

WANDOOR GANITHAM – S.S.L.C STUDY MATERIAL 2021

FOCUS AREA - QUESTION BANK - MATHEMATICS OF CHANCE

- 1 *A coin is tossed .*
 - a) *What is the the probability of getting a head ?*
 - b) *What is the the probability of not getting a head ?*
- 2 *In a class there are 30 boys and 20 girls . One student is to be selected as leader .*
 - a) *What is the probability that the class leader will be a girl ?*
 - b) *What is the probability that the class leader will not be a girl ?*
- 3 *Each letter of the word “ MALAYALAM “ is written on paper slips and put in a box .*
A slip is to be drawn from it .
 - a) *What is the probability of getting the letter A ?*
 - b) *What is the probability of not getting the letter A ?*
- 4 *In a class there are 25 boys and 35 girls . One student is to be selected as leader .*
 - a) *What is the probability that the class leader will be a boy ?*
 - b) *What is the probability that the class leader will not be a boy ?*
 - c) *What is the probability that the class leader will be a boy if 5 girls are absent ?*
- 5 *A bag contains 6 white and 9 blue balls . In another box there are 8 white and 12 blue balls . Take one ball from this*
 - a) *What is the probability of getting a white ball from the first bag ?*
 - b) *What is the probability of getting a white ball from the second bag ?*
 - c) *If all the balls are put in a single bag ,what is the probability of getting a white ball from it ?*

6 *Numbers from 1 to 10 are written on slips of paper and put in a box . A slip is to be drawn from it .*

a) *What is the probability that the number written in it is an even number ?*

b) *What is the probability that the number written in it is an odd number ?*

c) *What is the probability that the number written in it is a prime number ?*

7 *Numbers from 1 to 20 are written on slips of paper and put in a box . A slip is to be drawn from it .*

a) *What is the probability that the number written in it is a multiple of 2 ?*

b) *What is the probability that the number written in it is a multiple of 3 ?*

c) *What is the probability that the number written in it is a multiple of 6 ?*

8 *Numbers from 1 to 25 are written on slips of paper and put in a box . A slip is to be drawn from it .*

a) *What is the probability that the number written in it is an even number ?*

b) *What is the probability that the number written in it is an odd number ?*

c) *What is the probability that the number written in it is a perfect square ?*

9 *A bag contains 10 red and 8 blue balls . Take one ball from this .*

a) *What is the probability of getting a red ball ?*

b) *What is the probability of getting a blue ball ?*

10 *A box contains 20 apples and 30 oranges . Take one from this .*

a) *What is the probability of getting an apple ?*

b) *What is the probability of getting an orange ?*

c) *If 10 more apples are put in the box , What is the probability of getting an orange ?*

- 11 A bag contains 15 white and 25 green beads . Take one bead from this
- What is the probability of getting a green bead ?
 - What is the probability of getting a white bead ?
 - How many more white beads are to be put in the box to make the probability of getting a green bead is $\frac{1}{2}$?
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- 12 A bag contains 40 mangoes and some oranges . Take one from this . The probability of getting a mango is $\frac{4}{7}$.
- How many fruits are there in the box ?
 - What is the probability of getting an orange ?
 - If 15 mangoes are taken out from the box , what will be the probability of getting an orange ?
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- 13 A bag contains 15 red and some green beads . Take one bead from this .
- The probability of getting a blue bead is $\frac{4}{9}$.
- What is the probability of getting a red bead ?
 - How many blue beads are there in the bag ?
 - If 3 more red beads are put in the bag , what is the probability of getting a blue beard ?
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- 14 A box contains 90 beads , some black and some yellow . Take one bead from this .
- The probability of getting a yellow bead is $\frac{2}{3}$.
- How many yellow beads are there in the box ?
 - What is the probability of getting a black bead ?
 - If 10 yellow beads are taken out from the bag , what is the probability of getting a black beard ?

15 A box contains 50 fruits , some apples and some oranges .Take one from this .

The probability of getting an orange is $\frac{7}{10}$.

a) How many oranges are there in the box ?

b) What is the probability of getting an apple ?

c) How many more apples are to be put to the box to make the probability of

getting an orange is $\frac{5}{9}$?

16 A dice with faces numbered from 1 to 6 is rolled .

a) What is the probability of getting an even number ?

b) What is the probability of getting an odd number ?

c) What is the probability of getting a perfect square ?

17 A dice with faces numbered from 1 to 6 is rolled .

a) What is the probability of getting an even number ?

b) What is the probability of getting an odd number ?

c) What is the probability of getting a prime number ?

18 One is asked to say a two -digit number .

a) How many two digit numbers are there ?

b) What is the probability of both digits being the same ?

c) What is the probability of both digits being not same ?

19 One is asked to say a two -digit number .

a) How many two digit numbers are there ?

b) What is the probability of getting a multiple of 10 ?

c) What is the probability of getting a multiple of 11 ?

- 20 One is asked to say a two -digit number .
- a) How many two digit numbers are there ?
 - b) What is the probability of getting a multiple of 5 ?
 - c) What is the probability of getting a multiple of 10 ?
 - d) What is the probability of one of the digit being zero and the other being a prime ?
- 21 One is asked to say a two -digit number .
- a) How many two digit numbers are there ?
 - b) What is the probability of only one of the digits being 1 ?
 - c) What is the probability of the product of the digits being a prime ?
- 22 One is asked to say a two -digit number .
- a) How many two digit numbers are there ?
 - b) What is the smallest possible sum of the digits ?
 - c) What is the largest possible sum of the digits ?
 - d) What is the probability of the sum of the digits being a prime ?
- 23 One is asked to say a two -digit number .
- a) How many two digit numbers are there ?
 - b) What is the smallest possible product of the digits ?
 - c) What is the largest possible product of the digits ?
 - d) What is the probability of the product of the digits being a perfect square ?
- 24 One is asked to say a two -digit number .
- a) How many two digit numbers are there ?
 - b) What is the smallest possible product of the digits ?
 - c) What is the largest possible product of the digits ?
 - d) What is the probability of the product of the digits being a prime ?

25 *One is asked to say a two -digit number .*

- a) *How many two digit numbers are there ?*
- b) *What is the probability of the digits being the same ?*
- c) *What is the probability of the first digit being larger ?*
- d) *What is the probability of the first digit being smaller ?*

26 *One is asked to say a three -digit number .*

- a) *How many three digit numbers are there ?*
- b) *What is the probability of the digits being the same ?*
- c) *What is the probability that only two of the digits being 1 ?*
- d) *What is the probability that the product of the digits being a prime ?*

27 *One is asked to say a three -digit number .*

- a) *How many three digit numbers are there ?*
- b) *What is the probability of getting a multiple of 10 ?*
- c) *What is the probability of getting a multiple of 11 ?*

28 *Consider a leap year .*

- a) *How many days are there in a leap year ?*
- b) *What is the probability of occurring 53 saturdays in a leap year ?*
- c) *What is the probability of occurring 53 saturdays in a non - leap year ?*

29 a) *How many days are there in the month January ?*

- b) *What is the probability of occurring 5 sundays in January ?*
- c) *What is the probability of occurring 5 sundays in February of a leap year ?*

EXTRA QUESTIONS

30 *In class 10 A there are 30 boys and 20 girls . In class 10 B there are 40 boys and 30 girls . One student is to be selected from each class .*

- a) *In how many different ways we can select a pair of students , one from each ?*
- b) *What is the probability of both being girls ?*
- c) *What is the probability of getting one boy and one girl ?*
- d) *What is the probability of getting at least one girl ?*

31 *A box contains 10 slips numbered from 1 to 10 and another box contains 20 slips numbered from 1 to 20 . One slip is taken from each box .*

- a) *In how many different ways we can select a pair of slips , one from each ?*
- b) *What is the probability of both being even ?*
- c) *What is the probability of getting an even number and an odd number ?*
- d) *What is the probability of getting at least an even number ?*