

**Exercise-1**

Marked Questions may have for Revision Questions.

**OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS**

**Section (A) : Classical definition of probability**

**A-1.**

**Sol.** Max sum = 12

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 6 + 6 = 12 \\ 6 + 5 = 11 \\ 6 + 4 = 10 \\ 5 + 5 = 10 \end{array} \right\} \text{6 cases}$$

$$P = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

**A-2.**

**Sol.** Total number of multiple of 5=24. Total number of multiple of 15 = 8 i.e.,  $n(A) = 24$ ,  $n(B) = 8$  and  $n(A \cap B) = 8$   
 $\therefore n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$   
 $= 24 + 8 - 8 = 24$   
 $n(S) = 120$ ,  
 $\therefore$  Required probability =  $\frac{24}{120} = \frac{1}{5}$

**A-3.**

**Sol.**  $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$   $P(B) = \frac{1}{4}$  and  $P(C) = \frac{1}{5}$   
 Required probability  
 $= P(\overline{A}\overline{B}\overline{C}) \text{ or } \overline{A}\overline{B}\overline{C} \text{ or } \overline{A}\overline{B}\overline{C}$   
 $= P(\overline{A}) \cdot P(\overline{B}) \cdot P(\overline{C}) + P(\overline{A}) P(B) P(\overline{C}) + P(\overline{A}) P(\overline{B}) P(C)$   
 $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{4}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{4}{5} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{5} = \frac{12+8+6}{60} = \frac{13}{30}$

**A-4.**

**Sol.** Total ways =  $14-1! = 13!$   
 favorable ways =  $7! \cdot 6!$

**A-5.**

**Sol.**  $1(S) + 1(D)$  or  $1(D) + 1(S)$   
 $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

**A-6.**

**Sol.**  ${}^4C_1 \times {}^{13}C_9 \times {}^{39}C_4 = \text{Formula card}$   
 Suit any 9 cards any 4 cards from 39 cards  
 ${}^{52}C_{13} = \text{total case}$

**A-7. Sol.** 1<sup>st</sup> coupon can be selected in 9 ways

2<sup>nd</sup> coupon can be selected in 9 ways

3<sup>rd</sup> coupon can be selected in 9 ways

9<sub>7</sub> ways – when 9 is not take

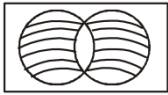
$$= 9_7 - 8_7$$

$$\text{Total} = 15_7.$$

$$\frac{\frac{2n-2!}{n-1!n-1!2!} \times 2!}{\frac{2n!}{n!n!2!}} = P$$

**A-8. Sol.**

**A-9. Sol.**



$$P = P(M \cup N) - P(M \cap N)$$

$$= P(M) + P(N) - 2P(M \cap N)$$

$$(c) P(\bar{M} \cup \bar{N}) - P(\bar{M} \cap \bar{N})$$



**A-10. Sol.** Favourable case =  $(12-1)! \times 2!$

Total  $(13-1)!$

$$p = \frac{11! \times 2!}{12!} = \frac{2}{12} = \frac{1}{6}$$

**A-11. Sol.** Favourable no. of ways = 12

total no. of ways = 220

$$p = \frac{12}{220} = \frac{3}{55}$$

**A-12. Sol.** Let A : card is spade

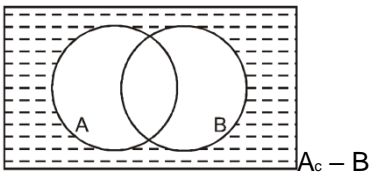
B : card is an ace.

$$P(A) = \frac{13}{52}$$

$$P(B) = \frac{4}{52}$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{52}$$

**A-13. Sol.**



**A-14. Sol.**  $p(A) = \frac{3}{6}$ ,  $p(B) = \frac{2}{6}$   
 $A \equiv \{1, 3, 5\}$   $B \equiv \{3, 6\}$

$B \not\subset A$ .  
 $B - A = \{6\}$  as follows

**A-15. Sol.**  $p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + p_4 = 1$  in D obvious solution follows

**A-16. Sol.**  ${}_2C_2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 = \frac{1}{4}$

**A-17. Sol.**  $P(A \cup B) = \frac{3}{4}$ ,  $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $P(A) = \frac{1}{3}$   
 $P(A \cap B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cup B)$   
 $\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{3} + P(B) - \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{2}{3}$   
 $P(A \cap B) = P(B) - P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{5}{12}$

### Section (B) : Addition theorem

**B-1. Sol.**  $P(\text{atleast one } W) = P(1W, 1M) + P(2W, 0M)$   
 $= \frac{5 \times 8}{{}^{13}C_2} + \frac{{}^5C_2}{{}^{13}C_2}$

**B-2. Sol.**  $P(A) = \frac{3}{11}$   
 $P(B) = \frac{2}{7}$   
 $P(C) = P$   
 Now  $P(A) + P(B) + P(C) = 1$   
 $\frac{3}{11} + \frac{2}{7} + P = 1 \Rightarrow P = 1 - \frac{43}{77} = \frac{34}{77}$   
 odds against C = 43 : 34

**B-3. Sol.** Since,  $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq P(B) \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq P(C) \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq P(A) + P(B) + P(C) \leq 1$   
 $\therefore 0 \leq \frac{3p+1}{3} \leq 1$   
 $\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{3} \leq p \leq \frac{2}{3}$  ... (i)  
 $0 \leq \frac{1-p}{4} \leq 1$   
 $\Rightarrow -3 \leq p \leq 1$  ... (ii)  
 $0 \leq \frac{1-2p}{2} \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \leq p \leq \frac{1}{2} \quad \dots(\text{iii})$$

$$\text{and } 0 \leq \frac{3p+1}{3} + \frac{1-p}{4} + \frac{1-2p}{2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq 13 - 3p \leq 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \leq p \leq \frac{13}{3} \quad \dots(\text{iv})$$

From Eqs. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv), we get

$$\frac{1}{3} \leq p \leq \frac{1}{2}.$$

**B-4. Sol.** if events are not exclusive (and are exhaustive) then  $p(A) + P(B) + p(C) \geq 1$

### Section (C) : Conditional probability, dependent and independent events

**C-1. Sol.** Let event A : 6 comes on 1st die  
B: sum is 7

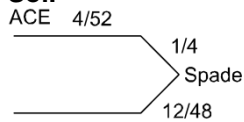
$$p(A) = \frac{1}{6}, \quad p(B) = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 6+1 \\ 5+2 \\ 4+3 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$A \cap B = \frac{1}{36}; \quad p(A \cap B) = p(A) \times p(B)$$

**C-2. Sol.** odd — 1, 3, 5.

$$p(\text{prime/ odd}) = \frac{2}{3}$$

**C-3. Sol.**



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Fav., case = 1  
Total case = 13

$$\text{Probability} = \frac{1}{13}$$

**C-4. Sol.**  $2 + 6 = 8 \quad p = \frac{1}{5}$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 + 5 &= 8 \\ 4 + 4 &= 8 \\ 5 + 3 &= 8 \\ 6 + 2 &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

**C-5. Sol.** 2W & 4B

$$P = {}^5C_4 \times \left(\frac{2}{6}\right)^4 \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^1 + {}^5C_5 \left(\frac{2}{6}\right)^5$$

**C-6. Sol.**  $1 - P(BB)$   
 $1 - 1/2 \times 1/2 = 1 - 1/4 = 3/4$

**C-7. Sol.**  $P(S_1) \cdot P(\bar{S}_2) \cdot P(\bar{S}_3) + P(\bar{S}_1) P(S_2) P(\bar{S}_3) + P(\bar{S}_1) P(\bar{S}_2) P(S_3)$   
 $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{5}{8} + \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{7} \cdot \frac{5}{8} + \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{7} \cdot \frac{3}{8} = \frac{25}{56}$

**C-8. Sol.**  $p(A/B) = \frac{p(A \cap B)}{p(B)} = \frac{0.1+0.1}{0.3} = \frac{2}{3}$ .  
 similarly evaluate others

**C-9. Sol.**  $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow P(A) \cdot P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$   
 $P(\bar{A}) = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow P(A) = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\therefore 6P(B/A) = 6P(B) = 3$

**C-11. Sol.** Use venn diagram

**C-12. Sol.** (ii)  $p\left(\frac{A \setminus B}{B}\right) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$

**C-13. Sol.** A & B are independent  
 $P(A \cup B)^c = 1 - P(A \cup B) = 1 - P(A) - P(B) + P(A \cap B)$   
 $= P(\bar{A}) - P(B) + P(A) P(B) = P(\bar{A}) - P(\bar{A})P(B)$   
 $= P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})$

**C-14. Sol.**  $P(\bar{M} \cap \bar{N}) = 1 - P(M \cup N) = 1 - P(M) - P(N) + P(M) P(N)$   
 $= (1 - P(M)) (1 - P(N)) = \bar{P(M)} \bar{P(N)}$   
 $P(M \cap N) = P(M) - P(M \cap N) = P(M) - P(M) P(N) = P(M) P(\bar{N})$   
 and  $P\left(\frac{M}{N}\right) + P\left(\frac{\bar{M}}{N}\right) = \frac{P(M \cap N)}{P(N)} + \frac{P(N) - P(M \cap N)}{P(N)} = 1$

**Section (D) : Total probability theorem, Baye's theorem**

**D-1. Sol.**  $p(\text{Ist class}) = \frac{2}{3} \times 0.28 + \frac{1}{3} \times 0.25 = 0.27$

**D-2. Sol.**  $P(E) = P(A) P(E/A) + P(B) P(E/B) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{5} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{6} = \frac{8}{15}$

**D-3. Sol.** Required probability =  $\frac{{}^5C_1}{{}^{12}C_1} \times \frac{{}^4C_1}{{}^{12}C_1} + \frac{{}^7C_1}{{}^{12}C_1} \times \frac{{}^8C_1}{{}^{12}C_1} = \frac{76}{144}$

**D-4. Sol.**  $P(R) = P(P) \cdot P\left(\frac{V.C}{P}\right) + P(Q) \cdot P\left(\frac{V.C}{Q}\right) = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{{}^2C_1 \cdot {}^3C_1}{{}^5C_2} + \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{{}^1C_1 \cdot {}^4C_1}{{}^5C_2}$   
 $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{6}{10} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{4}{10} = \frac{6+8}{30} = \frac{7}{15}$

**D-5. Sol.**  $U1 \rightarrow 1W + 1B$        $U2 \rightarrow 2W + 3B$   
 $U3 \rightarrow 3W + 5B$        $U4 \rightarrow 4W + 7B$

$$P(W) = \sum_{i=1}^4 (u_i) P(w/u_i) = \sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{i^2 + 1}{34} P(w/v_i)$$

$$= \frac{1^2 + 1}{34} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2^2 + 1}{34} \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{3^2 + 1}{34} \times \frac{3}{8} + \frac{4^2 + 1}{34} \times \frac{4}{11} = \frac{569}{1496}$$

**D-6. Sol.** Number of kings left are 3.

cards are 51  $p = \frac{3}{51} = \frac{1}{17}$

**D-7. Sol.**  $\frac{7}{12} = \frac{1}{n+1} \times 1 + \frac{n}{n+1} \times \frac{1}{2}$  solve for n of get

**D-8. Sol.** A : 1 ball is W & 3 black balls  
 $B_1$  : Urn 1 is chosen  
 $B_2$  : Urn 2 is chosen

$$P(B_1/A) = \frac{P(A/B_1)P(B_1)}{P(A/B_1)P(B_1) + P(A/B_2)P(B_2)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \left(\frac{5}{9}\right)^3 \times {}^4C_3}{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \left(\frac{5}{9}\right)^3 \times {}^4C_3 + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{9} \times \left(\frac{6}{9}\right)^3 \times {}^4C_3} = \frac{125}{287}$$

**D-9. Sol.** A = 2 nd ball in white  
 $B_1$  = 1st ball in white  
 $B_2$  = 1st is black

$$P(B_1/A) = \frac{p(A/B_1)p(B_1)}{p(A/B_1)p(B_1) + p(A/B_2)p(B_2)} = \frac{\frac{4}{7} \times \frac{3}{6}}{\frac{4}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} + \frac{3}{7} \times \frac{4}{6}}$$

### Section (E) : Probability distribution and binomial probability distribution

**E-1. Sol.**  $\frac{np}{npq} = \frac{3}{2} \Rightarrow q = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{3}$   
 $r \leq \frac{11}{1+2} \Rightarrow r \leq \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow r \leq 3.66$   
 thus 3 succes is most probable.

**E-2. Sol.**  $n = 3, p = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$

$$\text{mean} = np = 3 \times \frac{1}{3} = 1$$

$$\text{variance } \sigma_2 = npq = \sqrt{3 \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}} = 3 \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\sigma_2 = \frac{2}{3}$$

**E-3. Sol.**  ${}^3C_2 P_2 (1-P) = 12 {}^3C_3 P_3$

$$1 - P = 4P \Rightarrow \frac{1}{5} = P$$

**E-4. Sol.**  $P(\text{atleast } 4) = P(4) + P(5)$

$$= {}^5C_4 \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^1 \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^4 + {}^5C_5 \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^5$$

**E-5. Sol.**  $(P+q)^{99} r \leq \frac{99+1}{1 + \left| \frac{1/2}{1/2} \right|} \Rightarrow r \leq \frac{100}{2} \Rightarrow r \leq 50$

Terms 50 or 51 are highest

**E-6. Sol.**

$$\left[ \begin{aligned} p(x=4) &= {}^nC_4 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \\ p(x=5) &= {}^nC_5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \\ p(x=6) &= {}^nC_6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \end{aligned} \right]$$

$$2 {}^nC_5 = {}^nC_4 + {}^nC_6$$

$$4 {}^nC_5 = {}^{n+1}C_5 + {}^{n+1}C_6$$

$$4 {}^nC_5 = {}^{n+2}C_6$$

$$4 \cdot \frac{n!}{5!(n-5)!} = \frac{(n+2)!}{6!(n-4)!}$$

$$4 = \frac{(n+2)(n+1)}{6(n-4)} \Rightarrow 24(n-4) = (n+2)(n+1)$$

$$n = 7, 14$$

**E-7. Sol.** We need to calculate here

Probability that out of n bombs at least two strike > 0.99

i.e.  $1 - \text{prob (none strikes)} - \text{prob (exactly one strikes)} > 0.99$

$$\text{i.e. } 1 - {}^nC_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n - {}^nC_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} > 0.99$$

$$\text{i.e. } 0.01 \geq \frac{1+n}{2^n}$$

$$\text{i.e. } 2^n \geq 100 + 100n$$

Least values of n is 11

E-8. Sol.  ${}^5C_2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \cdot \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^3 = \frac{625}{3888}$

## Exercise-2

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### PART - I : OBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

1. Sol. Since sum of  $1+2+3+\dots+9 = \frac{9 \times 10}{2} = 45$  is divisible by 9, hence all no. will be divisible by 9.

2. Sol.  $p = \frac{4}{12} \cdot \frac{3}{11} \cdot 2$

3. Sol.  ${}^{18}C_3 = \frac{6 \cdot 7 \cdot 5}{35} = 136$

4. Sol. Favourable case :  $(3,3,3,3)$  or  $(3,3,3,5) = 1 + \frac{4!}{3!} = 5$   
total number of way  $\rightarrow 2^4$   
 $p = \frac{5}{2^4}$

5. Sol. Coefficient of  $x^8$   $(x_0 + x_1 + \dots + x_6)_4 = \left(\frac{1-x^7}{1-x}\right)^4$   
 $= (1-x^7)^4 (1-x)^{-4}$   
 $= (1-x^7)^4 (1-x)^{-4} = (1-4x^7) (1-x)^{-4}$   
Total ways  $a = {}_{4+8-1}C_8 - 4 {}_{4+1-1}C_1 = {}_{11}C_8 - 4 \times 4$   
 $= 165 - 16 = 149$   
 $p = \frac{149}{7^4}$

6. Sol.

Unit digit in number	Unit digit in number	Unit digit in product
Odd	Odd	Odd
Odd	Even	Even
Even	Odd	Even
Even	Even	Even

$p = \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow q = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{p}{q} = 3$



7. **Sol.** Required probability = 1 – both number are not divisible by 5 =  $1 - \frac{8}{10} \times \frac{8}{10} = \frac{9}{25}$
8. **Sol.**  $\frac{6}{10} \times \frac{5}{9} + \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{6}{9} = \frac{54}{90} = \frac{3}{5}$
9. **Sol.** Even integers ends in 0, 2, 4, 6, 8. Square of an even integer ends in 4 only when the integer ends either in 2 or 8.  
 $\therefore$  probability =  $\frac{2}{5}$
10. **Sol.** KRISHNAGIRI or DHARMAPURI  
 A = RI is visible  
 B<sub>1</sub> = its from KRISHNAGIRI  
 B<sub>2</sub> = its from DHARMAPURI  

$$P(B_1/A) = \frac{P(A/B_1)P(B_1)}{P(A/B_1)P(B_1) + P(A/B_2)P(B_2)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{10}}{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{10} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{9}} = \frac{9}{14}$$
11. **Sol.**  $\left(\frac{13}{52}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{13}{52}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{13}{52}\right)^2 \times \frac{6!}{2!2!2!} = P$
12. **Sol.** E<sub>1</sub> = {(2, 2), (2, 3), (2, 5), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 5), (5, 2), (5, 3), (5, 5)}  
 E<sub>2</sub> = {(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4), (5, 5), (6, 6)}  
 E<sub>3</sub> = {(2, 6), (3, 5), (4, 4), (5, 3), (6, 2)}  
 clearly (1), (2) and (3) are correct.
13. **Sol.** P(T 1) = p  
 P(T 2) = q  
 P(T 3) = 1/2  
 $\frac{1}{2} = P(T 1, T 2) + P(T 1, T 3) + P(T 1 T 2 T 3)$   
 $\frac{1}{2} = pq \cdot \frac{1}{2} + p(1 - q) \cdot \frac{1}{2} + pq \cdot \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{pq}{2} + \frac{p}{2} \Rightarrow 1 = pq + p.$   
 Now, check options
14. **Sol.** A = {1,3,5}  
 B = {2,4,6}  
 C = {4,5,6}  
 D = {1,2}
15. **Sol.** 10 coins 1 9 5 paisa 10 coins 5 paisa  
 1 Rs.  

$$p = p(1 \text{ Rs. transfered} + \text{Back transfered}) + p(1 \text{ Rs. not transfered}) = \frac{{}^9C_8}{{}^{10}C_9} \times \frac{{}^{18}C_8}{{}^{19}C_9} + \frac{{}^9C_9}{{}^{10}C_9} = \frac{10}{19}$$

$$\frac{{}^9C_8 \times {}^1C_1}{{}^{10}C_9}$$

method 2 when 1 Rs coin is in second purse and did not came back in first purse this prob. =

$$\times \frac{{}^{18}C_9}{{}^{19}C_9} = \frac{9}{19} \Rightarrow \text{Required probability} = 1 - \frac{9}{19} = \frac{10}{19}$$

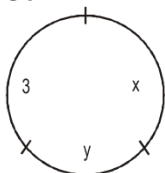
16. **Sol.**  $p(A) = \frac{13}{52} + \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^3 \left(\frac{13}{52}\right) + \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^6 \left(\frac{13}{52}\right) + \dots$   
 $p(B) = \left(\frac{39}{52}\right) \frac{13}{52} + \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^4 \frac{13}{52} + \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^7 \left(\frac{13}{52}\right) + \dots$   
 $p(C) = \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^2 \left(\frac{13}{52}\right) + \left(\frac{39}{52}\right)^5 \left(\frac{13}{52}\right) + \dots$

17. **Sol.** Required probability =  $p = {}_2C_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\therefore 6p = 3$

18. **Sol.** Since line are more  ${}_NC_M$  are those lines where telegrams will go  
 ${}_NC_M \times M! = \text{favourable case}$   
 Total =  $N_M$  [As first telegram can go in any ore of n lies]  
 [As 2nd telegram can go in any ore of n lies]  

$$P = \frac{{}_NC_M M!}{N^M}$$

19. **Sol.**



$$x + y + z = 8 \quad x, y, z > 0$$

$$x' + y' + z' = 5$$

$$\frac{{}^{5+3-1}C_3 - 1 \times {}^{11}C_1}{3}$$

$$\text{Total} = {}^{11}C_3$$

20. **Sol.**  $\frac{2}{5} = (1-P)P + (1-P)^3P + (1-P)^5P + \dots$   
 $\frac{2}{5} = P(1-P)\{1 + (1-P)^2 + (1-P)^4 + \dots\}$   
 $\frac{2}{5} = P(1-P) \left[ \frac{1}{1-(1-P)^2} \right]$

$$\frac{2}{5} = P(1 - P) \left[ \frac{1}{P(2 - P)} \right]$$

$$3P = 1 \Rightarrow P = 1/3$$

21. **Sol.**  $625p^2 - 175p + 12 < 0$  gives  $p \in \left( \frac{3}{25}, \frac{4}{25} \right)$

$$\left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^{n-1} \cdot \frac{1}{5} = p$$

$$\therefore \frac{3}{25} < \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^{n-1} \cdot \frac{1}{5} < \frac{4}{25}$$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{3}{5} < \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^{n-1} < \frac{4}{5}$$

value of n is 3

22. **Sol.**  $1 - \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)^0 \cdot \left( \frac{2}{5} \right)^3 = \frac{117}{125}$

**PART - II : MISCELLANEOUS QUESTIONS**

**A-1. Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** Statement - 2 : True (By definition)

Statement - 1 : False because the sample points are not equally likely.

**A-2. Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** Statement-2  $P(A/B) = P(A) \Leftrightarrow P(A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \Leftrightarrow P(A) P(B) = P(A \cap B)$

A and B are mutually exclusive  $\Rightarrow P(A \cap B) = 0$

$\Rightarrow P(B) P(A/B) = 0 \Rightarrow P(A/B) = 0 \Rightarrow P(A/B) \neq P(A)$

$\therefore$  statement-2 is true

Statement-1 Suppose A and B are mutually exclusive, then by statement-2  $P(A/B) \neq P(A)$  which is a contradiction.

$\therefore$  statement-1 is true.

**A-3. Ans. (1)**

**Sol. (2)**

(2) We must have

$$0 \leq \frac{1+4P}{4} \leq 1, 0 \leq \frac{1-P}{4} \leq 1 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq \frac{1-2P}{4} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{4} \leq P \leq \frac{3}{4}, -3 \leq P \leq 1, -\frac{3}{2} \leq P \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

Again the events are pair-wise mutually exclusive so

$$0 \leq \frac{1+4P}{4} + \frac{1-P}{4} + \frac{1-2P}{4} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 \leq P \leq 1$$

Taking intersection of all four intervals of 'P'

$$\text{We get } -\frac{1}{4} \leq P \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

**A-4. Ans. (1)**

**Sol.**  $ax + by = 0 \quad a, b, c, d \in \{0, 1\}$

$cx + dy = 0$

system has unique solution if and only if  $ad - bc \neq 0$

For which  $a = d = 1$  and  $bc = 0 \Rightarrow 3$  combination

Similarly if  $bc = 1, ad = 0 \Rightarrow 3$  combination

Total choice for a, b, c, d is  $2^4$

Hence probability of unique solution is  $\frac{6}{16} = \frac{3}{8}$

Statement-2 is also true since (0, 0) is a solution

**Aliter :**  $ad - bc \neq 0$

If (i)  $ad = 1, bc = 0$

(ii)  $ad = 0, bc = 1$

$$P(ad = 1) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(bc = 0) = 1 - P(bc = 1) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore P(ad = 1 \text{ and } bc = 0) = \frac{3}{16}$$

$$P(ad = 0 \text{ and } bc = 1) = \frac{3}{16}$$

$$\therefore \text{required probability} = \frac{3}{8}$$

**Section (B) : MATCH THE COLUMN**

**B-1. Sol.** Total cases =  $5! = 120$

(A) Favourable cases =  ${}_5C_2 \times 2$

$$\frac{20}{120} = \frac{1}{6}$$

required probability =  $\frac{1}{6}$

(B) Favourable cases =  ${}_5C_3 \times 1 = 10$

$$\frac{10}{120} = \frac{1}{12}$$

required probability =  $\frac{1}{12}$

(C) Favourable cases  $5! - (44 + {}_5C_1 \times 9)$   
 $= 31$

$$\frac{31}{120}$$

(D) Favourable cases =  $3! \left( \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} \right) + 4! \left( \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{4!} \right) = 2 + 9 = 11$   
 required probability =

**Section (C) : ONE OR MORE THAN ONE OPTIONS CORRECT**

**C-1. Sol.**  $P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C) - P(A \cap B) - P(B \cap C) - P(C \cap A) + P(A \cap B \cap C)$   
 $= 0.4 + 0.6 + 0.5 + 0.75 - (0.4 + 0.6) - P(B \cap C) - 0.35 + 0.2$   
 $= 1.1 - P(B \cap C)$  [Since  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$ ]

But,  $0.75 \leq P(A \cup B \cup C) \leq 1$

$$\Rightarrow 0.75 \leq 1.1 - P(B \cap C) \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.1 \leq P(B \cap C) \leq 0.35, \text{ but from Venn diagram } P(B \cap C) \neq 0.1$$

**C-2. Sol.**  $P(E_1) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$P(E_2) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(E_3) = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(E_1 \cap E_2) = \frac{1}{4} = P(E_1) P(E_2)$$

$\therefore E_1$  and  $E_2$  are independent  $E_1 \quad E_2$

$$P(E_2 \cap E_3) = \frac{1}{4} = P(E_2) P(E_3)$$

$\therefore E_2$  and  $E_3$  are independent  $E_2 \quad E_3$

$$P(E_3 \cap E_1) = \frac{1}{4} = P(E_3) P(E_1)$$

$\therefore E_3$  and  $E_1$  are independent  $E_3 \quad E_1$

$$P(E_1 \cap E_2 \cap E_3) = \frac{1}{4} \neq P(E_1) P(E_2) P(E_3)$$

$\therefore E_1, E_2, E_3$  are not independent.  $E_1, E_2, E_3$

**C-3. Sol.**  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

$$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{3}{8} + \frac{4}{8} - P(A \cap B) \Rightarrow P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{Now } P(A^c/B) = \frac{P(A^c \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{P(B) - P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{2}{8} \cdot \frac{8}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2P(A/B^c) = \frac{2P(A \cap B^c)}{P(B^c)} = \frac{2(P(A) - P(A \cap B))}{1 - P(B)} = 4 \left( \frac{3}{8} - \frac{2}{8} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \quad (1) \text{ is correct}$$

$$P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{1} = \frac{1}{2} = P(B) \Rightarrow \quad (2) \text{ is correct}$$

$$\text{again } P(A^c/B^c) = \frac{P(A^c \cap B^c)}{P(B^c)} = \frac{1 - P(A \cup B)}{1 - P(B)} = 2 \left( 1 - \frac{5}{8} \right) = \frac{3}{4} \neq P(A \cup B). \text{ So (3) is incorrect.}$$

$$\text{again } 2P(A/B^c) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ from (1)} \Rightarrow P(A/B^c) = \frac{1}{4} = P(A \cap B) \\ \text{hence (4) is correct}$$

**C-4. Sol.**  $P(\text{A wins the game})$   
 $= P(\text{H or TH or TTTH or TTTTH or TTTTTH or .....})$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{2^5} + \frac{1}{2^7} + \dots$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{2^7} + \dots \right) + \left( \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^5} + \frac{1}{2^8} + \dots \right) = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{8}} + \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{1 - \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{4}{7} + \frac{2}{7} = \frac{6}{7}$$

$$\beta = 1 - x = 1 - \frac{6}{7} = \frac{1}{7}$$

**C-5. Sol.**  $P(E_1) = 1 - P(\text{unit's place in both is } 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9)$

$$P(E_1 = 0 \text{ or } 5) = 1 - \frac{8}{10} \cdot \frac{8}{10} = \frac{9}{25}$$

$P(E_2 : 5) = P(1 \ 3 \ 5 \ 7 \ 9) - P(1 \ 3 \ 7 \ 9) \text{ for both numbers}$

$$= \frac{5}{10} \cdot \frac{5}{10} - \frac{4}{10} \cdot \frac{4}{10} = \frac{25 - 16}{100} = \frac{9}{100}$$

$$\frac{P(E_2)}{P(E_1)} = \frac{9}{100} \cdot \frac{25}{9} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$P(E_1) = 4 P(E_2) \Rightarrow (1) \text{ is not correct}$

$$P(E_2/E_1) = \frac{P(E_2 \cap E_1)}{P(E_1)} = \frac{P(E_2)}{P(E_1)} = \frac{9}{100} \cdot \frac{25}{9} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(E_1/E_2) = \frac{P(E_1 \cap E_2)}{P(E_2)} = \frac{P(E_2)}{P(E_2)} = 1$$

### Exercise-3

\* Marked Questions may have more than one correct option.

#### PART - I : JEE (MAIN) / AIEEE PROBLEMS (PREVIOUS YEARS)

1. **Sol.** Since, the probabilities of solving the problem by A, B and C are  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ , and  $\frac{1}{4}$  respectively.  
 $\therefore$  Probability that the problem is not solved

$$\begin{aligned} &= P(\bar{A})P(\bar{B})P(\bar{C}) \\ &= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)\left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right)\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{4} = \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the probability that the problem is solved

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

2. **Sol.** The total number of ways in which numbers can be choosed =  $25 \times 25 = 625$   
 The number of ways in which either players can choose same numbers = 25

$$\therefore \text{Probability that they with a prize} = \frac{25}{625} = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$\text{Thus, the probability that they will not win a prize in a single trial} = 1 - \frac{1}{25} = \frac{24}{25}$$

3. **Sol.** Since, A and B are two mutually exclusive events.

$$\therefore A \cap B = \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{either } A \subseteq \bar{B} \text{ or } B \subseteq \bar{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A) \leq P(\bar{B})$$

$$\text{or } P(B) \leq P(\bar{A}).$$

4. **Sol.** Let  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$  and  $A_3$  be the events of match winning in first, second and third match respectively.  
 And whose probabilities are

$$P(A_1) = P(A_2) = P(A_3) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore$  Required probability

$$= P(A_1 A'_2, A_3) + P(A'_1, A_2 A_3)$$

$$= P(A_1) P(A'_2) P(A_3) + P(A'_1) P(A_2) P(A_3)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

5. **Sol.** Let the probability of getting a head is  $p$  and not getting a head is  $q$ .

Since, head appears first time in an even throw 2 or 4 or 6....

$$\frac{2}{5} = qp + q_3p + q_5p + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{5} = \frac{qp}{1-q^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{5} = \frac{(1-p)p}{1-(1-p)^2} \quad (\because q = 1-p)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{5} = \frac{1-p}{2-p}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4-2p = 5-5p$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{3}$$

6. **Sol.** Probability of getting success,  $p = \frac{1}{2}$  and probability of failure,  $q = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\therefore \text{Required probability} = {}^7C_2 \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^5 \times \frac{1}{6} = \frac{{}^7C_2 \times 5^5}{6^8}$$

8. **Sol.** Since,  $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq P(B) \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq P(C) \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq P(A) + P(B) + P(C) \leq 1$

$$\therefore 0 \leq \frac{3x+1}{3} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$0 \leq \frac{1-x}{4} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -3 \leq x \leq 1 \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$0 \leq \frac{1-2x}{2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2} \quad \dots(iii)$$

$$\text{and } 0 \leq \frac{3x+1}{3} + \frac{1-x}{4} + \frac{1-2x}{2} \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq 13-3x \leq 12$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{13}{3} \quad \dots(iv)$$

From Eqs. (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv), we get

$$\frac{1}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}$$



9. **Sol.** Given that, for binomial distribution mean,  $np = 4$  and variance,  $npq = 2$

$$\therefore q = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ but } p + q = 1 \Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{and } n \times \frac{1}{2} = 4 \Rightarrow n = 8$$

$$\text{We know, } P(X = r) = {}^nC_r p^r q^{n-r}$$

$$\therefore P(X = 1) = {}^8C_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^7 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^1 = 8 \times \frac{1}{2^8} = \frac{1}{2^5} = \frac{1}{32}$$

10. **Sol.** Given probabilities of speaking truth are

$$P(A) = \frac{4}{5} \text{ and } P(B) = \frac{3}{4}$$

And their corresponding probabilities of not speaking truth are

$$P(\bar{A}) = \frac{1}{5} \text{ and } P(\bar{B}) = \frac{1}{4}$$

The probability that they contradict each other

$$= P(A) \times P(\bar{B}) + P(\bar{A}) \times P(B)$$

$$= \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} + \frac{3}{20} = \frac{7}{20}$$

11. **Sol.** Given,  $E = \{X \text{ is a prime number}\}$   
 $= \{2, 3, 5, 7\}$

$$P(E) = P(X = 2) + P(X = 3) + P(X = 5) + P(X = 7)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(E) = 0.23 + 0.12 + 0.20 + 0.07 = 0.62$$

$$\text{and } F = \{X < 4\} = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(F) = P(X = 1) + P(X = 2) + P(X = 3)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(F) = 0.15 + 0.23 + 0.12 = 0.5$$

$$\text{and } E \cap F = \{X \text{ is prime number as well as } < 4\}$$

$$= \{2, 3\}$$

$$P(E \cap F) = P(X = 2) + P(X = 3)$$

$$= 0.23 + 0.12 = 0.35$$

$\therefore$  Required probability

$$P(E \cup F) = P(E) + P(F) - P(E \cap F)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(E \cup F) = 0.62 + 0.5 - 0.35$$

$$\Rightarrow P(E \cup F) = 0.77$$

12. **Sol.** Given that, mean = 4

$$\Rightarrow np = 4$$

and variance = 2

$$\Rightarrow npq = 2 \Rightarrow 4q = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore p = 1 - q = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Also,  $n = 8$

Probability of 2 successes =  $P(X = 2)$

$$= {}^8C_2 p^2 q^6$$

$$= \frac{8!}{2! \times 6!} \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6$$

13. **Sol.** Given that,

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}, P(\bar{A}) = \frac{1}{4} \text{ and } P(\overline{A \cup B}) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - P(A \cup B) = \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow 1 - P(A) - P(B) + P(A \cup B) = \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow P(\bar{A}) - P(B) + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } P(A) = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Now, } P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{3} = P(A) P(B).$$

Hence, the events A and B are independent events but not equally likely.

14. **Sol.** All the three persons has three options to apply a house.

$\therefore$  Total number of cases =  $3^3$

Now, favourable cases = 3 (An either all has applied for house 1 or 2 or 3)

$$\therefore \text{ Required probability} = \frac{3}{3^3} = \frac{1}{9}.$$

15. **Sol.** Probability of getting score 9 in a single throw

$$= \frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9}$$

Probability of getting score 9 exactly in double throw

$$= {}^3C_2 \times \left(\frac{1}{9}\right)^2 \times \frac{8}{9} = \frac{8}{243}.$$

16. **Sol.** Let the events,

A = Ist aeroplane hit the target

B = IInd aeroplane hit the target

And their corresponding probabilities are

$$P(A) = 0.3 \text{ and } P(B) = 0.2$$

$$\Rightarrow P(\bar{A}) = 0.7 \text{ and } P(\bar{B}) = 0.8$$

$\therefore$  Required probability

$$= P(\bar{A}) P(B)$$

$$= (0.7)(0.2) = 0.14$$

17. **Sol.** Given that,  $P(A) = \frac{1}{4}$ ,  $P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = \frac{2}{3}$

$$\text{we know, } P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{and } P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = \frac{P(B \cap A)}{P(A)} \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\therefore P(B) = \frac{P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) \cdot P(A)}{P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right)} = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

18. **Sol.**  $\therefore A = \{4, 5, 6\}$  and  $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$$\therefore A \cap B = \{4\}$$

$$\therefore P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{3}{6} + \frac{4}{6} - \frac{1}{6} = 1.$$

19. **Sol.** By binomial distribution,  $\left(\frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4}\right)^n$

$$\therefore \text{probability of at least one success} = 1 - \text{no. of success} = 1 - {}_nC_n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n = 1 - \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n \geq \frac{9}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n \leq \frac{1}{10}$$

Taking  $\log_{10}$  on both sides

$$n(\log_{10} 3 - \log_{10} 4) \leq -1 \quad \text{or} \quad n \geq \frac{-1}{\log_{10} 3 - \log_{10} 4} \Rightarrow n \geq \frac{1}{\log_{10} 4 - \log_{10} 3}$$

20. **Sol.** Case in which sum of digits in 8 are 08, 17, 26, 35, 44

Total cases : 00, 01, 02, ..., 09, 10, 20, 30, 40

$$\text{Required probability} = \frac{1}{14}$$

21. **Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** Statement-1 Total ways =  ${}_{20}C_4$

number of AP's of common difference 1 is = 17

number of AP's of common difference 2 is = 14

number of AP's of common difference 3 is = 11

number of AP's of common difference 4 is = 8

number of AP's of common difference 5 is = 5

number of AP's of common difference 6 is = 2

$$\text{total} = 57$$

$$\text{probability} = \frac{57}{{}_{20}C_4} = \frac{1}{85}$$

Statement-2 common difference can be  $\pm 6$ , so statement -2 is false

Hence correct option is (2)

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22. **Ans. (1)**

$$\text{Sol.} = \frac{{}^3C_1 {}^4C_1 {}^2C_1}{{}^9C_3} = \frac{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 2}{9 \cdot 8 \cdot 7} = \frac{2}{7}$$

Hence correct option is (1)

23. **Sol. (3)**

$$1 - P_5 \geq \frac{31}{32}$$

$$P_5 \leq \frac{1}{32}$$

$$P \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P \in \left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

24. **Sol. (2)**

$$P\left(\frac{C}{D}\right) = \frac{P(C \cap D)}{P(D)} = \frac{P(C)}{P(D)} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{P(D)} \geq 1$$

$$\frac{P(C)}{P(D)} \geq P(C) \Rightarrow P(C) \leq P\left(\frac{C}{D}\right)$$

25. **Sol. (4)**

$$\begin{aligned} P(A_c \cap B_c | C) &= \frac{P((A^c \cap B^c) \cap C)}{P(C)} = \frac{P(C) - P(A \cap C) - P(B \cap C) + P(A \cap B \cap C)}{P(C)} \\ &= \frac{P(C) - P(A)P(C) - P(B)P(C) + 0}{P(C)} = 1 - P(A) - P(B) = P(A_c) - P(B) \end{aligned}$$

26. **Sol.** Let Event (Given : {1, 2, 3, ..., 8})

A : Maximum of three numbers is 6.

B : Minimum of three numbers is 3

$$P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = \frac{P(B \cap A)}{P(A)} = \frac{{}^2C_1}{{}^5C_2} = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{1}{5}$$

27. **Sol. (3)**

$$p = \frac{1}{3}, \quad q = \frac{2}{3}$$

$${}_5C_4 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^4 \cdot \frac{2}{3} + {}_5C_5 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^5 = 5 \cdot \frac{2}{3^5} + \frac{1}{3^5} = \frac{11}{3^5}$$

28. **Sol. Ans. (1)**

$$\text{Given } P(\overline{A \cup B}) = \frac{1}{6}, P = , P$$

$$1 - P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - P(A) - P(B) + P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{3}{4} - P(B) + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{6} \quad (P(A) = 1 - P(\bar{A}))$$

$$\Rightarrow P(B) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{3-1}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$$

A and B are not equally likely.

$$\text{Further } P(A) \cdot P(B) = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{4} = P(A \cap B)$$

A and B are independent events

**29. Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** There seems to be ambiguity in the question. It should be maintained that boxes are different and one particular box has 3 balls :  
then

$$\text{number of ways} = \frac{{}^{12}C_3 \times 2^9}{3^{12}} = \frac{55}{3} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{11}$$

**Alter**

$${}_3C_1 {}^{12}C_3 ({}_9C_0 + {}_9C_1 + {}_9C_2 + {}_9C_4 + {}_9C_5 + {}_9C_6 + {}_9C_7 + {}_9C_8 + {}_9C_9)$$

$$+ \frac{{}^{12}C_3 \times 3}{\frac{3!3!6!}{3!3!6!}}$$

$$= {}_3C_1 {}^{12}C_3 (2^9 - 2 \cdot {}_9C_3) + \frac{{}^{12}C_3}{\frac{3!2!6!}{3!2!6!}}$$

$$\frac{{}_3C_1 {}^{12}C_3 (2^9 - 2 \cdot {}_9C_3) + \frac{{}^{12}C_3}{\frac{3!2!6!}{3!2!6!}}}{3^{12}}$$

correct answer should have been

**30. Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**  $E_1 : \{(4, 1), \dots, (4, 6)\}$  6 cases  
 $E_2 : \{(1, 2), \dots, (6, 2)\}$  6 cases  
 $E_3 : 18 \text{ cases (sum of both are odd)}$

$$P(E_1) = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6} = P(E_2)$$

$$P(E_3) = \frac{18}{36} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(E \cap E_2) = \frac{1}{36}$$

$$P(E \cap E_3) = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$P(E \cap E_1) = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$P(E \cap E_1 \cap E_3) = 0$$

$\therefore E_1, E_2, E_3$  are not independent

**31. Ans. (2)**

$$\text{Sol. } P(A) + P(B) - 2P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(B) + P(C) - 2P(B \cap C) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(A) + P(C) - 2P(A \cap C) = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$P(A \cap B \cap C) = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$\therefore P(A) + P(B) + P(C) - P(A \cap B) - P(B \cap C) - P(A \cap C) + P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

$$= \frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{16} = \frac{6+1}{16} = \frac{7}{16}$$

**32. Ans. (1)**

**Sol.**  $P = \frac{{}^6C_2}{{}^{11}C_2} = \frac{6}{55}$

$$x_1 - x_2 = \pm 4\lambda$$

$$x_1 + x_2 = 4\alpha$$

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$$2x_1 = 4(\lambda \pm \alpha)$$

$$x_1 = 2(\lambda \pm \alpha)$$

$x_1$	$x_2$
0	4, 8
2	6, 10
4	0, 8
6	2, 10
8	0, 4
10	2, 6

**33. Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** 15 green + 10 yellow = 25 balls

$$P(\text{green}) = \frac{3}{5} = p_1$$

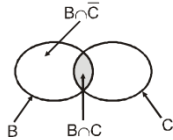
$$P(\text{yellow}) = \frac{2}{5} = q$$

$$n = 10$$

$$\therefore \text{Variance} = npq = 10 \cdot \frac{3}{5} \cdot \frac{2}{5} = \frac{60}{25} = \frac{12}{5}$$

**PART - II : JEE (ADVANCED) / IIT-JEE PROBLEMS (PREVIOUS YEARS)**

1. **Sol.** We have  $P(B \cap \bar{C}) = P[(A \cup \bar{A}) \cap (B \cap \bar{C})] = P(A \cap B \cap \bar{C}) + P(\bar{A} \cap B \cap \bar{C}) = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$



$$P(B \cap C) = P(B) - P(B \cap \bar{C}) = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{12}$$

2. **Sol.** Let E denote the event that minimum of two numbers is less than 4, then E' denote the event that minimum number  $\geq 4$ .

$$P(E') = \frac{{}^3C_2}{{}^6C_2} = \frac{3}{15} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$\Rightarrow P(E) = 4/5.$

3. **Sol.** Such numbers are 6, 12, 18, ..... 96

i.e. 16 such numbers. Hence required probability =  $\frac{{}^{16}C_3}{{}^{100}C_3} = \frac{16 \times 15 \times 14}{100 \times 99 \times 98} = \frac{4}{1155}$

Hence (D)

4. **Sol.** 
$$P\left(\frac{E^c \cap F^c}{G}\right) = \frac{P(E^c \cap F^c \cap G)}{P(G)} = \frac{P(G) - P(E \cap G) - P(G \cap F)}{P(G)}$$
- $$= \frac{P(G)[1 - P(E) - P(F)]}{P(G)} \quad [\because P(G) \neq 0] = 1 - P(E) - P(F) = P(E^c) - P(F).$$

5. **Sol.** If A : Indian Men sit with their wife  
B : American men sit with their wife

$$P\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{n(A \cap B)}{n(B)} = \frac{4!(2!)^5}{5!(2!)^4} = \frac{2}{5}$$

6. **Sol.**  $n(A) = 4$   
Let  $n(B) = x > 0$   
 $\therefore$  A & B are independent events

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

$$\frac{4}{10} \cdot \frac{x}{10} = \frac{y}{10} \text{ where } y = n(A \cap B) \leq \min(4, x)$$

$$x = \frac{5y}{2}$$

y	x
0	0
1	not an integer
2	5
4	10
So	x = 5 or 10

7. **Sol.**  $P(X = 3) = \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{25}{216}$

8. **Sol.**  $P(X \geq 3) = \frac{5}{6} \cdot \frac{5}{6} \cdot 1 = \frac{25}{36}$

9. **Sol.**  $P((X \geq 6) / (X > 3)) = \frac{P((X > 3) / (X \geq 6)) \cdot P(X \geq 6)}{P(X > 3)} = \frac{1 \cdot \left[ \left( \frac{5}{6} \right)^5 \cdot \left( \frac{1}{6} \right) + \left( \frac{5}{6} \right)^6 \cdot \left( \frac{1}{6} \right) + \dots \infty \right]}{\left[ \left( \frac{5}{6} \right)^3 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + \left( \frac{5}{6} \right)^4 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + \dots \infty \right]} = \frac{25}{36}$

10. **Sol.** Probability  $(P) = \frac{P(GGG) + P(GRG)}{P(GGG) + P(GRG) + P(RGG) + P(RRG)}$

$$\Rightarrow P = \frac{\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{3}{4} + \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{3}{4} + \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{1}{4}} \Rightarrow P = \frac{36 + 4}{36 + 4 + 3 + 3} = \frac{40}{46} = \frac{20}{23}$$

11. **Sol.**  $\omega^r_1 + \omega^r_2 + \omega^r_3 = 0$ ;  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  are to be selected from  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$   
 As we know that  $1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$   
 $\therefore$  from  $r_1, r_2, r_3$ , one has remainder 1, other has remainder 2 and third has remainder 0 when divided by 3.  
 $\therefore$  we have to select  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  from (1, 4) or (2, 5) or (3, 6) which can be done in  ${}^2C_1 \times {}^2C_1 \times {}^2C_1$  ways  
 value of  $r_1, r_2, r_3$  can be interchanged in 3! ways.  
 $\therefore$  required probability =  $\frac{({}^2C_1 \times {}^2C_1 \times {}^2C_1) \times 3!}{6 \times 6 \times 6} = \frac{2}{9}$

12\*. **Sol.**  $P(E \cap F) = P(E) \cdot P(F)$  ....(1)

$P(E \cap \bar{F}) + P(\bar{E} \cap F) = \frac{11}{25}$  ....(2)

$P(\bar{E} \cap \bar{F}) = \frac{2}{25}$  ....(3)

by (2)

$P(F) + P(E) - 2P(E \cap F) = \frac{11}{25}$  ....(4)  
 by (3)



$$1 - [P(E) + P(F) - P(E \cap F)] = \frac{2}{25}$$

$$[P(E) + P(F) - P(E \cap F)] = \frac{23}{25} \quad \dots(5)$$

$$\text{by (4) \& (5)} \quad P(E) P(F) = \frac{12}{25} \quad \dots(6)$$

$$\text{and} \quad P(E) + P(F) = \frac{7}{5} \quad \dots(7)$$

$$\text{By (6) and (7)} \quad P(E) = \frac{4}{5}, P(F) = \frac{3}{5} \text{ or } P(E) = \frac{3}{5}, P(F) = \frac{4}{5}$$

13\*. **Sol.**  $P(X/Y) = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\frac{P(X \cap Y)}{P(Y)} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow P(Y) = \frac{1}{3}$

$$P(Y/X) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{P(X \cap Y)}{P(X)} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow P(X) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(X \cup Y) = P(X) + P(Y) - P(X \cap Y) = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(X \cap Y) = P(X) \cdot P(Y) \Rightarrow X \text{ and } Y \text{ are independent}$$

$$= P(Y) - P(X \cap Y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

A is correct

B is correct

D is not correct

14. **Sol.** Favourable :  $D_4$  shows a number and  
 only 1 of  $D_1 D_2 D_3$  shows same number  
 or only 2 of  $D_1 D_2 D_3$  shows same number  
 or all 3 of  $D_1 D_2 D_3$  shows same number

$$\text{Required Probability} = \frac{{}^6C_1({}^3C_1 \times 5 \times 5 + {}^3C_2 \times 5 + {}^3C_3)}{216 \times 6}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times (75 + 15 + 1)}{216 \times 6}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times 91}{216 \times 6}$$

$$= \frac{6 \times 91}{216 \times 6}$$

15. **Sol. (A)**  
 $P(\text{problem solved by at least one}) = 1 - P(\text{problem is not solved by all})$   
 $= 1 - P(\bar{A}) P(\bar{B}) P(\bar{C}) P(\bar{D})$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{7}{8}\right) = 1 - \frac{21}{256} = \frac{235}{256}$$

16. **Sol. (A)**

$\begin{matrix} 1 \text{ W} \\ 3 \text{ R} \\ 2 \text{ B} \end{matrix}$	$\begin{matrix} 2 \text{ W} \\ 3 \text{ R} \\ 4 \text{ B} \end{matrix}$	$\begin{matrix} 3 \text{ W} \\ 4 \text{ R} \\ 5 \text{ B} \end{matrix}$
Bag 1	Bag 2	Bag 3

$$P(W W W) + P(R R R) + P(B B B)$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{9} \times \frac{3}{12}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{6} \times \frac{3}{9} \times \frac{4}{12}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{6} \times \frac{4}{9} \times \frac{5}{12}\right) \Rightarrow \frac{6 + 36 + 40}{6 \times 9 \times 12} \Rightarrow \frac{82}{648}$$

17. **Sol. (D)**

$$P(\text{Ball drawn from box 2 / one is W one is R}) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2 \times 3}{{}^9C_2}}{\frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{1 \times 3}{{}^6C_2} + \frac{2 \times 3}{{}^9C_2} + \frac{3 \times 4}{{}^{12}C_2} \right]} = \frac{\frac{2 \times 3 \times 2}{9 \times 8}}{\frac{3 \times 2}{6 \times 5} + \frac{2 \times 6 \times 2}{9 \times 8} + \frac{3 \times 4 \times 2}{12 \times 11}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{6}}{\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{2}{11}} = \frac{\frac{1}{6}}{\frac{66 + 55 + 60}{55 \times 60}} = \frac{55}{181} \end{aligned}$$

18. **Ans. (A)**

**Sol.** 3 Boys & 2 Girls.....

(1) B (2) B (3) B (4)

Girl can't occupy 4<sup>th</sup> position. Either girls can occupy 2 of 1, 2, 3 position or they can both be a position (1) or (2).

Hence total number of ways in which girls can be seated is  ${}^3C_2 \times 2! \times 3! + {}^2C_1 \times 2! \times 3! = 36 + 24 = 60$ .

Number of ways in which 3 B & 2 A can be seated =  $5!$

$$\text{Hence required prob.} = \frac{60}{5!} = \frac{1}{2}$$

19. **Ans. (A,B)**

**Sol.** Box - I <  $\begin{matrix} \text{Red} \rightarrow n_1 \\ \text{Black} \rightarrow n_2 \end{matrix}$       Box - II <  $\begin{matrix} \text{Red} \rightarrow n_3 \\ \text{Black} \rightarrow n_4 \end{matrix}$

$$P(R) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n_3}{n_3 + n_4}$$

$$R(II/R) = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n_3}{n_3 + n_4}}{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n_3}{n_3 + n_4}} = \frac{\frac{n_3}{n_3 + n_4}}{\frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2} + \frac{n_3}{n_3 + n_4}}$$

by option  $n_1 = 3, n_2 = 3, n_3 = 5, n_4 = 15$

$$P(\text{II/R}) = \frac{\frac{5}{20}}{\frac{3}{6} + \frac{5}{20}} = \frac{\frac{n_4}{1}}{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{4}{2+1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

**20. Ans. (C,D)**

**Sol.** Given 
$$\frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2} \cdot \frac{n_1 - 1}{n_1 + n_2 - 1} + \frac{n_2}{n_1 + n_2} \cdot \frac{n_1}{n_1 + n_2 - 1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$3(n_1 - n_1 + n_1 n_2) = (n_1 + n_2)(n_1 + n_2 - 1)$$

$$3n_1(n_1 + n_2 - 1) = n_1 + n_2(n_1 + n_2 - 1)$$

$$2n_1 = n_2$$

**21. Ans. (C)**

**Sol.** Let  $x = P(\text{computer turns out to be defective given that it is produced in Plant } T_2)$ ,

$$\frac{7}{100} = \frac{1}{5} \times (10x) + \frac{4}{5}x \Rightarrow 7 = 200x + 80x \Rightarrow x = \frac{7}{280}$$

$$P(\text{produced in } T_2 / \text{ not defective}) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

$$\frac{\frac{4/5(1-x)}{\frac{1}{5}(1-10x) + \frac{4}{5}(1-x)}}{\frac{4 \left( \frac{273}{280} \right)}{5 \left( \frac{280-70}{280} \right) + \frac{4 \left( \frac{273}{280} \right)}} = \frac{4 \times 273}{210 + 4 \times 273} = \frac{2 \times 273}{105 + 2 \times 273} = \frac{546}{651} = \frac{78}{93}$$

**22. Ans. (B)**

**Sol.**  $P(X > Y) = T_1 T_1 + D T_1 + T_1 D$  (Where  $T_1$  represents wins and D represents draw)

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{5}{12} \Rightarrow (B) \text{ is correct}$$

**23. Ans. (C)**

**Sol.**  $P(X = Y) = DD + T_1 T_2 + T_2 T_1 = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{36} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{39}{36 \times 3} = \frac{13}{36} \Rightarrow (C) \text{ is correct}$

**24. Ans. (A,B)**

**Sol.** 
$$\frac{P(X \cap Y)}{P(Y)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{P(Y \cap X)}{P(X)} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$P(X \cap Y) = \frac{P(Y)}{2} = \frac{2}{5} \quad P(X) = \frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{15} \Rightarrow P(Y) = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$\frac{P(\bar{X} \cap Y)}{P(Y)} = \frac{P(Y) - P(X \cap Y)}{P(Y)} = \frac{\frac{4}{15} - \frac{2}{15}}{\frac{4}{15}} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(X \cup Y) = P(X) + P(Y) - P(X \cap Y) = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{15} - \frac{2}{15} = \frac{7}{15}$$

**25. Ans. (C)**

**Sol.**  $x + y + z = 10$

Total number of non-negative solutions =  ${}^{10+3-1}C_{3-1} = {}^{12}C_2 = 66$

Now Let  $z = 2n$ .

$x + y + 2n = 10$ ;  $n \geq 0$

Total number of non-negative solutions =  $11 + 9 + 7 + 5 + 3 + 1 = 36$

$$\text{Required probability} = \frac{36}{66} = \frac{6}{11}$$

