

Ch. 5 Extra Practice

1. Suppose that at the beginning of the season the odds in favour of the Canucks winning the Stanley Cup are estimated to be 1:99.

a) Estimate the probability that the Canucks will win the Stanley Cup.

$$\boxed{\frac{1}{100}}$$

b) Estimate the odds against the Canucks winning the Stanley Cup.

$$\boxed{\frac{99}{100}}$$

2. A bag of marbles contains 2 red marbles, 3 blue marbles and 5 green marbles.

a) What is the probability of choosing a green marble?

$$\boxed{\frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}}$$

b) What are the odds in favour of choosing a blue marble?

$$\boxed{3:7}$$

c) What are the odds against choosing a red marble?

$$\boxed{8:2 = 4:1}$$

3. Alex, Brian and Cole are running in a 10 person race. Determine the probability that they will come in 1st, 2nd and 3rd place, respectively.

$$\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{1}{720}} \\ & \hookrightarrow 10P_3 = 720 \end{aligned}$$

4. In the game of Crazy Eights, each player is dealt 8 cards from a well-shuffled standard deck of 52 playing cards. Determine the probability that a player is dealt:

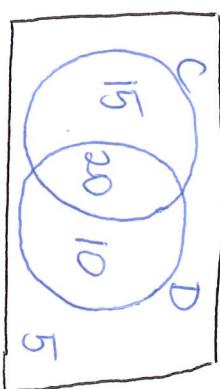
a) all hearts.

$$\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow \frac{13C_8}{52C_8} = \frac{1287}{752538150} \\ & \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{total} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{11}{6431950}$$

6. Jamal asked 50 people what type of television shows they like. 15 people like comedy shows, but not drama shows. 10 people like drama shows, but not comedy shows. 5 people liked neither type of show.

- a) Draw a Venn diagram of these sets.



$$15 + 10 + 5 = 30$$

20 missing
= overlap

- b) What is the probability that a randomly selected person liked both types of shows?

$$P(C \cap D) = \frac{20}{50} = \boxed{\frac{2}{5}}$$

7. Which of the following are mutually exclusive events?

- a) Rolling a double or rolling a sum of 4 when rolling two dice. No e.g. (2,2)

- b) Rolling a sum of 3 or a sum of 4 when rolling two dice. Yes

- c) Drawing a red card or a spade from a standard deck of 52 playing cards. Yes Spades are

- d) Drawing a black card or a spade from a standard deck of 52 playing cards. No e.g. black!

8. Enzo rolls two standard dice. Determine the probability of each event.

	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	(1,1)	(1,2)	(1,3)	(1,4)	(1,5)	(1,6)
2	(2,1)	(2,2)	(2,3)	(2,4)	(2,5)	(2,6)
3	(3,1)	(3,2)	(3,3)	(3,4)	(3,5)	(3,6)
4	(4,1)	(4,2)	(4,3)	(4,4)	(4,5)	(4,6)
5	(5,1)	(5,2)	(5,3)	(5,4)	(5,5)	(5,6)
6	(6,1)	(6,2)	(6,3)	(6,4)	(6,5)	(6,6)

- a) Rolling a double or rolling a sum of 4.

$$\frac{6+3-1}{36} = \boxed{\frac{2}{9}}$$

- b) Rolling a sum of 3 or a sum of 4.

$$\frac{2+3-1}{36} = \boxed{\frac{5}{36}}$$

- c) Rolling a sum less than 3 or a sum greater than 10.

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