

# Probability Vocab

Sample Space - Set of all possible outcomes for an experiment

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H	HH	HT
T	TH	TT

Trial - process of making a single observation in an experiment

Event - Any subset of the sample space

Success - A favorable outcome

Probability - The ratio of the number of favorable outcomes of an event to the ~~total~~ total number of outcomes in the sample space

$$\text{Ex. } P(2 \text{ heads}) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Complement - Given an event  $E$ , the set of outcomes in the sample space that is not  $E$ .

$$P(\text{Not } 2 \text{ Heads}) = \frac{3}{4}$$

Independent - Given 2 events  $E$  and  $F$ , the chance of  $E$  occurring is unaffected by the outcome of  $F$ .

Dependent - Given two events  $E$  and  $F$ , the chance of  $E$  occurring is affected by the outcome of  $F$ .

Mutually Exclusive - Two events with no common outcomes

# 2 Dice

	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>
<u>1</u>	1,1	1,2	1,3	1,4	1,5	1,6
<u>2</u>	2,1	2,2	2,3	2,4	2,5	2,6
<u>3</u>	3,1	3,2	3,3	3,4	3,5	3,6
<u>4</u>	4,1	4,2	4,3	4,4	4,5	4,6
<u>5</u>	5,1	5,2	5,3	5,4	5,5	5,6
<u>6</u>	6,1	6,2	6,3	6,4	6,5	6,6

# Fundamental Counting Principle

Outfits 3 shirts, 2 pairs of pants

# of different

Shirts

Pants

Red

Khaki

Red, Khaki

Green

Blue

Red, Blue

Black

Green, Khaki

Green, Blue

Black, Khaki

Black, Blue

Fundamental Counting Principle - If an event occurs in  $m$  ways and a second event occurs in  $n$  ways, then the two events occur in  $m \times n$  ways

1. Ice cream shoppe:

3 types cones, 31 flavors

$$3 \cdot 31 = 93$$

2. License 3 letters, 3 digits

26 26 26

10 10 10

17,576,000

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# # #

No repeat 26 25 24

10 9 8

11,232,000

6 racers - finish orders?

$$\underline{6} \quad \underline{5} \quad \underline{4} \quad \underline{3} \quad \underline{2} \quad \underline{1} = 720$$

Factorial Notation = The product of all numbers up to and including itself.

$$6! = 6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1$$

$$4! = 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = 24$$

$$26! = 4.03 \cdot 10^{26}$$

## Cards - 52 cards

4 suits      2 colors

Hearts      Red

Diamonds      Red

Clubs      Black

Spades      Black

Each Suit

1 King      4 total

1 Queen      4 total

1 Jack      4 total

Other cards #2-10 and ACE