

Repeated Experiments

Replacement

Composite experiments

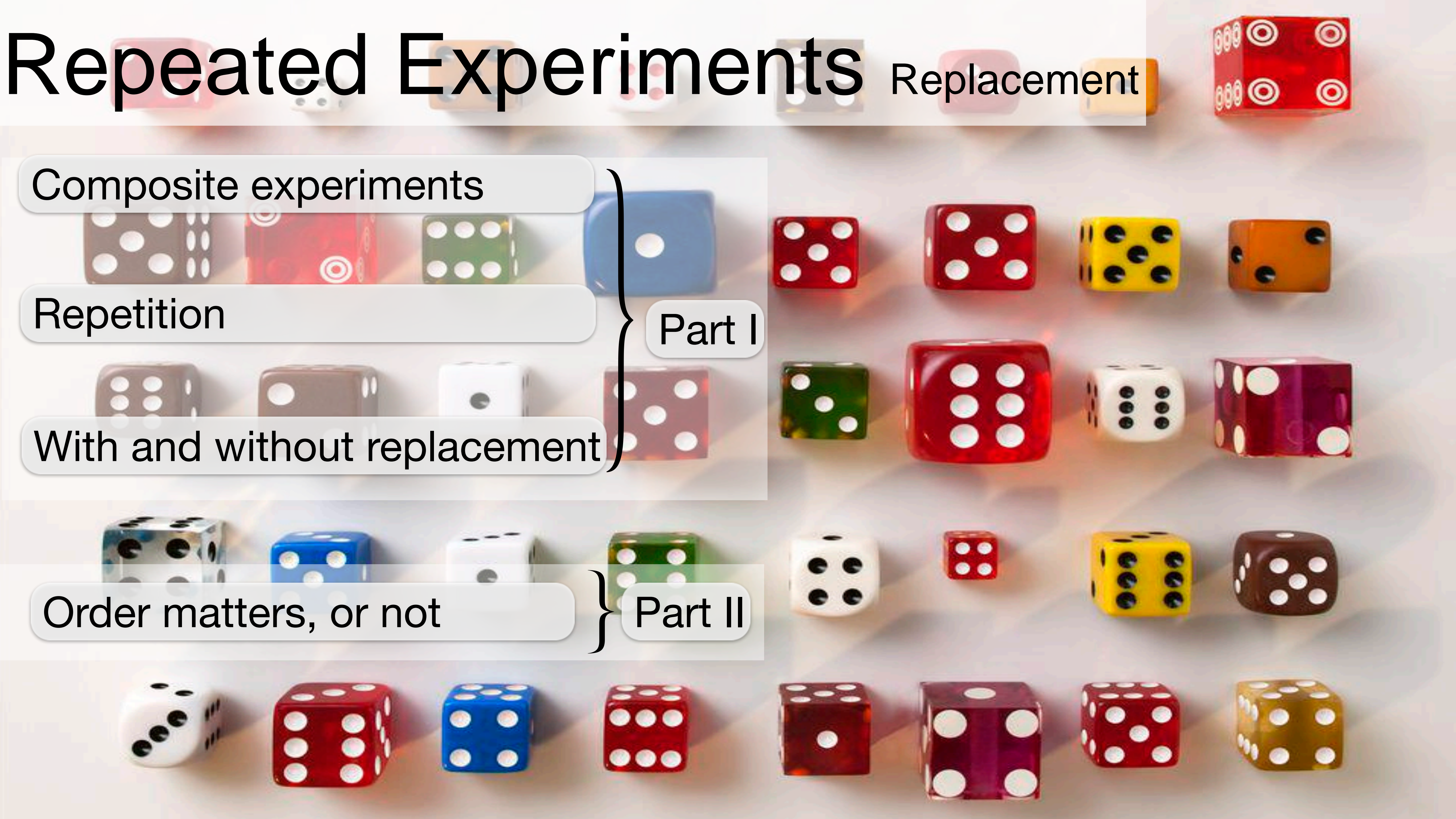
Repetition

With and without replacement

Part I

Order matters, or not

Part II



Composite Experiments

Experiments often consist of several parts

Student

major

year

GPA

Ad

product

audience

cost

Still can be viewed as a single experiment

Outcomes more complex

3-tuple

(CS, senior, 3.8)

(book, teenage, \$9.99)

Sample space

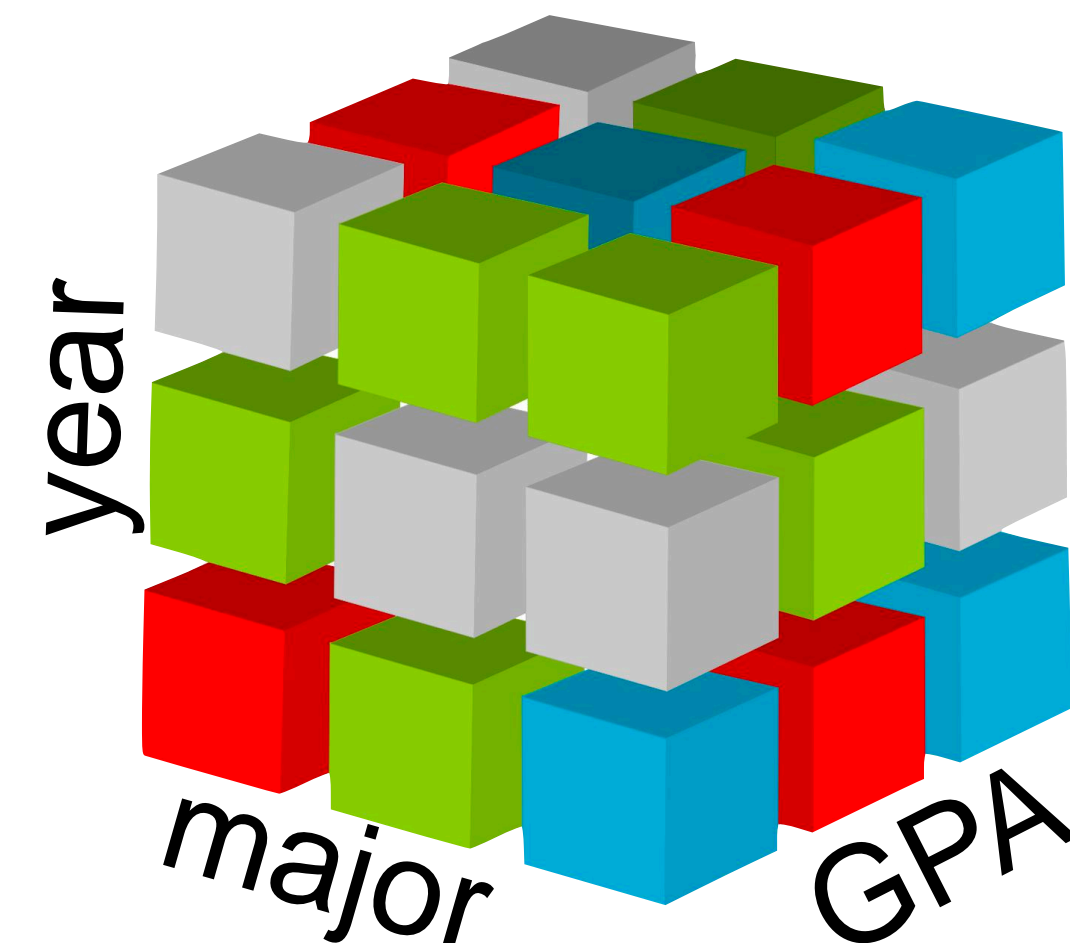
Cartesian product

Goal

Understand simple

Analyze complex

Start



Independent Repetitions

Repetition

All experiments of same type

Daily temperatures

Daily stock prices



Coin flips



Die rolls

Card draws

Independent

Different components unrelated

First coin heads

Second coin 50% heads / tails



Second coin more likely heads



Two Coins

Fair

Independent flips

Outcomes

Probabilities

		coin 2	
		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
coin 1	$\frac{1}{2}$	h	t
	$\frac{1}{2}$	t	t

$$\Omega = \{ hh, ht, th, tt \} = \{h,t\}^2$$

Cartesian power

$$|\Omega| = 2^2 = 4$$

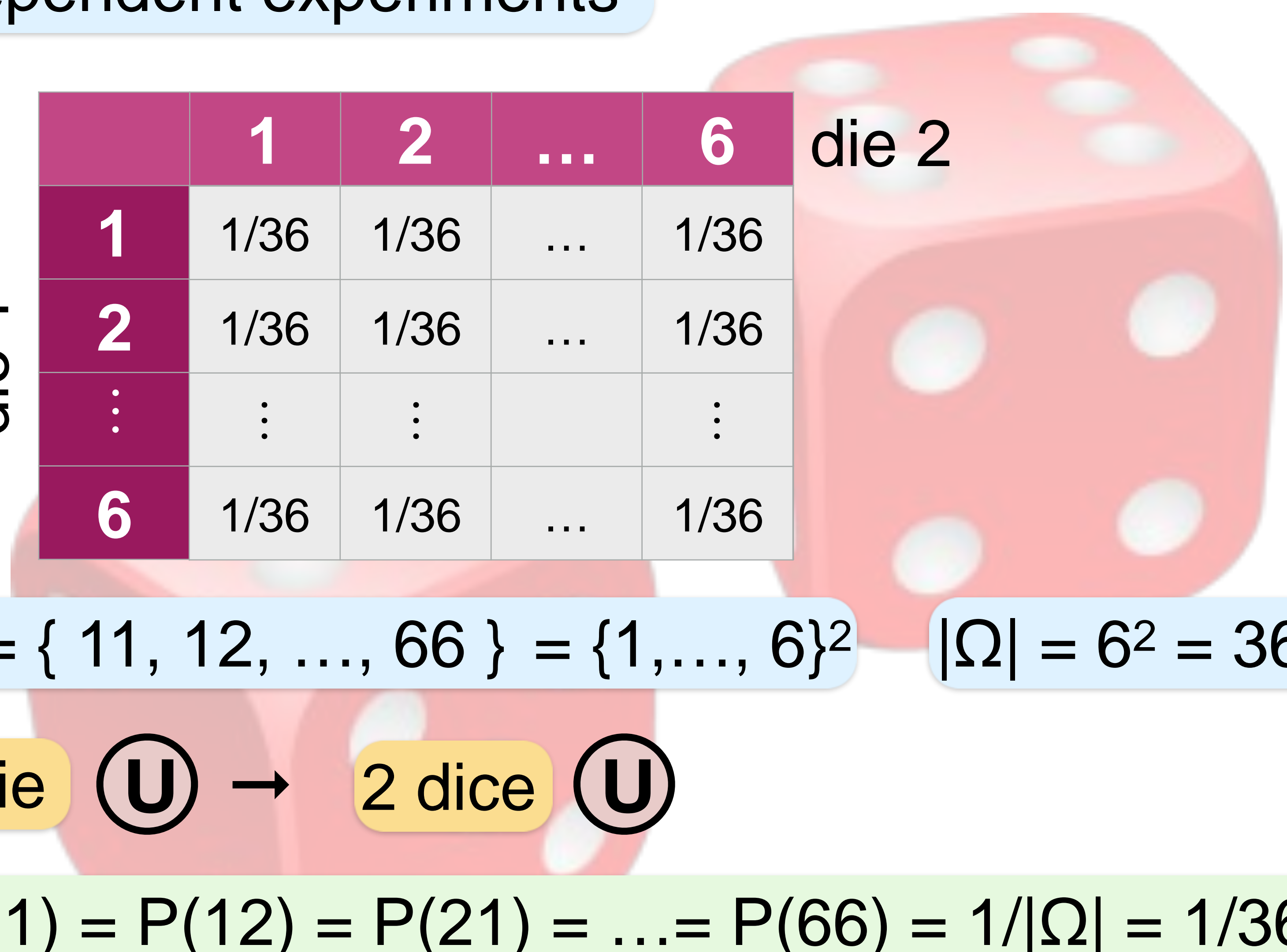
1 coin $\bigcirc \mathbf{U}$ \rightarrow 2 coins $\bigcirc \mathbf{U}$

$$P(hh) = P(ht) = P(th) = P(tt) = 1/|\Omega| = 1/4$$

Two Dice

Fair

Independent experiments



	1	2	...	6	die 2
1	1/36	1/36	...	1/36	
2	1/36	1/36	...	1/36	
⋮	⋮	⋮		⋮	
6	1/36	1/36	...	1/36	

die 1

$$\Omega = \{ 11, 12, \dots, 66 \} = \{1, \dots, 6\}^2$$

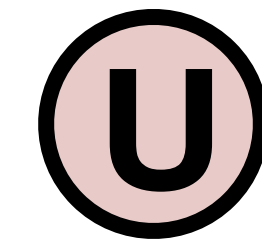
$$|\Omega| = 6^2 = 36$$

1 die \textcircled{U} \rightarrow 2 dice \textcircled{U}

$$P(11) = P(12) = P(21) = \dots = P(66) = 1/|\Omega| = 1/36$$

Events

$$P(E) = P(X \in E) = \sum_{x \in E} P(x)$$



$$\rightarrow P(E) = |E| / |\Omega|$$

2 coins



$$|\Omega| = 2^2 = 4$$

$$\textcircled{U} \quad P(\text{Different outcomes}) = P(\{ht, th\}) = 2 / |\Omega| = 2/4 = 1/2$$

$$P(\text{At least one h}) = P(\{ht, th, hh\}) = 3 / |\Omega| = 3/4$$

3 coins



$$|\Omega| = 2^3 = 8$$

$$\textcircled{U} \quad P(\text{Alternating}) = P(\{hth, tht\}) = 2 / 8 = 1/4$$

$$P(\text{odd \# h's}) = P(\{htt, tht, tth, hhh\}) = 4 / 8 = 1/2$$

Sampling

Many sources of randomness

Coin

Die

...

Often sample (select) physical objects

Patients in a study

Customers at a restaurant

Products for quality control

Visitors to web pages

Cards from a deck

Balls from an urn

Two sampling types

With

Without

Replacement

Replacement

Sequentially select physical objects

With replacement

Replace (reuse) selected element

Outcomes **can** repeat

Experiments often **independent**

Like
coins
dice

Without replacement

Do not replace (reuse) selected element

Outcomes **cannot** repeat

Experiments **dependent**

Difference largest
for small Ω

With / Without Differences

Sampling (selection)

with

without

replacement

repeat as if from scratch

repeat with smaller set

Same element

can

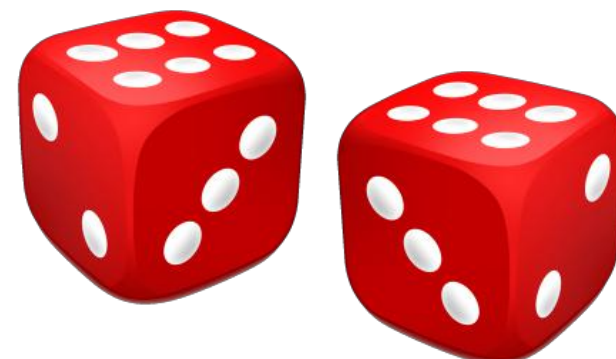
cannot

be selected again



coin

cards



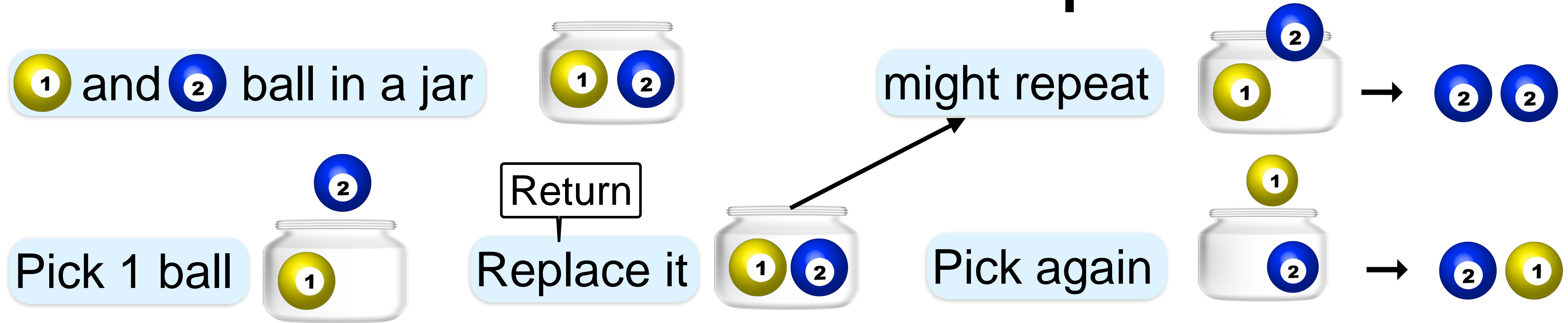
die

people



Examples

Balls in a Jar... **with** Replacement



Selection **with** replacement

Second selection - from **original** set

Probabilities

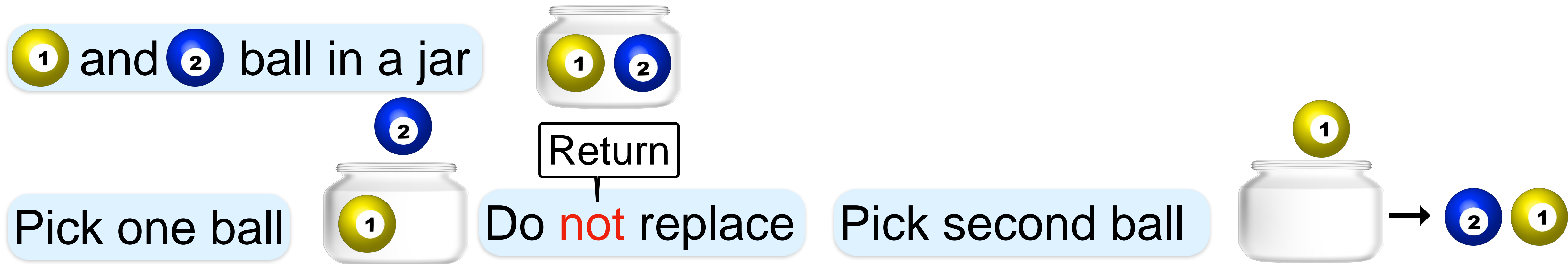
		2nd ball	
		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
1st ball	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$

$$\Omega = \{ \text{① ①}, \text{① ②}, \text{② ①}, \text{② ②} \}$$

$$|\Omega| = 4$$

$$\bigcup P(\text{① ①}) = \dots = P(\text{② ②}) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Balls in a Jar... without Replacement



Selection **without** replacement

Second selection - from a **subset**

Probabilities

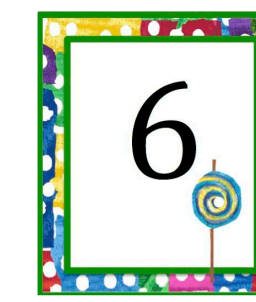
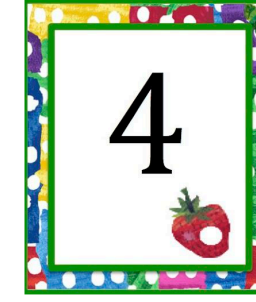
		2nd ball	
		①	②
1st ball	1/2 ①	0	1/2
	1/2 ②	1/2	0

$$\Omega = \{ \text{① ②}, \text{② ①} \} \quad |\Omega| = 2$$

U $P(\text{① ②}) = P(\text{② ①}) = 1/2$

Drawing Cards

Six cards



2-permutations
of $\{1, \dots, 6\}$

Draw one

Without replacement, draw a second

Outcomes

$$\Omega = \{12, \dots, 16, 21, \dots, 26, \dots, 65\} = (6)^2 \quad |\Omega| = 6^2 = 6 \cdot 5 = 30$$

Probabilities

$i=j$

Cannot happen

$i \neq j$

$$P(i, j) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{30}$$

$$P(i, j) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} = \frac{1}{30}$$



card 1

	1	2	...	6
1	0	1/30	...	1/30
2	1/30	0		1/30
\vdots	\vdots			
6	1/30	1/30	...	0

card 2

Replacement Summary

2 selections

	Original	With replacement	Without replacement
Description		Outcomes can repeat	Outcomes cannot repeat
Sample space	Ω	$\{ (x,y) : x,y \in \Omega \} = \Omega^2$	$\{ (x,y) : x,y \in \Omega, x \neq y \} = \Omega^{\underline{2}}$
Sample space	$ \Omega $	$ \Omega ^2$	$ \Omega ^{\underline{2}} = \Omega \cdot (\Omega - 1)$

Probabilities

Uniformity	Uniform	Uniform	Uniform
P (element)	$1 / \Omega $	$1 / \Omega ^2$	$1 / [\Omega \cdot (\Omega - 1)]$

Repeated Experiments

Replacement

Compound experiments

Repetition

Uniform \rightarrow Uniform

Part I

With replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega|^2$$

Without replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega| \cdot (|\Omega|-1)$$

Order matters, or not

Part II

Repeated Experiments - Order Matters

Compound experiments

Repetition

Uniform \rightarrow Uniform

Part I

With replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega_1|^2$$

Without replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega_1| \cdot (|\Omega_1| - 1)$$

Order matters, or not

Part II

Order Does Not Matter

So far

order **matters**

Card 5 → 3

Stock

10 →

50

50 →

10

Sometimes

does not matter

Elections

Dem

Rep

When order does **not** matter

Shopping

Tuple of outcomes →

Set of outcomes

(2,5) (5,2) → {2,5}

Event { (2,5), (5,2) }

(4,4) → {4,4}



Order matters



Order doesn't matter

With & w/o
replacement



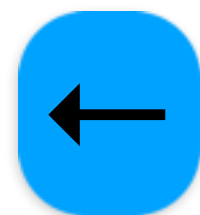
With Replacement

2 cards $\in \{1, \dots, 6\}$ with replacement

Equivalently, 2 dice

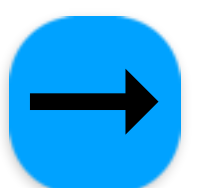


Order



Matters

$$P(1,1) = P(1,2) = \dots = P(6,5) = P(6,6) = 1/36$$



Doesn't
matter

$$P(\{1,2\}) = P(\{(1,2), (2,1)\}) = P(1,2) + P(2,1) = 2/36$$

$$P(\{1,1\}) = P(1,1) = 1/36$$

Not
Uniform!

Sanity
Check

$$\sum \text{Probabilities} = 1$$

$$\binom{6}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{36} + \binom{6}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{36} = \frac{5}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

	1	2	...	6
1	1/36	1/36	...	1/36
2	1/36	1/36	...	1/36
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots		\vdots
6	1/36	1/36	...	1/36

Order matters

Without Replacement

2 cards $\in \{1, \dots, 6\}$ without replacement

Order \leftarrow Matters $i \neq j$ $P(i, j) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{5} = \frac{1}{30}$

	1	2	...	6
1		1/30	1/30	1/30
2	1/30		1/30	1/30
\vdots	1/30	1/30		1/30
6	1/30	1/30	1/30	

\rightarrow Doesn't matter $P(\{1, 2\}) = P(\{(1, 2), (2, 1)\}) = P(1, 2) + P(2, 1) = \frac{2}{30}$

$\{1, 1\}$ cannot happen

Uniform!

Sanity
Check

Probabilities sum to 1

$$\binom{6}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{30} = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

Alternative Calculation

2 cards $\in \{1, \dots, 6\}$ sequentially without replacement

$$P(\{1,2\}) = P(1,2) + P(2,1) = 2/30$$

Alternatively Select both cards **simultaneously**

$$\Omega = \{ \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \dots, \{5,6\} \} = \binom{[6]}{2}$$

$$|\Omega| = \binom{6}{2} = 15 \quad \text{U}$$

$$P(\{1,2\}) = 1/15 \quad \checkmark$$

Sequential
Simultaneous
Same

	1	2	...	6
1		1/30	1/30	1/30
2	1/30		1/30	1/30
\vdots	1/30	1/30		1/30
6	1/30	1/30	1/30	

Poker Hand Probabilities

Deck 52 cards

Hand 5 cards

$\Omega = \{ \text{possible hands} \} = \{ \text{A♥, K♥, Q♥, J♥, 10♥}, \text{A♥, K♥, Q♥, J♥, 10♥}, \text{A♥, K♥, Q♥, J♥, 10♥}, \dots \}$

$$|\Omega| = \binom{52}{5} = \frac{52!}{5! \cdot 47!} = \frac{52 \cdot 51 \cdot \cancel{50} \cdot 49 \cdot \cancel{48}}{\cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot 2 \cdot 1} \approx 50 \cdot 50 \cdot 10 \cdot 100 = 2.5 \text{ M}$$
$$|\Omega| = \binom{52}{5} = \frac{52!}{5! \cdot 47!} = \frac{52 \cdot 51 \cdot \cancel{50} \cdot 49 \cdot \cancel{48}}{\cancel{5} \cdot \cancel{4} \cdot \cancel{3} \cdot 2 \cdot 1} = 2,598,960 \approx 2.6 \text{ million}$$

All hands equally likely

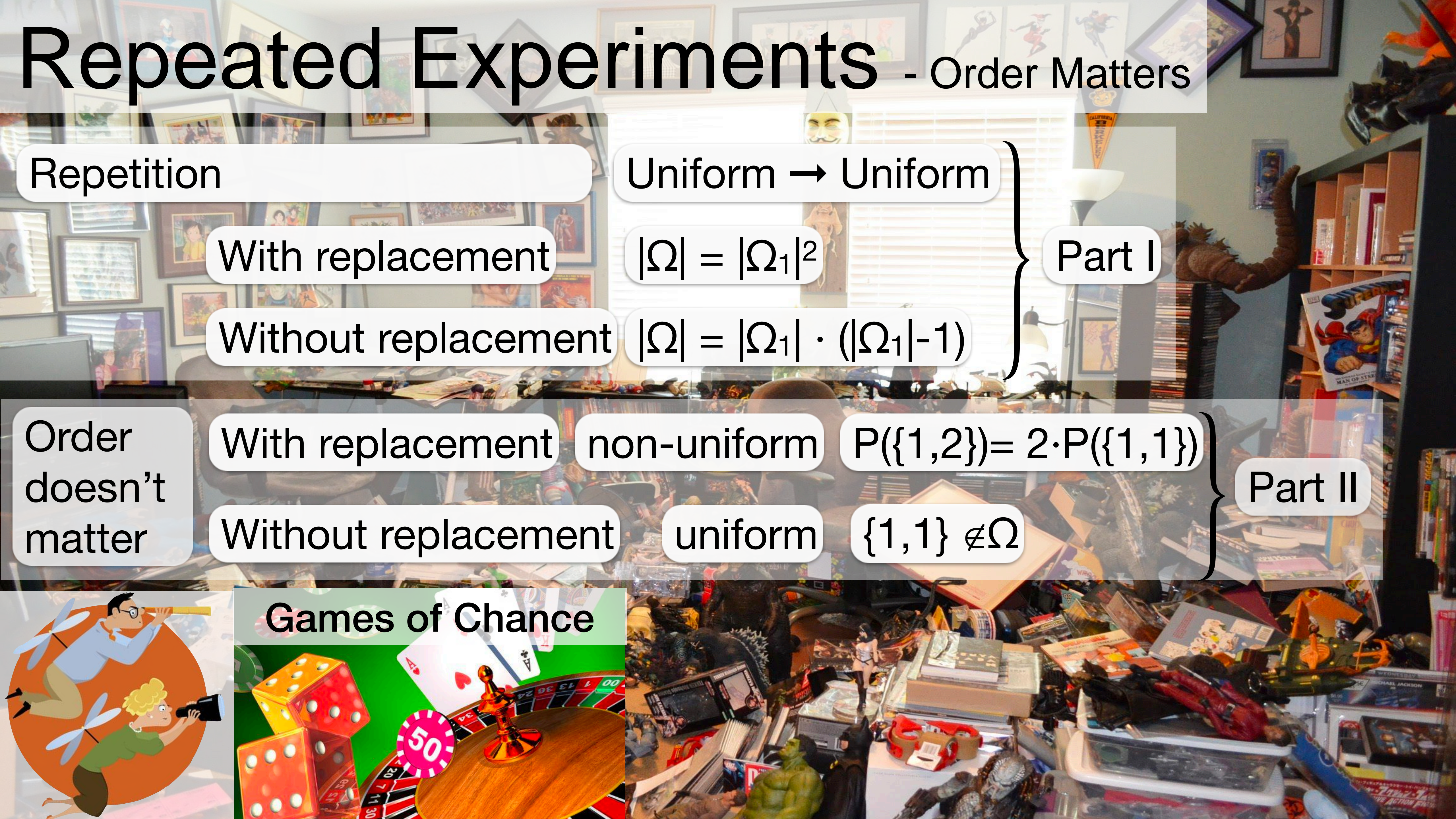
Equiprobable

$P(\text{A♥, K♥, Q♥, J♥, 10♥}) \approx 1 / 2.6 \text{ million}$

or any other hand

More to come





Repeated Experiments - Order Matters

Repetition

Uniform \rightarrow Uniform

With replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega_1|^2$$

Without replacement

$$|\Omega| = |\Omega_1| \cdot (|\Omega_1|-1)$$

Part I

Order
doesn't
matter

With replacement

non-uniform

$$P(\{1,2\}) = 2 \cdot P(\{1,1\})$$

Without replacement

uniform

$$\{1,1\} \notin \Omega$$

Part II



Games of Chance

