

## CUET Mathematics Test - Set 23

### Unit VI: Probability (Intermediate)

#### General Instructions

1. Total Questions: **15**
2. Duration: **60 Minutes**
3. All questions are compulsory.
4. Each question carries **5 marks**.
5. For each correct answer: **+5 marks**.
6. For each incorrect answer: **-1 mark**.
7. No negative marking for unanswered questions.
8. Use of calculator or electronic devices is strictly prohibited.
9. Choose the most appropriate answer from the given options.

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1. If  $P(A) = 0.8$  and  $P(B) = 0.5$ , then the minimum possible value of  $P(A \cap B)$  is:
  - (A) 0.3
  - (B) 0.4
  - (C) 0.5
  - (D) 0
2. A problem in mathematics is given to three students whose chances of solving it are  $1/2, 1/3$  and  $1/4$  respectively. What is the probability that the problem is solved?
  - (A)  $1/4$
  - (B)  $1/2$
  - (C)  $3/4$
  - (D)  $7/12$
3. If  $A$  and  $B$  are two independent events such that  $P(A \cup B) = 0.60$  and  $P(A) = 0.2$ , then  $P(B)$  is:
  - (A) 0.4
  - (B) 0.5
  - (C) 0.33
  - (D) 0.8
4. Two cards are drawn from a pack of 52 cards one after another without replacement. The probability that one is a red card and the other is a black card is:
  - (A)  $26/51$
  - (B)  $26/52$
  - (C)  $25/51$
  - (D)  $1/2$
5. An unbiased die is thrown twice. Let  $A$  be the event "odd number on first throw" and  $B$  be the event "odd number on second throw". Check the independence of  $A$  and  $B$ .
  - (A) Dependent
  - (B) Independent
  - (C) Mutually Exclusive
  - (D) Exhaustive
6. If  $P(A) = 6/11, P(B) = 5/11$  and  $P(A \cup B) = 7/11$ , then  $P(A|B)$  is:
  - (A)  $2/3$
  - (B)  $4/5$
  - (C)  $3/5$
  - (D) 1
7. A random variable  $X$  takes values 0, 1, 2 with probabilities  $1/3, 1/6, 1/2$  respectively. The expectation  $E(X)$  is:
  - (A) 1.16
  - (B) 1.5
  - (C) 1.25
  - (D) 1.33
8. The probability of a shooter hitting a target is  $3/4$ . How many minimum number of times must he fire so that the probability of hitting the target at least once is more than 0.99?
  - (A) 3
  - (B) 4
  - (C) 5
  - (D) 2

9. A box contains 100 tickets numbered  $1, 2, \dots, 100$ . If a ticket is drawn at random, what is the probability that the ticket has a number which is a multiple of 3 or 7?  
(A)  $43/100$   
(B)  $47/100$   
(C)  $33/100$   
(D)  $41/100$
10. If  $A$  and  $B$  are two events such that  $P(A) = 0.4, P(B) = 0.3$  and  $P(A \cup B) = 0.5$ , then  $P(\bar{B} \cap A)$  is:  
(A) 0.1  
(B) 0.2  
(C) 0.3  
(D) 0.4
11. In a class, 60% of students study Mathematics, 40% study Biology and 20% study both. If a student is selected at random and studies Mathematics, the probability that they also study Biology is:  
(A)  $1/2$   
(B)  $1/3$   
(C)  $1/4$   
(D)  $1/5$
12. The mean of a binomial distribution is 4 and its variance is 3. The number of trials  $n$  is:  
(A) 12  
(B) 16  
(C) 20  
(D) 8
13.  $P(A) = 0.5, P(B) = 0.4$  and  $P(A \cap B) = 0.3$ . The value of  $P(A'|B')$  is:  
(A)  $1/3$   
(B)  $1/2$   
(C)  $2/3$   
(D)  $3/4$
14. A random variable  $X$  has a mean 2 and variance 4. Then  $E(X^2)$  is:  
(A) 4  
(B) 6  
(C) 8  
(D) 10
15. Given  $P(A \cup B) = 0.8$  and  $P(A \cap B) = 0.3$ , then  $P(A') + P(B')$  is:  
(A) 0.3  
(B) 0.5  
(C) 0.7  
(D) 0.9

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