

1. Question — Given 100 coin tosses. 40 show head and 60 tail. Can you state that  $P(\text{head}) = 0.4$ ?
2. Question — How often would you need to throw the coin to be certain that  $P(\text{head})=0.4$ ? How often if you just want to be “very sure”? What is the underlying rule?
3. Question — You have \$10,000 to invest in three companies.  
Company 1 yields 99% with a chance of 10%.  
Company 2 yields 10% 99% of the time.  
Company 3 yields 1000% 1% of the time.
  - a) What is the probability that all companies make profit?
  - b) What is the expected return of company 1 when investing \$10,000?
  - c) What is the probability that no company makes profit?
  - d) What is the probability that only company 1 makes profit?
4. Question — A new virus is spreading! Already 10,000 people are infected (out of 335,000,000). Luckily, a new rapid test is available which has a true positive and true negative rate of 99%. Unfortunately your test is positive now! What is the probability that you are infected?