

Probability

1.

$$\binom{15}{8} = \frac{15!}{8!(15-8)!} = \frac{259459200}{15^8} \rightarrow \frac{259459200}{15^8} = 0.101237$$

2.

* on another paper *

3. $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$, then A & B are indep.

$$P(\text{at least 2 dice show 4 or above}) = P(A)$$

$$P(A) = P(X=2) + P(X=3) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(\text{all 3 dice show the same value}) = \frac{6}{6^3} = \frac{1}{36}$$

$$P(A) \cdot P(B) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{36} = \frac{1}{72}$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{6^3} + \frac{1}{6^3} + \frac{1}{6^3} = \frac{1}{72}$$

$$P(A) \cdot P(B) = P(A \cap B)$$

$$\frac{1}{72} = \frac{1}{72} \quad \checkmark \text{ independent}$$

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2.

$$100 - 1000 : 100$$

$$1000 - 10000 = 700$$

$$10000 - 99999 = 4200$$

} 5000

$$P = \frac{5000}{10^5} = 0.05$$

$$P(5) = 8(0.05)^5(1-0.05)^3$$
$$= 1.5064 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$4. \quad P(\text{flush on 5 card hand}) = \frac{\binom{13}{5} \cdot 4}{\binom{52}{5}} = 0.001980792$$

Find expected num of hands to play to get a flush. Let's call this X

$X \sim \text{Geometric}(p)$

$$p = 0.001980792$$

$$\frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{0.001980792} = E[X] \sim 504.85$$

5. Win = W

super star plays = S = .75

no super star plays = S^c = 0.25

$$P(W|S) = .7$$

$$P(W|S^c) = .5$$

P(S) = 0.75 → for next 5 games

$$P(W^{4/5} | S) = \binom{5}{4} \cdot (.7)^4 \cdot (.3) = 0.36015$$

$$P(W^{4/5} | S^c) = \binom{5}{4} \cdot (.5)^4 = 0.15625$$

$$P(S | W^{4/5}) = ?$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(W^{4/5}) &= P(W^{4/5} | S) \cdot P(S) + P(W^{4/5} | S^c) \cdot P(S^c) \\ &= 0.36015 (.75) + 0.15625 (.25) \\ &= 0.309175 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(S | W^{4/5}) &= \frac{P(W^{4/5} | S) \cdot P(S)}{P(W^{4/5})} = \frac{0.36015 (.75)}{0.309175} \\ &= 0.8737 \end{aligned}$$