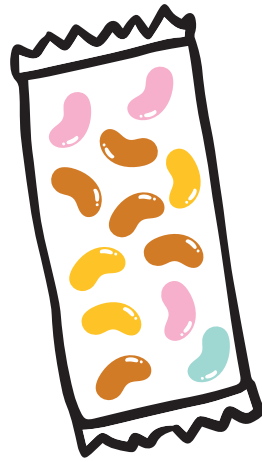


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Answer Key

Probability: Jelly Beans



There are 12 jelly beans in the packet. Can you find the probability of picking the combinations below? Write your answers as fractions, reducing as needed.

Example: What is the probability of picking a yellow jelly bean?

$$\frac{3}{12} = \frac{1}{4}$$

1. What is the probability of picking a brown jelly bean?

$$\frac{5}{12}$$

2. What is the probability of picking a pink jelly bean?

$$\frac{3}{12} = \frac{1}{4}$$

3. What is the probability of picking a green jelly bean?

$$\frac{1}{12}$$

4. What color is most likely to be picked?

brown

5. What color will you probably pick least often?

green

6. What is the probability of picking a jelly bean that is not yellow?

$$\frac{9}{12} = \frac{3}{4}$$

7. What is the probability of picking a jelly bean that is not green?

$$\frac{11}{12}$$

8. What is the probability of picking a pink or yellow jelly bean?

$$\frac{6}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$$



Bonus: If you added 3 more green jelly beans and 1 more brown jelly bean to the bag, what is the probability of picking a green bean?



$$\frac{4}{16} = \frac{1}{4}$$