

"Law of Complementation"

$$P(A^c) = 1 - P(A)$$

Q-1: A Coin is tossed 4 times in succession.

What is the probability that at least one head occurs?

sol.:- Total occurrences = $2^4 = 16$.

At least one head \rightarrow opposite (no. head)
 \downarrow
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$$\therefore P(\text{at least one head}) = 1 - P(\text{no. head})$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{15}{16}$$

Q-2: Find y ;

x	0	1	2	3	4
$P(x)$	0.16	0.09	0.26	y	0.31

sol :- we know that $\sum P(x) = 1$

$$\Rightarrow 0.16 + 0.09 + 0.26 + y + 0.31 = 1$$

$$0.82 + y = 1$$

$$\therefore y = 1 - 0.82$$

$$= 0.18$$

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Additive Law

If A and B are two events, then

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B).$$

Ex# 2.29

Q-1: John is going to graduate from an industrial engineering department in a university by the end of the Semester. After being interviewed at two companies he likes, he assesses that his probability of getting an offer from Company A is 0.8, and his probability of getting an offer from Company B is 0.6. If he believes that the probability that he will get offers from both companies is 0.5, what is the probability that he will get at least one offer from these two companies?

Sol:-

$$P(A) = 0.8$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A \cap B) = 0.5$$

$$P(B) = 0.6$$

$$P(A \cup B) = ?$$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$= 0.8 + 0.6 - 0.5$$

$$= 0.9.$$

Q-2:-

Education	Male	female	Total
Elementary	38	45	83
Secondary	28	50	78
College	22	17	39
Total	88	112	200

If a person is picked at random from this group, find the probability that

a) the person is a male or a college educator.

Sol:- $P(\text{Male or College Educator}) = P$

$$\Rightarrow P(M \cup C) = P(M) + P(C) - P(M \cap C)$$

where

$$P(M) = \frac{88}{200}$$

$$P(C) = \frac{39}{200}$$

$$P(M \cap C) = \frac{22}{200}$$

$$\therefore P(M \cup C) = \frac{88}{200} + \frac{39}{200} - \frac{22}{200}$$

$$= \frac{105}{200} = 0.525$$

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b) the Selected person is a female or an elementary educator.

sol:- $P(F \cup E) = ?$

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Q-3:-

Age Group.

Movies per Month	E_5 <30	E_6 30 to 50	E_7 >50	Total
E_1 > 10 movies	200	100	100	400
E_2 3 to 9 movies	600	900	400	1900
E_3 1 to 2 movies	400	600	500	1500
E_4 0 movies	700	500	0	1200
Total	1900	2100	1000	5000

i) $P(\text{selected person is b/w 30 to 50 years or he/she watched 1 to 2 movies per month}) = ?$

sol:- $P(E_6 \cup E_3) = P(E_6) + P(E_3) - P(E_6 \cap E_3)$

$$= \frac{2100}{5000} + \frac{1500}{5000} - \frac{600}{5000}$$

$$= \frac{3000}{5000} = \frac{3}{5} = 0.6$$

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Practice:- A class contains 10 men and 20 women of which half the men and half the women have brown eyes. Find the prob. that a person chosen at random is a man or has brown eyes.

Sol. Hint:

	Brown eyes	other coloured eyes	
Men	5	5	10
Women	10	10	20
Total	15	15	30

Practice:- In a group of 20 adults, 4 out of the 7 women and 2 out of the 13 men wear glasses. What is the prob. that a person chosen at random from the group is a woman or someone who wear glasses.

Sol. Hint

	Wear Glasses	Without glasses	
Men	2	11	13
Women	4	3	7
Total	6	14	20

As we know that

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

* If two events A and B are mutually exclusive events, then

$$P(A \cap B) = 0$$

$$\therefore P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)$$

* If two events A and B are mutually exclusive and exhaustive events, then

$$P(A \cap B) = 0$$

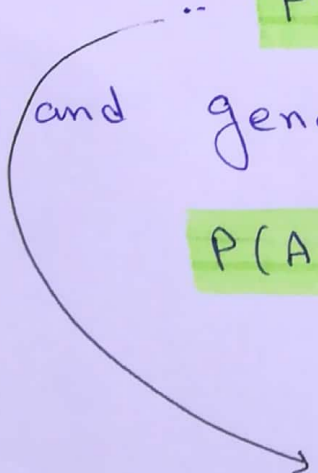
and

$$P(A \cup B) = 1$$

$$\therefore P(A) + P(B) = 1$$

and generally

$$P(A_1) + P(A_2) + \dots + P(A_k) = 1$$


$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cup B) &= P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ 1 &= P(A) + P(B) - 0 \end{aligned}$$

fill in the blank:-

If two events A and B are mutually exclusive and exhaustive events, with

$$P(A) = \frac{7}{13}, \text{ then } P(B) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}.$$