

1. Linda Lou offers Billy Bob to play a game which involves selecting a card from a regular 52-card deck and tossing a coin. The coin is a fair coin and is equally likely to land on heads or tails.

If the card is a face card, and the coin lands on Heads, Billy Bob wins \$13

If the card is a face card, and the coin lands on Tails, Billy Bob wins \$5

If the card is not a face card, Billy Bob loses \$3, no matter what the coin shows.

If Billy Bob were to play this game 1779 times, what would Billy Bob's approximate winnings be? Round your answer to the nearest cent.

- A. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$54.74.
- B. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$588.44.
- C. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately \$301.06.
- D. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately \$478.96.
- E. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$410.54.
- F. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$232.64.
- G. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$766.34.
- H. Billy Bob's winnings would be approximately -\$944.24.

2. A company wants to evaluate its attrition rate, in other words, how long new hires stay with the company. Over the years, they have established the following probability distribution.

Let X = the number of years a new hire will stay with the company.

Let $P(X)$ = the probability that a new hire will stay with the company x years.

Use the table below to answer the following question.

X	$P(X)$
0	0.17
1	0.22
2	0.31
3	0.14
4	0.06
5	0.05
6	0.05

What is the average amount of time in years that an employee stays with this company. Round your answer to two decimal places.

- A. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.03 years.
- B. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2 years.
- C. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.08 years.
- D. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.1 years.
- E. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.07 years.
- F. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.01 years.
- G. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.02 years.
- H. The average amount of time an employee stays with the company is 2.05 years.

3. Consider a ski resort whose profit depends on a random phenomenon: the weather.

If it snows more than 70 inches in a season, the resort makes a profit of \$250000. This happens 25% of the time.

If it snows between 40 and 70 inches in a season, the resort's profits are cut in half: \$100000. This happens 45% of the time.

If it snows less than 40 inches in a season, the resort's costs overwhelm revenue and it loses \$80000. This happens 30% of the time.

What is the long-term average yearly profit for the resort?

- A. The long-term average yearly profit is \$83500.
- B. The long-term average yearly profit is \$79500.
- C. The long-term average yearly profit is \$84500.
- D. The long-term average yearly profit is \$88500.
- E. The long-term average yearly profit is \$77500.
- F. The long-term average yearly profit is \$91500.
- G. The long-term average yearly profit is \$73500.
- H. The long-term average yearly profit is \$74500.

4. A hospital researcher is interested in the number of times the average post-op patient will ring the nurse during a 12-hour shift. For a random sample of 50 patients, the following information was obtained.

x	$P(X = x)$
0	$\frac{3}{25}$
1	$\frac{3}{25}$
2	$\frac{9}{25}$
3	$\frac{6}{25}$
4	$\frac{7}{50}$
5	$\frac{1}{50}$

where X = the number of times a patient rings the nurse during a 12-hour shift.

For this exercise, $x = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$.

$P(X = x)$ = the probability that X takes on value x .

What is the long-term average of the number of calls a patient makes on a 12-hour shift? Round your answer to two decimal places.

- A. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.17 times on average.
- B. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.23 times on average.
- C. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.25 times on average.
- D. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.21 times on average.
- E. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.27 times on average.
- F. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.19 times on average.
- G. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.26 times on average.
- H. During a 12-hour shift, a patient rings 2.22 times on average.

5. The numbers racket is a well-entrenched illegal gambling operation in most large cities. One version works as follows: you choose one of the 1000 three- digit numbers 000 to 999 and pay your local numbers runner a dollar to enter your bet. Each day, one three-digit number is chosen at random and pays off \$500.

Suppose Billy Bob makes one bet every day for 5 years. What should we expect the TOTAL of Billy Bob's "winnings" to be close to?

Ignore leap years. Round your answer to the nearest cent.

- A. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$545.67$.
- B. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$180.67$.
- C. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$1.83$.
- D. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$728.17$.
- E. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$1640.67$.
- F. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$910.67$.
- G. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$1275.68$.
- H. Billy Bob's total winnings should be close to $-\$363.17$.

6. Suppose Sleazy P. Martini offers you the following deal. For a \$10 fee, you may pick an envelope from a box containing 100 seemingly identical envelopes. However, each envelope contains differing amounts of cash.

7 of the envelopes contain \$3.

80 of the envelopes contain \$9.

1 of the envelopes contain \$12.

12 of the envelopes contain \$20.

Based upon your calculations of the gain or loss over the long run, what would you say to Sleazy P.?

- A. "Sure, Sleazy P. I'll be happy to take your money over the long-term."
- B. "Sorry, Sleazy P. I don't like your shenanigans."

7. Sleazy P. Martini offers Billy Bob to play a game which involves selecting a card from a regular 52-card deck and tossing a coin. The coin is a crooked coin with $P(\text{Heads}) = 0.41$ and $P(\text{Tails}) = 0.59$.

If the card is a face card, and the coin lands on Heads, Billy Bob wins \$7.

If the card is a face card, and the coin lands on Tails, Billy Bob wins \$5.

If the card is not a face card, Billy Bob loses \$3, no matter what the coin shows.

If Billy Bob were to play this game repeatedly, what is the long-term average of Billy Bob's winnings? Round your answer to the nearest cent.

- A. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$0.96$.
- B. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$0.86$.
- C. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$1.46$.
- D. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$1.06$.
- E. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$0.56$.
- F. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$1.16$.
- G. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$0.46$.
- H. The long term average of Billy Bob's winnings is $-\$1.26$.

8. Suppose Sleazy P. Martini offers you the following deal. For a \$10 fee, you may pick an envelope from a box containing 100 seemingly identical envelopes. However, each envelope contains differing amounts of cash.

10 of the envelopes contain \$3.

80 of the envelopes contain \$7.

4 of the envelopes contain \$12.

6 of the envelopes contain \$20.

If you were to play this game many times, what average gain or loss would you expect over the long run?

- A. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.42 per game.
- B. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.32 per game.
- C. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.22 per game.
- D. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.92 per game.
- E. We would expect a long term loss of \$1.92 per game.
- F. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.72 per game.
- G. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.62 per game.
- H. We would expect a long term loss of \$2.82 per game.