

**Additional Problems For Self Practice (APSP)**

**PART -: PRACTICE TEST PAPER**

1. **Sol.**  $S = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$   

$$\text{Probability, } p = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}, q = \frac{1}{4}$$
2. **Sol.** Odds against = 4:11  

$$\text{Probability, } = \frac{11}{4+11} = \frac{11}{15}$$
3. **Sol.**  $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5, 6\}$   

$$\text{Probability, } = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$
4. **Sol.**  $P(A' \cap B') = P(A') P(B')$   $\because A, B$  independent  

$$= \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{2}$$
5. **Sol.**  $P(\text{Gargy to speak truth}) = \frac{60}{100} = \frac{3}{5}$   

$$P(\text{Ashmeet to speak truth}) = \frac{90}{100} = \frac{9}{10}$$
  

$$\text{required probability} = \frac{3}{5} \left(1 - \frac{9}{10}\right) + \left(1 - \frac{3}{5}\right) \left(\frac{9}{10}\right) = \frac{3}{50} + \frac{18}{50} = \frac{21}{50}$$

$$\therefore \frac{21}{50} \times 100\% \Rightarrow 42\%$$
6. **Sol.** Required probability =  $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{15} = \frac{15+12-4}{60} = \frac{23}{60}$
7. **Sol.**  $S = \{2, 3, 5\}$   

$$\text{Probability, } = \frac{2}{3}$$
8. **Sol.**  $S = \{(2,2), (2,3), (2,5), (3,2), (3,3), (3,5), (5,2), (5,3), (5,5)\}$   

$$\text{Probability, } = \frac{4}{9}$$
9. **Sol.** Probability, =  $\frac{{}^8C_1}{{}^9C_2} = \frac{8 \times 2}{9 \times 8} = \frac{2}{9}$
10. **Sol.**  $P(\text{Thomas to be true, } = \frac{3}{4}$   

$$P(\text{Thomas to be false, } = \frac{1}{4}$$
  

$$E \rightarrow \text{Thomas said six}$$
  

$$A \rightarrow \text{Actually a six}$$
  

$$P\left(\frac{A}{E}\right) = \frac{P(A \cap E)}{P(E)} = \frac{1/6 \times 3/4}{1/6 \times 3/4 + 5/6 \times 1/4} = \frac{3/24}{3/24 + 5/24} = \frac{3}{8}$$

11. **Sol.** Probability, =  $\frac{{}^4C_2}{{}^{52}C_2}$

12. **Sol.** Probability, =  $\frac{{}^{12}C_4}{{}^{52}C_4}$

13. **Sol.** P(all boys sit together) =  $\frac{8! \times 7!}{14!}$   
 Probability, 1 –  $\frac{8! \times 7!}{14!}$

14. **Sol.** Probability, =  $\frac{{}^{40}C_1 \cdot {}^4C_1}{{}^{52}C_2}$

15. **Sol.** A → First ticket is perfect square  
 B → Second ticket to be perfect square

$$P\left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = \frac{\left(\frac{5}{25}\right)\left(\frac{4}{24}\right)}{\left(\frac{5}{25}\right)(1)} = \frac{4}{24} = \frac{1}{6}$$

16. **Sol.** P (getting composite number) =  $\frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$   
 Probability, =  ${}^5C_3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 \Rightarrow 10 \times \frac{1}{27} \times \frac{4}{9} = \frac{40}{243}$

17. **Sol.** P (Red) =  $\frac{3}{5}$   
 P (Black) =  $\frac{2}{5}$   
 Probability, =  ${}^4C_2 \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{3^3 2^3}{5^4}$

18. **Sol.** Sum, 10 → {(4, 6), (5, 5), (6, 4)}  
 P (getting sum, 10) =  $\frac{3}{36} = \frac{1}{12}$   
 Probability, =  ${}^5C_3 \left(\frac{1}{12}\right)^3 \left(\frac{11}{12}\right)^2$

19. **Sol.** Probability, =  ${}^3C_2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{8}$

20. **Sol.** (52 weeks) + (2 days extra)  
 ⇒ {SM, MT, TW, WT, TF, FS, SS}

Probability, =  $\frac{2}{7}$

21. **Sol.** P(A ∪ B) = P(A) + P(B) – P(A ∩ B)

$$= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{2}{5} - 0 = \frac{21}{40}$$

$$P(A/B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \Rightarrow P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

22. **Sol.**

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

$$= \frac{3}{5} - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

23. **Sol.**  $B_1 \rightarrow$  Ball drawn from urn A is red but ball returned to it is black,  $P(B_1) = \frac{6}{10} \times \frac{6}{11}$

$D_1 \rightarrow$  Ball drawn from urn A is black and ball returned is red,  $P(D_1) = \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{4}{11}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required probability } P(R) &= P(B_1) \times P\left(\frac{R}{B_1}\right) + P(D_1) \times P\left(\frac{R}{D_1}\right) \\ &= \frac{6}{10} \times \frac{6}{11} \times \frac{5}{10} + \frac{4}{10} \times \frac{4}{11} \times \frac{7}{10} = \frac{73}{275} \end{aligned}$$

24. **Sol.**  $n(S) = 6 \times 6 \times 6 = 216$  also to get sum of '8'  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 7$  where  $1 \leq x_i \leq 6$

$$x_i = t_i + 1 \quad 0 \leq t_i \leq 4 \Rightarrow t_1 + t_2 + t_3 = 4$$

by fictitious partition method number of solution of this equation is  ${}^6C_2$

$$n(E) = 15 \quad \Rightarrow \quad P = \frac{15}{216} = \frac{5}{72}$$

25. **Sol.** Since ten places are vacant. Probability of finding vacant places =

26. **Sol.**  $P(\text{Product of digits}) = 15$

$$\text{if } 35, 53 \quad \Rightarrow \quad P(A) = \frac{2}{90} = \frac{1}{45} \quad \Rightarrow \quad P(\bar{A}) = \frac{44}{45}$$

$$\text{Probability} = 1 - \left(\frac{44}{45}\right)^3$$

27. **Sol.**  $\frac{np}{npq} = \frac{3}{2} \quad \Rightarrow \quad q = \frac{2}{3} \quad \Rightarrow \quad p = \frac{1}{3}$

$$\text{Probability of getting exactly 5 success } {}^6C_5 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^5 = \frac{2}{81}$$

28. **Sol.** 
$$\left. \begin{aligned} p(x=4) &= {}^nC_4 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \\ p(x=5) &= {}^nC_5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \\ p(x=6) &= {}^nC_6 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow ({}^nC_5)^2 = {}^nC_4 {}^nC_6 \Rightarrow n = -1 \text{ which is not possible}$$

29. **Sol.**  $E_1 = \{(1,5), (2,4), (3,3), (4,2), (5,1)\}$

$$E_2 = \{(1,6), (2,5), (3,4), (4,3), (5,2), (6,1)\}$$

$$\therefore n(E_1) = 5, n(E_2) = 6$$

$$\text{Also } n(S) = 6 \times 6 = 36$$

$$\text{Now, } P(E_1) = \frac{5}{36} \text{ and } P(E_2) = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6}$$

Let E = the event that A wins

Let F = the event that B wins

$$P(E) = \frac{5}{36} + \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{5}{6} + \frac{5}{36} \times \frac{31}{36} + \frac{5}{36} \times \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{5}{6} + \frac{5}{36} \times \frac{31}{36} \times \frac{5}{6} \times \frac{31}{61}$$

$$P(F) = 1 - P(E) = \frac{31}{61}$$

30. **Sol.** Unit digit of  $3_a = 3, 9, 7, 1$   
Unit digit of  $2_b = 2, 4, 8, 6$

$3^a$	$2^b$
3	8

$3^a$	$2^b$
9	2

$3^a$	$2^b$
7	4

$$\Rightarrow \frac{25}{100} \times \frac{25}{100} + \frac{25}{100} \times \frac{25}{100} + \frac{25}{100} \times \frac{25}{100} = \frac{3}{16}$$

**Practice Test (JEE-Main Pattern)**  
**OBJECTIVE RESPONSE SHEET (ORS)**

Que.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ans.										
Que.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Ans.										
Que.	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Ans.										

**PART - II : PRACTICE QUESTIONS**

1\*. **Sol.**  $P(x_1) = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $P(x_2) = \frac{1}{4}$   
 $P(x_3) = \frac{1}{4}$   
 $P(x) = P(E_1 E_2 E_3) + P(\bar{E}_1 E_2 E_3) + P(E_1 \bar{E}_2 E_3) + P(E_1 E_2 \bar{E}_3)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4}$   
 $P(x) = \frac{1}{4}$   

$$(1) P\left(\frac{x_1^c}{x}\right) = \frac{P(x_1^c \cap x)}{P(x)}$$

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

(2)  $P(\text{exactly two} / x) = \frac{P(\text{exactly two} \cap x)}{P(x)}$   
 $= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4}}{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{7}{8}$   

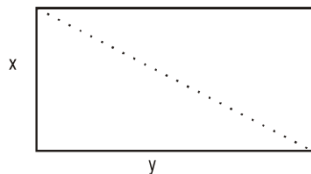
$$(3) P(x / x_2) = \frac{P(x \cap x_2)}{P(x_2)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4}}{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{5}{8}$$
  

$$(4) P(x / x_1) = \frac{P(x \cap x_1)}{P(x_1)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{4}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{7}{16}$$

2. **Sol.**  $x + \frac{100}{x} > 50$   
 $x = 1$  Satisfies  
 $= 2$  " ]  
 $= 3$  does ' nt satsfies  
 $= 47$  doest satsfies  
 $= 48$  Satifies  
 $= 100$  Safies ] 53 number  
then no. of x which satisfy given inequation = 55  
 $\frac{55}{100}$   
Pro. =  $\frac{55}{100}$

3. **Sol.**  $0 < x < 10$   $x_2 + y_2 < 100$   
 $0 < y < 10$

$$p = \frac{\frac{1}{4} \times 10^2}{10 \times 10}$$



4. **Sol.**  $P = P(\text{1 person lies}) + P(\text{2 person lies}) + P(\text{3 person lies})$   
 $P(\text{A 1 died first / 3 person lied})$

$$= {}^nC_1 p q^{n-1} \times \frac{1}{n} + {}^nC_1 p^2 q^{n-2} \times \frac{1}{2} + {}^nC_2 p^3 q^{n-3} \times \frac{1}{3} + \dots$$

$$= p q^{n-1} + {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} p^2 q^{n-2} \times \frac{1}{2} + {}^nC_3 p^3 q^{n-3} \times \frac{1}{3} + \dots = p q^{n-1} + \sum_{r=2}^{n-1} {}^{n-1}C_{r-1} p^r q^{n-r} \times \frac{1}{r}$$

$$\text{As } \frac{{}^{n-1}C_{r-1}}{r} = \frac{{}^nC_1}{n}$$

$$P = P q^{n-1} + \frac{1}{n} \sum_{r=2}^n {}^nC_r p^r q^{n-r} \Rightarrow P = p q^{n-1} + \frac{1}{n} (1 - {}^nC_0 p^0 q^n - {}^nC_1 p^1 q^{n-1})$$

$$P = P q^{n-1} + \frac{1}{n} (1 - q^n - n P q^{n-1}) = \frac{1 - (1-p)^n}{n}$$

5. **Sol.** Person is selected if either he passes all the tests or exactly two of the tests.  
 $P(\text{passing all the tests}) = p.p.p = p_3$   
 Prob. of passing exactly 2 of the tests =  $P(\text{first two tests}) + P(\text{first and third tests}) + P(\text{second and third tests})$

$$= p.p.(1-p) + p.(1-p). \frac{p}{2} + (1-p) \frac{p}{2} . p$$

$$= p_2(1-p) + \frac{1}{2} p_2 (1-p) + p_2 (1-p)$$

$$= 2p_2 (1-p)$$

$$\text{Thus, required probability} = p_3 + 2p_2 (1-p) = 2p_2 - p_3 .$$

6. **Sol.** Here,

$$P(A) = \text{probability that A will hit B} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(B) = \text{probability that B will hit A} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(C) = \text{probability that C will hit A} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(E) = \text{probability that A will be hit}$$

$$P(E) = 1 - P(\bar{B}) \cdot P(\bar{C}) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Probability if A is hit by B and not by C.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P(B \cap \bar{C})}{P(E)} = \frac{P(B) \cdot P(\bar{C})}{P(E)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

7. **Sol.** Statement-1 If  $P(H_i \cap E) = 0$  for some  $i$ , then

$$P\left(\frac{H_i}{E}\right) = P\left(\frac{E}{H_i}\right) = 0$$

If  $P(H_i \cap E) \neq 0$  for  $\forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , then

$$P\left(\frac{H_i}{E}\right) = \frac{P(H_i \cap E)}{P(H_i)} \times \frac{P(H_i)}{P(E)} = \frac{P\left(\frac{H_i}{E}\right) \times P(H_i)}{P(E)} > P\left(\frac{E}{H_i}\right), P(H_i) \quad [\text{as } 0 < P(E) < 1]$$

Hence statement -1 may not always be true.

Statement-2 Clearly,  $H_1 \cup H_2 \cup \dots \cup H_n = S$  (sample space)

$$P(H_1) + P(H_2) + \dots + P(H_n) = 1$$

8. **Sol.** Here,  $n(s) = 1$  length of the interval  $[0, 5] = 5$ ;  $n(E) =$  length of the interval  $\leq [0, 5]$  in which  $P$  belongs such that the given equation has real roots.

Now  $x^2 + Px + \frac{1}{4}(P+2) = 0$  will have real roots

$$\text{if } P_2 - 4.1. \frac{1}{4}(P+2) \geq 0 \Rightarrow P_2 - P - 2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (P+1)(P-2) \geq 0 \Rightarrow P \leq -1 \text{ or } P \geq 2$$

But  $P \in [0, 5]$ . So,  $E = [2, 5]$

$$\therefore n(E) = \text{length of the interval } [2, 5] = 3$$

$$\therefore \text{Required Probability} = \frac{3}{5}$$

9. **Sol.** Here,  $P(A \cup B) \cdot P(A' \cap B')$

$$\Rightarrow \{P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)\} \{P(A') \cdot P(B')\}$$

Since  $A, B$  are independent

$\Rightarrow A', B'$  are independent

$$= P(A) \cdot P(A') \cdot P(B') + P(B) \cdot P(A') \cdot P(B') \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\leq P(A) \cdot P(B') + P(B) \cdot P(A')$$

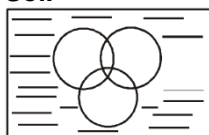
{Since in (1),  $P(A') \leq 1$  and  $P(B') \leq 1$ }

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cup B) \cdot P(A' \cap B') \leq P(A) \cdot P(B') + P(B) \cdot P(A')$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cup B) \cdot P(A' \cap B') \leq P(C)$$

{as  $P(C) = P(A) \cdot P(B') + P(B) \cdot P(A')$ }

10. **Sol.**



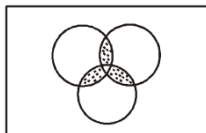
$$P = 1 - P(A \cup B \cup C)$$

$$= 1 - P(A) - P(B) - P(C) + P(A \cap B) + P(B \cap C) +$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & P(C \cap A) - P(A \cap B \cap C) \\
 &= P(A \cap B \cap C) - P(A) - P(B) - P(C) + P(A \cap B) + \\
 & P(B \cap C) + P(C \cap A) \\
 &= P(\bar{A} \cup \bar{B} \cup \bar{C}) - P(A) - P(B) - P(C) + P(A \cap B) + \\
 & P(B \cap C) + P(C \cap A)
 \end{aligned}$$

11.

**Sol.**



12.

**Sol.**  $P = 1 - P(A \cap B \cap C)$



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 1 - P(A \cup B \cup C) + P(A) + P(B) + P(C) \\
 & - P(A \cup B) \\
 &= 1 - P(A \cup B \cup C) + P(A) + P(B) + P(C) \\
 & - P(A \cup B) - P(B \cup C) - P(C \cap A)
 \end{aligned}$$

13.

**Sol.** Total number of ways =  $M_n$ , number of favorable cases =  $n!$

14.

**Sol.** Total number of ways =  $M_{n-1}C_{M-1}$ , number of favorable cases = 1

15.

**Sol.** Total number of ways =  $M C_n$ , number of favorable cases = 1

16.

**Sol.**  $P(\text{white}) = P(H \cap \text{white}) + P(T \cap \text{white})$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{3}{5} \times 1 + \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} \right\} + \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{{}^3C_2}{{}^5C_2} \times 1 + \frac{{}^2C_2}{{}^5C_2} \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{{}^3C_1 \cdot {}^2C_1}{{}^5C_2} \times \frac{2}{3} \right\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{8}{10} + \frac{1}{2} \times \left\{ \frac{3}{10} + \frac{1}{30} + \frac{12}{30} \right\} = \frac{4}{10} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{22}{30} = \frac{23}{30}
 \end{aligned}$$

17.

**Sol.**

$$P(\text{Head/White}) = \frac{P(\text{Head} \cap \text{white})}{P(\text{white})} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \left\{ \frac{3}{5} \times 1 + \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} \right\}}{\frac{23}{30}} = \frac{\frac{4}{10}}{\frac{23}{30}} = \frac{12}{23}$$

18.

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

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  
 Thus 'B' is correct

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

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

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



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

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

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

**19. Sol.** Let  $x, y, z$  be probability of  $E_1, E_2, E_3$  respectively

$$\Rightarrow x(1-y)(1-z) = \alpha \quad \Rightarrow y(1-x)(1-z) = \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow z(1-x)(1-y) = \gamma \quad \Rightarrow (1-x)(1-y)(1-z) = P$$

$$\text{Putting in the given relation we get } x = 2y \text{ and } y = 3z \quad \Rightarrow \quad x = 6z \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{x}{z} = 6$$

**20. Sol.** Three squares are shown as below

I <sup>st</sup> row	1		
II <sup>nd</sup> row		2	
III <sup>rd</sup> row			

3			


$$\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} = \frac{2}{21}$$

digit 3 may come only in I<sup>st</sup> and II<sup>nd</sup> rows. In second square if ? is replaced by 3 then probability is 1/3.

**Case-1 :** We assume that first square contains digit 3 in first row  $\therefore$  probability is 2/7

and corresponding to it in third square digit 3 may come in II<sup>nd</sup> row  $\therefore$  probability is 3/6

**Case-2 :** We assume that first square contains digit 3 in second row  $\therefore$  probability is 2/7

and corresponding to it in third square digit 3 may come in I<sup>st</sup> row  $\therefore$  probability is 3/6

$$\text{Hence probability} = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} = \frac{2}{21}$$