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Assignment 5 12th Class

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1 QUESTION

Let A and B be independent events with Pr(A) = 0.3 and Pr(B) = 0.4. Find

- (i) $Pr(A \cap B)$
- (ii) $Pr(A \cup B)$
- (iii) Pr(A|B)
- (iv) Pr(B|A)

2 SOLUTION

Solution:

$$Pr(A+B) = Pr(A) + Pr(B) - Pr(AB)$$
 (2.1)

$$Pr(A|B) = \frac{Pr(AB)}{Pr(B)}$$
 (2.2)

(i) $Pr(AB) = Pr(A) \times Pr(B)$ cause A and B are independent events

$$Pr(AB) = 0.3 \times 0.4 = 0.12 \tag{2.3}$$

(ii) Using(2.1)

$$Pr(A + B) = 0.3 + 0.4 - 0.12 = 0.58$$
 (2.4)

(iii) Using(2.2)

$$Pr(A|B) = \frac{Pr(AB)}{Pr(B)} = \frac{0.12}{0.4} = 0.3$$
 (2.5)

(iv) Using(2.2)

$$Pr(B|A) = \frac{Pr(AB)}{Pr(A)} = \frac{0.12}{0.3} = 0.4$$
 (2.6)

Note: Derivation of (2.1) using Boolean Algebra: We note that for any events A and B we have the following:

$$A + B = A(B + B') + B(A + A')$$

$$= (AB + BA) + AB' + A'B$$

$$= AB + AB' + A'B \quad (2.7)$$

and

$$Pr(A) = Pr(AB') + Pr(AB)$$
 (2.8)

Thus, taking probabilities in (2.7), since all the events are mutually disjoint,

$$Pr(A + B) = Pr(AB') + Pr(AB) + Pr(A'B)$$
$$= Pr(A) + Pr(A'B)$$
$$= Pr(A) + Pr(B) - Pr(AB) \quad (2.9)$$