Provide complete and legible solutions to each of the following problems on separate stapled sheets of paper.

A standard poker deck of 52 cards has four suits, (symbols $C, H, S$, and $D$ ) and thirteen ranks (symbols $A, 2$, $3,4,5,6,7,8,9, T, J, Q$, and $K)$. Every card in the deck has both a rank and a suit. ${ }^{1}$

A poker hand is any set of 5 cards from the standard poker deck. There are some special hands in poker, and these have values (i.e. some are better, some are worse). From best to worst, the hands are given names as follows:
(a) A royal flush is a hand $T, J, Q, K, A$ all of the same suit.
(b) A royal straight is a hand $T, J, Q, K, A$ not all in the same suit.
(c) A straight flush is a hand of five cards in sequence, all in the same suit.
(d) A four of a kind is a hand with four cards of the same rank.
(e) A full house is a hand with a three cards of one rank and two cards of a different rank.
(f) A flush is a hand with any five cards in the same suit.
(g) A straight is a hand with five cards in sequence.
(h) A three of a kind is a hand with three cards of the same rank.
(i) A two pair is a hand with two different pairs.
(j) A pair is a hand with two cards of the same rank.
(k) A high card hand is a hand which fails all of the above.

1. How many poker hands are there?
2. How many royal flushes are there?
3. How many royal straights are there?
4. How many four of a kinds are there?
5. How many three of a kinds are there?
6. How many pairs are there?
7. How many full houses are there?
8. How many two pairs are there?
9. How many straight flushes are there?
10. How many flushes are there?
11. How many straights are there?
12. How many high card hands are there?
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[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ If we really wanted to, we could think of the deck of cards as the set $\{A, 2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9, T, J, Q, K\} \times\{C, H, S, D\}$.

