

Probability Assignment

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I. PROBLEM1

A. Question

A die has two faces each with number '1', three faces each with number '2' and one face with number '3'. If die is rolled once, determine

- (i) P(2)
- (ii) P(1 or 3)
- (iii) P(not 3)

B. Solution

Total number of faces = 6

i) Number faces with number '2' = 3

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

ii)
$$P(1 + 3) = P(1) + P(3)$$

Number faces with number '1' = 2

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

 $P(1) = \frac{2}{6}$ Number faces with number '3' = 1

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

So, P(1) + P(3) = $\frac{2}{6}$ + $\frac{1}{6}$ = $\frac{3}{6}$ = $\frac{1}{2}$

iii)
$$P(3') = 1 - P(3)$$

Number faces with number '3' = 1

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

$$P(3') = 1 - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{5}{6}$$