LESSON Practice A

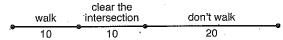
9-6 Geometric Probability

A point is randomly chosen on \overline{PS} . Fill in the blanks and find the probability of each event for Exercises 1–4.

- 1. The point is on \overline{QR} . $P = \boxed{PS} = \boxed{}$
- 3. The point is on \overline{RS} .

4. The point is not on \overline{RS} .

The signal at a crosswalk has the following cycle: "walk" for 10 seconds, "clear the intersection" for 10 seconds, and "don't walk" for 20 seconds. The figure shows the cycle represented as a line segment.



- 5. Find the probability the signal will show "don't walk" when you arrive at the intersection.
- **6.** You walk this way every day. Find the number of times the signal will show "walk" out of 20 times that you arrive. (*Hint:* Find the probability and multiply by the number of times you arrive.)

The total number of degrees in a circle is 360°. Use the spinner to find the fractional probability of each event.

- 7. the pointer landing in region D
- 8. the pointer landing in regions B or C
- 9. the pointer landing in region A
- **10.** the pointer not landing in region A

Find the probability that a point chosen randomly inside the rectangle is in each given shape. Round to the nearest hundredth.

- 11. the triangle
- 12. the square
- 13. the triangle or the square
- 14. not the triangle

