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- Simulation
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Simulation and the TI 83/84

- Select Math then PRB then randInt.
- 2. Enter the minimum, maximum, number of numbers desired.
- 3. Enter STO then L1 (second 1) then Enter.
- 4. You now have data in a list. Now you can run stats on it as before.

Fundamental Counting Rule

For a sequence of 2 events in which the first can occur in *m* ways and the second in *n* ways, the events together can occur in a total of *m* x *n* ways.

• Example: If you pick a card from a 52 card deck then roll a 6 sided die, there are 52 x 6 = 312 possible outcomes.

Combination

The number of ways of selecting r items out of a total of n items to choose from given that the order of the items is not taken into account is n!

For the TI 83/84, to find the number of ways of selecting 5 items out of a total of 8 items, type in 8 then Math -> PRB -> nCr then 5 then ENTER.

The California Lottery

- To play the California Lottery, pick 5 numbers from 1 to 56 and one number from 1 to 46. You win \$51,000,000 if your numbers are selected.
- What is the probability of winning the lottery with one ticket?

Royal Flush in 5 Card Stud

 The game of 5 Card Stud involves the player getting 5 cards. A Royal Flush means that the player gets Ace, King, Queen, Jack, Ten of the same suit in any order. Find the probability of getting a Royal Flush in 5 Card Stud.