

6: Suppose an experiment consists of tossing a 10-sided die 8 times. How many outcomes/points are in the sample space?

10^8

7: Let $\{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ be an independent set of events with $P(A_k) = p_k$, $1 \leq k \leq n$. Derive an expression giving the probability at least one of the events A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n occurs in terms of the p_k .

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n) &= 1 - P(A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap \dots \cap A_n^c) \\
 &= 1 - P(A_1^c) \cdot P(A_2^c) \cdot \dots \cdot P(A_n^c) \\
 &= 1 - (1-p_1)(1-p_2) \dots (1-p_n)
 \end{aligned}$$

$P(\text{at least one})$ (1)

$$= P(A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n) = 1 - P(A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap \dots \cap A_n^c) \quad (2)$$

$$= 1 - P(A_1^c) \cdot P(A_2^c) \cdot \dots \cdot P(A_n^c) \quad (3)$$

$$= 1 - (1-p_1)(1-p_2) \dots (1-p_n) \quad (5)$$

