

Nikita has three coins. One coin is fair, one coin is biased so that the probability of obtaining a head is $\frac{1}{3}$ and the third coin is biased so that the probability of obtaining a head is $\frac{1}{5}$. The random variable X is the number of heads that Nikita obtains when he throws all three coins at the same time.

- (a)** Find the probability generating function of X . [3]

Rajesh has two fair six-sided dice with faces labelled 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. The random variable Y is the number of 4s that Rajesh obtains when he throws the two dice.

The random variable Z is the sum of the number of heads obtained by Nikita and the number of 4s obtained by Rajesh.

- (b)** Find the probability generating function of Z , expressing your answer as a polynomial. [4]

- (c)** Use your answer to part **(b)** to find $E(Z)$. [2]