

$$= \frac{1}{2} (1 - \text{probability of getting equal odd \& even outcomes})$$



$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{{}^8C_0^2 + {}^8C_1^2 + {}^8C_2^2 + \dots + {}^8C_8^2}{2^{16}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{{}^{16}C_8}{2^{16}} \right)$$

11.

$$P(n) = (1 - P(n-1)) \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(2) = 0$$

$$P(3) = \frac{1}{3}, P(4) = \frac{2}{9}, P(5) = \frac{7}{27}$$

$$P(6) = \frac{20}{81}, P(7) = \frac{61}{243}$$

12.

$$Q = 1 - ({}^4C_1 P(1-P)^3 + {}^4C_3 P^3(1-P))$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left[ (P + (1-P))^4 - ((-P) + (1-P))^4 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (1 + (1-2P)^4)$$

13.  $P(A) = 6 \text{ or } \frac{6}{6} \text{ or } \frac{6}{7} \text{ or } \frac{6}{6} \text{ or } \frac{6}{7} \text{ or } \frac{6}{6} \text{ or } \dots \infty$ 

$$= \frac{5}{36} + \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{30}{36} \times \frac{5}{36} + \left( \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{30}{36} \right)^2 \times \frac{5}{36} + \dots \infty$$

$$= \frac{5/36}{1 - \frac{30 \times 31}{(36)^2}} = \frac{5 \times 6}{216 - 155} = \frac{30}{61}$$

$$P(B) = \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{6}{36} + \frac{31}{36} \times \left( \frac{30}{36} \times \frac{31}{36} \right) \times \frac{6}{36} + \frac{31}{36} \times \left( \frac{30}{36} \times \frac{31}{36} \right)^2 \times \frac{6}{36} + \dots \infty$$

$$= \frac{\frac{31}{36} \times \frac{6}{36}}{1 - \frac{30}{36} \times \frac{31}{36}}$$

$$= \frac{31}{61}$$

14.  $ad - bc \neq 0$  for unique soln.

$ad \quad bc \quad (a, d, b, c)$

1  $2$  or  $4 \quad (1, 1, 1, 2), (1, 1, 2, 1), (1, 1, 2, 2)$

2  $1$  or  $4 \quad (1, 2, 1, 1), (2, 1, 1, 1), (1, 2, 2, 2), (2, 1, 2, 2)$

4  $1$  or  $2 \quad (2, 2, 1, 1), (2, 2, 1, 2), (2, 2, 2, 1)$

$$P = \frac{10}{16} = \frac{5}{8}$$

$\therefore$  for non trivial soln.

$$P = \frac{3}{8}$$

15.  $P(A \cap B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cup B) = 0.25$

$$0.75 \leq P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C) - (P(A \cap B)$$

$$+ P(B \cap C) + P(C \cap A)) + P(A \cap B \cap C) \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.1 \leq P(B \cap C) \leq 0.35$$

17. (b)  $P = \frac{\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{5}}{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{5}} = \frac{8}{2+8+6+4} = \frac{2}{5}$

(d)  $P = \frac{8+6}{2+8+6+4} = \frac{7}{10}$

### SECTION-3

#### COMPREHENSION BASED QUESTIONS

##### COMPREHENSION (Q.1 To Q.3):

1.  $\frac{(n-1)!2!}{n!} = \frac{2}{n}$

2.  $A \underbrace{\hspace{1.5cm}}_{\text{'m' men}} B$

$$\frac{{}^{n-2}C_m (n-m-1)!2! \times m!}{n!} = \frac{2(n-2)!(n-m-1)}{n!} = \frac{2(n-m-1)}{n(n-1)}$$

$$\text{alt} \rightarrow \frac{(n-m-1)2!(n-2)!}{n!} = \frac{2(n-m-1)}{n(n-1)}$$

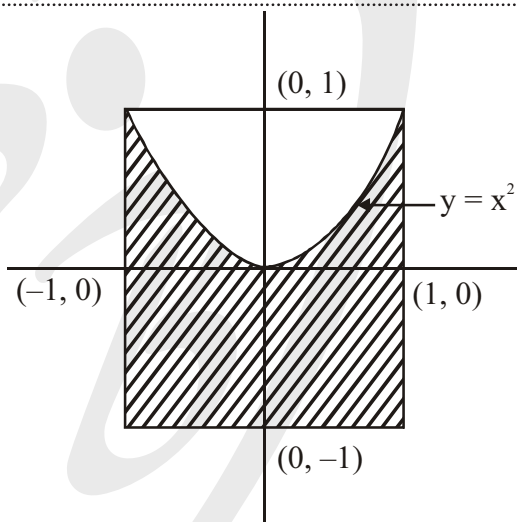
$$\begin{aligned}
 3. \quad & \frac{2}{n(n-1)} ((n-1)-0) + ((n-1)-1) + ((n-1)-2) + \dots + ((n-1)-m) \\
 &= \frac{2}{n(n-1)} \left[ \frac{(m+1)}{2} (2n-2-m) \right] \\
 &= \frac{(m+1)(2n-m-2)}{n(n-1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

### COMPREHENSION (0.4 TO 0.5)

4.

$$4(a^2 - b) \geq 0$$

$$b \leq a^2$$



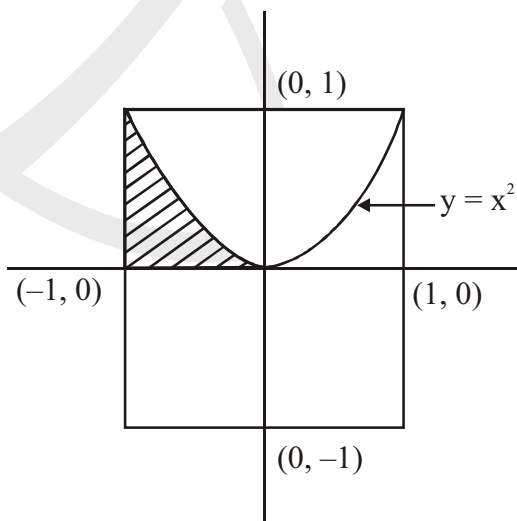
$$5. \quad D \geq 0 \Rightarrow b \leq a^2$$

$$-a > 0 \Rightarrow a < 0$$

$$\& f(0) > 0 \Rightarrow b > 0$$

$$P(B) = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{(2)^2} = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$P(A) = \frac{2\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) + 2(1)}{2(2)} = \frac{8}{4} = \frac{2}{3}$$



**COMPREHENSION (0.6 to 0.7)**

$$6. P(r \text{ or } (1, r-1) \text{ or } (1, 1, r-2), \dots, \underbrace{(1, 1, \dots, 1, 2)}_{r-2 \text{ times}})$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6^2} + \frac{1}{6^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{6^{r-1}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{6} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{6^{r-1}} \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{6}} = \frac{1}{5} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{6^{r-1}} \right)$$

$$7. P(\underbrace{(1, 1, \dots, 1, 2)}_{(r-2) \text{ times}} \text{ or } \underbrace{(1, 1, \dots, 1, 3)}_{(r-3)} \dots \text{ or } \underbrace{(1, 1, \dots, 1, 6)}_{(r-6) \text{ times}})$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-1} + \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-2} + \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-3} + \dots + \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-5}$$

$$= \frac{\left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-1} (6^5 - 1)}{5} = \frac{1}{5} \left( \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-6} - \left( \frac{1}{6} \right)^{r-1} \right)$$

**COMPREHENSION (0.8 to 0.9)**

$$8. P(i) = Ki \quad i = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6$$

where  $P(i)$  = prob. of obtaining no. equal to  $i$

$$\sum_{i=1}^6 P(i) = 1 \Rightarrow k \left( \frac{6 \times 7}{2} \right) = 1 \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{21}$$

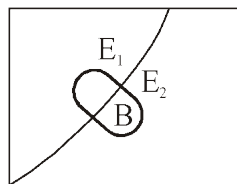
$P(B)$  = Probability that drawn ball is black

$E_1 \Rightarrow$  ball is drawn from urn A

$E_2 \Rightarrow$  ball is drawn from urn B

$$P(E_1) = \frac{1}{21} (2 + 3 + 5) = \frac{10}{21}$$

$$P(E_2) = \frac{1}{21} (1 + 4 + 6) = \frac{11}{21}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 P(B) &= P(E_1 \cap B) + P(E_2 \cap B) = P(E_1)P(B/E_1) + P(E_2)P(B/E_2) \\
 &= \frac{10}{21} \times \frac{3}{5} + \frac{11}{21} \times \frac{2}{5} = \frac{52}{105}
 \end{aligned}$$

9.  $P(W)$  = probability that drawn ball is white

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(E_2/W) &= \frac{P(E_2 \cap W)}{P(W)} = \frac{P(E_2)P(W/E_2)}{P(E_1)P(W/E_1) + P(E_2)P(W/E_2)} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{11}{21} \times \frac{3}{5}}{\frac{10}{21} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{11}{21} \times \frac{3}{5}} = \frac{33}{53}
 \end{aligned}$$

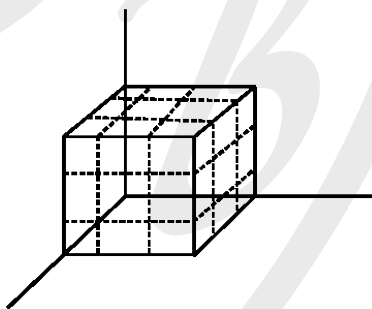
### COMPREHENSION (Q.12 TO Q.14)

Observing from fig.

$$12. P = \frac{1}{27}$$

$$13. P = \frac{12}{27} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$14. P = \frac{6}{27} = \frac{2}{9}$$



### COMPREHENSION (Q.15 TO Q.16)

$$P(2) = \frac{3}{6} \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3}{36}$$

$$P(3) = \frac{3}{6} \times \frac{2}{6} + \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{8}{36} = P(1, 2 \text{ or } 2, 1)$$

$$P(4) = \frac{3}{6} \times \frac{3}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{6} + \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{2}{6} = \frac{14}{36} = P(1, 3 \text{ or } 3, 1 \text{ or } 2, 2)$$

$$P(5) = \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{3}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{6} = \frac{8}{36} = P(2, 3 \text{ or } 3, 2)$$

$$P(6) = \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{3}{6} = \frac{3}{36}$$

**COMPREHENSION (Q.17 TO Q.19) :**

17. Let  $W \rightarrow$  Win,  $D \rightarrow$  Draw,  $L \rightarrow$  Lose for X

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\text{X wins in } n \text{ games}) &= P((2W, (n-2)D) \text{ or } (2W, 1L, (n-3)D)) \\
 &= {}^{n-1}C_1 p^2 q^{n-2} + (n-2)(n-1) p^2 r q^{n-3} \\
 &= (n-1) p^2 q^{n-2} + (n-1)(n-2) p^2 q^{n-3} r \\
 &= (n-1) p^2 q^{n-3} (q + (n-2)r)
 \end{aligned}$$

18.  $P(\text{Y wins}) = P(2L, (4)D) \text{ or } (2L, 1W, 3D)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= {}^5C_1 r^2 q^4 + 5 \times 4 (r^2 p q^3) \\
 &= 5q^3 r^2 (q + 4p)
 \end{aligned}$$

19.

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\text{Y wins}) &= \frac{r^2}{(1-q)^2} + \frac{{}^2C_1 p r^2}{(1-q)^3} \\
 &= \frac{r^2((p+r) + 2p)}{(1-q)^3} = \frac{r^2(3p+r)}{(1-q)^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

**COMPREHENSION (Q.20 TO Q.22)**

20. Game ends with last two tosses resulting in 2 heads or 2 tails.

$\Rightarrow P(\text{ends with 2 heads/ends with 2 heads or 2 tails})$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{4}{5}$$

Alternate : Let  $P$  = probability that no. of heads exceed no. of tails by 2.

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= P(H) P(H) + P(H) P(T) P + P(T) P(H) P \\
 P &= \frac{4}{9} + \frac{2}{9} P + \frac{2}{9} P \Rightarrow P = \frac{4}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$21. P(\text{min. throws/ends with head}) = \frac{\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{5}{9}$$

22. Obvious

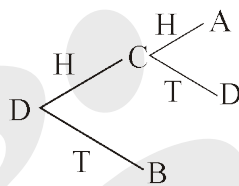
### COMPREHENSION (Q.23 TO Q.24)

23. Let  $P = I$  start in field D & win

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}P \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{4}P = \frac{1}{4}$$

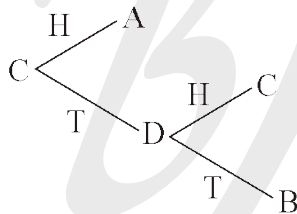
$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{3}$$



24. Let  $P = I$  start in field C & win

$$P = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \times P \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{2}{3}$$



### COMPREHENSION (Q.25 TO Q.26) :

25.	$x$	$x^2$	Number of $x$
	$7k$	$7\mu$	3
	$7k+1$	$7\mu+1$	4
	$7k+2$	$7\mu+4$	4
	$7k+3$	$7\mu+2$	4
	$7k+4$	$7\mu+2$	4
	$7k+5$	$7\mu+4$	3
	$7k+6$	$7\mu+1$	3

$$P = \frac{{}^3C_2 + {}^7C_2 \times 2 + {}^8C_2}{{}^{25}C_2} = \frac{73}{300}$$

26. x	$x^2$	Number of x
5k	$5\mu$	5
$5k + 1$	$5\mu + 1$	5
$5k + 2$	$5\mu + 4$	5
$5k + 3$	$5\mu + 4$	5
$5k + 4$	$5\mu + 1$	5

$$P = \frac{{}^5C_2 + {}^{10}C_2 \times 2}{{}^{25}C_2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

### COMPREHENSION (0.27 TO 0.29)

$$27. P = \frac{\frac{4!}{2!2!}}{4^4} = \frac{3}{128}$$

$$28. P = \frac{2 \left( \frac{6!}{3!2!} - \frac{4!}{2!2!} \times 2! \right)}{4^6} = \frac{3}{128}$$

$$29. P = 0$$

### COMPREHENSION (0.30 TO 0.31)

$$30. P = 1 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

**Alternate:** For this to happen each pair of opposite faces



must be

painted with the same colour. probability that first pair of opp. faces are coloured

$$\text{with same colour} = 1 \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{2nd} = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{3rd} = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$$



$$31. P = 1 - \frac{{}^3C_2 (2!)^3}{({}^3C_2 2!)^3} = \frac{8}{9}$$

Probability that only two colours are used given that opp. faces have different colours.

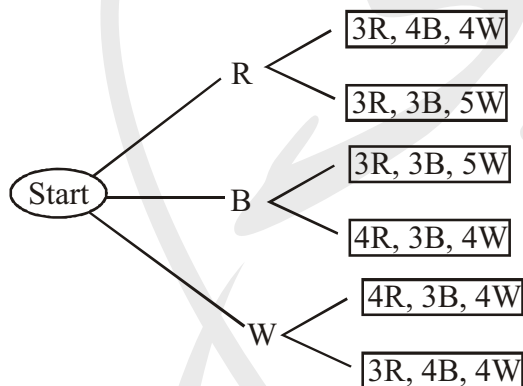
**Alternate :**  $P = 1 - P$  (exactly two colours are used given that each pair of opposite faces are painted with a different colour)

$$= 1 - 1 \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{8}{9}$$

( $\because$  Prob. that a definite pair is selected to paint opposite faces =  $\frac{1}{3}$ )

### COMPREHENSION (Q.32 TO Q.33)

32.



$$P = \frac{3}{10} \times 1 + \frac{3}{10} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{13}{20}$$

$$33. P = \frac{\frac{3}{10} \times \left( \frac{3}{11} + \frac{3}{11} \right)}{\frac{3}{10} \times \left( \frac{3}{11} + \frac{3}{11} \right) + \frac{3}{10} \times \left( \frac{3}{11} + \frac{4}{11} \right) + \frac{4}{10} \times \left( \frac{3}{11} + \frac{4}{11} \right)}$$

$$= \frac{18}{67}$$

### COMPREHENSION (Q.34 TO Q.36)

Either both a & b are divisible by p or both not divisible by p

$$\therefore P_n(p) = \frac{\left[ \frac{n}{p} \right]^2 + \left( n - \left[ \frac{n}{p} \right] \right)^2}{n^2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{n} \left[ \frac{n}{p} \right] + \frac{2}{n^2} \left[ \frac{n}{p} \right]^2$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P_n(p) = 1 - \frac{2}{p} + \frac{2}{p^2}$$

$$P_{25}(3) = \frac{8^2 + 17^2}{(25)^2} = \frac{353}{625}$$

### COMPREHENSION (Q.37 TO Q.39)

$$37. P = \frac{{}^{52}C_2 \times {}^2C_1 \times {}^{50}C_1}{{}^{(52}C_2)^2} = \frac{50}{663}$$

$$38. P = \frac{{}^{13}C_1 \times 2 \times {}^{39}C_1 \times {}^{39}C_2}{{}^{(52}C_2)^2} = \frac{247}{578}$$

$$39. P = \frac{{}^{52}C_3 \times 2}{{}^{104}C_3} = \frac{25}{103}$$

### COMPREHENSION (Q.40 TO Q.41)

$$40. A(n) = P(\text{BB or BWB or WBB})$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{n}{n+2} \frac{n-1}{n+1} + \frac{n}{n+2} \frac{2}{n+1} \frac{n-1}{n} + \frac{2}{n+2} \frac{n}{n+1} \frac{n-1}{n} \\ &= \frac{(n+4)(n-1)}{(n+2)(n+1)} \end{aligned}$$

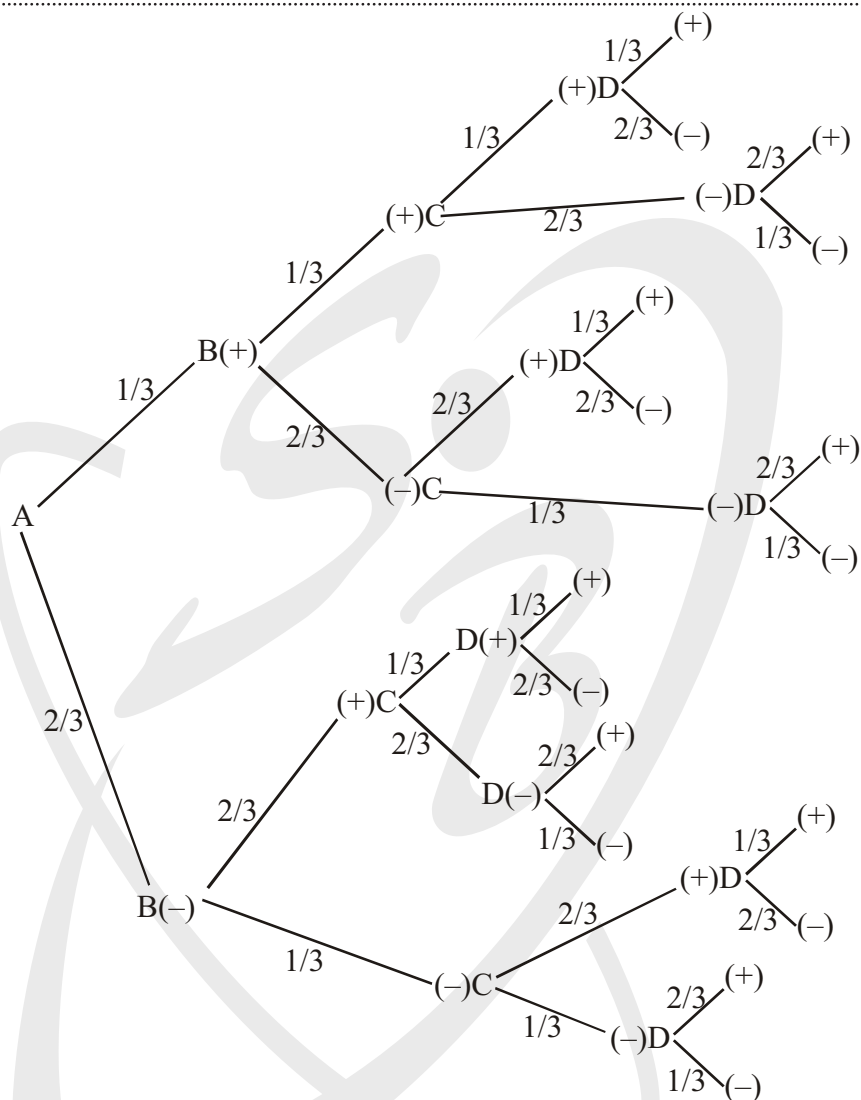
$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \prod_{r=2}^n A(r) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \prod_{r=2}^n \frac{r+4}{r+2} \prod_{r=2}^n \frac{r-1}{r+1} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{(n+4)(n+3)}{4 \times 5} \cdot \frac{1 \times 2}{(n+1)(n)} \right) = \frac{1}{10} \end{aligned}$$

$$41. B(n) = 1 - \frac{n^2 + 3n - 4}{n^2 + 3n + 2} = \frac{6}{(n+2)(n+1)}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^n B(r) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 6 \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n+2} \right) = 3$$

## COMPREHENSION (Q.42 TO Q.43)

Sol.



$$42. P = \left( \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \right) + \frac{1 \times 1 \times 2 \times 2}{3^4} + \frac{1 \times 2 \times (2 \times 1 + 1 \times 2)}{3^4} + \frac{2 \times 2 \times (1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2)}{3^4} + \frac{2 \times 1 \times (2 \times 1 + 1 \times 2)}{3^4}$$

$$P = \frac{5 + 8 + 20 + 8}{81} = \frac{41}{81}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 43. \quad P &= \frac{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \left( \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \right) + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \left( \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \right)}{\frac{41}{81}} \\
 &= \frac{5 + 2(4)}{41} = \frac{13}{41}
 \end{aligned}$$

### COMPREHENSION (0.44 TO 0.46)

$$44. \quad P = P(\text{W or BBW or BBBBW})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{3}{10} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} \\
 &= \frac{83}{210}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$45. \quad P = P(\text{BW or BBBW or BBBBBW})$$

$$= \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{3}{9} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{3}{7} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{3}{5} = \frac{43}{210}$$

$$46. \quad P = P(\text{R or BR or BBR or BBBR or BBBBR or BBBBBR})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{2}{10} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{2}{9} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{2}{8} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{2}{7} + \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{2}{6} \times \frac{2}{5} \\
 &= \frac{2}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

### SECTION-4

#### MATCH THE COLUMN

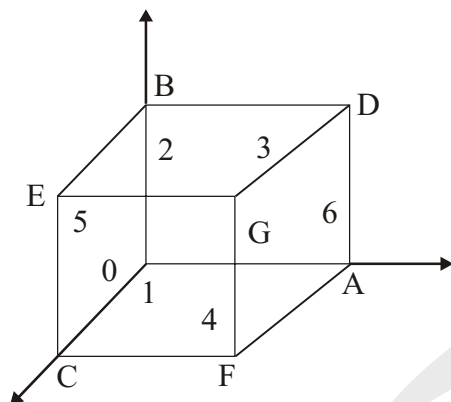
$$1. \quad (A) \quad P = \frac{{}^1P_{11} {}^{11}C_5}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(B) \quad P = \frac{{}^2P_1 \times {}^{10}C_5}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{6}{11}$$

$$(C) \quad P = \frac{{}^{10}C_4}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{5}{22}$$

$$(D) \quad P = \frac{10}{11}$$

2.

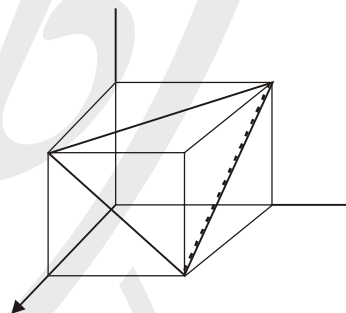
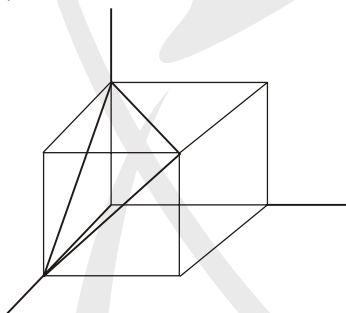


$$(A) P = \frac{{}^4C_3 \times 6 + 4 \times 2}{{}^8C_3} = \frac{4}{7}$$

(3 vertices in single phase) + (selecting adjacent faces 1-2 or 2-3 or 3-4 or 4-5 and one side 5 or 6 is selected automatically)

1 → CEGF, 2 → EGDB, 3 → OADB, 4 → OCFA, 5 → OCEB, 6 → AFGD

e.g. →



$$(B) P = \frac{{}^4C_3 \times 6}{{}^8C_3} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$(C) P = 1 - \frac{4}{7} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$(D) P = \frac{{}^4C_3 \times 6 + 6 \times 4}{{}^8C_3} = \frac{48}{56} = \frac{6}{7}$$

$$3. (A) P = \frac{{}^2C_1 \times {}^{14}C_3}{{}^{16}C_4} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$(B) P = \frac{{}^{14}C_2}{{}^{15}C_2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{20}$$

$$(C) P = \frac{1}{{}^{15}C_1} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{30}$$

$$(D) P = \frac{{}^{14}C_6}{{}^{15}C_7} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{30}$$

4. (A) 7 digits not containing

(1, 8), (2, 7), (3, 6), (4, 5)

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{4 \times 7!}{{}^9C_7 \times 7!} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$(B) P = 1 - \frac{{}^{12}C_2}{{}^{16}C_2} = \frac{9}{20}$$

(C)  $7^m$  ends with 7, 9, 3, 1

$3^n$  ends with 3, 9, 7, 1

$(7^m, 3^n)$  ends with (7, 3), (9, 1), (3, 7), (1, 9)

$$P = \frac{25}{98} \times \frac{25}{98} + \frac{25}{98} \times \frac{24}{98} + \frac{24}{98} \times \frac{24}{98} + \frac{24}{98} \times \frac{25}{98} = \frac{(25+24)^2}{(98)^2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

(D) favourable ways are HHHHT or TTTTH  $\Rightarrow P = \frac{2}{32} = \frac{1}{16}$

$$5. (A) P = \frac{6! [6! - ({}^6C_1 5! - {}^6C_2 4! + {}^6C_3 3! - {}^6C_4 2! + {}^6C_5 1! - {}^6C_6)]}{6! 6!}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{6! - 3 \times 5! + 20 \times 3! - 30 + 6 - 1}{6!}$$

$$= \frac{265}{720} = \frac{53}{144}$$

$$(B) P = \frac{6! \times 1}{6! 6!} = \frac{1}{6!}$$

$$(C) P = \frac{6! [{}^6C_1 \times 1 \times (5! - {}^5C_1 4! + {}^5C_2 3! - {}^5C_2 2! + {}^5C_4 1! - {}^5C_5)]}{6! 6!}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times (44)}{6!} = \frac{44}{120} = \frac{11}{30}$$

$$(D) P = 1 - \left( \frac{53}{144} + \frac{11}{30} \right) = \frac{691}{720}$$

$$6. \text{ (A) } P = \frac{{}^3C_2 + {}^3C_2}{{}^6C_3} = \frac{3}{10}$$

$$\text{ (B) } b^2 = ac$$

$$(a, b, c) = (1, 2, 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{{}^6C_3} = \frac{1}{20}$$

$$\text{ (C) } \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c} = \frac{2}{b}$$

$$b = 3, (a, c) = (2, 6)$$

$$b = 4, (a, c) = (3, 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{2}{{}^20} = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\text{ (D) } a + b > c, a < b < c$$

$$(a, b, c) = (2, 3, 4), (2, 4, 5), (3, 4, 5), (2, 5, 6)$$

$$(3, 4, 6), (3, 5, 6), (4, 5, 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{7}{20}$$

$$7. \text{ (A) } P = \frac{1}{13} \left( \frac{{}^4C_4 + {}^5C_4 + \dots + {}^{12}C_4}{{}^{12}C_4} \right) = \frac{1}{13} \frac{{}^{13}C_5}{{}^{12}C_4} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{ (B) } P = \frac{{}^{10}C_4}{{}^{12}C_4} = \frac{14}{33}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ (C) } P &= \frac{1}{13} \left( \frac{{}^2C_2 {}^{10}C_2 + {}^3C_2 {}^9C_2 + {}^4C_2 {}^8C_2 + \dots + {}^{10}C_2 {}^2C_2}{{}^{12}C_4} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{13} \frac{2({}^2C_2 {}^{10}C_2 + {}^3C_2 {}^9C_2 + {}^4C_2 {}^8C_2 + {}^5C_2 {}^7C_2) + {}^6C_2 {}^6C_2}{{}^{12}C_4} = \frac{1}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ (D) } P = \frac{{}^{10}C_4}{{}^4C_4 + {}^5C_4 + \dots + {}^{12}C_4} = \frac{{}^{10}C_4}{{}^{13}C_5} = \frac{70}{429}$$

$$8. (A) P(m = 3) = \frac{\text{Throw resulting in } (3, 4, 5, 6) - (4, 5, 6)}{\text{Total ways}} = \frac{4^5 - 3^5}{6^5} \left( \frac{2}{5} \right)^5 - \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^5$$

$$(B) P(n = 4) = \frac{\text{Throw resulting in } (1, 2, 3, 4) - (1, 2, 3)}{\text{Total ways}} = \frac{4^5 - 3^5}{6^5}$$

$$(C) P(m = 2, n = 5) = \text{Throw resulting } 2, 3, 4, 5 - \text{atleast one of 2 or 5 not attained}$$

$$= \frac{4^5 - (3^5 + 3^5 - 2^5)}{6^5} = \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^5 - \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^4 + \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^5$$

(D) Smallest number is 2 – number are 5 or 6

$$P = \frac{5^5 - 2^5}{6^5} = \left( \frac{5}{6} \right)^5 - \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^5$$

$$9. (A) P = 1 - P(\text{all numbers are } \geq 10)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{{}^{16}C_4}{{}^{25}C_4} = 1 - \frac{182}{1265} = \frac{1083}{1265}$$

$$(B) P = \frac{{}^9C_1 \times 1 \times {}^{15}C_2}{{}^{25}C_4} = \frac{189}{2530}$$

$$(C) P = P(1 \text{ even}, 3 \text{ odd}) + P(3 \text{ even}, 1 \text{ odd})$$

$$= \frac{{}^{13}C_3 {}^{12}C_1 + {}^{13}C_1 {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{25}C_4} = \frac{286}{575}$$

$$(D) P = 1 - P(\text{abcd is odd})$$

$$= 1 - \frac{{}^{13}C_4}{{}^{25}C_4} = \frac{217}{230}$$

## SECTION-5

### SUBJECTIVE TYPE PROBLEMS

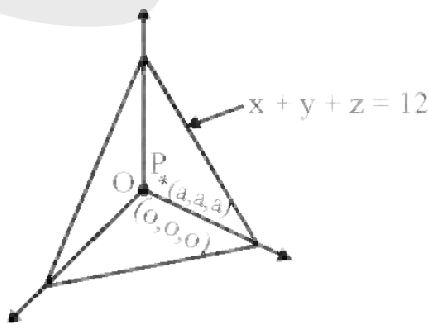
$$1. ((a - b)^2 + (b - c)^2 + (c - a)^2) \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b = c$$

$\therefore$  Points O (0, 0, 0) and P(a, a, a)

lie on same side of plane  $x + y + z = 12$

$$\Rightarrow -12(a + a + a - 12) > 0$$





$$\Rightarrow 0 < a < 4$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

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

$$2. f(x) = 3x^2 + 2ax + b \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow D \leq 0 \Rightarrow a^2 \leq 3b$$

a	b
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1	1
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1, 2	2
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1, 2, 3	3
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1, 2, 3	4
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1, 2, 3	5
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1, 2, 3, 4	6
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$$\text{No. of favourable ways} = 6(1 + 2 + 3 + 4) = 6 \times 16$$

$$\text{Total no. of ways} = 6^3$$

$$P = \frac{16 \times 6}{6^3} = \frac{4}{9}$$

$$3. P = 7 \left[ \left( \frac{1}{7} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} + \left( \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) \times \left( \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) \frac{1}{2} + \left( \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \right) \times \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{8}$$

$$= (\text{paired in 1st round}) + (\text{paired in 2nd round}) + (\text{paired in 3rd round})$$

$$4. P = \frac{\frac{3}{13} \times \frac{{}^{11}C_1 {}^{40}C_3}{{}^{51}C_4}}{\frac{3}{13} \times \frac{{}^{11}C_1 {}^{40}C_3}{{}^{51}C_4} + \frac{10}{13} \times \frac{{}^{12}C_1 {}^{39}C_3}{{}^{51}C_4}}$$

$$= \frac{11}{48}$$

5.  $\frac{5}{70}$

$$P = 1 - (\text{all } 2, 4, 6 \text{ in one side of } 5)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{3! \cdot 3! \times 2}{7!}$$

$$= \frac{69}{70}$$

6.  $E_1 \rightarrow$  boy watching doordarshan

$E_2 \rightarrow$  boy watching ten sports

$E \rightarrow$  boy fell asleep

$$P(E_1/E) = \frac{\frac{1}{5} \times \frac{3}{4}}{\frac{1}{5} \times \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{3}{7}$$

7.  $P(E_i) = \frac{1}{2}$

$$P(E_m) = {}^{10}C_m \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10}$$

$$P(E_i \cap E_m) = {}^9C_{m-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10}$$

$$P(E_i \cap E_m) = P(E_i) P(E_m)$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^9C_{m-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10} {}^{10}C_m \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 5$$

8.  $P = \frac{26}{39} = \frac{2}{3}$

$$p + q = 5$$

9. Let number of men = m

number of women = w

$$\Rightarrow P = {}^{\alpha}C_1 \left( \frac{m}{m+w} \right)^1 \left( \frac{w}{m+w} \right)^{\alpha-1} + {}^{\alpha}C_3 \left( \frac{m}{m+w} \right)^3 \left( \frac{w}{m+w} \right)^{\alpha-3} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \left( \frac{m+w}{m+w} \right)^{\alpha} - \left( \frac{w-m}{w+m} \right)^{\alpha} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} - \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{\alpha+1} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{\mu-1}{\mu+1} \right)^{\alpha} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\mu-1}{\mu+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = 3$$

10. Put

$$x = -w, -w^2$$

$$(-w)^{n+1} - (-w)^n + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (-w)^n w^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (-1)^n w^{n+2} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 6\lambda + 1$$

Also  $n = 6\lambda + 1$  satisfy for  $x = -w^2$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{6}$$

11.  $p^2 \geq 4q$

q	p	Number of (p, q)
1	2, 3, ..., 10	9
2	3, 4, ..., 10	8
3	4, 5, ..., 10	7
4	4, 5, ..., 10	7
5	5, 6, ..., 10	6
6	5, 6, ..., 10	6

7	6,7,...,10	5
8	6,7,...,10	5
9	6,7,...,10	5
10	7,8,9,10	4

$$P = \frac{62}{10 \times 10} = \frac{31}{50}$$

12.

$$P = \frac{\left( \frac{11!}{2!2!2!5!} \right)}{\left( \frac{11!}{2!2!2!} \right)} = \frac{1}{120}$$

13.

$$P = \frac{{}^{10}C_1 {}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2}{{}^{30}C_2} = \frac{1}{3}$$

14.  $A \rightarrow$  there is one undefeated team $B \rightarrow$  there is one winless team

$$P = 1 - \frac{n(A \cup B)}{2^{10}} \quad (\because \text{total ways} = 2^{10}, \text{number of games} = 10)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{{}^5C_1 2^6 + {}^5C_1 2^6 - {}^5C_2 \times 2! \times 2^3}{2^{10}}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{5 \times 2^7 - 5 \times 2^5}{2^{10}} = \frac{17}{32}$$

15.  $x_1 R x_2 R x_3 R x_4 W x_5 W x_6 W x_7 W x_8$ 

$$x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_8 = 3$$

$$P = \frac{{}^{3+7}C_7}{\frac{10!}{3!4!3!}} = \frac{1}{35}$$

**Alternate :** observe that the position of blue balls is irrelevant for success. Thus we worry only about permutations of R R R W W W W. .

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{4!3!}{7!}$$

16. Each person moves along 8 line segments. In order to meet, the persons must meet at diagonal points (0, 4), (1, 3), (2, 2), (3, 1) or (4, 0)

$$P = \frac{{}^4C_0 {}^4C_4 + {}^4C_1 {}^4C_3 + {}^4C_2 {}^4C_2 + {}^4C_3 {}^4C_1 + {}^4C_4 {}^4C_0}{\sum_{0 \leq i \leq j \leq 4} {}^4C_i {}^4C_j} = \frac{{}^8C_4}{\left(\sum_{i=0}^4 {}^4C_i\right)\left(\sum_{j=0}^4 {}^4C_j\right)}$$

$$= \frac{{}^8C_4}{2^8} = \frac{35}{128}$$

17. The generating function for throwing both the dice is  $(3x^1 + 2x^2 + x^3)(x^1 + 2x^2 + 3x^3)$   
 $= 3x^2 + 8x^3 + 14x^4 + 8x^5 + 3x^6$   
 $\therefore 4$  is the most likely sum, with probability of it occurring is  $\frac{14}{36} = \frac{7}{18}$

18.  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 10$ ,  $x_i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$$P = \frac{{}^{10-4+3}C_3 - {}^4C_1 {}^{10-8+3}C_3}{{(4)}^4} = \frac{{}^9C_3 - 4 {}^5C_3}{{(4)}^4} = \frac{11}{64}$$

**Alternate :** Favourable case = (1, 1, 4, 4); (1, 2, 3, 4), (1, 3, 3, 3), (2, 2, 2, 4), (2, 2, 3, 3)

$$P = \frac{\frac{4!}{2!2!} + 4! + \frac{4!}{3!} + \frac{4!}{3!} + \frac{4!}{2!2!}}{4^4} = \frac{44}{256} = \frac{11}{64}$$

19. The experiment consists in observing, among all  ${}^{m+n}C_n$  configurations of heads and tails, the number of configurations of the form

$$y_1 x_1 y_2 x_2 y_3 x_3 y_4 x_4 y_5$$

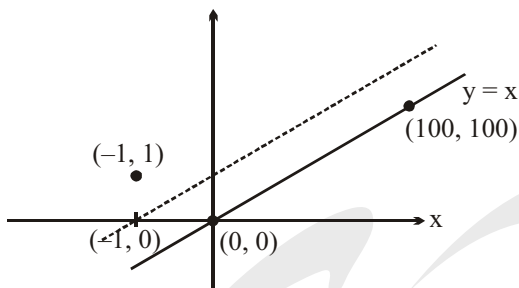
where  $x_k$  are filled with tails and the  $y_k$  are filled with heads. We need integral solutions to

$$y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 + y_5 = 5, \quad y_1 \geq 0, y_5 \geq 0, y_k > 0, 2 \leq k \leq 4$$

$$\text{and } x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 10, \quad x_k > 0, 1 \leq k \leq 4$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{{}^{5-3+4}C_4 \times {}^{10-4+3}C_3}{{}^{15}C_{10}} = \frac{{}^6C_4 {}^9C_3}{{}^{15}C_{10}} = \frac{60}{143}$$

20. Let till any point of time, there are 'x' 100 Re notes and 'y' 200 Re notes. Then for not having any problem at any time  $x \geq y$ .



Shift origin to  $(-1, 0)$  and reflect  $(0, 0)$  about  $y = x + 1$ .

Favourable ways = Total – going from  $(-1, 0)$  to  $(100, 100)$

$$\text{Favourable ways} = {}^{200}C_{100} - {}^{101+99}C_{101} = \frac{{}^{200}C_{100}}{101}$$

$$P = \frac{\left( \frac{{}^{200}C_{100}}{101} \right)}{{}^{200}C_{100}} = \frac{1}{101}$$

$$21. P = \frac{{}^6C_2 \cdot {}^5C_3}{{}^{10}C_5} = \frac{5}{21}$$

$$22. P = \frac{{}^{30}C_{15}}{{}^{31}C_{15}} = \frac{16}{31}$$

$$\text{Alternate : } P = \frac{30}{31} \times \frac{14}{15} \times \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{2}{3} = \frac{16}{31}$$