Probability – Worksheet #4





A. Coin Flip

- 1) What is the theoretical probability that the coin will land on tails?
- 2) What is the theoretical probability that the coin will land on heads?
- 3) If the coin is flipped 140 times, how many times would you predict that the coin lands on heads?
- 4) Johnny flipped a coin 450 times. His results are below:

Heads	Tails
240	210

What is the **experimental** probability that the coin lands on heads?

B. Roll of the Die (6-sided)

- 5) P(4) = 7) P(not a 2) =
- 6) P(3 or 5) = 8) P(odd) =
- 9) If the die is rolled 300 times, how many times would you predict a roll of a 1 or a 6?
- 10) Johnny rolled the die 1,500 times. His results are below:

# on die	1	2	3	4	5	6
Times	230	245	300	280	215	230
rolled						

What is the **experimental** probability that the die will land on a 4?

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- C. Spinners
- 11) P(black) =
- 12) P(not orange) =
- 13) P(blue or black) =
- 14) If the spinner is spun 40 times, how many times would you predict a spin of something that is not purple?



15) Johnny spins the spinner 60 times. His results are below:

Color	Black	Blue	Orange	Purple
Times	17	15	21	7
Spun				

- a) What is the **experimental** probability of a spin of orange?
- b) Which color had an experimental probability that matched its theoretical probability?

D. Multiple Choice.

16) Neil tossed a 6-sided die 90 times. The results of his tosses are recorded in the table below:

Number	Times tossed
1	13
2	15
3	14
4	12
5	18
6	18

What number had an experimental probability that matched its theoretical probability?

2
3
4
5

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Bradley spun the spinner 40 times and recorded his results in the table.



Color	Frequency
Blue	12
Green	6
Red	9
White	13

- A. For a single spin, what is the theoretical probability of spinning green?
- B. For two consecutive spins, what is the theoretical probability of spinning a red first AND a blue second?
- C. According to the table, what was the **experimental** probability of spinning blue?
- D. According to the table, what color had an **experimental** probability closest to its theoretical probability?
- E. If Bradley spins the spinner 200 times, how many times would you predict the spinner lands green?
- F. <u>EXPLAIN</u> in your own words what the difference is between theoretical probability and experimental probability.