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Part I: Multiple Choice. Write the correct answer in the space provided at the end of this section.

1. The weather forecaster says that there is a 60% probability of snow tomorrow. Determine the odds in favour of snow tomorrow.

- (A) 3:2
(B) 2:3
(C) 5:3
(D) 3:5

60% Favours = 3 3:2

$$= \frac{60}{100} = \frac{3}{5}$$
 Unfavours = 5 - 3 = 2
 5 ← total

2. Nine boys and twelve girls have signed up for a trip. Only six students will be selected to go on the trip. Determine the probability that there will be an equal number of boys **and** girls on the trip.

- (A) $\frac{{}^9C_3 \times {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{21}C_3}$
 (B) $\frac{{}^9C_3 \times {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{21}C_6}$
 (C) $\frac{{}^9C_3 + {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{21}C_6}$
 (D) $\frac{{}^9C_3 + {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{21}C_3}$

total = ${}^{21}C_6$ $P = \frac{F}{T}$

$$Fav = {}^9C_3 \times {}^{12}C_3$$

$$= \frac{{}^9C_3 \times {}^{12}C_3}{{}^{21}C_6}$$

3. Which pair of events are mutually exclusive?

- (A) Drawing a 9 or drawing a club from a standard deck of 52 playing cards.
 (B) Rolling a sum of 5 or rolling an odd number with a pair of regular dice.
 (C) Drawing a black card or a Jack from a standard of 52 playing cards.
 (D) Rolling a sum of 10 or a sum of 7 with a pair of regular dice.

4. Paul has 3 toonies, 4 loonies, and 5 quarters in his pocket. He needs 2 quarters for a parking meter. He reaches into his pocket and pulls out two coins at random. Determine the probability that both coins are quarters.

- (A) 0.139
(B) 0.151
(C) 0.174
(D) 0.189

$$\frac{5}{12} \times \frac{4}{11} = \frac{20}{132} = 0.151$$

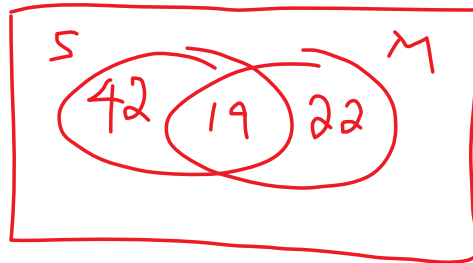
5. Elijah draws a card from a well-shuffled standard deck of 52 playing cards. Then he puts the card back in the deck, shuffles again, and draws another card from the deck. Determine the probability that both cards are face cards.

- (A) $\frac{1}{125}$
 (B) $\frac{9}{169}$
 (C) $\frac{7}{99}$
 (D) $\frac{4}{25}$

$$\frac{12}{52} \times \frac{12}{52} = \frac{144}{2704} = \frac{9}{169}$$

6. In a class survey, 61% play sports, 41% play a musical instrument, and 19% play both sports and a musical instrument. Determine the probability that someone plays neither sports nor a musical instrument.

- (A) 17%
 (B) 21%
 (C) 79%
 (D) 83%



$$P(\text{sum}) = 42 + 19 + 22 = 83\%$$

$$P(\text{sum})' = 100 - 83 = 17\%$$

7. A jar contains black and white marbles. Two marbles are chosen without replacement. The probability of selecting a black marble and then a white marble is 0.34, and the probability of selecting a black marble on the first draw is 0.47. What is the probability of selecting a white marble on the second draw, given that the first marble drawn was black?

- (A) 0.13
 (B) 0.16
 (C) 0.72
 (D) 0.91

$$P(W|B) = ?$$

$$P(B \cap W) = 0.34$$

$$P(B) = 0.47$$

$$P(B \cap W) = P(B) \times P(W|B)$$

$$\frac{0.34}{0.47} = \frac{0.47 \cdot P(W|B)}{0.47}$$

$$P(W|B) = 0.72$$

$$P(A \cap B) = 0$$

8. A and B are mutually exclusive events. The probability that either A or B will occur, $P(A \cup B)$, is 43%. If the probability of A occurring, $P(A)$, is 26%, what is the probability of B not occurring, $P(B')$?

- (A) 17%
 (B) 31%
 (C) 69%
 (D) 83%

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

$$43 = 26 + P(B)$$

$$P(B) = 43 - 26 = 17\%$$

$$P(B)' = 100 - 17 = 83\%$$

9. A fair coin is tossed twice. What is the probability of getting a head on the first toss and a tail on the second?

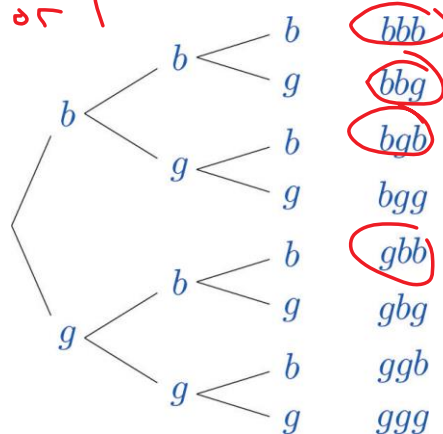
- (A) $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$
 (B) $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$
 (C) $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}$
 (D) $\frac{1}{2} \div \frac{1}{2}$

$$P = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

10. The tree diagram shown represents the possibilities for a couple having three children. What are the odds in favour of the couple having at most 1 girl?

at most 1: 0 or 1

- (A) 1:1
 (B) 1:2
 (C) 3:5
 (D) 3:8



$$\text{total} = 8$$

$$\text{favs} = 4$$

$$\text{unfavs} = 8 - 4 = 4$$

$$4:4$$

$$= 1:1$$

Answers to multiple choice.

1.____ 2.____ 3.____ 4.____ 5.____

6.____ 7.____ 8.____ 9.____ 10.____

17 Part II: **Constructed Response.** Answer each question in the space provided. Show all workings.

11. A Scout troop has 6 boys and 5 girls. The leader wants 3 of the Scouts to sell tickets for a fundraiser at the mall. What is the probability these 3 Scouts consist of:

$$\text{total} = {}_{11}C_3 = 165$$

2 (A) 2 boys and 1 girl

$$\text{favourable: } {}_6C_2 \times {}_5C_1 = 15 \times 5 = 75$$

$$P = \frac{f}{t} = \frac{75}{165} = 0.454 \text{ or } 45.4\%$$

2 (B) 1 boy and 2 girls

$$\text{favourable: } {}_6C_1 \times {}_5C_2 = 6 \times 10 = 60$$

$$P = \frac{f}{t} = \frac{60}{165} = 0.363 \text{ or } 36.3\%$$

3 (C) at most 2 boys: 0 or 1 or 2

favourable: 0 boys or 1 boy or 2 boys	${}_6C_0 \times {}_5C_3 = 1 \times 10 = 10$ $+$ 60 $+$ 75 <hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: 0;"/> 145	$P = \frac{f}{t}$ $= \frac{145}{165}$ $= 0.88$ or 88%
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12. If a 6 digit password is generated at random from the letters a, b, c, d, e, f (with no repetition, lowercase and uppercase are the same), what is the probability that it begins with a vowel and ends with a vowel?

$$T_{\text{total}} = \underline{6} \times \underline{5} \times \underline{4} \times \underline{3} \times \underline{2} \times \underline{1} = 6! = 720$$

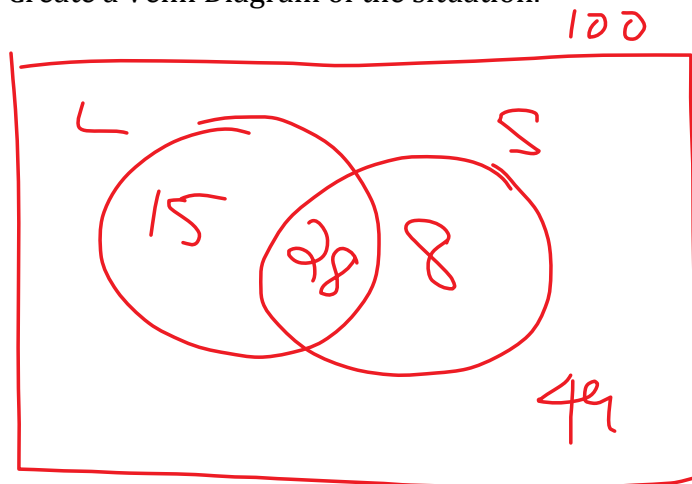
$$F_{\text{AV}} = \frac{2}{\substack{\text{a} \\ \text{e}}} \times \underline{4} \times \underline{3} \times \underline{2} \times \underline{1} \times \frac{1}{\substack{\text{e} \\ \text{a}}} = 48$$

$$P = \frac{F}{T} = \frac{48}{720} = 0.067 \text{ or } 6.7\%$$

13. A car manufacturer keeps a database of all the cars that are available for sale at all dealerships in Western Canada. For model A, the database reports that 43% have heated leather seats, 36% have a sunroof, and 49% have neither.

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(A) Create a Venn Diagram of the situation.



$$\begin{array}{r} 43\% \\ + 36\% \\ + 49\% \\ \hline 128\% \end{array}$$

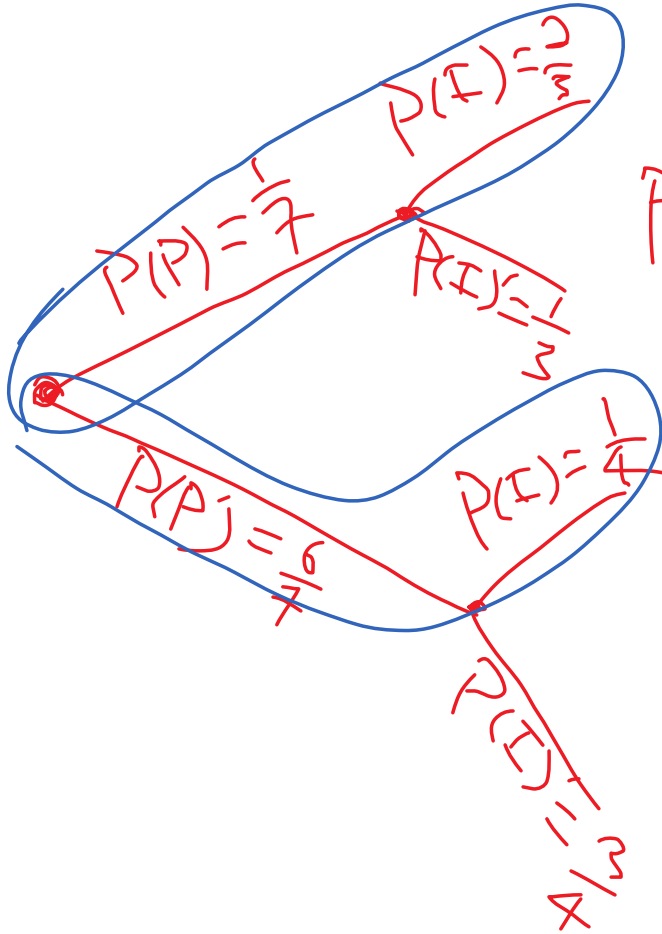
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(B) Determine the probability that model A has at least one of a sunroof or heated seats.

$$P(L \cup S) = 15\% + 28\% + 8\% = 51\%$$

- 4 14. Jonas' favorite meal is pasta, followed by ice cream for dessert. Jonas' Mom cooks pasta once a week. If she cooks pasta, the probability Jonas gets ice cream for dessert is $\frac{2}{3}$. If she doesn't cook pasta, then the probability Jonas gets ice cream for dessert is $\frac{1}{4}$. What is the probability that Jonas gets ice cream for dessert? (Hint: A tree diagram might help.)

$$P(P) = \frac{1}{7} \quad P(P') = \frac{6}{7}$$



$$P(P \cap I) = \frac{1}{7} \times \frac{2}{3} = 0.095$$

$$+ P(P' \cap I) = \frac{6}{7} \times \frac{1}{4} = 0.214$$

$$0.309$$

or 30.9%

Formulae:

$${}^n P_r = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

$${}^n C_r = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

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

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

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \times P(B|A)$$