

- 1.) How many different cars can be made if there are 6 different car models, 2 interior colors, 5 exterior colors, and 2 stereo options?

$$6 \times 2 \times 5 \times 2 = 120$$

- 2.) How many different sets of answers are possible on a test with 30 true-false questions?

$$\underline{2} \times \underline{2} \times \underline{2} \times \underline{2} \times \dots \quad 2^{30} = 1,073,741,824$$

- 3.) The call letters for radio stations in the United States consist of either three or four letters beginning with either *k* or *w*. How many different call letters are possible?

$$\underline{2} \times \underline{26} \times \underline{26} + \underline{2} \times \underline{26} \times \underline{26} \times \underline{26}$$
$$1352 + 35,152 = 36,504$$

- 4.) How many license plates are there consisting of two letters followed by four digits if the digits cannot be repeated but the letters can?

$$\underline{26} \times \underline{26} \times \underline{10} \times \underline{9} \times \underline{8} \times \underline{7} = 3,407,040$$

- 5.) A computer password is composed of 4 letters. How many different passwords are possible if

- a.) No repeated letters are allowed?

$$\underline{26} \times \underline{25} \times \underline{24} \times \underline{23} = 358,800 \quad \text{or} \quad P(26,4)$$

- b.) The password must start with a J, end with an L, and no repeated letters are allowed?

$$\frac{1}{\text{J}} \times \underline{24} \times \underline{23} \times \frac{1}{\text{L}} = 552$$

- 6.) How many "words" can be formed using all the letters in the word Football?

F - 1
O - 2
T - 1
B - 1
A - 1
L - 2

$$\frac{8!}{(1! \times 2! \times 1! \times 1! \times 1! \times 2!)} = 10,080$$

- 7.) In how many ways can 4 fig trees, 3 pear trees, and 6 apple trees be arranged along a fence line if one does not distinguish between trees of the same kind?

$$\text{Total \# of trees} \quad 4 + 3 + 6 = 13$$

$$\frac{13!}{(4! \times 3! \times 6!)} = 60,060$$

- 8.) The Nagy 5K Race has 25 entries. In how many ways is it possible to award prizes for the first, second, and third place? *order is important permutation*

$$P(25, 3) = 13,800 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{25}{1^{\text{st}}} \times \frac{24}{2^{\text{nd}}} \times \frac{23}{3^{\text{rd}}}$$

- 9.) From a group of ten people, two are to be selected to serve on a Spring Break Party Committee. How many selections are possible? *order is not important Combination*

$$\binom{10}{2} = 45$$

- 10.) In how many different ways can a President, Vice President, and Secretary be selected from a class of 30 people?

$$P(30, 3) = 24,360$$

- 11.) There are 5 different Math books and 4 different History books. How many ways are there to arrange them on a shelf if books of the same topic must be grouped together?

5! ways to arrange the Math books

4! ways to arrange the History books

2! ways to arrange the subjects - Math History or History Math

$$\frac{5!}{\text{Math}} \times \frac{4!}{\text{History}} \times \frac{2!}{\text{subject}} = 5760$$

- 12.) A deli serves sandwiches with the following options: 3 kinds of bread, 5 kinds of meat, and 2 kinds of cheese. How many different sandwiches are possible, assuming that one of each category is used?

$$3 \times 5 \times 2 = 30$$

13.) A bowl contains fifteen balls – 8 red, 5 blue, and 2 purple. If you pick a sample of five balls from the bowl in how many ways can you pick –

a.) Your sample of five balls?

$$C(15,5) \text{ or } \binom{15}{5} = 3003$$

b.) 5 red balls?

	Red	Others	
Have	8	7	$\binom{8}{5} \times \binom{7}{0} = 56 \times 1 = 56$
Want	5	0	

c.) 1 red ball, 2 blue balls, and 2 purple balls?

	Red	Blue	Purple	
Have	8	5	2	$\binom{8}{1} \times \binom{5}{2} \times \binom{2}{2} = 80$
Want	1	2	2	

d.) At least 4 red balls? 4 or 5 red balls at least $\rightarrow \geq$

	Red	Other				
Have	8	7	or	Have	8	7
Want	4	1		Want	5	0

$$\binom{8}{4} \times \binom{7}{1} + \binom{8}{5} \times \binom{7}{0} = 490 + 56 = 546$$

14.) Cabrini is forming an activities committee of ten people. They are selecting from 15 women and 20 men.

a.) How many different committees can be formed consisting of 5 women and 5 men?

	Women	Men	
Have	15	20	$\binom{15}{5} \times \binom{20}{5} = 46,558,512$
Want	5	5	

b.) How many different committees can be formed consisting of at least 8 women? (just set the problem up – don't worry about calculating out the answer) ≥ 8 8 or 9 or 10 women

	Women	Men	
Have	15	20	$\binom{15}{8} \times \binom{20}{2} + \binom{15}{9} \times \binom{20}{1} + \binom{15}{10} \times \binom{20}{0}$
Want	8	2	
Want	9	1	
Want	10	0	

$$1,222,650 + 100,100 + 3003 = 1,325,753$$

15.) From a standard deck of 52 cards, how many 6-card hands will have 2 clubs and 3 hearts?

	Clubs	Hearts	Others	Total	
Have	13	13	26	52	$\binom{13}{2} \times \binom{13}{3} \times \binom{26}{1}$
Want	2	3	1	6	$78 \times 286 \times 26 =$ $580,008$

16.) A box contains 12 batteries, of which 4 are defective. Three (3) batteries are chosen at random, what is the probability that:

a.) Exactly two batteries are defective?

	Defective	Not Defective	Total	
Have	4	8	12	$\frac{\binom{4}{2} \times \binom{8}{1}}{\binom{12}{3}} = \frac{6 \times 8}{220} = \frac{48}{220}$
Want	2	1	3	$= .2182$

b.) All three batteries are good?

	Defective	Not Defective	Total	
Have	4	8	12	$\frac{\binom{4}{0} \times \binom{8}{3}}{\binom{12}{3}} = \frac{1 \times 56}{220}$
Want	0	3	3	$= .2545$

c.) At least two batteries are good? 2 or 3 are good

	Defective	Not Defective	Total	
Have	4	8	12	$\frac{\binom{4}{1} \times \binom{8}{2} + \binom{4}{0} \times \binom{8}{3}}{\binom{12}{3}}$
Want	1	2	3	$\frac{4 \times 28 + 1 \times 56}{220} = \frac{168}{220}$
Want	0	3	3	$= .7636$

17.) A dice is tossed 6 times. What is the probability of rolling

$n=6$
 $1-p = \frac{5}{6}$
a.) Exactly four 5's?

$p = \frac{1}{6}$
 $x=4$

$$\binom{6}{4} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^4 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 = .0080$$

binomial probability $= .7636$
binompdf(6, 1/6, 4)

b.) At least four 5's? 4 or 5 or 6

$n=6$
 $p = \frac{1}{6}$
 $x=4,5,6$

$$\binom{6}{4} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^4 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^2 + \binom{6}{5} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^5 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^1 + \binom{6}{6} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^6 \left(\frac{5}{6}\right)^0$$

$$.0080 + .0006 + 0 = .0086$$

$1 - \text{binomcdf}(6, \frac{1}{6}, 3) = .0087$ either are correct

18.) I have 15 cds in my cd collection. My collection includes 6 Elton John cds, 4 Pearl Jam cds, 2 No Doubt cds, and 3 AC/DC cds, if I select a sample of 3 cds from my collection

a.) In how many ways can I pick a **RANDOM SAMPLE** of 3 cds?

$$\binom{15}{3} = 455$$

b.) In how many **ORDERS** can I play any 3 of the cds?

$$P(15, 3) = 2730$$

c.) What is the **probability** I select 1 Pearl Jam cd and 2 AC/DC cds?

	Pearl Jam	AC/DC	Others	Total
Have	4	3	8	15
Want	1	2	0	3

$$\frac{\binom{4}{1} \times \binom{3}{2} \times \binom{8}{0}}{\binom{15}{3}} = \frac{4 \times 3 \times 1}{455} = \frac{12}{455} = \boxed{.0264}$$

d.) In how many ways can I pick at least 2 Elton John cds?

	Elton	Others	Total
Have	6	9	15
Want	2	1	3
Want	3	0	3

$$\binom{6}{2} \times \binom{9}{1} + \binom{6}{3} \times \binom{9}{0} = 135 + 20 = \boxed{155}$$

e.) What is the **probability** I pick at least 2 Elton John cds?

$$\frac{155}{\binom{15}{3}} = \frac{155}{455} = \boxed{.3407}$$

19.) LeBron James has a 35% three-point shooting percentage (this means he makes 35% of his 3 point shots). If he shoots 4 three-point shots what is the probability he (hint use binomial probability) $n = 4$ $p = .35$ $1-p = .65$

a.) Makes EXACTLY 2 three-point shots?

$$x=2 \quad \binom{4}{2} (.35)^2 (.65)^2 = \boxed{.3105}$$

b.) Makes between 1 and 3 three-point shots, inclusive? 1 or 2 or 3

$$\binom{4}{1} (.35)^1 (.65)^3 + \binom{4}{2} (.35)^2 (.65)^2 + \binom{4}{3} (.35)^3 (.65)^1$$

$$.3845 + .3105 + .1115 = \boxed{.8065}$$

c.) Makes at most 1 three-point shot? 0 or 1

$$\binom{4}{0} (.35)^0 (.65)^4 + \binom{4}{1} (.35)^1 (.65)^3$$

$$.1785 + .3845 = \boxed{.5630}$$

20.) Find the expected value for the random variable, x.

x	4	6	8	10
P(x)	0.4	0.4	0.05	0.15

$$E(x) = 4(.4) + 6(.4) + 8(.05) + 10(.15) = 5.9$$

21.) Mrs. Devanney draws 3 marbles from a bag containing 3 yellow and 4 white marbles. What is the expected number of yellow marbles in the sample?

X	0	1	2	3
P(x)	.1143	.5143	.3429	.0286

$$E(x) = 0(.1143) + 1(.5143) + 2(.3429) + 3(.0286)$$

$$= \boxed{1.2859}$$

$$\frac{\binom{3}{0}\binom{4}{3}}{\binom{7}{3}} = .1143 \quad \frac{\binom{3}{1}\binom{4}{2}}{\binom{7}{3}} = .5143$$

$$\frac{\binom{3}{2}\binom{4}{1}}{\binom{7}{3}} = .3429 \quad \frac{\binom{3}{3}\binom{4}{0}}{\binom{7}{3}} = .0286$$

22.) Solve these problems without using the calculator

a.) $0! = 1$

b.) $P(5,2)$

$$\frac{5!}{(5-2)!} = \frac{5!}{3!} = \frac{5 \times 4 \times \cancel{3!}}{\cancel{3!}}$$

$$= 5 \times 4$$

$$= 20$$

c.) $\binom{7}{4}$

$$\frac{7!}{(7-4)!4!} = \frac{7!}{3!4!} =$$

$$\frac{7 \times 6 \times 5 \times \cancel{4!}}{3 \times 2 \times 1 \times \cancel{4!}} = \frac{7 \times 6 \times 5}{6}$$

$$= 35$$

23.) The band is selling lottery tickets. There are 3000 tickets that each cost \$1. First prize is \$300. There are 2 second prize tickets winning \$200 each. There are 7 third prizes of \$100 each. What is the expected payback if Sean buys one ticket?

x	299	199	99	-1
$P(x)$	$\frac{1}{3000}$	$\frac{2}{3000}$	$\frac{7}{3000}$	$\frac{2990}{3000}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E(x) &= 299 \left(\frac{1}{3000} \right) + 199 \left(\frac{2}{3000} \right) + 99 \left(\frac{7}{3000} \right) - 1 \left(\frac{2990}{3000} \right) \\
 &= \frac{299}{3000} + \frac{398}{3000} + \frac{693}{3000} - \frac{2990}{3000} \\
 &= \frac{-1600}{3000} = \$ -0.53
 \end{aligned}$$

Permutations:

$$P(n, r) = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

Combinations:

$$\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!r!}$$

Binomial Probability:

$$\binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{(n-x)} = \text{binompdf}(n, p, x)$$