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|             |                    | Find the probability                     |                                |  |  |
|             | Probability (P) =  | Number of favourable Number of posible o | e outcomes (f)<br>outcomes (p) |  |  |
| Jonas spir  | ns a spinner once. | What is the probabilit                   | y that it will land on a 2?    |  |  |
| 1 2         | 3                  |  |                                |  |  |
| 3 1         | 2                  |  |                                |  |  |
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| Flora flips | a coin once. Wha   | t is the probablility tha                | at it will land on a head?     |  |  |
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## Find the probability

Probability (P) = Number of favourable outcomes

Number of posible outcomes

a. Jonas spins a spinner once. What is the probability that it will land on a 2?



Let's first of all write down the information given in the spinner.

-Number of feavourable outcomes = 3, since there are 3 sections with 2

-Number of posible outcomes = 9, since there are 9 sections altogether

Now, we find the probability using the formular above

Probability (P) = Number of favourable outcomes

Number of posible outcomes

Probability (P) = 
$$\frac{3}{9}$$
 =  $\frac{1}{3}$ 

So, the probability that it will land on a 2 is  $\frac{1}{3}$ 

b. Flora flips a coin once. What is the probablility that it will land on a head?

Let's first of all write down the information given.

-Number of feavourable outcomes = 1, since a coin has 2 sides.

-Number of posible outcomes = 2

Now, we find the probability using the formular above

Probability (P) = Number of favourable outcomes (f)

Number of posible outcomes (p)

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

So, the probability that it will land on a head is  $\frac{1}{2}$