

1. A jar contains 5 red, 9 blue and 14 white marbles. If a marble is drawn from the jar at random, then what is the probability that the marble is neither red nor white?

1. 5 red, 9 blue, 14 white

Neither red nor white \Rightarrow Blue marble

$$\therefore P(\text{Blue}) = \frac{9}{5+9+14}$$

2. I toss a coin three times. What is the probability of getting a head at most two times?

Sample space:-

$\{HHH, HHT, HTH, THH, HTT, TTH, THT, TTT\}$

Almost 2 heads implies that we have either 0 head, 1 head, 2 head

\therefore Favourable cases are:

$\{HTT, TTH, THT, HHT, HTH, THH, TTT\}$

$$\therefore P(\text{Almost 2 heads}) = \frac{7}{8}$$

3. If I roll two dice simultaneously, then what is the probability of getting the numbers such that their sum is odd?

Sample Space for two dice :

(1,1)	(1,2)	(1,3)	(1,4)	(1,5)	(1,6)
(2,1)	(2,2)	-	-	-	(2,6)
⋮	⋮	-	-	-	⋮
(6,1)	(6,2)	-	-	-	(6,6)

Now, for the sum to be odd one of the dice has an even number and the other an odd number

Case-1 : Die 1 : odd Die 2 : even

we have $3 \times 3 \rightarrow 9$ cases

Case-2 : Die 2 : odd Die : even

$3 \times 3 \rightarrow 9$ cases

$\therefore \frac{18}{36}$ is the required probability

4. Two cards are drawn randomly from a pack of 52 cards. Find the probability that both cards are aces?
- For the case where cards are drawn with replacement.
 - For the case where cards are drawn without replacement.

4 (a) With replacement :-

$$\frac{4}{52} \times \frac{4}{52} = \frac{1}{169}$$

(b) Without replacement :-

$$\frac{4C_1}{52C_1} \times \frac{3C_1}{51C_1} = \frac{4}{52} \times \frac{3}{51}$$

5. There are two events A and B. Assume $P(A) = 0.25$, $P(B) = 0.45$, and $P(A \cap B) = 0.1$.
- What is $P(A \cup B)$?
 - What is $P(A' \cap B)$?

$$P(A) = 0.25 \quad P(B) = 0.45 \quad P(A \cap B) = 0.1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a. } P(A \cup B) &= P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ &= 0.25 + 0.45 - 0.1 \\ &= 0.6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } P(A' \cap B) &= P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ &= 0.45 - 0.1 \\ &= 0.35 \end{aligned}$$

6. Consider two sets X and Y.

$$X = \{A, B, C, D, E\}$$

$$Y = \{P, Q, R, S, T, U\}$$

If you select one letter each from X and Y, then find the probability of

a. Getting an A and T.

b. Getting an A or T.

$$a. \quad \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{1}{6} \quad \left[P(A) = \frac{1}{5} \quad P(T) = \frac{1}{6} \right]$$

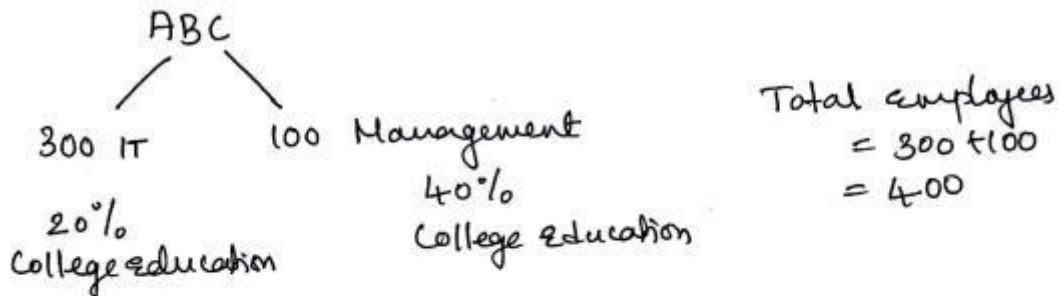
Nothing but $P(A \cap T)$

$$b. \quad P(A \cup T) = P(A) + P(T) - P(A \cap T)$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{30}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}$$

7. In ABC, there are 300 IT employees and 100 Management employees. 20% of IT employees have a college education and 40% of Management employees have college education. If one employee is randomly chosen for promotion, then find the probability that the employee is Management employee and has college education?



$$\text{Prob of randomly choosing an employee} = \frac{1}{400}$$

$$P \{ \text{Management employee} \} = \frac{100}{400} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P \{ \text{College education} / \text{Management} \} = 0.4$$

\therefore our probability of interest is

$$\frac{1}{400} \times \frac{1}{4} \times 0.4$$