MS115 Mathematics for Enterprise Computing Tutorial Sheet 9

- 1. Consider the ten letters in the word "ENTERPRISE".
 - (i) Per class, add subscripts to these letters where necessary to produce a string of ten distinct letters.
 - (ii) Per class, strings that coincide upon the removal of subscripts are equivalent. List all the elements in an equivalence class of your choice.
 - (iii) Determine the number of elements in each equivalence class.
 - (iv) Determine the number of ways of ordering the letters in the word "ENTERPRISE".
- 2. Determine the number of ways of ordering the fifteen letters in the string "SUPPLYANDDEMAND".
- 3. Twelve students are to be divided into three groups A, B, C of equal size. Determine the total number of possible outcomes of this process.
- 4. An experiment consists of randomly choosing a lowercase letter from the English alphabet.
 - (i) List the outcomes that make up the sample space Ω .
 - (ii) List the outcomes that make up the event E that the randomly-chosen letter is a vowel.
 - (iii) Determine p(E), the probability of E.
 - (iv) Determine $p(\overline{E})$, the probability of \overline{E} .
- 5. A pair of dice is thrown and the sum of their values is recorded.
 - (i) List the outcomes in the sample space Ω .
 - (ii) List the outcomes that make up the following events:

A is the event that the sum is greater than 7,

- B is the event that the sum is an odd number.
- (iii) List the elements of the following events: \overline{A} , $A \cap B$, $A \cup B$.
- (iv) Give the probabilities of all the outcomes in the sample space Ω .
- (v) Determine p(A), p(B) and $p(A \cap B)$.