

Topic :-PROBABILITY

- If the probability density function of a random variable X is $f(x) = \frac{x}{2}$ in $0 \leq x \leq 2$, then $P\left(\frac{X > 15}{X > 1}\right)$ is equal to
a) $\frac{7}{16}$ b) $\frac{3}{4}$ c) $\frac{7}{12}$ d) $\frac{21}{64}$
- The probability that A can solve a problem is $\frac{2}{3}$ and B can solve it is $\frac{3}{4}$. If both attempt the problem, what is the probability that the problem gets solved?
a) $\frac{11}{12}$ b) $\frac{7}{12}$ c) $\frac{5}{12}$ d) $\frac{9}{12}$
- Given $P(A \cup B) = 0.6, P(A \cap B) = 0.2$, the probability of exactly one of the event occurs is
a) 0.4 b) 0.2 c) 0.6 d) 0.8
- Fifteen coupons are numbered 1 to 15. Seven coupons are selected at random, one at a time with replacement. The probability that the largest number appearing on a selected coupon be 9, is
a) $\left(\frac{1}{15}\right)^7$ b) $\left(\frac{8}{18}\right)^7$ c) $\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^7$ d) None of these
- A dice is rolled three times. The probability of getting a larger number than the previous number each time is
a) $\frac{15}{216}$ b) $\frac{5}{54}$ c) $\frac{13}{216}$ d) $\frac{1}{18}$
- If X has binomial distribution with mean np and variance npq , then $\frac{P(X=k)}{P(X=k-1)}$ is equal to
a) $\frac{n-k}{k} \cdot \frac{p}{q}$ b) $\frac{n-k+1}{k} \cdot \frac{p}{q}$ c) $\frac{n+1}{k} \cdot \frac{q}{p}$ d) $\frac{n-1}{k+1} \cdot \frac{q}{p}$
- The probability distribution of a random variable X is given by
 $X = x$: 0 1 2 3 4
 $P(X = x)$: 0.4 0.3 0.1 0.1 0.1
The variance of X is
a) 1.76 b) 2.45 c) 3.2 d) 4.8
- A bag contains four tickets marked with numbers 112, 121, 211, 222. One ticket is drawn at random from the bag. Let $E_i (i = 1, 2, 3)$ denote the event that i th digit on the ticket is 2. Then, which one of the following is incorrect?
a) E_1 and E_2 are independent
b) E_2 and E_3 are independent

c) E_3 and E_1 are independent

d) E_1, E_2, E_3 are independent

9. If A and B are two events, such that $P(A \cup B) = \frac{3}{4}$, $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$, $P(\bar{A}) = \frac{2}{3}$, then $P(\bar{A} \cap B)$ is equal to

a) $\frac{5}{12}$

b) $\frac{3}{8}$

c) $\frac{5}{8}$

d) $\frac{1}{2}$

10. Let S be a set containing n elements. Two subsets A and B of S are chosen at random. The probability that $A \cup B = S$ is

a) $\frac{{}^{2n}C_n}{2^{2n}}$

b) $\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n$

c) $\frac{1}{{}^{2n}C_n}$

d) None of these

11. A rod of length 10 cm is broken into three parts, so that each part is having a length as an integral multiple of 1 cm. The probability that the parts are forming a triangle, is

a) $1/4$

b) $1/2$

c) $3/4$

d) $1/3$

12. The probability that a company executive will travel by train is $\frac{2}{3}$ and that he will travel by plane is $\frac{1}{5}$. The probability of his journey by train or plane is

a) $\frac{2}{15}$

b) $\frac{13}{15}$

c) $\frac{15}{13}$

d) $\frac{15}{2}$

13. A three digit number, which is a multiple of 11, is chosen at random. Probability that the number so chosen is also a multiple of 9, is equal to

a) $\frac{1}{9}$

b) $\frac{2}{9}$

c) $\frac{1}{100}$

d) $\frac{9}{100}$

14. Four positive integers are taken at random and are multiplied together. Then the probability that the product ends in an odd digit other than 5, is

a) $609/625$

b) $16/625$

c) $2/5$

d) $3/5$

15. A pair of fair dice is thrown independently 4 times. The probability of getting a sum of exactly 7 twice is

a) $\frac{5}{81}$

b) $\frac{25}{243}$

c) $\frac{25}{216}$

d) $\frac{125}{648}$

16. Five horses are in a race. Mr. A selects two of the horses at random and bets on them. The probability that Mr. A selected the winning horse, is

a) $\frac{4}{5}$

b) $\frac{3}{5}$

c) $\frac{1}{5}$

d) $\frac{2}{5}$

17. A number n is chosen at random from $S = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 50\}$.

Let $A = \left\{n \in S : n + \frac{50}{n} > 27\right\}$, $B = \{n \in S : n \text{ is a prime}\}$ and

$C = \{n \in S : n \text{ is a square}\}$. Then, correct order of their probabilities is

a) $P(A) < P(B) < P(C)$ b) $P(A) > P(B) > P(C)$ c) $P(B) < P(A) < P(C)$ d) $P(A) > P(C) > P(B)$

18. A bag contains 5 white and 3 black balls and 4 balls are successively drawn out and not replaced. The probability that they are alternately of different colours, is

a) $\frac{1}{196}$

b) $\frac{2}{7}$

c) $\frac{1}{7}$

d) $\frac{13}{56}$

19. Three numbers are chosen at random from 1 to 20. The probability that they are consecutive, is

a) $\frac{1}{190}$

b) $\frac{1}{120}$

c) $\frac{3}{190}$

d) $\frac{5}{190}$

20. Out of 40 consecutive natural numbers, two are chosen at random. Probability that the sum of the numbers is odd, is

a) $\frac{14}{29}$

b) $\frac{20}{39}$

c) $\frac{1}{2}$

d) None of these

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