

PROBABILITY
 PERFORMANCE TASK

Reduce ALL fractions to lowest terms



1. [K] State the possible outcomes of the following situations. 4

- a) Flipping a coin once. (H) or (T) 2 possible
- b) Rolling one die. [1] or [2] or [3] or [4] or [5] or [6] 6 possible
- c) Having two babies. BB, BG, GB, BB
- d) Outcome of a soccer game. (W) or (L) or (T)
 Win lose Tie

2. [K] Complete the following chart for the sum of two dice. 2

+	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
6	7	8	9	10	11	12

3. [K] Using the chart, determine the probability of each situation. 4
 (state your answers as a **decimal**, rounded to the hundredth)

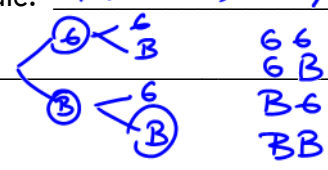
- a) Getting a sum of 8 on two dice. $P(8) = \frac{5}{36} = 0.14$ → 2dp
- b) Getting a sum of 2 or 11 on two dice. $P(2 \text{ or } 11) = \frac{1+2}{36} = \frac{3}{36} = \frac{1}{12} = 0.08$
- c) Getting a sum on two dice that is an odd number. $P(\text{odd}) = \frac{18}{36} = 0.5$
- d) Getting a sum of 15 on two dice. $P(15) = \frac{0}{36} = 0$

4. [K] Determine the probability of ... State your answers as a **fraction** and a **percentage**. ③

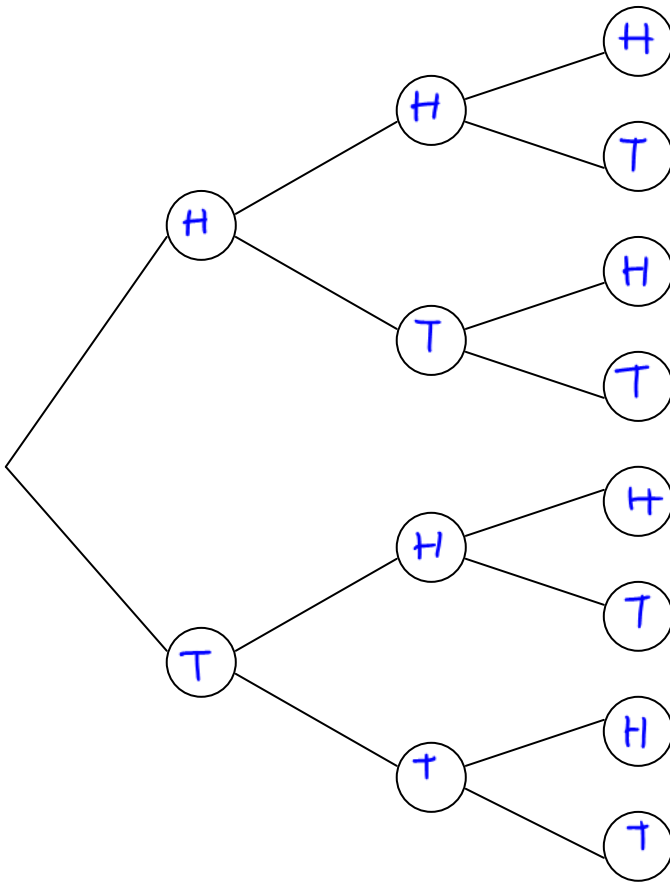
a) Getting an even number when rolling one die. $P(\text{even}) = \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2} = 50\%$

b) Getting a three when rolling one die. $P(\text{three}) = \frac{1}{6} = 0.166 = 16.6\%$

c) Having twins that are both boys. $\frac{1}{4} = 0.25 = 25\%$



5. [K] Complete the following tree diagram for flipping a coin three times and write out each of the possible outcomes on the right. ④



Possibilities

- ① H H H
- ② H H T
- ③ H T H
- ④ H T T
- ⑤ T H H
- ⑥ T H T
- ⑦ T T H
- ⑧ T T T

6. [K] Using the above tree diagram determine the probability of ... ②

a) Getting all three heads. $\frac{1}{8} = 0.125 = 12.5\%$

b) Getting at least one tail. $\frac{7}{8} = 0.875 = 87.5\%$

c) Getting EXACTLY one head. $\frac{3}{8} = 0.375 = 37.5\%$

7. [A] A bag contains 5 red marbles, 2 blue marbles and 4 yellow marbles. If one marble is drawn at random from the bag, determine the probability of... ③
- a) Getting a red marble. $\frac{5}{11} = 0.454 = 45.4\%$ $\overset{5}{(R)} + \overset{2}{(B)} + \overset{4}{(Y)} = 11$
- b) Getting an orange marble. $\frac{0}{11} = 0\%$
- c) **not** getting a yellow marble. $\frac{7}{11} = 0.636 = 63.6\%$



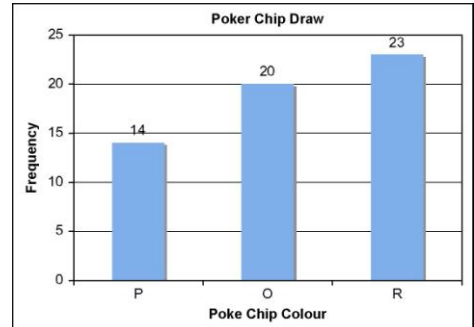
8. [A] A sock drawer contains 14 pairs of socks. Four of the pairs of socks are white. Six of the pairs of socks are brown and the remaining socks are black. ③
- a) Determine the probability of getting a pair of socks that is brown. $\frac{4}{14} = \frac{2}{7} = 0.286 = 28.6\%$
- b) Determine the probability of getting a pair of socks that is **not** black or brown. $\frac{4}{14} = 28.6\%$ *white*
- c) Determine the probability of getting a pair of socks that is pink. $\frac{0}{14} = 0\%$

9. [A] A bag contains 70 poker chips: 30 purple, 25 red, and 15 orange. Jessie draws a chip, records the colour, and returns it to the bag. The results are shown in the graph. What is the **experimental** probability of drawing **each** colour? ③

Red: $\frac{14}{57}$

Purple: $\frac{20}{57}$

Orange: $\frac{23}{57}$



10. [A] A basketball player made 135 of the 270 foul shots he took in 4 games.
- a) How many shots will he make in his **next game** if he attempts 30 foul shots? ②
- $P(\text{foul shots}) = \frac{135}{270} = 50\%$
- $50\% \text{ of } 30 = 0.5 \times 30 = 15$
 \therefore He'll have 15 successful shots
- b) How many shots will he make **this season** if he attempts 2800 foul shots? ②
- $50\% \text{ of } 2800 = 0.5 \times 2800 = 1400$
 \therefore He'll make 1400 shots

11. [C] Explain one of the experiments you did this unit and what you discovered from it. ②

Answers will vary

12. [C] How you can tell what colour a spinner will land on most often just by looking at the spinner. **Explain** your answer. ②

It's Red because it has the most slices,



13. [C] Give an example of an event that has a 0 (zero) probability of happening. Explain why the probability is 0. ②

- ⇒ Rolling a 7 with 1 die
- ⇒ Rolling a sum of 13 with 2 dice.
- ⇒ Drawing a black diamond from a deck of cards.

14. [C] Compare **differences** and **similarities** of Theoretical Probability and Experimental Probability. ④ (Hint: 4 marks means write down 4 things)