Assignment:- 1 (10.15.1.11)

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Problem: Gopi buys a fish from a shop for his aquarium. The shopkeeper takes out one fish at random from a tank containing 5 male fish and 8 female fish. What is the probability that the fish taken out is a male fish?

Solution: Let *E* be the event that the fish taken out is a male fish

Number of male fishes in the tank = 5 Total number of fishes in the tank = 13 So,

$$P(E) = \frac{Number of male fishes}{Total number of fishes} = \frac{5}{13}$$

Therefore,
$$P(E) = \frac{5}{13}$$