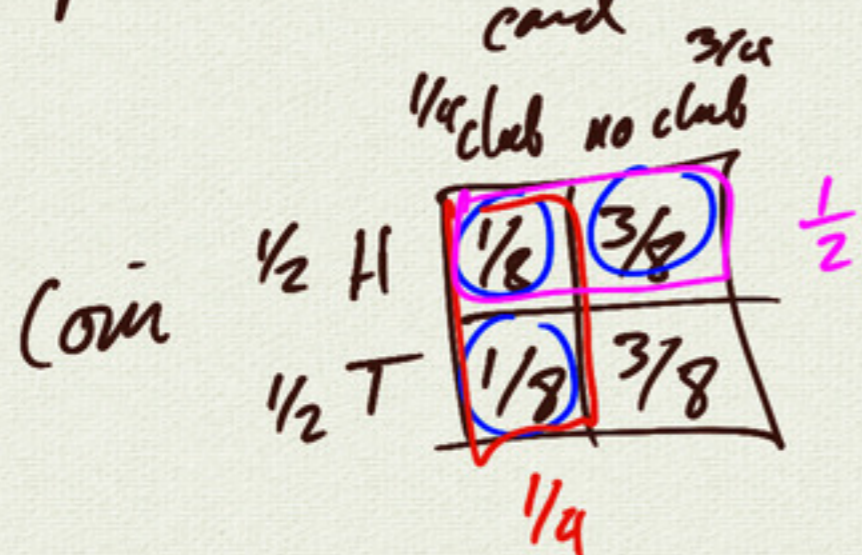


coin flip  $\rightarrow$  heads  $\frac{1}{2}$

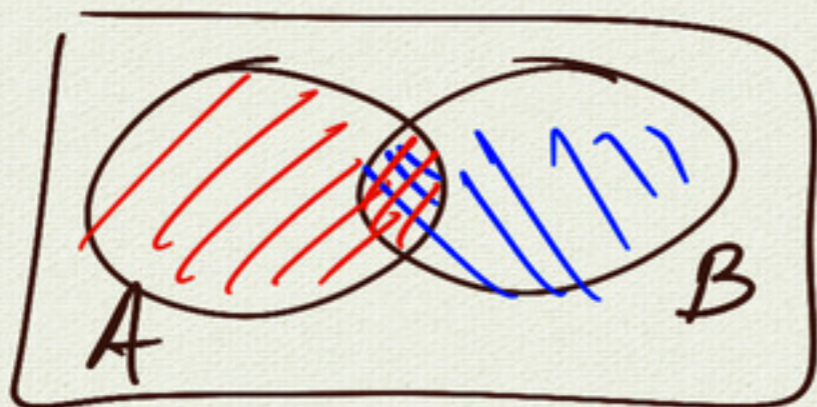
pick 1 card  $\rightarrow$  club  $\frac{1}{4}$



$$P(\text{heads or club}) = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$$

A, B independent  $\leftrightarrow P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$

When is  $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$ ?  $\text{no overlap}$

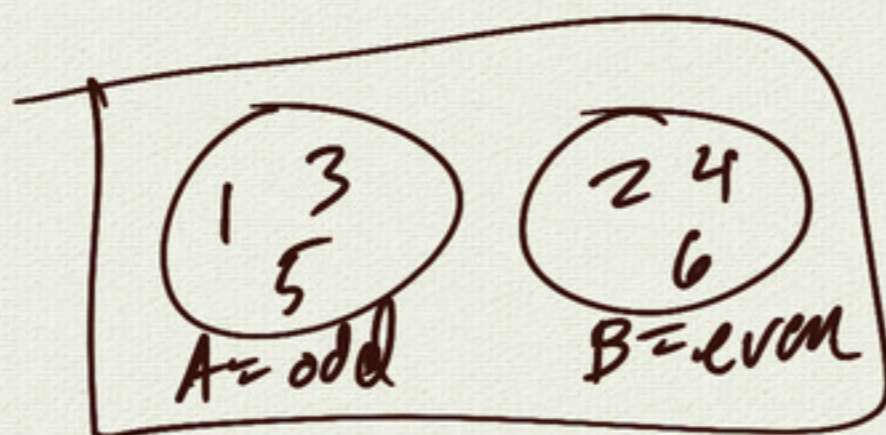


$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$A = \text{odd} = \{1, 3, 5\}$   $P(A) = \frac{1}{2}$

$B = \text{big} = \{4, 5, 6\}$   $P(B) = \frac{1}{2}$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{5}{6}$$



$$P(\text{odd or even}) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

no overlap intersection  $\leftrightarrow$  mutually exclusive

group work: 9 black } pile 5  
3 white }

replacement  $\rightarrow$  binomial  
(independent)

$$P(\text{all black}) = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5$$

no replacement  $\rightarrow$  dependency  
hypergeometric

$$P(\text{all black}) = \frac{\binom{9}{5} \binom{3}{0}}{\binom{12}{5}} = \frac{9 \cdot 8 \cdot 7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5}{12 \cdot 11 \cdot 10 \cdot 9 \cdot 8}$$

$$P(\text{all black}) = \frac{9}{12} \cdot \frac{8}{11} \cdot \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{6}{9} \cdot \frac{5}{8}$$

end  $\rightarrow$  5  $\leftarrow$  substitute

$$\sum_{k=3}^5 2^k = 2^3 + 2^4 + 2^5$$

index  $\rightarrow$  3  $\leftarrow$  start

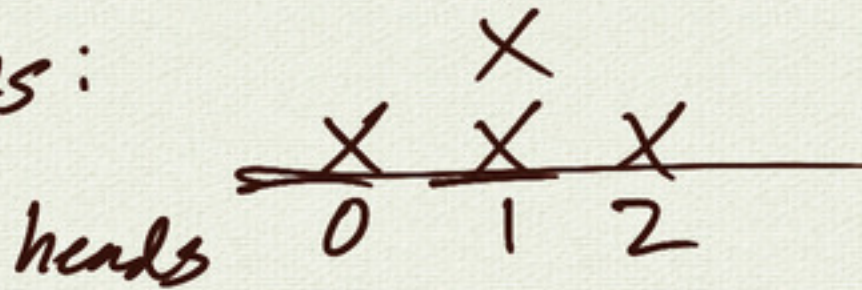
$$\sum_{k=1}^5 1 = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1$$

P(2 red)  
4 white

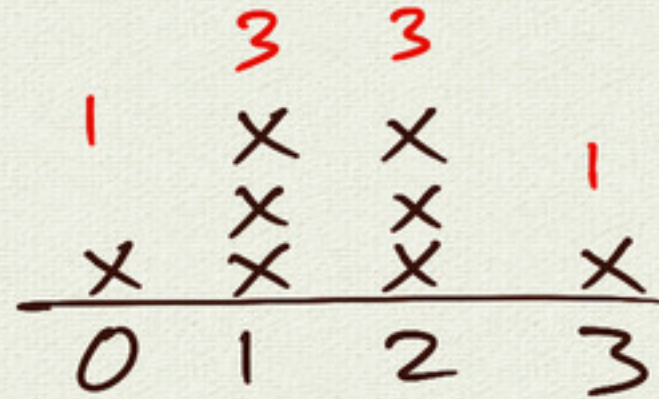
7 red	pile 6
3 white	

probability

2 coins:



3 coins



$n \rightarrow \infty$



bell curve  
normal  
distribution  
Gaussian  
 $e^{-x^2}$

Central Limit Theorem

# Set Theory - Cantor

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x ↔ •  
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2 sets are the  
same size



1-1 correspondence

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infinite sets:

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, ...

..., -3, -2, -1, 0, +1, 2, 3, ...

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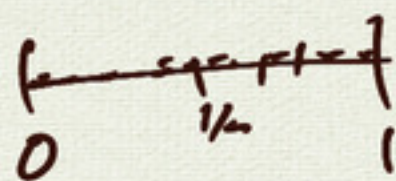
0	↔	0
1	↔	+1
2	↔	-1
3	↔	+2
4		-2
⋮		+3
		-3

0	↔	2
1	↔	4
2	↔	6
3	↔	8
		⋮

even #'s

a set is countable if it is the same size as  $\mathbb{Z}$

$\mathbb{Q}$  (set of rational #'s) is countable



(1<sup>st</sup> diagonal argument)

	1	2	3	4	5	...
1	1/1	1/2	1/3	1/4	...	
2	2/1	2/2	2/3	...		
3	3/1	3/2	3/3			
4	4/1	4/2	4/3	...		
5						

$\mathbb{R}$  (set of real #'s) is uncountable

Proof: assume  $\mathbb{R}$  is countable

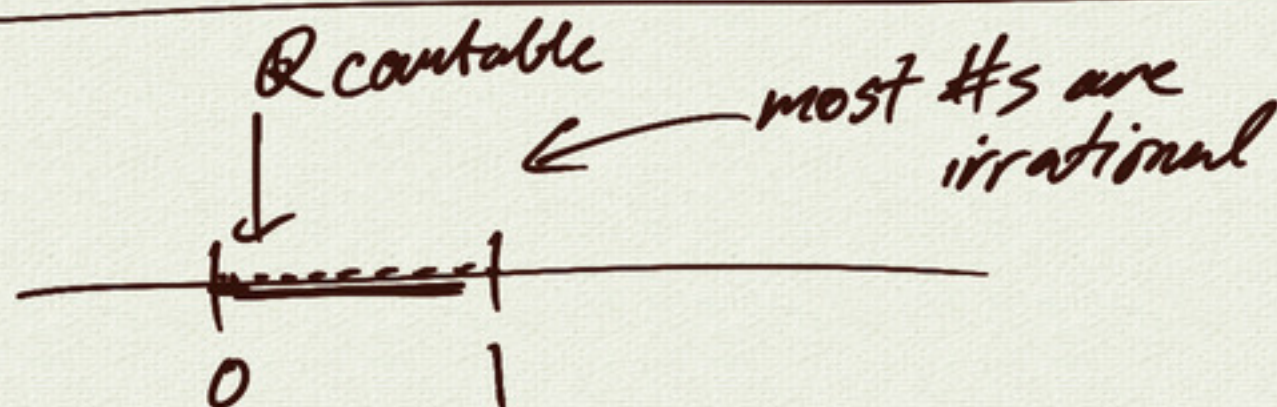
$\Rightarrow$  we can put every real # in a list:

- 1 3 4 5 6 5
- 2 4 7 6 8
- 3 5 7 1 2
- 4 1 2 9 5
- ...

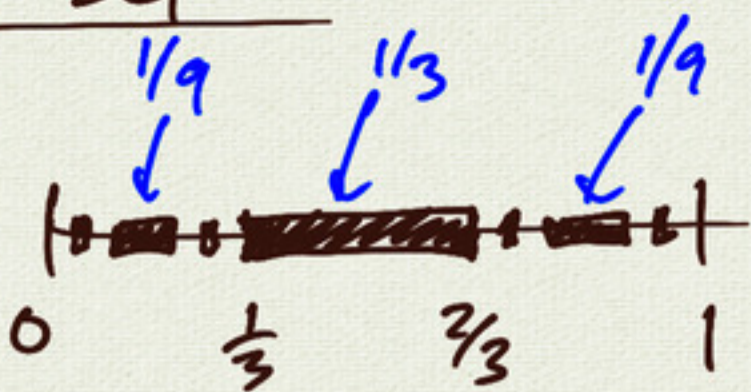
• 2 5 6 8 ...

$\Leftarrow$  a real # not on list  
(contradiction)

$\Rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is uncountable



# Cantor Set



point in Cantor set

infinite binary sequence

{infinite binary sequences} ← uncountable

what did we remove?

$$S = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{9} + \frac{4}{27} + \dots \quad \text{geometric}$$

$$S = \frac{a_1}{1-r} = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1-\frac{2}{3}} = 1$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{3}$$
$$r = \frac{2}{3}$$

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Cantor Set: uncountable, "measure zero"

big ↗

↖ small

$\mathbb{Q}$ : countable, "dense"

↗ small

↖ big