

Find a group of 3-5 people to sit with

This is to ensure that we get through all the groups in time when working on problems as groups :)

section 2

-----More Counting & Probability-----

LOGISTICS

HW 1 due yesterday

(Late deadline Friday(06/28 @ 11:59pm))

Hw 2 is out

(due Wednesday(07/03 @ 11:59pm))

Office Hours

(times/locations listed on the website)

Homework

- Submissions
 - LaTeX (highly encouraged)
 - overleaf.com
 - template and LaTeX guide posted on course website!
 - Word Editor that supports mathematical equations
 - Handwritten neatly and scanned
- Homework will typically be due on Wednesdays at 11:59pm on Gradescope
- Each assignment can be submitted a max of **48 hours** late
- You have **6 late days total** to use throughout the quarter
 - Anything beyond that will result in a deduction on further late assignments

CONTENT REVIEW



NEW TOPICS!

Binomial Theorem

Inclusion Exclusion

Pigeonhole Principle

Stars and Bars

Probability Spaces and Uniform Probability

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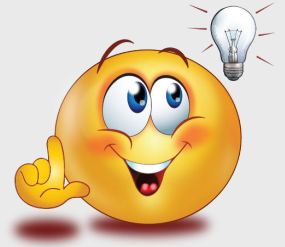
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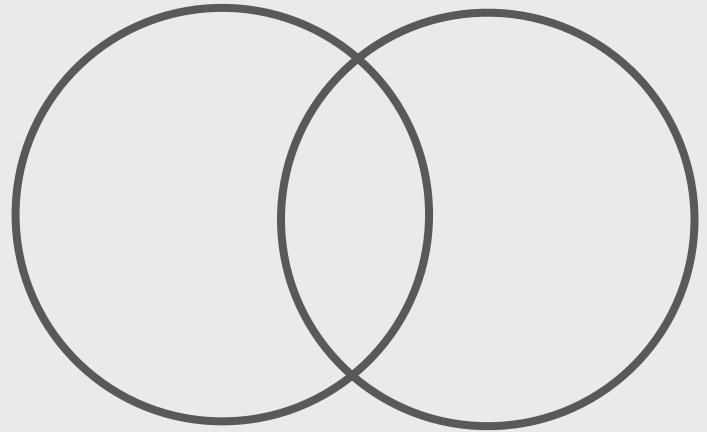
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Yes! Choosing a set of k out of n things is the same as choosing a set of $n - k$ things to not include

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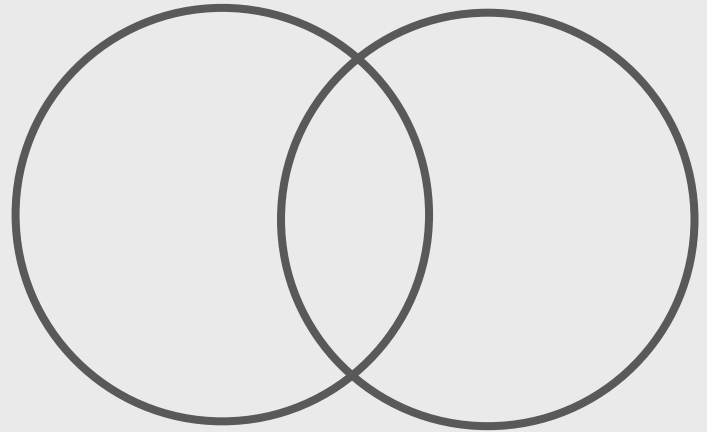
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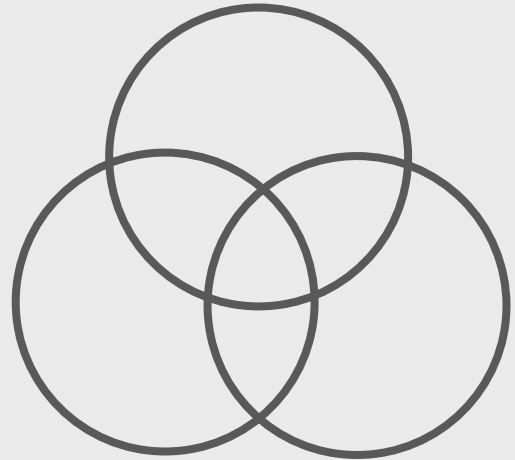


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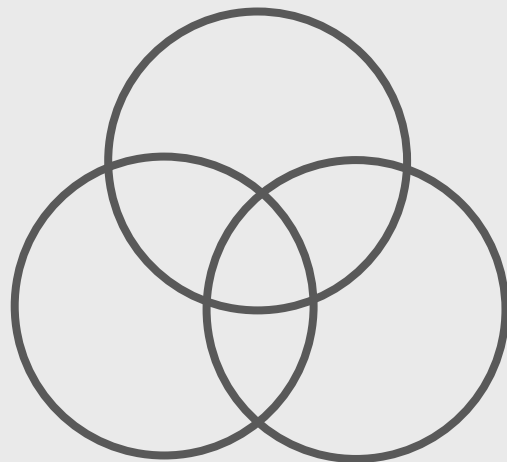
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singles - doubles + triples

$|A| + |B| + |C| - |A \cap B| - |A \cap C| - |B \cap C| + |A \cap B \cap C|$

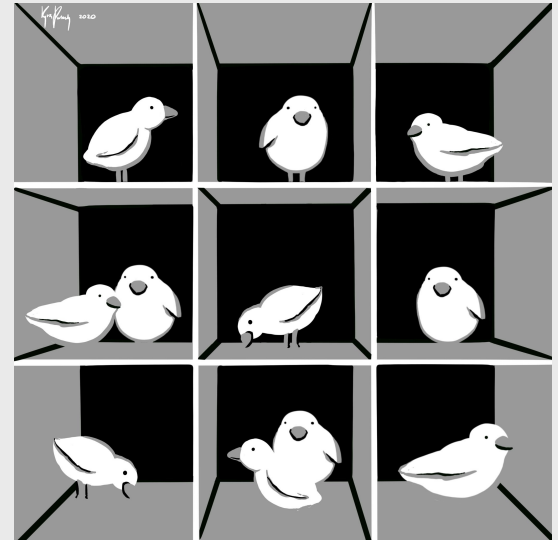


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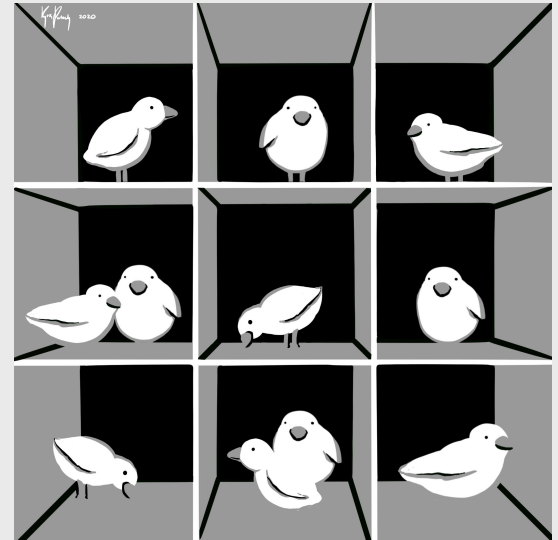
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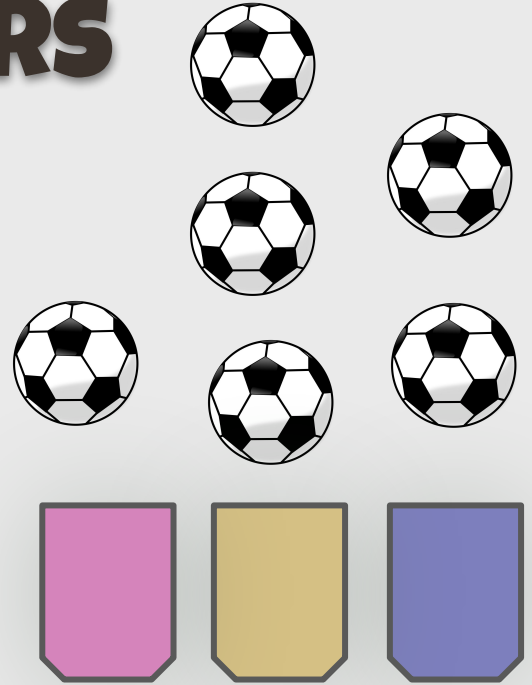

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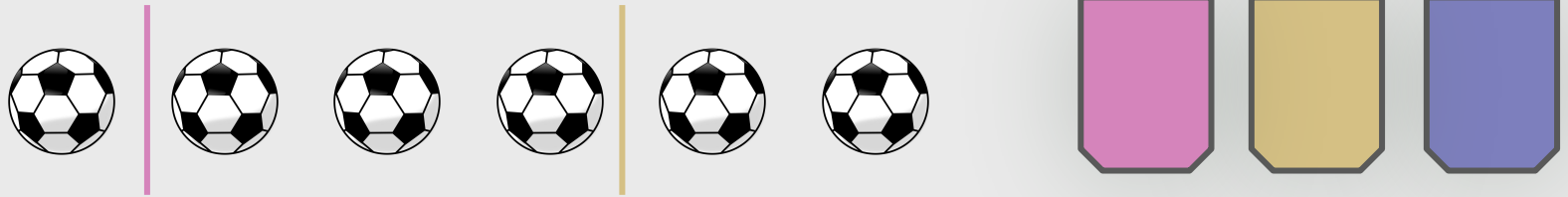
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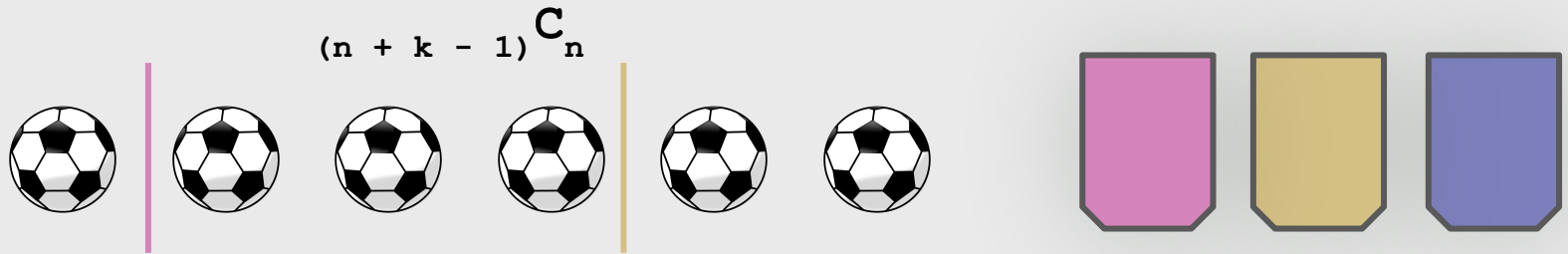
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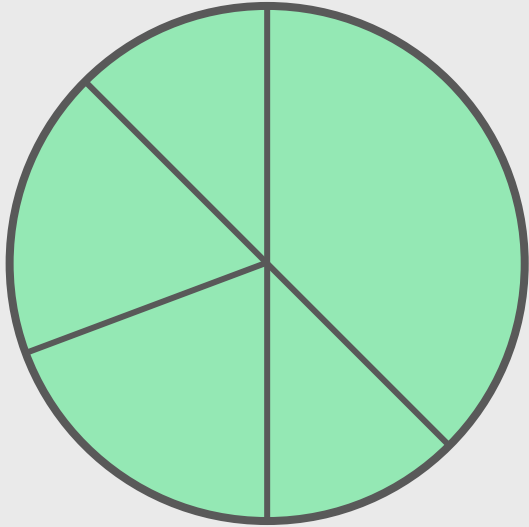


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- **Sample Space:** The set of all possible outcomes of an experiment, denoted Ω or S
- **Event:** Some subset of the sample space, usually a capital letter such as $E \subseteq \Omega$
- **Union:** The union of two events E and F is denoted $E \cup F$
- **Intersection:** The intersection of two events E and F is denoted $E \cap F$ or EF
- **Mutually Exclusive:** Events E and F are mutually exclusive iff $E \cap F = \emptyset$
- **Complement:** The complement of an event E is denoted E^C or \bar{E} or $\neg E$, and is equal to $\Omega \setminus E$
- **DeMorgan's Laws:** $(E \cup F)^C = E^C \cap F^C$ and $(E \cap F)^C = E^C \cup F^C$

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Sample Space

Each probability is between 0 and 1 inclusive

Probabilities add to 1

If events are *mutually exclusive*,
 $P(A \cup B \cup C) = P(A) + P(B) + P(C)$
because there are no intersections

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- **Axioms of Probability**

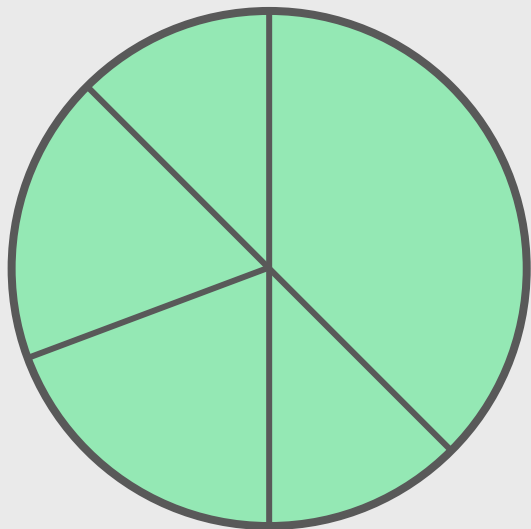
- **Non-negativity:** For any event E , $\mathbb{P}(E) \geq 0$
- **Normalization:** $\mathbb{P}(\Omega) = 1$
- **Additivity:** If E and F are mutually exclusive events, then
$$\mathbb{P}(E \cup F) = \mathbb{P}(E) + \mathbb{P}(F)$$

- **Corollaries of these axioms**

- **Complementation:** $\mathbb{P}(E) + \mathbb{P}(E^C) = 1$
- **Monotonicity:** If $E \subseteq F$, $\mathbb{P}(E) \leq \mathbb{P}(F)$
- **Inclusion-Exclusion:** $\mathbb{P}(E \cup F) = \mathbb{P}(E) + \mathbb{P}(F) - \mathbb{P}(E \cap F)$

- **Equally Likely Outcomes:** If every outcome in a finite sample space Ω is equally likely, and E is an event, then $\mathbb{P}(E) = \frac{|E|}{|\Omega|}$

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Sample Space

An event is a subset of the sample space

$$E \subseteq \Omega$$

If each outcome in the sample space is *equally likely*, the probability of an event is

$$P(E) = |E| / |\Omega|$$

If the union of a set of mutually exclusive events is equal to the sample sets, those events *partition* the sample space