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**Statistics 13**

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**Dice experiment**

Please access the “Dice Experiment” in SOCR.

Select  $n = 3$  fair dice.

1. Construct (by hand) the probability distribution of the sum ( $Y$ ) of the three dice. Run the experiment 1000 times to verify your answer.
2. Construct (by hand) the probability distribution of the maximum ( $V$ ) of the three dice. Compute the mean and standard deviation of  $V$  and verify your answer from the applet. Run the experiment 1000 times to see that the empirical distribution is very close to the theoretical distribution of  $V$ .
3. Construct (by hand) the probability distribution of the average ( $M$ ) of the three dice and compare your distribution to the one in the applet.