

Probability Problems

$$\textcircled{1} \frac{15}{15} \times \frac{14}{15} \times \frac{13}{15} \times \frac{12}{15} \times \frac{11}{15} \times \frac{10}{15} \times \frac{9}{15} \times \frac{8}{15} = .101 \quad \boxed{10.1\%}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ from } 100 - 999 : 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 = 100$$

$$\text{from } 1000 - 9999 : 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 4 = 700$$

$$\text{from } 10,000 - 99,999 : 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 6 \cdot 7 \cdot 4 = 4200$$

$$\frac{100 + 700 + 4200}{100,000} = .05$$

$$\frac{8!}{5!3!} \cdot (.05)^5 (1 - .05)^3 = \boxed{1.5 \times 10^{-5}}$$

$\textcircled{3}$ A and B are not independent since B's event being true depends on A's value (4, 5, or 6).

$$\textcircled{4} \text{ flush probability: } 4 \times \frac{13!}{5!8!} \times \frac{52!}{6!47!} = .00198$$
$$E[X] = \frac{1}{p} = \frac{1}{.00198} = \boxed{505.05}$$

$$\textcircled{5} P(\text{win} | \text{plays}) = .7 \quad P(\text{wins} | \text{no play}) = .5$$
$$P(\text{plays}) = .75$$

$$P(\text{win } 4/5 | \text{plays}) = \frac{5!}{4!1!} \cdot .7^4 \cdot .3 = .36$$

$$P(\text{wins } 4/5 | \text{no play}) = \frac{5!}{4!1!} \cdot .5^4 \cdot .5 = .16$$

$$P(\text{wins } 4/5) = .16 \cdot .25 + .36 \cdot .75 = .31$$

$$P(\text{plays} | \text{win } 4/5) = \frac{.36 \cdot .75}{.31} = .87 \quad \boxed{87\%}$$