

2014 - 2015 Log1 Contest Round 2
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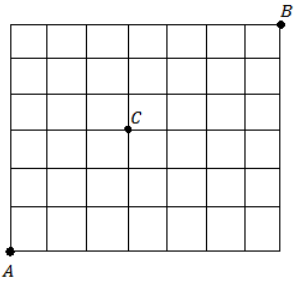
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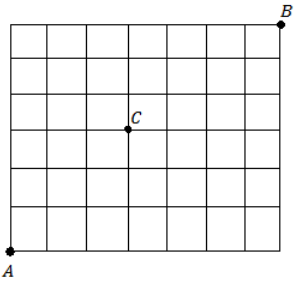
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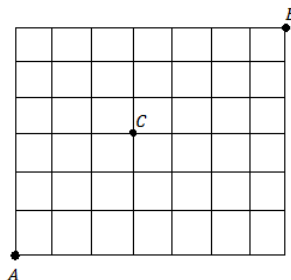
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1	1	1	Sides 2, 4, and 6 are even, while sides 1, 3, and 5 are odd, so the probability is $\frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$.
2	2	2	Since there are two options for each flip, there are a total of $2^3 = 8$ possible sequences. There are $\binom{3}{2} = 3$ ways to choose the two positions for the tails, so the probability of flipping exactly 2 tails is $\frac{3}{8}$.
3	3	3	This is similar to the last question, except that there are also $\binom{3}{2} = 3$ ways to choose the two positions for heads, so the probability of flipping exactly two of the same thing is $\frac{3+3}{8} = \frac{6}{8} = \frac{3}{4}$.
		4	Count the number of ways of rolling a sum of 4 or less, since there are fewer of those. The combinations of rolls are 1 and 1 (1 way), 1 and 2 (2 ways), 1 and 3 (2 ways), and 2 and 2 (1 way), making a total of six possible rolls with a sum of 4 or less. The total number of rolls is $20^2 = 400$, so the probability is $1 - \frac{6}{400} = \frac{394}{400} = \frac{197}{200}$.
	4		Count the number of ways of rolling a sum of 9 or less, since there are fewer of those. The number of combinations of rolls with a sum of 2 is 1, with a sum of 3 is 2, with a sum of 4 is 3, etc., on up to a sum of 9 is 8, making a total of $1+2+\dots+8=36$ possible rolls with a sum of 9 or less. The total number of rolls is $20^2 = 400$, so the probability is $1 - \frac{36}{400} = \frac{364}{400} = \frac{91}{100}$.
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		5	The probability of an event must be a number from 0 to 1, inclusive. Of the numbers listed, only $\ln 3$ (which is greater than 1) and $\log_{0.75} 8$ (which is negative) are outside this range. Therefore, there are 8 possible probabilities among the numbers given.
5	5	6	Since drawn cards are replaced, multiply each of the three individual probabilities together. The three probabilities are $\frac{1}{13}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, and $\frac{10}{13}$ (non-face cards are non-Jacks, non-Queens, and non-Kings), respectively, so the probability is $\frac{1}{13} \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{10}{13} = \frac{5}{338}$.

6	7	<p>Yuan wins if the number of heads on the seven flips is 0, 1, 2, 3, or 7. Therefore, since there are $2^7 = 128$ equally likely sequences of flips, the probability that Yuan wins is</p> $\frac{\binom{7}{0} + \binom{7}{1} + \binom{7}{2} + \binom{7}{3} + \binom{7}{7}}{128} = \frac{1+7+21+35+1}{128} = \frac{65}{128}.$																		
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7	7	<p>By the triangle inequality, the third side must be some integer from 4 to 14, inclusive. Let x be the length of the third side. By Hero's formula, the area enclosed by the triangle is $\sqrt{\frac{15+x}{2} \cdot \frac{15-x}{2} \cdot \frac{3+x}{2} \cdot \frac{x-3}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{(225-x^2)(x^2-9)}$. If x was even, then both factors under the radical would be odd, and there would be no factors of 2 that would cancel the $\frac{1}{4}$ in front of the radical—thus, x can't be even. In checking the five possible odd values of x, we need only check to see if $(225-x^2)(x^2-9)$ is a perfect square multiple of 32 (so that the square root of that quantity is an integer multiple of $4\sqrt{2}$).</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="500 1050 1185 1297"> <thead> <tr> <th>x</th> <th>$(225-x^2)(x^2-9)$</th> <th>Perfect square multiple of 32?</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>$200 \cdot 16 = 100 \cdot 32$</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7</td> <td>$176 \cdot 40 = 220 \cdot 32$</td> <td>No</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9</td> <td>$144 \cdot 72 = 324 \cdot 32$</td> <td>Yes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11</td> <td>$104 \cdot 112 = 364 \cdot 32$</td> <td>No</td> </tr> <tr> <td>13</td> <td>$56 \cdot 160 = 280 \cdot 32$</td> <td>No</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Therefore, 2 of the 11 possible values of x fit the condition, so the probability is $\frac{2}{11}$.</p>	x	$(225-x^2)(x^2-9)$	Perfect square multiple of 32?	5	$200 \cdot 16 = 100 \cdot 32$	Yes	7	$176 \cdot 40 = 220 \cdot 32$	No	9	$144 \cdot 72 = 324 \cdot 32$	Yes	11	$104 \cdot 112 = 364 \cdot 32$	No	13	$56 \cdot 160 = 280 \cdot 32$	No
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8	8	<p>To go from A to B, any path constitutes 6 upward units and 7 rightward units. Once the rightward units are selected, the 6 upward units area already dictated, so the total number of paths from A to B is $\binom{13}{7} = 1716$. In a similar manner, the number of paths from A to C is $\binom{6}{3} = 20$, and the number of paths from C to B is $\binom{7}{4} = 35$. Therefore, the number of path from A to B passing through C is $20 \cdot 35 = 700$. Therefore, the probability of passing through C is $\frac{700}{1716} = \frac{175}{429}$.</p>																		
9	9	<p>The only way this would not happen would be if the same number of heads and tails came up, which would be 3 apiece. Thus, the probability is $1 - \frac{\binom{6}{3}}{2^6} = 1 - \frac{20}{64} = \frac{44}{64} = \frac{11}{16}$.</p>																		

		10	The primary colors are red, yellow, and blue, so the total number of marbles that are primary colors is $\frac{20+10+2}{20+10+2+8} = \frac{32}{40} = \frac{4}{5}$.
9	10		$\binom{5}{3} \binom{3}{5} \binom{2}{5}^2 = \frac{10 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 2^2}{5^5} = \frac{216}{625}$
10	11	11	If the cut is made so that the two pieces are in the ratio of 5:4, then this will be the break-even point. Anything closer to the end of the shorter side will work, so the right- or left-most $\frac{4}{9}$ of the yarn would work, giving a probability of $\frac{8}{9}$.
11	12	12	If we want exactly three tails, then heads or landing on edge can be lumped together as we don't care how many of those we get. Therefore, the probability is $\binom{5}{3} \binom{2}{5}^3 \binom{3}{5}^2 = \frac{10 \cdot 2^3 \cdot 3^2}{5^5} = \frac{144}{625}$.
12			Each coin has a $\frac{1}{4}$ probability of being selected, so using Bayes' theorem, the probability that the drawn coin was the fair one is $\frac{\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{5}{6}} = \frac{6}{23}$.
		13	There are 10 possible numbers for the first digit, but once that digit is selected, there are only 9 possible numbers for the second digit. After that, there are only 9 possible numbers for the third digit (any number except that used for the second digit) and 9 possible numbers for the fourth digit (any number except that used for the third digit). Therefore, there are $10 \cdot 9^3 = 7290$ possible pin codes without the same digit used as consecutive digits.
	13		The number of ways to select four distinct digits is $\binom{10}{4} = 210$, and then once you have four digits, there are $4! = 24$ ways to order them. However, we must throw out two orderings for each set of four distinct numbers, since in one way they are strictly increasing and in another way they are strictly decreasing. Therefore, the number of possible pin codes that satisfy the condition is $210(24 - 2) = 210 \cdot 22 = 4620$.
		14	The only point that satisfies distance 3 or less from both given points is $(5, 4)$, but there are an infinite amount of points from which to choose, so the probability is 0.
13	14	15	The region consists of two circular disks whose centers are on the boundary of each other. Therefore, we are looking for the area of the overlap divided by the total area. The overlap area consists of two equilateral triangular regions with side length 6 and four "pie crusts" (a 60° circular sector with the same equilateral triangular region removed). Therefore, the area of the overlap is $2 \left(\frac{6^2 \sqrt{3}}{4} \right) + 4 \left(\frac{1}{6} \pi \cdot 6^2 - \frac{6^2 \sqrt{3}}{4} \right) = 24\pi - 18\sqrt{3}$. The total area of the region is $2\pi \cdot (6^2) - (24\pi - 18\sqrt{3}) = 48\pi + 18\sqrt{3}$, so the probability is $\frac{24\pi - 18\sqrt{3}}{48\pi + 18\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4\pi - 3\sqrt{3}}{8\pi + 3\sqrt{3}}$, so $a + b + c + d = 4 + 3 + 8 + 3 = 18$.

14		<p>The possible rolls with a product of 16 or higher are 3-6 (2 ways), 4-4 (1 way), 4-5 (2 ways), 4-6 (2 ways), 5-5 (1 way), 5-6 (2 ways), and 6-6 (1 way), so because there are 36 possible rolls, the probability is $\frac{2+1+2+2+1+2+1}{36} = \frac{11}{36}$.</p>
15	15	<p>Set $x = p^{p^{p^{p^{\dots}}}}$, then $x = p^x$, where $0 < p \leq 1$ (since p was the probability of a <u>possible</u> event). First, if $p = 1$, then $x = 1$ also, so the exponentiation converges. Now, consider $0 < p < 1$. Since $x = p^x$, the graphs of $y = x$ and $y = p^x$, $0 < p < 1$ are always going to intersect somewhere in the region $0 < x < 1$, $0 < y < 1$. Therefore, the exponentiation will converge for all p in the interval $(0, 1]$.</p>