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## Assignment 3

## **AI1110**: Probability and Random Variables Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad

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Question 10.15.1.14: One card is drawn from a well-shuffled deck of 52 cards. Find the probability of getting

- 1) a king of red colour
- 2) a face card
- 3) a red face card
- 4) the jack of hearts
- 5) a spade
- 6) the queen of diamonds

**Solution:** 

Let X be a Random Variable denoting the Color of the card.

EVENT	DESCRIPTION
X=0	Event of Card be a Black Card.
X=1	Event of Card be a Red Card.

TABLE 1

Let Y be a Random Variable denoting the Type of the card.

EVENT	DESCRIPTION
Y=0	Event of Card picked be a Club.
Y=1	Event of Card picked be a Spade.
Y=2	Event of the card picked be a Heart.
Y=3	Event of the card picked be a Diamond.

TABLE 2

Let Z be a Random Variable denoting the Value of the card.

EVENT	DESCRIPTION
Z=0	Event of the card picked be an Ace[A].
Z=1	Event of the card picked be a 2.
Z=2	Event of the card picked be a 3.
Z=3	Event of the card picked be a 4.
Z=4	Event of the card picked be a 5.
Z=5	Event of the card picked be a 6.
Z=6	Event of the card picked be a 7.
Z=7	Event of the card picked be a 8.
Z=8	Event of the card picked be a 9.
Z=9	Event of the card picked be a 10.
Z=10	Event of the card picked be a Jack[J].
Z=11	Event of the card picked be a Queen[Q].
Z=12	Event of the card picked be a King[K].

TABLE 3

Total number of cards 
$$= 52$$
 (1)

$$n(S) = 52 \tag{2}$$

$$\Pr(E) = \frac{n(E)}{n(S)} \tag{3}$$

a) Total number of kings of red colour = 2

$$\Pr((X=1), (Z=12)) = \frac{n((X=1), (Z=12))}{n(S)}$$
(4)

$$Pr((X=1), (Z=12)) = \frac{2}{52} = 0.038$$
 (5)

$$\therefore \Pr((X=1), (Z=12)) = 0.038 \tag{6}$$

b) Number of cards that are face cards = 12

$$\Pr\left(\left((Z=12)+(Z=11)+(Z=10)+(Z=1)\right)\right) = \frac{n\left(\left((Z=12)+(Z=11)+(Z=10)+(Z=1)\right)\right)}{n(S)}$$
(7)

$$Pr(((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=1))) = \frac{12}{52} = 0.23$$
(8)

$$\therefore \Pr\left(\left((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=1)\right)\right) = 0.23 \tag{9}$$

c) Number of cards that are red face cards = 6

$$\Pr\left((X=1), ((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=1))\right) = \frac{n((X=1), ((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=10) + (Z=10))}{n(S)}$$
(10)

$$Pr((X=1), ((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=1))) = \frac{6}{52} = 0.11$$
 (11)

$$\therefore \Pr((X=1), ((Z=12) + (Z=11) + (Z=10) + (Z=1))) = 0.11$$
(12)

d) Number of cards that are jack of hearts = 1

$$\Pr\left((Z=10), (Y=2)\right) = \frac{n((Z=10), (Y=2))}{n(S)} \tag{13}$$

$$Pr((Z=10), (Y=2)) = \frac{1}{52} = 0.019$$
 (14)

$$\therefore \Pr((Z=10), (Y=2)) = 0.019 \tag{15}$$

e) Number of cards that are spade = 13

$$\Pr(Y = 1) = \frac{n(Y = 1)}{n(S)} \tag{16}$$

$$\Pr(Y=1) = \frac{13}{52} = 0.25 \tag{17}$$

$$\therefore \Pr(Y = 1) = 0.25 \tag{18}$$

f) Number of cards that are queens of diamonds = 1

$$\Pr\left((Z=11), (Y=3)\right) = \frac{n((Z=11), (Y=3))}{n(S)} \tag{19}$$

$$Pr((Z=11), (Y=3)) = \frac{1}{52} = 0.019$$
 (20)

$$\therefore \Pr((Z=11), (Y=3)) = 0.019 \tag{21}$$