

## 1 Exercises

1. Describe what is meant by object-oriented programming.
2. Describe what is meant by the term *inheritance* in object-oriented programming. Use examples.
3. A coin is weighted so that heads is four times as likely as tails. Find the probability that: (a) tails appears, (b) heads appears
4. Under which of the following functions does  $S = \{a_1, a_2\}$  become a probability space?  
(a)  $P(a_1) = \frac{1}{3}, P(a_2) = \frac{1}{2}$     (b)  $P(a_1) = \frac{3}{4}, P(a_2) = \frac{1}{4}$   
(c)  $P(a_1) = 1, P(a_2) = 0$     (d)  $P(a_1) = \frac{5}{4}, P(a_2) = -\frac{1}{4}$
5. Identify, if any, the sinks and sources of the digraph shown in Figure 1.

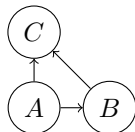


Figure 1: Digraph for Question 5

## 2 Solutions

- 3 Let  $p = P(T)$ , then  $P(H) = 4p$ . We require  $P(H) + P(T) = 1$ , so  $4p + p = 1$ , hence  $p = \frac{1}{5}$ . Therefore: (a)  $P(T) = \frac{1}{5}$ , (b)  $P(H) = \frac{4}{5}$
- 4 4b and 4c
- 5  $A$  is a source and  $C$  is a sink.