

1. Number of potential outcomes (order of questions matters):

$$15^8$$

Number of outcomes where no student will have to answer more than one question:

$$15!$$

Probability:

$$\frac{15!/7!}{15^8} = 0.1012369$$

2. First, find the probability of any particular generated number meeting the criteria.  
Number of possible integers:

$$10^5$$

even integers that start with 2 odd digits where all digits are unique:

Case 0: 0 digits between the two odds and the last even:

$$5 * 4 * 5 = 100$$

Case 1: 1 digit between the two odds and the last even:

$$5 * 4 * 5 * 7 = 700$$

Case 2: 2 digits between the two odds and the last even:

$$5 * 4 * 5 * 7 * 6 = 4200$$

Adding these cases:

$$100 + 700 + 4200 = 5000$$

Probability for particular trial:

$$\frac{5000}{10^5} = 1/20$$

Number of cases in which we get at exactly 5 of these successes in 8 trials:

$$\binom{8}{5} = 56$$

Probability of each of these cases:

$$\left(\frac{1}{20}\right)^5 \left(\frac{19}{20}\right)^3$$

Total probability:

$$56 \left(\frac{1}{20}\right)^5 \left(\frac{19}{20}\right)^3 = 0.0000150040625$$

3. No, because given A, the values of the three dice are constrained to a smaller range.  
This increases the likelihood of them all being the same.

4. Total number of possible dealings (order matters):  $52!/47!$   
 Number of flushes of a particular suit:  $13 * 12 * 11 * 10 * 9 = 13!/8!$   
 Number of flushes of any suit:  $4(13!/8!)$   
 Probability of a flush:

$$\frac{4(13!/8!)}{52!/47!} = 0.001980792$$

Let  $X$  = number of hands of poker he has to play to get a flush.  $X \sim \text{Binomial}(0.001980792)$   
 The expected number is:

$$\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{0.001980792} = 504.8484$$

5. Let  $E$  = "they won 4 of 5 games",  $F$  = "the superstar played"

$$P(E|F) = \binom{5}{4}(0.7)^4(0.3)^1 = 0.36015$$

$$P(E|F^c) = \binom{5}{4}(0.5)^4(0.5)^1 = 0.15625$$

$$P(E) = P(E|F)P(F) + P(E|F^c)P(F^c) = 0.36015(0.75) + 0.15625(0.25) = 0.309175$$

Using Bayes' Theorem

$$P(F|E) = \frac{P(E|F)P(F)}{P(E)} = \frac{(0.36015)(0.75)}{0.309175} = 0.873655$$