

III. *Solutio generalis altera praecedentis Problematis, ope Combinatorum & Serierum infinitarum, per D. Abr. de Moivre. Reg. Soc Sodalem.*

*Designationes.*

**S**i  $B$  &  $C$  collusores duo simul certent, ad designandum  $B$  victorem esse,  $C$  victimum, scribatur  $BC$ ; atque vi-

cissim ad designandum  $C$  victorem esse,  $B$  victimum; scriba-

tur  $CB$ : & sic de cæteris.

Ponatur 1°  $B$  vincere  $A$ , certamenque concludi tribus ludis

$\overbrace{BA}$   
 $\overbrace{BC}$  } Sic patet  $B$  victorem necessario evadere.  
 $\overbrace{BD}$

Ponatur 2°  $B$  vincere  $A$ , certamenque concludi quatuor ludis

$\overbrace{BA}$   
 $\overbrace{CB}$  } Sic patet  $C$  victorem necessario evadere.  
 $\overbrace{CD}$   
 $\overbrace{CA}$

Ponatur 3°  $B$  vincere  $A$ , certamenque concludi quinque ludis

$\overbrace{BA}$        $\overbrace{BA}$   
 $\overbrace{CB^*}$        $\overbrace{BC}$  } Sic patet  $D$  victorem necessario evadere, id-  
 $DC$        $DB$  } que dupli modo.  
 $DA$        $DA$   
 $DB$        $DC$

Ponatur 4°  $B$  prima vice vincere  $A$ , certamenque concludi sex ludis.

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B A

$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$
$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB^*}$	$\overline{BC}$
$DC^*$	$CD^*$	$DB$
$AD$	$AC$	$AC$
$AB$	$AB$	$AD$
$AC$	$AD$	$AB$

Sic patet *A* victorem necessario evadere,  
idque triplici modo.

Ponatur 5° certamen concludi septem ludis, ponaturque semper  
*B* prima vice vincere ipsum *A*.

$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$
$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB^*}$	$\overline{BC}$	$\overline{BC}$
$DC$	$DC^*$	$CD$	$DB$	$DB$
$AD^*$	$DA$	$AC$	$AD^*$	$DA$
$BA$	$BD$	$BA$	$CA$	$CD$
$BC$	$BC$	$BD$	$CB$	$CB$
$BD$	$BA$	$BC$	$CD$	$CA$

Ponatur 6° certamen concludi octo ludis,

$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$	$\overline{BA}$
$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB}$	$\overline{CB^*}$	$\overline{BC}$	$\overline{BC}$	$\overline{BC}$	$\overline{BC}$
$DC$	$DC$	$DC^*$	$CD$	$CD$	$DB$	$DB$	$DB$	$DB$
$AD$	$AD^*$	$DA$	$AC$	$AC$	$AD$	$AD^*$	$DA$	$DA$
$BA^*$	$AB$	$BD$	$BA^*$	$AB$	$CA^*$	$AC$	$CD$	$CD$
$CB$	$CA$	$CB$	$DB$	$DA$	$BC$	$BA$	$BC$	$BC$
$CD$	$CD$	$CA$	$DC$	$DB$	$BD$	$BD$	$BA$	$BA$
$CA$	$CB$	$CD$	$DA$	$DC$	$BA$	$BC$	$BD$	$BD$

Sic patet *C* victorem evadere triplici, *D* duplici, *B* triplici modo, &c.

Nunc ordine scribantur literæ quibus victores designantur.

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|-----|---|
| 3,  | 1 <i>B</i>  |
| 4,  | 1 <i>C</i>  |
| 5,  | 2 <i>D</i>  |
| 6,  | 3 <i>A</i>  |
| 7,  | 3 <i>B</i> + 2 <i>C</i>   |
| 8,  | 3 <i>C</i> + 2 <i>D</i> + 3 <i>B</i> .  |
| 9,  | 3 <i>D</i> + 2 <i>A</i> + 3 <i>C</i> + 3 <i>D</i> + 2 <i>A</i>                                      |
| 10, | 3 <i>A</i> + 2 <i>B</i> + 3 <i>D</i> 3 <i>A</i> + 2 <i>B</i> + 3 <i>A</i> + 2 <i>C</i> + 3 <i>D</i> |
- &c. Per.

Perspecta illarum formatione, patebit 1° literam *B* in ordine aliquo semper toties reperiiri, quoties *A* in ordine ultimo & penultimo reperitur : 2° *C* in ordine aliquo toties reperiiri quoties *B* in ordine ultimo & *D* in penultimo reperiuntur : 3° *D* in ordine aliquo toties reperiiri quoties *C* in ultimo & *B* in penultimo : 4° *A* in ordine aliquo semper toties reperiiri quoties *D* in ordine ultimo & *C* in penultimo reperiuntur.

Sed numerus variationum dato cuilibet ludorum numero competens, duplus est numeri variationum omnium dato ludorum numero unitate diminuto competentis : adeoque Probabilitas quam habet Collusor *B* ut vincat dato ludorum numero, est subdupla probabilitatis quam habebat *A* ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus uno ; atque etiam subquadrupla probabilitatis quam habebat idem *A*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus duobus : & sic de cæteris.

Probabilitas quam habet *C*, ut vincat dato ludorum numero, est subdupla probabilitatis quam habebat *B*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus uno ; atque etiam subquadrupla probabilitatis quam habebat *D*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus duobus.

Probabilitas quam habet *D* ut vincat dato ludorum numero, est subdupla probabilitatis quam habebat *C*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus uno ; atque etiam subquadrupla probabilitatis quam habebat *B*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus duobus.

Probabilitas quam habet *A* ut vincat dato ludorum numero, est subdupla probabilitatis quam habebat *D*, ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus uno ; atque etiam subquadrupla probabilitatis quam habebat *C* ut vinceret dato ludorum numero minus duobus.

Ex jam observatis facile est componere Tabulam Probabilitatum, quas *B*, *C*, *D*, *A* habent ut victores evadant dato ludorum numero, atque etiam illorum sortium seu expectationum.

## Tabula Probabilitatum, &amp;c.

	B	C	D	A
'	$\frac{1}{4} \times 4 + 3p$	—	—	—
"	4	$\frac{1}{8} \times 4 + 4p$	—	—
'''	5	—	$\frac{2}{16} \times 4 + 5p$	—
''''	6	—	—	$\frac{3}{32} \times 4 + 6p$
V	$\frac{3}{64} \times 4 + 7p$	$\frac{2}{64} \times 4 + 7p$	—	—
V'	$\frac{3}{128} \times 4 + 8p$	$\frac{3}{128} \times 4 + 8p$	$\frac{2}{128} \times 4 + 8p$	—
V''	9	$\frac{3}{256} \times 4 + 9p$	$\frac{6}{256} \times 4 + 9p$	$\frac{4}{256} \times 4 + 9p$
V'''	$\frac{4}{512} \times 4 + 10p$	$\frac{2}{512} \times 4 + 10p$	$\frac{6}{512} \times 4 + 10p$	$\frac{9}{512} \times 4 + 10p$
V''''	$\frac{13}{1024} \times 4 + 11p$	$\frac{10}{1024} \times 4 + 11p$	$\frac{2}{1024} \times 4 + 11p$	$\frac{9}{1024} \times 4 + 11p$
X	$\frac{18}{2048} \times 4 + 12p$	$\frac{19}{2048} \times 4 + 12p$	$\frac{14}{2048} \times 4 + 12p$	$\frac{4}{2048} \times 4 + 12p$
	&c.	&c.	&c.	&c.

Jam vero Series istæ sunt convergentes, adeoque singulæ summati possunt per vulgarem Arithmeticam; & obtinebuntur vel summæ accuratæ si possint, vel saltem approximatæ, si non licet, terminos multos adhibere.

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*Invenire summas Probabilitatum ad infinitum usque pergentiam,  
quas Collusores habent ut victores evadant.*

Sint Probabilitates omnes ipsius  $B$  ad infinitum, nempe  
 $B' + B'' + B''' + B'''' + B^v + B''^v \&c. = y$

Probabilitates ipsius  $C$   
 $C' + C'' + C''' + C'''' + C^v + C''^v \&c. = z$

Probabilitates ipsius  $D$   
 $D' + D'' + D''' + D'''' + D^v + D''^v \&c. = v$

Probabilitates ipsius  $A$   
 $A' + A'' + A''' + A'''' + A^v + A''^v \&c. = x$

Scribantur autem in Scala perpendiculariter descendente, ad  
hunc modum.

$$B' = B'$$

$$B'' = B''$$

$$B' = \frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{4}A'$$

$$B''' = \frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{4}A''$$

$$B^v = \frac{1}{2}A'''' + \frac{1}{4}A'''$$

$$B''^v = \frac{1}{2}A^v + \frac{1}{4}A''''$$

$$\text{Proinde } y = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4}x.$$

$$\text{Ergo } y = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{4}x.$$

### Demonstratio.

Etenim prima columna perpendicularis =  $y$ , ex Hypothesi  
 Est vero  $A' + A'' + A''' + A'''' + A^v + A''^v \&c. = x$ , ex hypothesi;  
 Ergo  $\frac{1}{2}A' + \frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{2}A''' + \frac{1}{2}A'''' + \frac{1}{2}A^v + \frac{1}{2}A''^v \&c. = \frac{1}{2}x$ .  
 Proinde  $\frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{2}A'''' + \frac{1}{2}A''' + \frac{1}{2}A^v + \frac{1}{2}A''^v \&c. = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}A'$ .  
 Et  $B' + B'' + \frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{2}A''' + \frac{1}{2}A'''' \&c. = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}A' + B' + B''.$

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Sed  $\frac{1}{2} A' = \bar{o}, B'' = o \& B' = \frac{1}{4}$ , ut patet ex Tabula:

Ergo secunda columnna perpendicularis  $= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} x.$

Sed tertia columnna perpendicularis  $= \frac{1}{4} x.$

erit igitur  $y = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} x.$

Simili modo scribantur

$$C = C'$$

$$C'' = C''$$

$$C''' = \frac{1}{2} B'' + \frac{1}{4} D'$$

$$C'''' = \frac{1}{2} B''' + \frac{1}{4} D'' \quad \text{hoc est } z = \frac{1}{2} y + \frac{1}{4} v$$

$$C^v = \frac{1}{2} B'''' + \frac{1}{4} D''''$$

$$C^{vv} = \frac{1}{2} B^v + \frac{1}{4} D^{vv}$$

&c.

Ergo  $z = \frac{1}{2} y + \frac{1}{4} v - \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{4} v.$

Scribantur etiam

$$D' = D'$$

$$D'' = D''$$

$$D''' = \frac{1}{2} C'' + \frac{1}{4} B'$$

$$D'''' = \frac{1}{2} C''' + \frac{1}{4} B'' \quad \& pari Argumento patebit$$

$$D^v = \frac{1}{2} C'''' + \frac{1}{4} B'''' \quad v + \frac{1}{2} z + \frac{1}{4} y$$

$$D^{vv} = \frac{1}{2} C^v + \frac{1}{4} B^{vv}$$

&c.

Scribantur denique

$$A' = A'$$

$$A'' = A''$$

$$A''' = \frac{1}{2} D'' + \frac{1}{4} C'$$

$$A'''' = \frac{1}{2} D''' + \frac{1}{4} C''$$

$$A^v = \frac{1}{2} D'''' + \frac{1}{4} C'''' \quad \text{Unde concludetur } x = \frac{1}{2} v + \frac{1}{4} z$$

$$A^{vv} = \frac{1}{2} D^v + \frac{1}{4} C^{vv}$$

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Resolutis autem quatuor istis æquationibus, reperietur

$$B' + B'' + B''' + B'''' \&c. = y = \frac{56}{149}$$

$$C' + C'' + C''' + C'''' \&c. = z = \frac{36}{149}$$

$$D' + D'' + D''' + D'''' \&c. = v = \frac{32}{149}$$

$$A' + A'' + A''' + A'''' \&c. = x = \frac{25}{149}$$

Valoribus istis inventis, ponatur jam  $\frac{56}{149} = b$ ,  $\frac{36}{149} = c$ ,

$$\frac{32}{149} = d, \frac{25}{149} = a.$$

Iterum sit.

$$3 B' p + 4 B'' p + 5 B''' p + 6 B'''' p \&c. = p y.$$

$$3 C' p + 4 C'' p + 5 C''' p + 6 C'''' p \&c. = p z.$$

$$3 D' p + 4 D'' p + 5 D''' p + 6 D'''' p \&c. = p v.$$

$$3 A' p + 4 A'' p + 5 A''' p + 6 A'''' p \&c. = p x.$$

$$3 B' = 3 B'$$

$$4 B'' = 4 B''$$

$$5 B''' = \frac{5}{2} A'' + \frac{5}{4} A'$$

$$6 B'''' = \frac{6}{2} A'''' + \frac{6}{4} A''$$

$$7 B^v = \frac{7}{2} A'''' + \frac{7}{4} A''''$$

$$8 B^{v'} = \frac{8}{2} A^v + \frac{8}{4} A''''$$

$$\text{Ergo } y = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{4} x + a$$

Etenim prima Columna perpendicularis  $= y$ , ex Hypothesi:

$$3 B' + 4 B'' = \frac{3}{4}: \text{ Nam est } B' = \frac{1}{4}, \& B'' = 0.$$

$$3 A' + 4 A'' + 5 A''' \&c. = x \text{ ex Hypothesi.}$$

$$A' + A'' + A''' \&c. = a, \text{ ut repertum est.}$$

Est igitur  $4 A' + 5 A'' + 6 A''' + 7 A'''' \&c. = x + a$

$$\text{Et } \frac{5}{2} A + \frac{5}{2} A'' + \frac{6}{2} A''' + \frac{7}{2} A'''' \&c. = \frac{5}{2} x + \frac{5}{2} a.$$

A a 2

Sed

Sed  $A' = 0$

Ergo secunda Columna perpendicularis  $= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}a$ .

$$3A' + 4A'' + 5A''' + 6A'''' &c. = x$$

$$2A' + 2A'' + 2A''' + 2A'''' &c. = 2a$$

Est igitur  $5A' + 6A'' + 7A''' + 8A'''' &c. = x + 2a$ .

Et  $\frac{5}{4}A' + \frac{6}{4}A'' + \frac{7}{4}A''' + \frac{8}{4}A'''' &c. = \frac{1}{4}x + \frac{1}{2}a$ .

Est igitur tertia Columna perpendicularis  $= \frac{1}{4}x + \frac{1}{2}a$ .

Erit igitur  $y = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{4}x + \frac{1}{2}a$

sive  $y = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}x + a$ , quod erat probandum.

$$3C' = 3C'$$

$$4C'' = 4C''$$

$$5C''' = \frac{5}{2}B'' + \frac{5}{2}D'$$

$$6C'''' = \frac{6}{2}B''' + \frac{6}{2}D''$$

$$7C'''' = \frac{7}{2}B'''' + \frac{7}{2}D'''$$

$$8C'''' = \frac{8}{2}B'''' + \frac{8}{2}D''''$$

&c.

Ergo  $z = \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{4}v + \frac{1}{2}d$ .

Etenim prima Columna perpendicularis  $= z$ , ex Hypothesi.

$$3C' + 4C'' = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$3B' + 4B'' + 5B''' + 6B'''' &c. = y.$$

$$B' + B'' + B''' + B'''' &c. = b.$$

Est igitur  $4B' + 5B'' + 6B''' + 7B'''' &c. = y + b$ .

Sed  $4B' = 1$ .

Ergo  $5B'' + 6B''' + 7B'''' &c. = y + b - 1$ .

$$\frac{5}{2}B'' + \frac{6}{2}B''' + \frac{7}{2}B'''' &c. = \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}b - \frac{1}{2}$$

Ergo secunda Columna perpendicularis  $= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}b - \frac{1}{2}$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}b$ .

Iterum,  $3D' + 4D'' + 5D''' + 6D'''' &c. = v$

$$2D' + 2D'' + 2D''' + 2D'''' &c. = 2d$$

Est igitur  $5D' + 6D'' + 7D''' + 8D'''' &c. = v + 2d$ .

$$Et \frac{5}{4}D' + \frac{6}{4}D'' + \frac{7}{4}D''' + \frac{8}{4}D'''' &c. = \frac{1}{4}v + \frac{1}{2}d$$

Ergo tertia Columna perpendicularis  $= \frac{1}{4}v + \frac{1}{2}d$

Est igitur  $z = \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}b + \frac{1}{4}v + \frac{1}{2}d$ , quod erat probandum.

Eodem prorsus ordine scribantur.

$$\begin{array}{lcl} 3 D' & = & 3 D' \\ 4 D'' & = & 4 D'' \\ 5 D''' & = & \frac{5}{2} C'' + \frac{5}{4} B' \\ 6 D'''' & = & \frac{6}{2} C''' + \frac{6}{4} B'' \\ 7 D^v & = & \frac{7}{2} C'''' + \frac{7}{4} B''' \\ 8 D^{vv} & = & \frac{8}{2} C^v + \frac{8}{4} B'''' \\ & \ddots & \end{array}$$

Unde  $v = \frac{1}{2} z + \frac{1}{2} c + \frac{1}{4} y + \frac{1}{2} b$ .

$$\begin{array}{lcl} 3 A' & = & 3 A' \\ 4 A'' & = & 4 A'' \\ 5 A''' & = & \frac{5}{2} D'' + \frac{5}{4} C' \\ 6 A'''' & = & \frac{6}{2} D''' + \frac{6}{4} C'' \\ 7 A^v & = & \frac{7}{2} D'''' + \frac{7}{4} C''' \\ 8 A^{vv} & = & \frac{8}{2} D^v + \frac{8}{4} C'''' \\ & \ddots & \end{array}$$

Et  $x = \frac{1}{2} v + \frac{1}{2} d + \frac{1}{4} z + \frac{1}{2} c$ .

Quæ quidem Conclusiones eodem modo demonstrantur ac superiores.

Solutis autem quatuor istis æquationibus, elicetur  
 $y = \frac{45536}{149^2}, z = \frac{38724}{149^2}, v = \frac{37600}{149^2}, x = \frac{33547}{149^2} = \frac{33547}{22201}$

Ergo, si velint  $B, C, D, A$  vendere Spectatori cuidam  $R$  summas quas singuli obtainere sperant, æquum erit ut emptor  $R$  pendat

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{ipfi } B & 4 \times \frac{56}{149} + \frac{45536}{22201} p, \quad \text{ipfi } C & 4 \times \frac{36}{149} + \frac{38724}{22201} p. \\ \text{ipfi } D & 4 \times \frac{32}{149} + \frac{37600}{22201} p, \quad \text{ipfi } A & 4 \times \frac{25}{149} + \frac{33547}{22201} p. \end{array}$$

Invenire Probabilitates quas habent  $B, C, D, A$ , ut mulctentur, dato ludorum numero.

Si Ludi duo tantum sint, erunt hoc modo.

$\frac{BA}{CB} \frac{BA}{BC} \left. \begin{array}{l} BA \\ BC \end{array} \right\}$  Unde patet  $B$  vel  $C$  necessario mulctari.

Si Ludi tres fuerint, hoc modo se res habet.

$\frac{BA}{CB} \frac{BA}{BC} \frac{BA}{DC} \left. \begin{array}{l} BA \\ BC \\ CD \end{array} \right\}$  Hinc patet  $C$ , vel  $D$  vel  $B$  necessario mulctari.

Si vero quatuor Ludi fuerint:

$\begin{array}{ccccccc} BA & BA & BA & BA & BA & BA \\ \hline CB & CB & CB & CB & BC & BC \\ DC & DC & CD & CD & DB & DB \\ AD & DA & AC & CA & AD & DA \end{array}$

Debet igitur  $A$  triplici modo,  $D$  duplici,  $C$  simplici,  $A$  multari.

Et sic de cæteris. Ex quibus manifesta est Compositio Tabulæ subjunctæ Probabilitatum quas  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $A$  habent ut mulcentur, dato ludorum numero.

Num Lud.	B	C	D	A
1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$		
" 2	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	
" 3	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{8}$
" 4		$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{3}{8}$
" 5	$\frac{3}{16}$	$\frac{2}{16}$	$\frac{2}{16}$	$\frac{3}{16}$
" 6	$\frac{6}{32}$	$\frac{5}{32}$	$\frac{2}{32}$	$\frac{3}{32}$
" 7	$\frac{6}{64}$	$\frac{8}{64}$	$\frac{8}{64}$	$\frac{4}{64}$
	$\ddots$			

Sint autem  $y$ ,  $z$ ,  $v$ ,  $x$  summae omnium Probabilitatum quas  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $A$  habent respective ut mulcentur.

Scribantur eodem ordine ac in præcedentibus.

$$B' = B'$$

$$C' = C'$$

$$B'' = B''$$

$$C'' = C''$$

$$B''' = \frac{1}{2}A'' + \frac{1}{4}A'$$

$$C''' = \frac{1}{2}B'' + \frac{1}{4}D'$$

$$B'''' = \frac{1}{2}A''' + \frac{1}{4}A''$$

$$C'''' = \frac{1}{2}B''' + \frac{1}{4}D''$$

$$B^V = \frac{1}{2}A'''' + \frac{1}{4}A'''$$

$$C^V = \frac{1}{2}B'''' + \frac{1}{4}D'''$$

$$B''^V = \frac{1}{2}A^V + \frac{1}{4}A''''$$

$$C''^V = \frac{1}{2}B^V + \frac{1}{4}D''''$$

$\ddots$

$\ddots$

$$\text{Ergo } y = \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{4}x^2$$

$$\text{Ergo } z = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{4}v,$$

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Scribantur deinde

$$\begin{aligned}D' &= D' \\D'' &= D'' \\D''' &= \frac{1}{2} C'' + \frac{1}{4} B' \\D'''' &= \frac{1}{2} C''' + \frac{1}{4} B'' \\D'''' &= \frac{1}{2} C''' + \frac{1}{4} B''' \\D'''' &= \frac{1}{2} C'' + \frac{1}{4} B'''' \\&\ddots\end{aligned}$$

Ergo  $v = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} z + \frac{1}{4} y.$

$$\begin{aligned}A' &= A' \\A'' &= A'' \\A''' &= \frac{1}{2} D'' + \frac{1}{4} C' \\A'''' &= \frac{1}{2} D''' + \frac{1}{4} C'' \\A'''' &= \frac{1}{2} D'''' + \frac{1}{4} C''' \\A'''' &= \frac{1}{2} D'' + \frac{1}{4} C'''' \\&\ddots\end{aligned}$$

Ergo  $x = \frac{1}{2} v + \frac{1}{4} z.$

Resolutis autem quatuor istis æquationibus, invenietur

$$y = \frac{243}{249} \quad z = \frac{252}{149} \quad v = \frac{224}{149} \quad \& x = \frac{175}{149}$$

Ergo si velit Spectator aliquis  $S$  multas omnes sustinere, æquum erit ut ipsi  $S$ 

$$B \text{ tradat } \frac{243}{149} p \quad C \frac{252}{149} p \quad D \frac{224}{149} p \quad \& A \frac{175}{149} p.$$

Sublatis itaque summis probabilitatum quas singuli Collusores habent ut mulcentur, è summis expectationum quas habent iidem si victores abeant, restabunt fortes eorum respective : nempe

$$B \text{ recipit ab } R \frac{4 \times 56}{149} + \frac{45536}{22201} p$$

$$B \text{ tradit ipsi } S \frac{243}{149} p$$

$$\text{Ergo ipsi } B \text{ superest } \frac{224}{149} + \frac{9329}{22201} p$$

Sed  $B$  deposuerat 1 priusquam ludus inciperetur.

$$\text{Ergo } B \text{ lucratur } \frac{75}{149} + \frac{9329}{22201} p.$$

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$$C \text{ recipit ab } R \frac{4 \times 36}{149} + \frac{38724}{22201} p$$

$$C \text{ tradit ipsi } S \frac{252}{149} p$$

$$\text{Ergo ipsi } C \text{ supereft } \frac{144}{149} + \frac{1176}{22201} p$$

Sed  $C$  deposuerat 1.

$$\text{Ergo } C \text{ lucratur } - \frac{5}{149} + \frac{1176}{22201} p.$$

$$D \text{ recipit ab } R \frac{4 \times 32}{149} + \frac{37600}{22201} p$$

$$D \text{ tradit ipsi } S \frac{224}{149} p$$

$$\text{Ergo ipsi } D \text{ supereft } \frac{128}{149} + \frac{4224}{22201} p$$

Sed  $D$  deposuerat 1.

$$\text{Ergo } D \text{ lucratur } - \frac{21}{149} + \frac{4224}{22201} p.$$

$$A \text{ recipit ab } R \frac{4 \times 25}{149} + \frac{33547}{22201} p$$

$$A \text{ tradit ipsi } S \frac{175}{149} p$$

$$\text{Ergo ipsi } A \text{ supereft } \frac{100}{149} + \frac{7472}{22201} p$$

Sed  $A$  deposuerat 1 +  $p$ , nempe 1 priusquam ludus inchoatur, &  $p$  postquam semel victus fuerat à  $B$ :

$$\text{Ergo } A \text{ lucratur } - \frac{49}{149} - \frac{14719}{22201} p.$$

$$\text{Lucrum ipsius } B = + \frac{75}{149} + \frac{9329}{22201} p$$

$$\text{ipsius } C = - \frac{5}{149} + \frac{1176}{22201} p$$

$$\text{ipsius } D = - \frac{21}{149} + \frac{4224}{22201} p$$

$$\text{ipsius } A = - \frac{49}{149} - \frac{14729}{22201} p$$

$$\text{Summa Lucrorum} = \quad \quad o \quad \quad o$$

$$\text{Summa autem lucrorum ipsorum } B \& A = \frac{26}{149} - \frac{5400}{22201} p ;$$

sed posueramus *B* viciſſe ipsum *A* ſemel, priuſquam Colluſores paſta inirént cum *R* & *S*. Priuſquam vero ludus inchoa-  
retur, *A* poterat æqua forte expeſtare ut vinceret ipsum *B*,

adeoque summa lucrorum  $\frac{26}{149} - \frac{5400}{22201}$  in duas partes æqua-  
les eſt dividenda, ita ut utriuſque lucrum censendum ſit  $\frac{13}{149}$

$\frac{2700}{22201} p.$

$$\text{Ponatur } \frac{13}{149} - \frac{2700}{22201} p = 0, \& \text{ erit } p = \frac{1937}{2700}.$$

Ergo ſi ſit mulcta *p* ad summam quam ſinguli deponunt ut  
1937 ad 2700, *A* & *B* nihil lucrantur, nihil perdunt. Verum  
hoc in Casu *C* lucratur  $\frac{1}{225}$ , quam *D* perdit.

*Coroll.* 1. Spectator *R*, priuſquam ludus inchoetur, id ſu-  
ſcipere in ſe poterit, ut ſummam 4 de qua Colluſores con-  
tentur, & mulcas omnes pendat, ſi ſibi initio in manus dare-  
tur 4 + 7 *p*.

*Coroll.* 2. Si dexteritates Colluſorum ſint in ratione data,  
fortes Colluſorum eadem ratiocinatione determinabuntur.

*Coroll. 3.* Si Series aliqua ita sit constituta, ut continuò decrescat, & terminus quivis ad præcedentes quoslibet habeat rationes datas, sive easdem sive diversas, series ista accurate summabitur. Insuper si termini omnes hujus Seriei multiplicentur per terminos progressionis Arithmeticæ, singuli per singulos, Series nova resultans accurate summabitur.

*Coroll 4.* Si sint Series plures collaterales, ita relatae ut terminus quilibet cujusque Serierii ad præcedentes quoslibet aliarum Serierum habeat rationes datas, sive easdem sive diversas, ita ut Series istæ collaterales se decussent data qualibet lege constanti, Series istæ accurate summabuntur. Insuper si termini omnes harum Serierum multiplicentur ordinatim per terminos Progressionis Arithmeticæ, singuli per singulos, Series novæ ex hac multiplicatione resultantes etiamnum accurate summabuntur.

### *Clavis ad Problema generale.*

Si sint Collusores quotcunque v. g. Sex, *B, C, D, E, F, A* & Probabilitates quas habent ut victores evadant, sive ut multentur, dato Ludorum numero, denotentur respective *B, C, D, E, F & A*; & Probabilitates dato Ludorum numero his proximo & minori competentes, per *B<sub>II</sub>, C<sub>II</sub>, D<sub>II</sub>, E<sub>II</sub>, F<sub>II</sub>, A<sub>II</sub>*; & Probabilitates dato Ludorum numero his itidem novissimis proximo & minori competentes, per *B<sub>III</sub>, C<sub>III</sub>, D<sub>III</sub>, E<sub>III</sub>, F<sub>III</sub>, A<sub>III</sub>*, & sic deinceps; erit semper,

$$\begin{aligned}B_1 &= \frac{1}{2}A_{II} + \frac{1}{4}A_{III} + \frac{1}{8}A_{IV} + \frac{1}{16}Av \\C_1 &= \frac{1}{2}B_{II} + \frac{1}{4}F_{II} + \frac{1}{8}E_{III} + \frac{1}{16}D_V \\D_1 &= \frac{1}{2}C_{II} + \frac{1}{4}B_{III} + \frac{1}{8}F_{III} + \frac{1}{16}E_V \\E_1 &= \frac{1}{2}D_{II} + \frac{1}{4}C_{III} + \frac{1}{8}B_{III} + \frac{1}{16}F_V \\F_1 &= \frac{1}{2}E_{II} + \frac{1}{4}D_{III} + \frac{1}{8}C_{III} + \frac{1}{16}B_V \\A_1 &= \frac{1}{2}F_{II} + \frac{1}{4}E_{III} + \frac{1}{8}D_{III} + \frac{1}{16}C_V\end{aligned}$$

Et fiat semper retrogressus ordinatim ad tot literas minus duobus quo sunt Collusores, omittaturque semper litera *A*, prima æquatione excepta, ubi litera *A* terminos omnes præter primam occupat.

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Exits.

Depositum	hys	Depositum	Sors	Deposit.
$n+1$	0	$Z$	$n+1+p$	$H$
$n+1+p$	1	$Y$	$n+1+2p$	$K$
$n+1+2p$	2	$X$	$n+1+3p$	$L$
$n+1+3p$	3	$V$	$n+1+4p$	$M$
$n+1+4p$	4	$T$		

N<sup>o</sup>. 2

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times H - p + \frac{1}{2} \times H - p + hp + \frac{1}{8} \times H - p + 2hp + \frac{1}{16} \times H - p + 3hp + \dots + \frac{1}{2^n} \times H - p + nhp - hp + \frac{1}{2^n} \times np + n + \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times K - p + \frac{1}{2} \times H - p + 2hp + \frac{1}{8} \times H - p + 3hp + \frac{1}{16} \times H - p + 4hp + \dots + \frac{1}{2^n} \times H - p + nhp + \frac{1}{2^n} \times np + p + n + 1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times L - p + \frac{1}{2} \times H - p + 3hp + \frac{1}{8} \times H - p + 4hp + \frac{1}{16} \times H - p + 5hp + \dots + \frac{1}{2^n} \times H - p + nhp + hp + \frac{1}{2^n} \times np + 2p + n + 1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \times M - p + \frac{1}{2} \times H - p + 4hp + \frac{1}{8} \times H - p + 5hp + \frac{1}{16} \times H - p + 6hp + \dots + \frac{1}{2^n} \times H - p + nhp + hp + \frac{1}{2^n} \times np + 3p + n + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

N<sup>o</sup>. 3

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times C + ncP - cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times D + ndP - 2dp + \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times E + ncP - 3cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times F + nfp - 4fp + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times D + ndP - dp + \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times E + ncP - 2cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times F + nfp - 5fp + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times E + ncP - cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times F + nfp - 2fp + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times F + nfp - fp + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

N<sup>o</sup>. 4

$$\begin{aligned}
 &- Z = \frac{1}{2} K - \frac{1}{2} H + \frac{1}{2} hp + \frac{1}{8} hp + \frac{1}{16} hp + \dots - \frac{1}{2^n} \times hp = \frac{1}{2} K - \frac{1}{2} H + zp - \frac{1}{2} hp = - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \times C - \frac{ncP}{2^n} + zf \\
 &- Y = \frac{1}{2} L - \frac{1}{2} K + \frac{1}{2} hp + \frac{1}{8} hp + \frac{1}{16} hp + \dots - \frac{1}{2^n} \times hp = \frac{1}{2} L - \frac{1}{2} K + zp - \frac{1}{2} hp = - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \times D - \frac{ndP}{2^n} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp \\
 &- X = \frac{1}{2} M - \frac{1}{2} L + \frac{1}{2} hp + \frac{1}{8} hp + \frac{1}{16} hp + \dots - \frac{1}{2^n} \times hp = \frac{1}{2} M - \frac{1}{2} L + zp - \frac{1}{2} hp = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times E - \frac{ncP}{2^{n-2}} - \frac{dp}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp
 \end{aligned}$$

N<sup>o</sup>. 6

N<sup>o</sup>. 8

$$\begin{aligned}
 &N^o. 5 \\
 &- H = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times C + ncP - cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times dp + \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times fp + \dots = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times C - \frac{ncP}{2^{n-2}} + hp \\
 &- K = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times D + ndP - dp + \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times fp + \dots = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times D - \frac{ndP}{2^{n-2}} - \frac{cp}{2^{n-2}} + hp \\
 &- L = - \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times E + ncP - cp + \frac{1}{2^{n-4}} \times fp + \dots = - \frac{1}{2^{n-3}} \times E - \frac{ncP}{2^{n-3}} - \frac{dp}{2^{n-2}} - \frac{cp}{2^{n-2}} + hp
 \end{aligned}$$

N<sup>o</sup>. 7

$$\begin{aligned}
 &N^o. 9. \\
 &A = A \\
 &C = C \\
 &2D - C - cp \\
 &4E - 4D - 2dp - cp
 \end{aligned}
 \quad
 \begin{aligned}
 &N^o. 10 \\
 &C - A = Y - Z = - \frac{1}{2^n} \times C - \frac{ncP}{2^n} + zf \\
 &2D - 2C - cp = X - Y = - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \times D - \frac{ndP}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp \\
 &4E - 4D - 2dp - cp = V - X = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times E - \frac{ncP}{2^{n-2}} - \frac{dp}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp
 \end{aligned}
 \quad
 \begin{aligned}
 &N^o. 8 \\
 &= Y - Z = - \frac{1}{2^n} \times C - \frac{ncP}{2^n} + zf \\
 &= X - Y = - \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \times D - \frac{ndP}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp \\
 &= V - X = - \frac{1}{2^{n-2}} \times E - \frac{ncP}{2^{n-2}} - \frac{dp}{2^{n-1}} - \frac{cp}{2^n} + zp
 \end{aligned}$$

N<sup>o</sup>. 11

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{A \times 2^n + ap \times 2^n - ncP}{1 + 2^n} \\
 &= \frac{C \times 2^n + cp \times 2^{n-1} - \frac{1}{2} + cp \times 2^{n-1} - ndP}{1 + 2^n} \\
 &= \frac{D \times 2^n + dp \times 2^{n-1} - \frac{1}{2} + cp \times 2^{n-2} - \frac{1}{2} + cp \times 2^{n-2} - ncP}{1 + 2^n} = \frac{D + dp \times 2^n - ncP}{1 + 2^n}
 \end{aligned}$$

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