

Precalc 13.4

Find the probability of independent events

Find the probability of dependent events

Identify mutually exclusive and inclusive events

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independent } options
dependent }

mutually exclusive } can be both
inclusive }

dice sample space

whiteboards (if time)

Could it be both?

P (king or heart)

$$\frac{4}{52} + \frac{13}{52} - \frac{1}{52} = \frac{16}{52} = \frac{4}{13}$$

Lesson 13-4 (Pages 860–867)

Determine if each event is *independent* or *dependent*. Then determine the probability.

1. the probability of selecting a red marble, not replacing it, then a green marble from a box of 6 red marbles and 2 green marbles

$$D: \frac{6}{8} \cdot \frac{2}{7} = \frac{12}{56} = \frac{3}{14}$$

2. the probability of randomly selecting two dimes from a bag containing 10 dimes and 8 pennies, if the first selection is ~~not~~ replaced

$$T \quad \frac{10}{18} \cdot \frac{10}{18} = \frac{100}{324} = \frac{25}{81}$$

$$D \quad \frac{10}{18} \cdot \frac{9}{17} =$$

3. There are two traffic lights along the route that Laura drives from home to work. One traffic light is red 50% of the time. The next traffic light is red 60% of the time. The lights operate on separate timers. Find the probability that these lights will both be red on Laura's way from home to work.

$$P(R+R) = \frac{50}{100} \cdot \frac{60}{100} = \frac{3000}{10000} = \frac{3}{10} = 30\%$$

number cubes = dice

Determine if each event is *mutually exclusive* or *mutually inclusive*. Then determine each probability.

4. the probability of tossing two number cubes and either one shows a 5

Use a table...

Could both be fives? (Ask)

	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

$$P_6 = \frac{6}{36} = \frac{1}{6} \quad P_{<5} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$P_9 = \frac{4}{36} = \frac{1}{9}$$

		First Die					
		1	2	3	4	5	6
Second Die	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
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5. the probability of selecting a card from a standard deck of cards and the card is a 10 or an ace

Could it be both?

