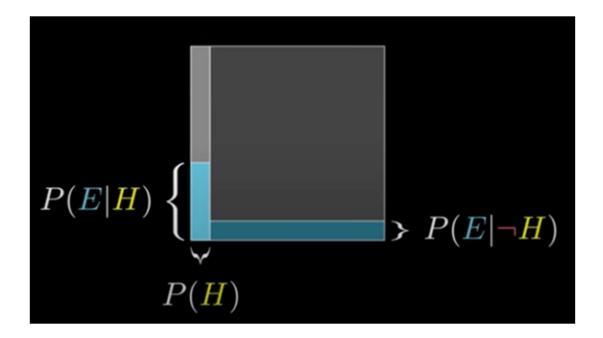
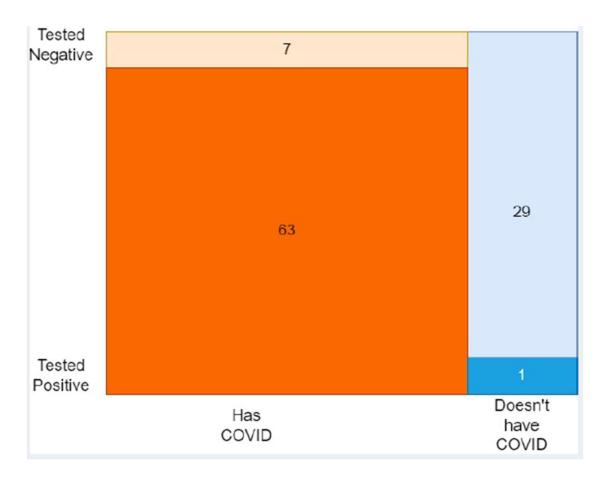
## 04-03 Statistics – Task 2

## Conditional Probability – P(B), P(A and B), P(A|B)

- You work for a risk analysis insurer. You have read that this year, out of all drivers on the road, 5% have had accidents under the age of 25. You have also read that 10% of all drivers are under the age of 25. A new client approaches you and states that their age is 22. You want to calculate the chance that this driver has had an accident this year based on their age.
  - A = had an accident this year
  - o B = age under 25
  - $\circ$  P(B) = 10% = 0.1
  - $\circ$  P(A and B) = 5% = 0.05
  - $\circ$  P(A|B) = P(A and B) / P(B) = 0.05 / 0.1 = 0.5 = 50%
- Your friend told you that they would buy you lunch if you can flip a coin and have it land on heads twice. You flip it the first time, and it lands on heads. What are your chances now of it landing on heads again?
  - Coin tosses are independent events so conditional probability theorems cannot be used.
  - $\circ$  Therefore the probability is 0.5 \* 0.5 = 0.25 or 25%
- You were always told that knowing Maths helps you to achieve 80% in Computer Science. You read some statistics showing that 30% of all Computer Science graduates took Maths and achieved 80%. Overall, 60% of all Computer Science graduates took Maths. Considering you took Maths, what are your chances of achieving 80%?
  - A = Achieving 80%
  - B = Took maths
  - $\circ$  P(B) = 60% = 0.6
  - $\circ$  P(A and B) = 30% = 0.3
  - $\circ$  P(A|B) = P(A and B) / P(B) = 0.3 / 0.6 = 0.5 = 50%

## **Bayes Theorem**





- Using this diagram, and information learned from the video, state the
- following:
  - o **H**: our hypothesis
    - The person has COVID
  - o **E**: our evidence
    - The person has been tested for COVID
- Then, give the values for the following:
  - o P(H) 0.7 or 70%
  - P(E|H) 0.9 = 90%
  - P(E) 1 = 100%
  - $\circ$  P(H|E) = P(E|H)P(H) / P(E) = 0.9 \* 0.7 / 1 = 0.63 = 63%