

Prob. uses. Set operation

Def Set = collection of objects which are elements of the set.

if  $x$  is an element of set  $S$

$$x \in S$$

if not  $x \notin S$

Set no elements  $\emptyset =$  empty set.

Ways To specify set.

① finite # of elements.

$$S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$$

$S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$  6 elements.

$S = \{ \text{Tail, Head} \}$

②  $\infty$  by many elements can be enumerated in list.  $\rightarrow$  countably  $\infty$ .

set of even integers =  $S = \{ 0, 2, -2, 4, -4, 6, -6, \dots \}$

③ specify by certain property.

$\{ x \mid x \text{ satisfies } P \}$  property.

$\{ k \mid \frac{k}{2} \text{ is an integer} \}$   $\rightarrow$  countably  $\infty$   $\neq$  of elements.

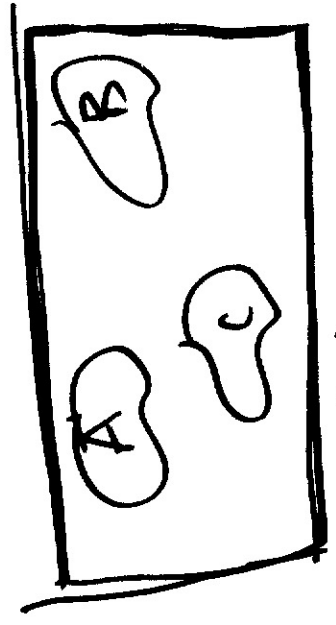
$\{ x \mid 0 \leq x \leq 1 \}$   $\rightarrow$  uncountable. elements cannot be written in a list.

1. Algebra of Events      2. Sample Space

3. Probability  
Measure.

## Algebra of Events

Event or set      collection of points or areas  
in a space.



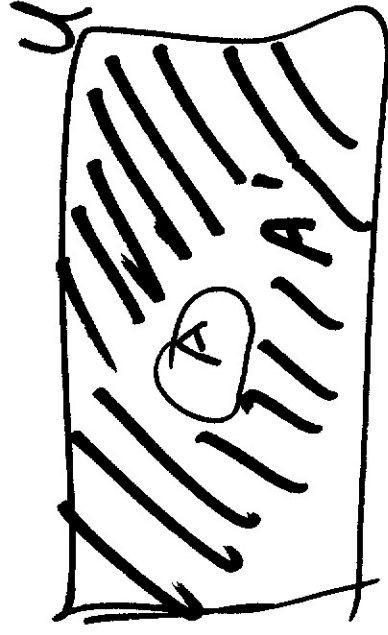
Universal Set or Universal Events:  
all points in the entire space.

Collection of  
 $\rightarrow U$   
 $\Omega$

Complement of event or set

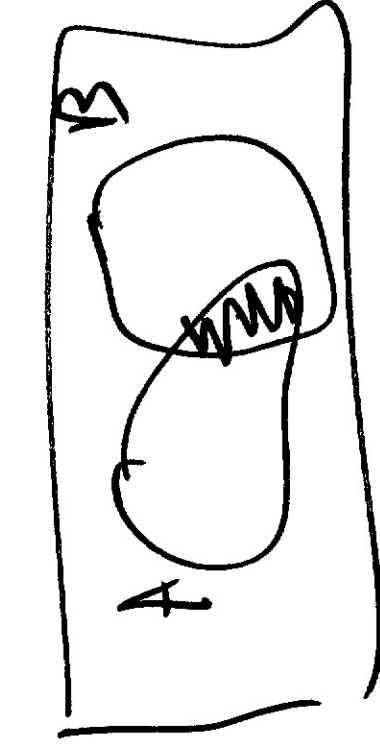
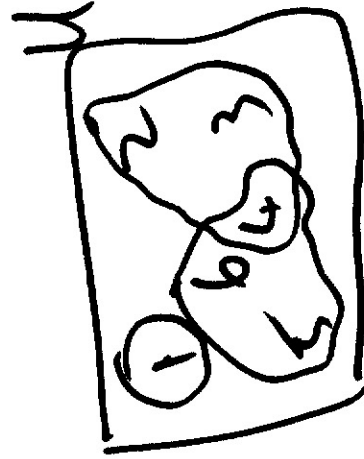
Complement of  $A$ ,  $A^c$  or  $A'$

Collection of all points in the universal set, not in  $A$ .



Intersection of sets or events

Collection of all points in event  $A$  and  $A \cap B$

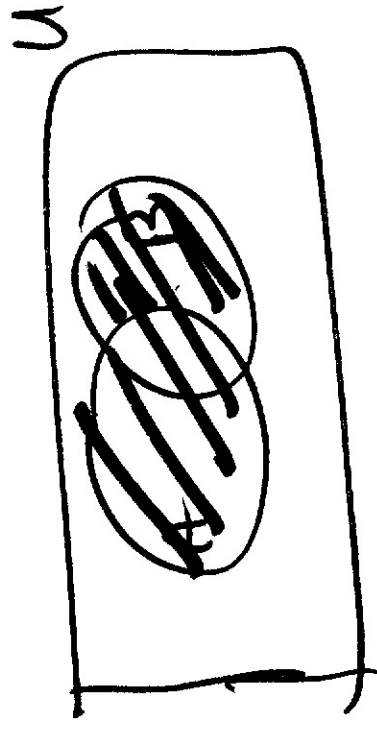


Event  $A = \text{die} \leq 3$

Event  $B = \text{even}$ .

$A \cap B = \{2\}$

Union of 2 events  $A, B$   
 Collection of all points of  $U$   
 are in  $B$  or  $A$ .

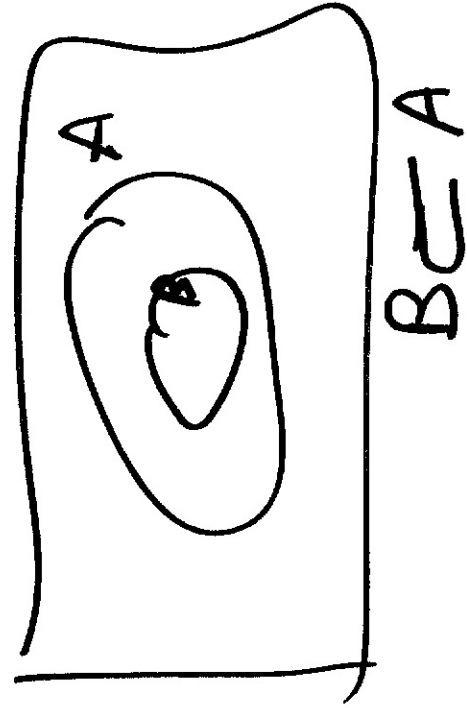


Event  $A = \text{die } < 3$   
 Event  $B = \text{die even}$   
 $A \cup B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6\}$

that  
 $A \cup B$   
 $A + B$

Inclusion

if all points of  $U$   
 in  $B$  are also in  $A$   
 then event  $B$  is  
 included in event  
 $A$

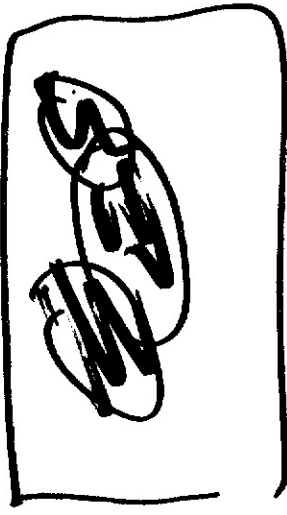


# Axioms defining Algebra of Events

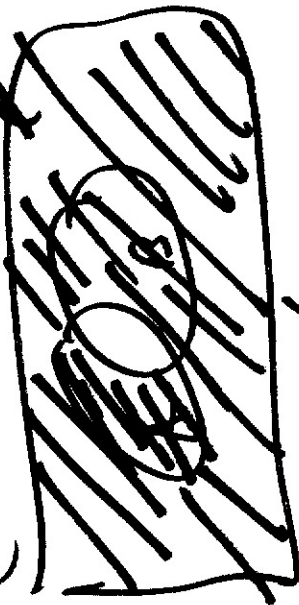
1. Commutative Law:  $A + B = B + A$   
 $A \cup B = B \cup A$

2. Associative.  $A + (B + C) = (A + B) + C$   
 $A \cup (B \cup C) = (A \cup B) \cup C$

3. Distributive  $A \cap (B + C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$   
 $A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$



4.  $(A')' = A$   
5.  $(A B)' = A' + B'$



6.  $A A' = \emptyset$   
7.  $A \cup A' = A$

From axiom I can prove anything.

Ex  $CD = DC$  let  $A = C'$   $B = D'$

Start with axioms

$$A + B = B + A \quad C' + C'$$

Take complement of both sides

$$(C' + C')' = (C' + C')' \quad \leftarrow \text{axiom 5}$$
$$((C')')' = ((C')')$$

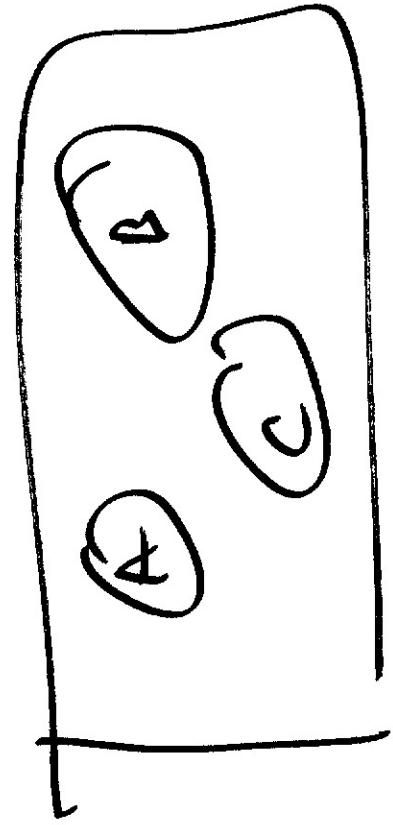
$$CD = DC$$

# Mutually exclusive Events

$A_1, \dots, A_2, \dots, A_n$  are mutually exclusive events if

$$A_i \cap A_j = \begin{cases} A_i & \text{if } i=j \\ \emptyset & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

Exhaustive no point in Universal set is in more than one event in the list.



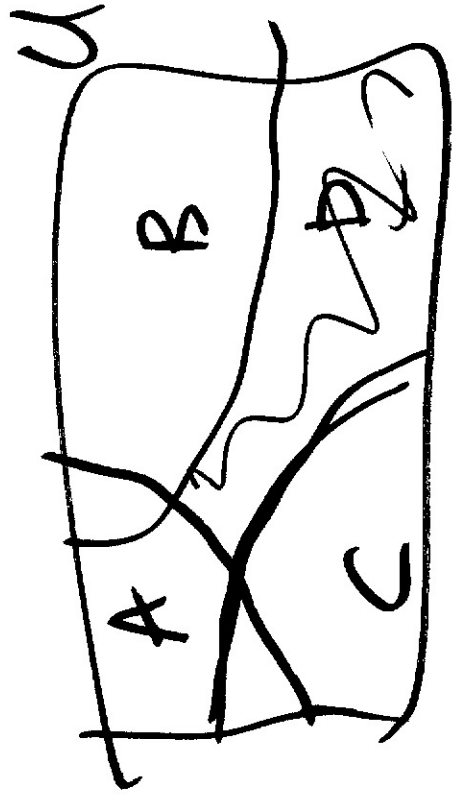


# Collectively Exhaustive Event

$A_1, A_2, \dots, A_N$  iff

$$A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_N = U$$

English Each point in  $U$  is in at least one event



# Space for Models of Experiments

## Sample

Experiment Any process which is to some particular observer is non-deterministic.

Uncertainty : due to nature of process.

- state of the knowledge of observer both.

Sample Space All possible outcomes of an experiment.

eg Exp: Flip a coin once.

Sample Space =  $\{H, T\}$

Types of Sample space  
Events  $\{ H_n \}$   $\rightarrow$  H on the  $n^{\text{th}}$  Trial.

Notation

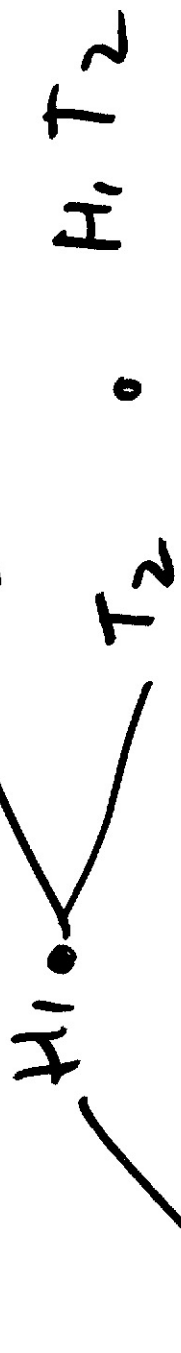
Events  $\{ T_n \}$

$\rightarrow$  Tail on  $n^{\text{th}}$  Trial

\* Sequential sample space:  
 $T_{\text{rep}}$

Exp: Flip a coin twice.

$H_1 H_2$

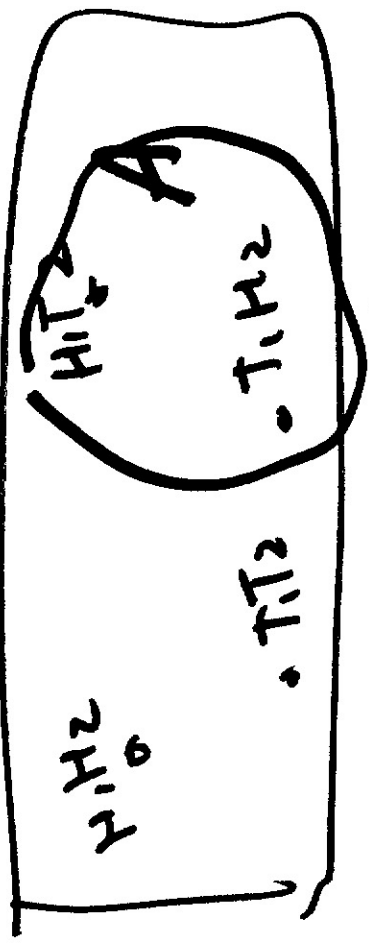


$T_1 H_2$

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Sample space.  $H_1, H_2, T_1, T_2$

U



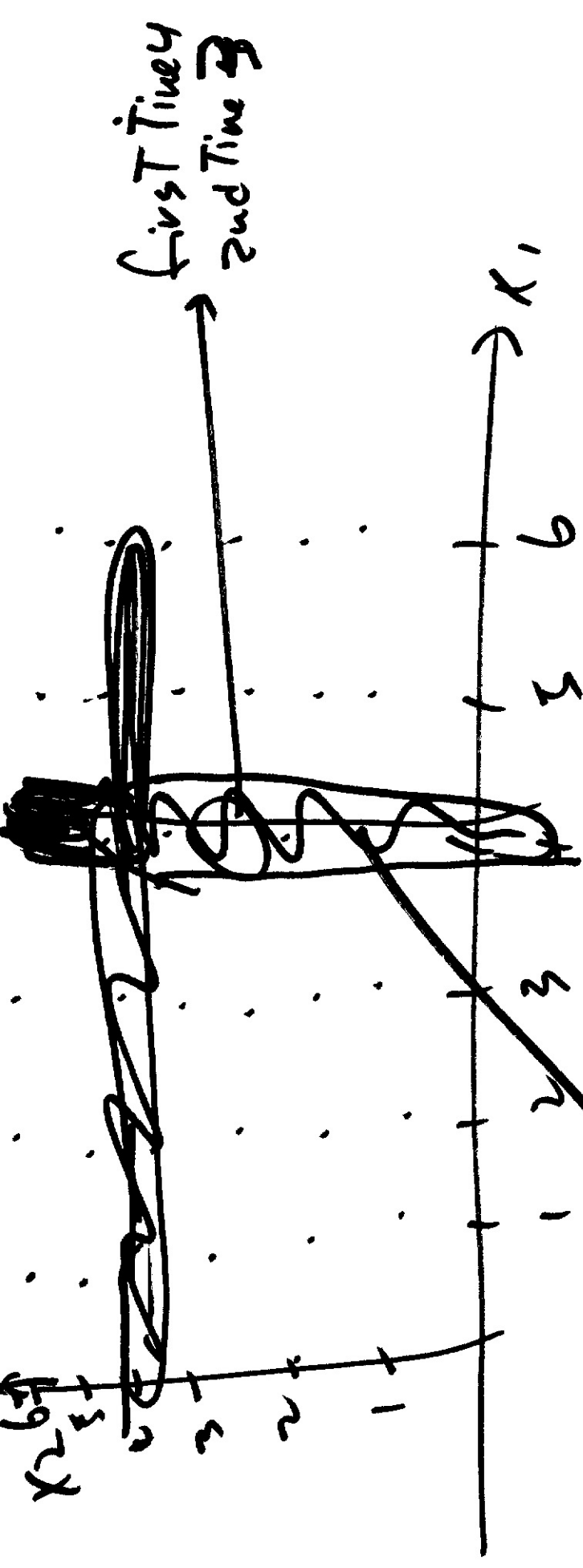
Event: exactly one head. = A

② If outcome of exp is expressed numerically,

die.  $T \rightarrow$  it twice.

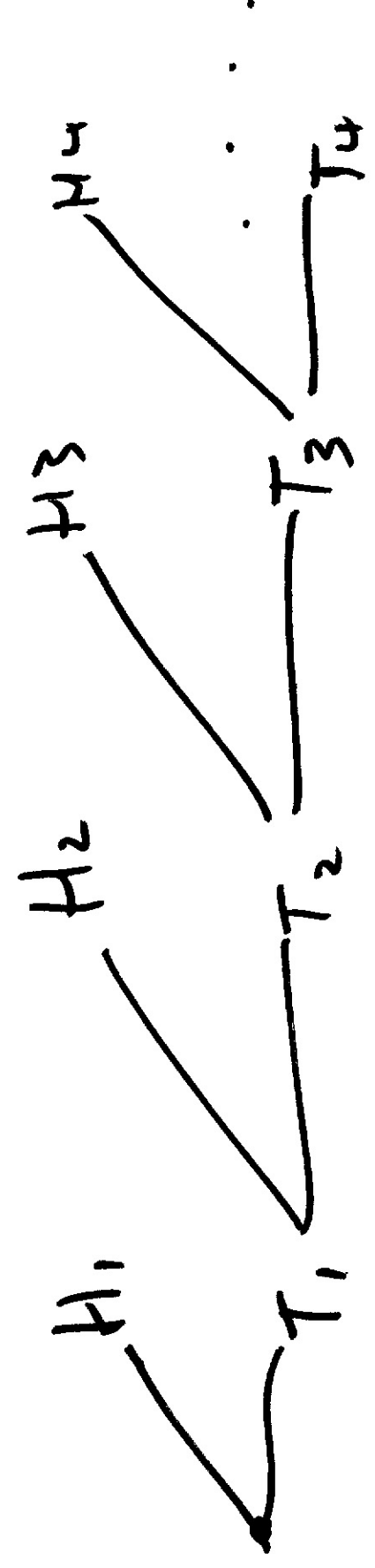
$X_1 = \#$  shows up in First Try.

$X_2 = \#$  shows up in End Try.



at least one 4

EX Flip a coin until you get a first head.

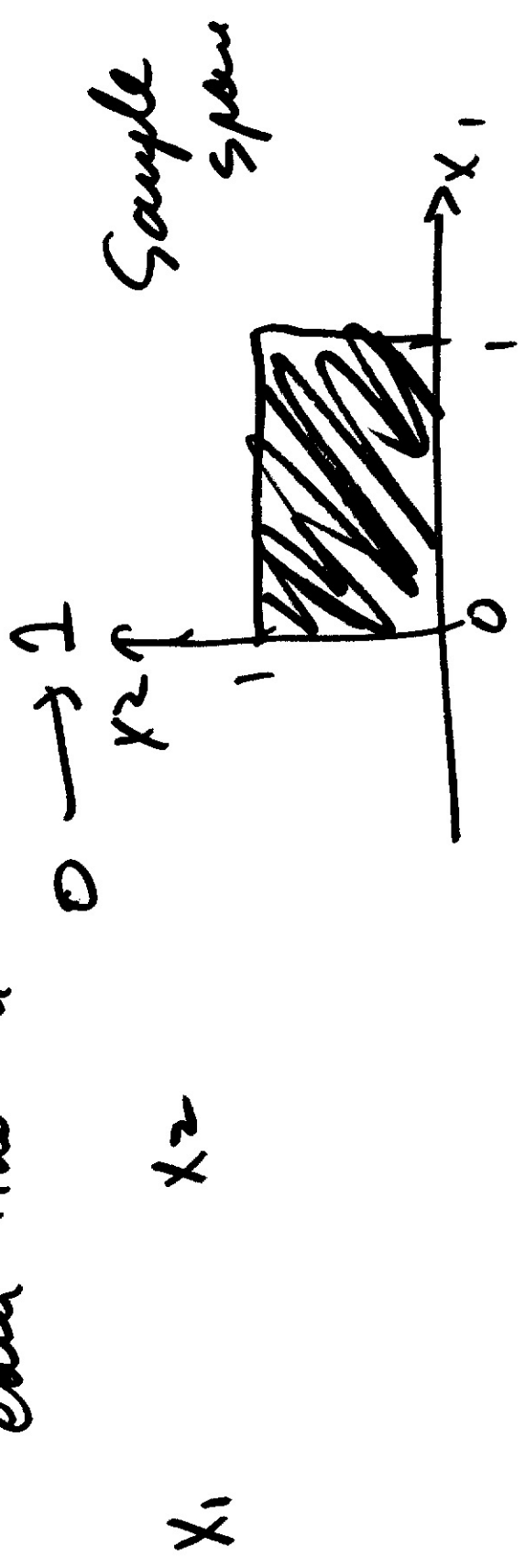


Sample Space =  $\{H_1, T_1, H_2, T_1 T_2, H_3, T_1 T_2 T_3, H_4, \dots\}$

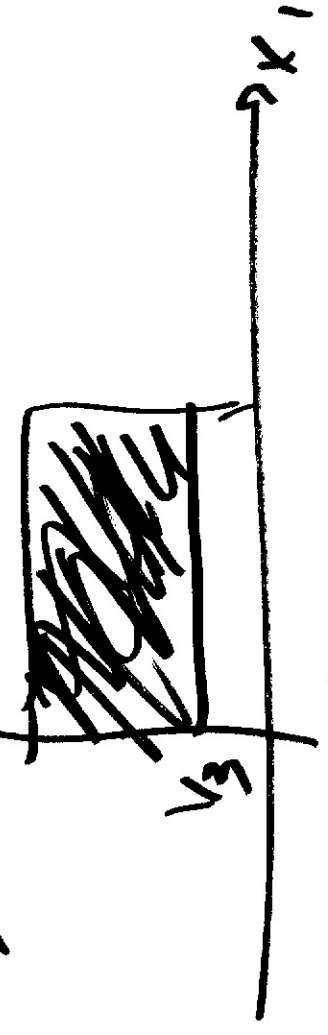
$N = \#$  of tosses. To do until getting a first head.

$N = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

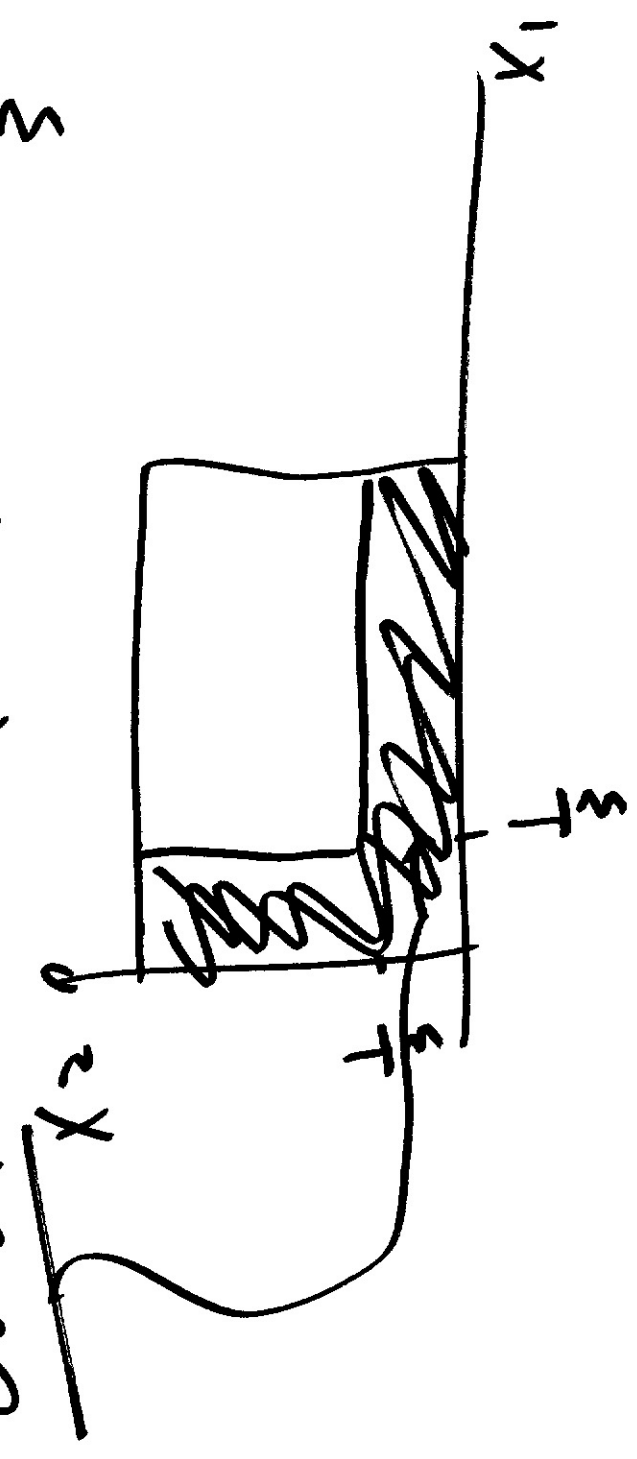
Exp Spin a wheel of Fortune. Twice. each time a contin. value between



Event  $x_2 > \frac{1}{3}$



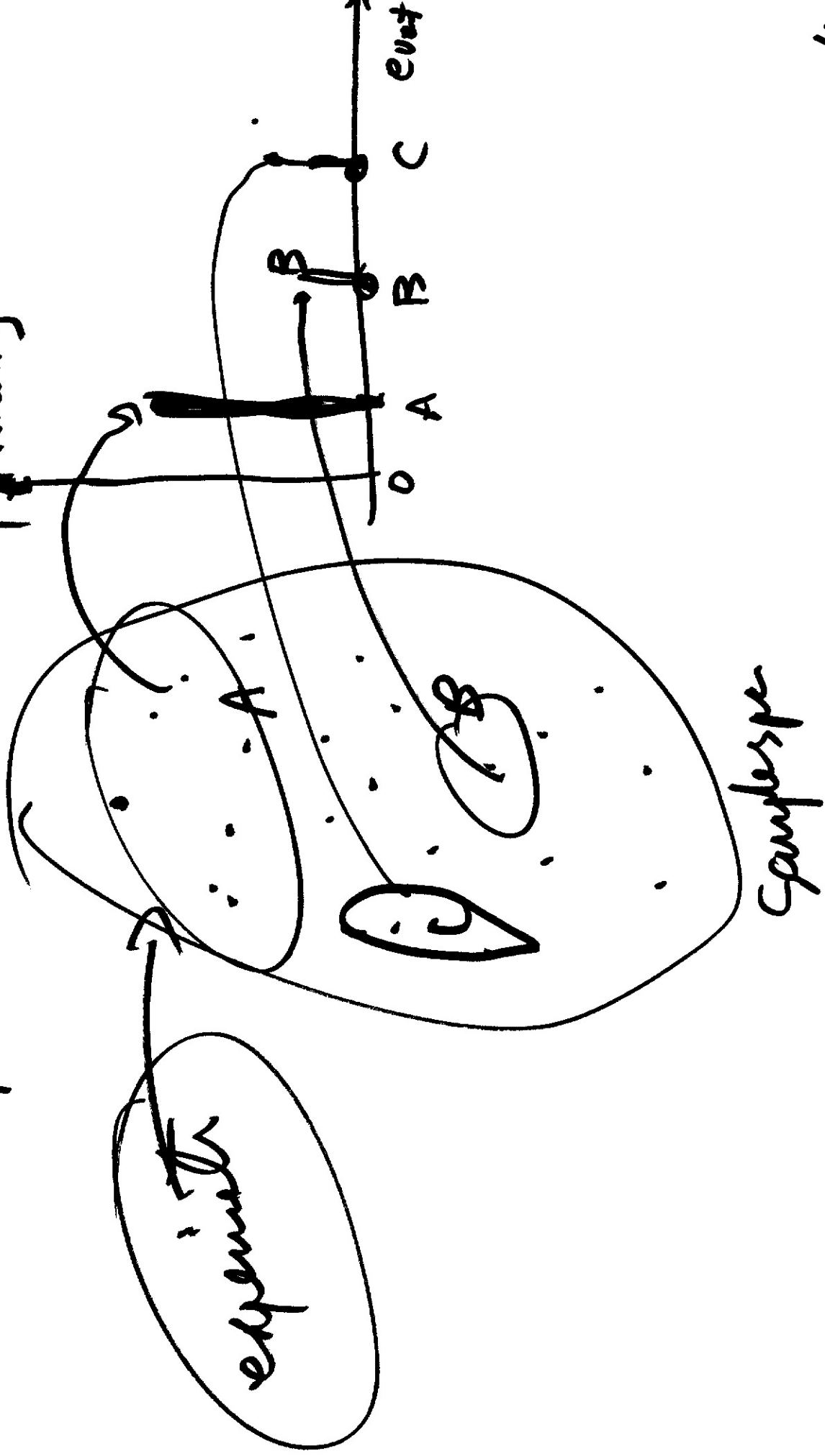
Event  $\min(x_1, x_2) \leq \frac{1}{3}$



# Probability measure

Assign probability to the event in

The sample space of an experiment.





# probability

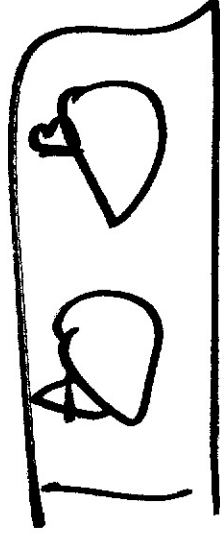
- non negative.
- between 0, 1
- chance or relative likelihood that
- performance of an experiment will result in occurrence of that event.

## Axioms of Probability Measure

For any event  $A$   $P(A) \geq 0$

①  $P(U) = 1$

② If  $AB = \emptyset$  Then  $P(A+B) = P(A) + P(B)$

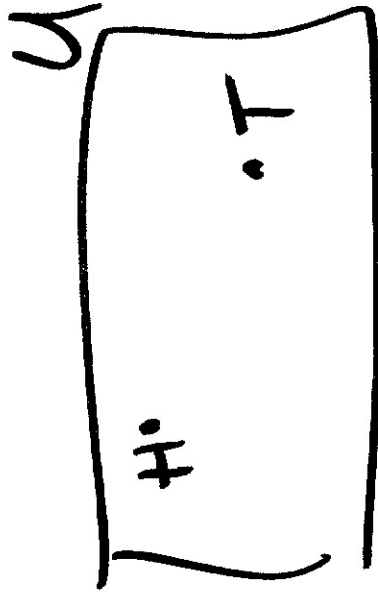


fair

H, T

Ex Single coin

$$P(H) = \frac{1}{2} \quad P(T) = \frac{1}{2}$$



P(H or Tail)

$$P(H + T) = P(H) + P(T)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$$

Ex 3 coins

fair

Sample space = { HHH, HHT, HTH, HTT  
 + HTT, THT, TTH, TTT }

Event A = { exactly 2 heads }



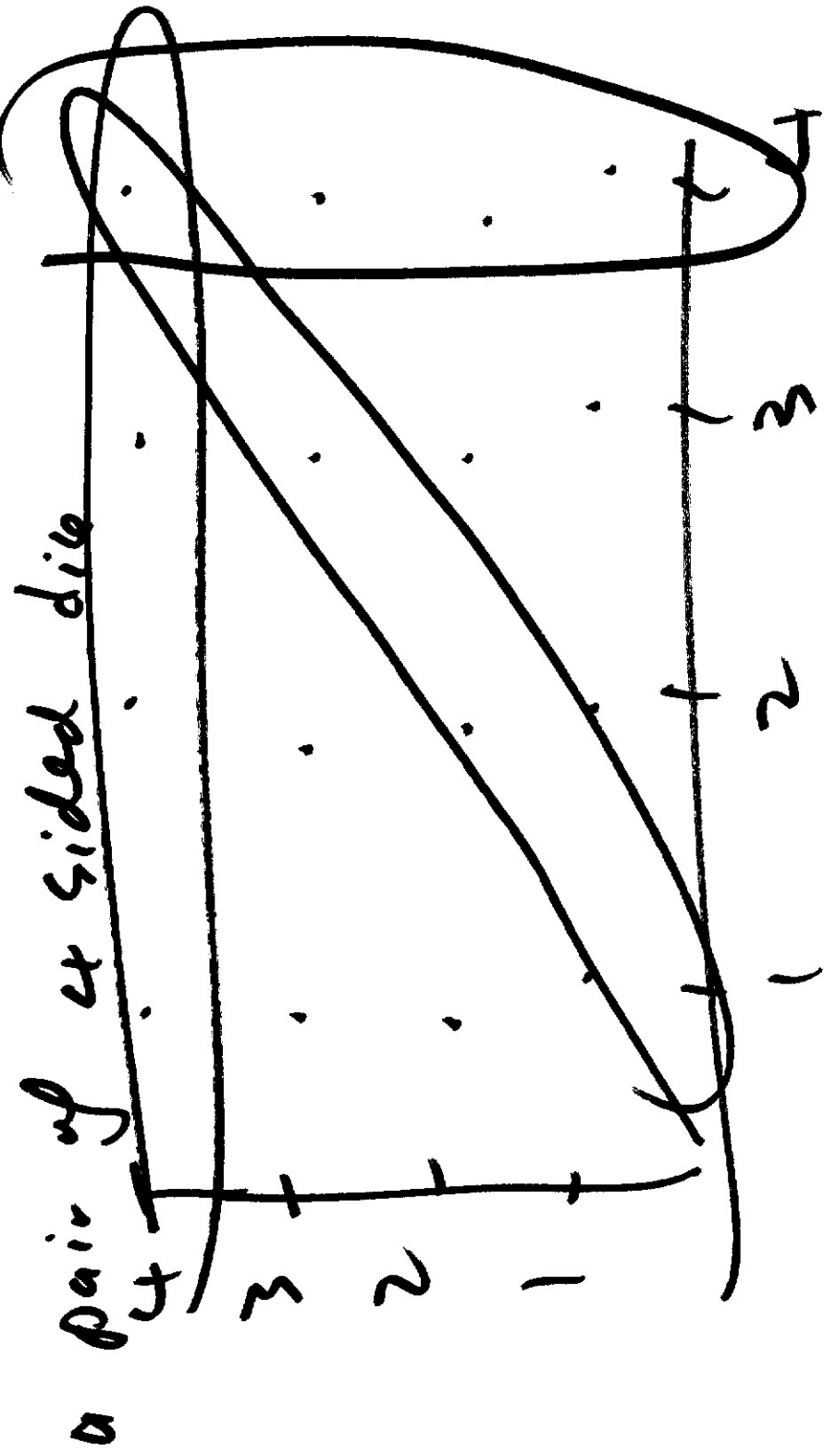
= { HHT, HTH, THT }

$$P(A) = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$P \left[ A + C'D + B(A + C'D) \right]$$

event

# between 0 and 1



Event = at least one 4 = A

$$P(A) = \frac{7}{16}$$

Event B = sum of rolls even

$$P(B) = \frac{1}{2}$$