

Rubric for Quiz 1

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Let us denote the following events by appropriate symbols

S : The patient is serious

M : The patient is moderate.

LN : The doctor is Laser Nephrologist

CN : The doctor is Conservative Nephrologist

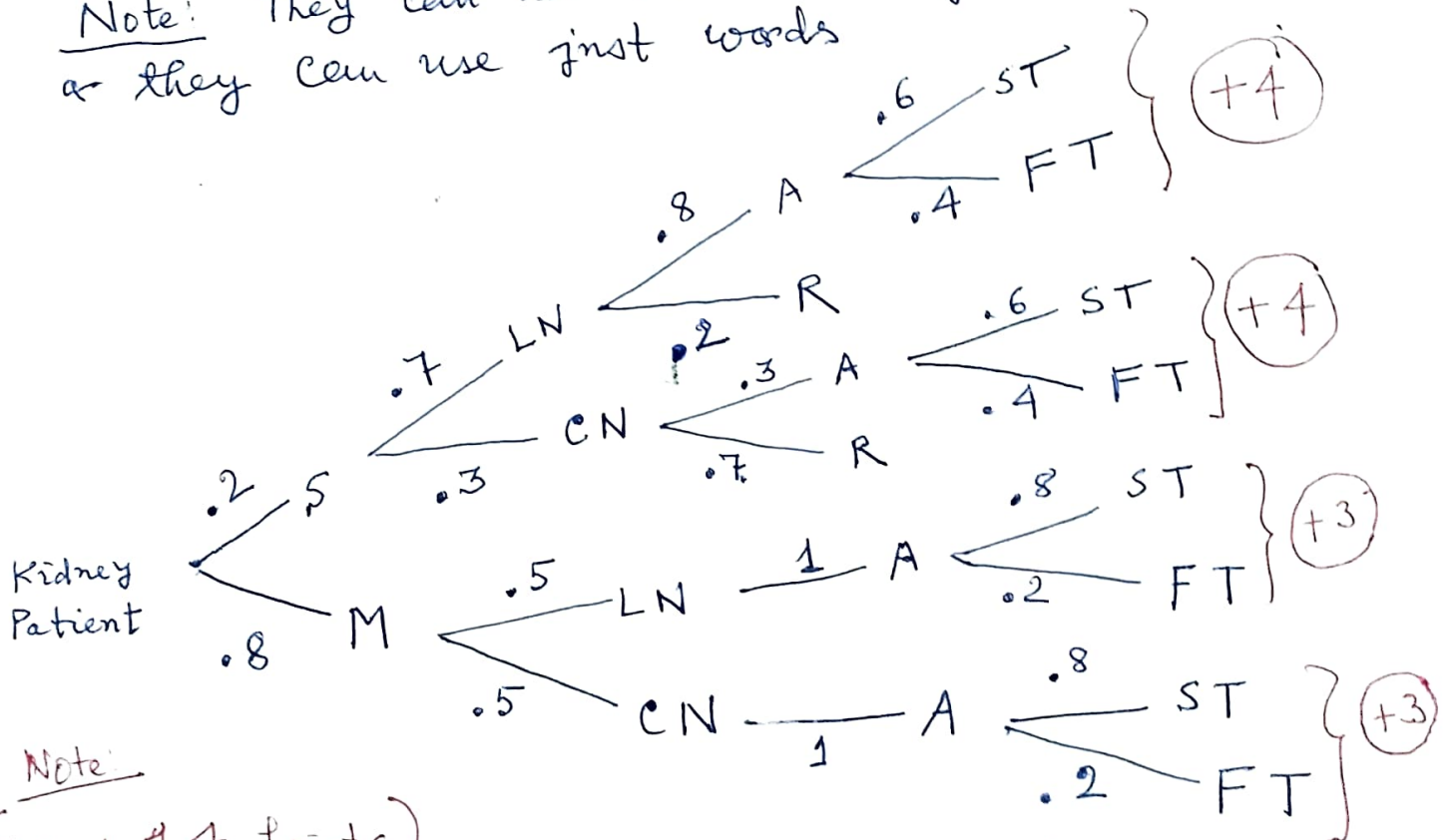
A : The patient ^{has} been accepted by the doctor

R : The patient has not been accepted by the doctor

ST : The treatment is successful

FT : The treatment has failed.

Note: They can use their own symbol
or they can use just words



Note:

(Total = +14 points)

Give proportional points for each branch

(2)

$$P[LN \cap A | S \cap ST] = \frac{P[LN \cap A \cap S \cap ST]}{P[S \cap ST]}$$

$$= \frac{(.2)(.7)(.8)(.6)}{(.2)(.7)(.8)(.6) + (.2)(.3)(.3)(.6)}$$

$$= \frac{.0672}{.078} = \frac{672}{780} = \boxed{\frac{56}{65}}$$

+7

Note:

They can directly write the third step from the diagram and that will be o.k.

Total:

+12 points

$$P[ST | CN \cap A] = \frac{P[ST \cap CN \cap A]}{P[CN \cap A]}$$

$$= \frac{(.2)(.3)(.3)(.6) + (.8)(.5)(1)(.8)}{(.2)(.3)(.3)(.6 + .4) + (.8)(.5)(1)(.8 + .2)}$$

$$= \frac{.0108 + .320}{.018 + .4} = \frac{.3308}{.4180} = \boxed{\frac{827}{1045}}$$

+7

Note:

They can directly write the third step from the diagram and that will be o.k.

Total:

+12 points

$$P[ST | LN \cap A] = \frac{P[ST \cap LN \cap A]}{P[LN \cap A]}$$

$$= \frac{(.2)(.7)(.8)(.6) + (.8)(.5)(1)(.8)}{(.2)(.7)(.8)(.6 + .4) + (.8)(.5)(1)(.8 + .2)}$$

$$= \frac{.0672 + .32}{.112 + .4} = \frac{.3872}{.5120} = \boxed{\frac{121}{160}}$$

+7

Total:

+12 points

+2

Note: They can directly write the third step from the diagram and that will be o.k.

(3)

- (2) Let n be the number of wins required in 50 games so that the net gain or loss is less than \$1.

Then $-1 < n - \frac{(50-n)}{2} < 1$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < 2n - (50-n) < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2 < 3n - 50 < 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 48 < 3n < 52$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 < n < 17.3$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 17$$

+6

Now,

$$P[\text{win in 1 game}] = P[HH] = \frac{1}{4}$$

So, $P[\text{Net gain or loss is less than \$1}]$

$$= \binom{50}{17} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{17} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{33}$$

+1

Hence $P[\text{Net gain or loss is at least \$1}]$

$$= 1 - \binom{50}{17} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{17} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{33}$$

+3

Similarly if n is the number of coins required in 50 games so that net gain or loss is less than \$5, then

$$\begin{aligned} -5 &< n - \frac{(50-n)}{2} < 5 \\ \Rightarrow -5 &< \frac{2n - (50-n)}{2} < 5 \\ \Rightarrow -5 &< \frac{3n-50}{2} < 5 \\ \Rightarrow 40 &< 3n < 60 \\ \Rightarrow 13.4 &< n < 20 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} (+6)$$

So $P[\text{Net gain or loss is less than \$5}]$

$$= \sum_{n=14}^{19} \binom{50}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{50-n}$$

(+4)

Hence $P[\text{Net gain or loss is at least \$5}]$

$$= 1 - \sum_{n=14}^{19} \binom{50}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{50-n}$$

(+3)

Note: Some students may write the answer as

$$\sum_{n=0}^{13} \binom{50}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{50-n} + \sum_{n=20}^{50} \binom{50}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{50-n}$$

or

$$\sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ n \notin \{14, 15, \dots, 19\}}}^{50} \binom{50}{n} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{50-n}$$

(all are correct)

(Total = 25 points)

(3)

A will win the series if A wins m games before B wins n games. So, by $(m+n-1)^{th}$ game there must be a winner.

Let X_k be the event,

$$X_k = \{A \text{ wins } m \text{ games in exactly } m+k \text{ games}\}$$
$$k=0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1$$

Then X_k s are mutually exclusive events

and $\{A \text{ wins}\} = X_0 \cup X_1 \cup \dots \cup X_{n-1}$

+13

So, $P[A \text{ wins}] = P[X_0 \cup X_1 \cup \dots \cup X_{n-1}]$

+2

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} P[X_k]$$

For A to win m games in exactly $m+k$ games, A must win the last game and $(m-1)$ games in any order among the first $(m+k-1)$ games

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{m+k-1}{m-1} p^{m-1} q^k p$$

+8

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{m+k-1}{m-1} p^m q^k$$

+2

$$= p^m \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{m+k-1}{m-1} q^k$$

(They can write the answer in either form)

Note: Some students can reach this step without writing all the earlier steps. However they should give proper logical explanation to reach ~~there~~ ~~here~~ ~~there~~ ~~here~~.

(In place of q , they can write $1-p$)

Total = 25 points

(6)

Note:

They can also write in the form:

$$p^m \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \frac{(m+k-1)!}{(m-1)! k!} q^k$$

$$\text{or, } p^m \left(1 + \frac{m}{1} q + \frac{m(m+1)}{1.2} q^2 + \dots + \frac{m(m+1) \dots (m+n-2)}{1.2 \dots (n-1)} \times q^{n-1} \right)$$

(All these answers are acceptable.)