

probability and games the most closely.

**Ex 1** You draw two cards from a standard deck without replacement. What is the probability that:

a) the first card is a Jack and the second card is a 3?

*Using multiplication law*

$$P = \frac{4}{52} \cdot \frac{4}{51}$$

$$= 0.0060 = 0.60\%$$

*Using combinatorics*

$$P = \frac{\text{fav}}{\text{total}} = \frac{4^J C_1 \cdot 4^3 C_1}{52^C_1 \cdot 51^C_1}$$

$$= \frac{4}{52} \cdot \frac{4}{51} = 0.60\%$$

b) one card is a Jack and the other is a 3?

*Using multiplication law*

$J \rightarrow 3$       $3 \rightarrow J$

$$P = \frac{4}{52} \cdot \frac{4}{51} + \frac{4}{52} \cdot \frac{4}{51}$$

$$= 0.60\% + 0.60\%$$

$$= \boxed{1.21\%}$$

*Using combinatorics*

$$P = \frac{\text{fav}}{\text{total}} = \frac{4^J \text{ and } 3^C_1 \cdot 4^3 C_1}{52^C_2}$$

$$= \frac{4 \cdot 4}{1326} = \boxed{1.21\%}$$

c) both cards are diamonds?

*Using multiplication law*

$$P = \frac{13}{52} \cdot \frac{12}{51} = 0.0588$$

$$= 5.88\%$$

*Using combinatorics*

$$P = \frac{\text{fav}}{\text{total}} = \frac{13^C_2}{52^C_2}$$

$$= \frac{78}{1326} = 5.88\%$$

d) both cards are different suits?

Using multiplication law

$$P = \frac{13}{52} \cdot \frac{39}{51} + \frac{13}{52} \cdot \frac{39}{51}$$

or

$$+ \frac{13}{52} \cdot \frac{39}{51} + \frac{13}{52} \cdot \frac{39}{51}$$

$$= 4 \cdot (0.1912) = \underline{76.47\%}$$

Using combinatorics

2 suits and card ↓ 1st suit card ↓ 2nd suit

$$P = \frac{4^2 \cdot 13^2}{52^2} =$$

$$= \frac{1014}{1326} = \underline{76.47\%}$$

**Ex 2** You are trying to use your bank card, but you forgot your 4-digit PIN! Fortunately, you do remember that the first digit is a 3 and the second digit is an odd number. What is the probability you guess your PIN on your first try? (NOTE: a digit can be 0-9)

Using multiplication law

1st AND 2nd AND 3rd AND 4th

← right

← possible

$$P = \frac{1}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{10}$$

$$= 0.002 = 0.2\%$$

Using combinatorics

Given info

$$P \Rightarrow \frac{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 10 \cdot 10}{500}$$

$$\frac{\text{fav}}{\text{tot}} = \frac{1}{500} = 0.2\%$$