

Probability

Q1.

Prob. of getting sum of no. being even

Events can be = (1,1), (1,3), (1,5), (2,2), (2,4), (2,6), (3,1),
(3,3), (3,5), (4,2), (4,4), (4,6), (5,1),
(5,3), (5,5), (6,2), (6,4), (6,6)
= 18

$$P = 18/36 = \underline{\underline{1/2}}$$

one of the dice shows six = $6/36 = \underline{\underline{1/6}}$

Q.2

Prob. less than for sum of no. less than 7

$$= \frac{8}{36} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{4}}}$$

Q.3.

H/T H/T H/T

A = at least 2 heads

B = at least 1 head

P(at least 2 heads / at least 1 head)

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= \frac{P(2H \cap 1H)}{P(1H)}$$

$$= \frac{P(2H)}{P(1H)} \Rightarrow \frac{4/8}{7/8} = \underline{\underline{\frac{4}{7}}}$$

H H H ✓
H H T ✓
H T H ✓
T H H ✓
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H H T ✓

Q.4 Possibi. of both kids

$$= (G, G), (B, B), (G, B), (B, G)$$

$$P = (Both G | one girl) = \frac{P(Both G)}{P(one girl)}$$

$$P(B, G) = (.5) \times (.5) = .25$$

$$P(one girl) = 1 - P(both boys)$$

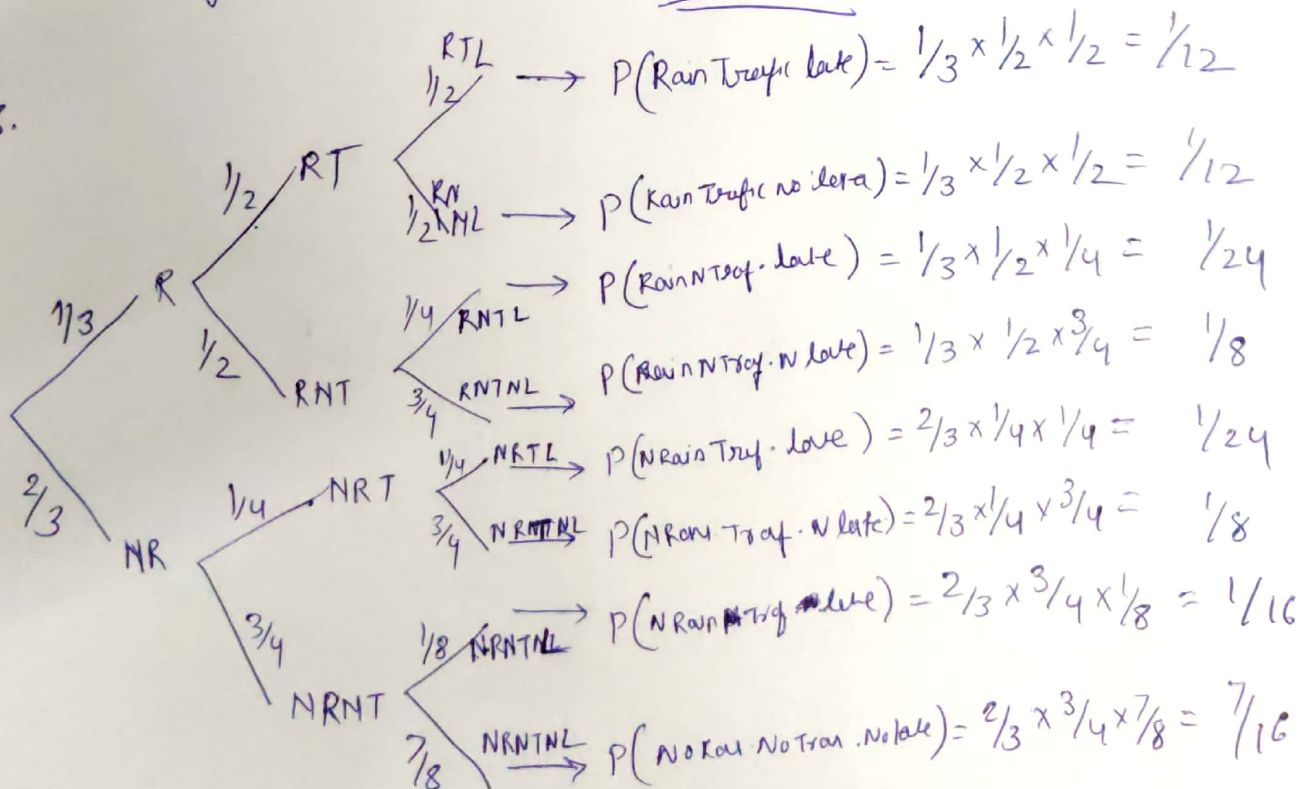
$$P(both boys) = P(B, B) = .5 \times .5 = .25$$

$$P(one girl) = 1 - .25 = .75$$

$$\Rightarrow P(B, G | one girl) = \frac{.25}{.75} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Chances of second girl is $\frac{1}{3}$

Q.5.



(a)

$$P(NRTNL) = \phi$$

$$P(NRNTNL) = P(NR)P(T|NR)P(NL|NRNT)$$

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

$$= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{8}}}$$

(b)

$$\text{Total of late} = P(L) = P(RTL) + P(RNTL) + P(NRTL) + P(NRNTL)$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{16}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{11}}{\cancel{48}} \quad \underline{\underline{\frac{11}{48}}}$$

$$(c) \quad \text{Late + Rain} = P(R|L) = \frac{P(RNL)}{P(L)}$$

$$\text{where } P(L) = \frac{11}{48}$$

$$P(RNL) = P(RTL) + P(RNTL)$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{24}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\therefore P(R|L) = \frac{\cancel{1}/\cancel{8}}{\cancel{11}/\cancel{48}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{6}{11}}}$$