

# Assignment 6

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## 1 PROBLEM

**GATE 2015 (EE paper-01 new 2), Q.10 (apti. section)**

The probabilities that a student passes in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry are  $m, p$ , and  $c$  respectively. Of these subjects, the student has 75% chance of passing in at least one, a 50% chance of passing in at least two and a 40% chance of passing in exactly two. Following relations are drawn in  $m, p, c$ :

- (I)  $p + m + c = 27/20$
- (II)  $p + m + c = 13/20$
- (III)  $(p) \times (m) \times (c) = 1/10$
- (A) Only relation I is true
- (B) Only relation II is true
- (C) Relations II and III are true
- (D) Relations I and III are true

## 2 SOLUTION

Let  $M, P, C$  be the events representing student passes in Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry respectively.

$$\Pr(M) = m \quad (2.0.1)$$

$$\Pr(P) = p \quad (2.0.2)$$

$$\Pr(C) = c \quad (2.0.3)$$

The given information can be represented as

$$\Pr(M + P + C) = 75\% = \frac{3}{4} \quad (2.0.4)$$

$$\Pr(MP + PC + CA) = 50\% = \frac{1}{2} \quad (2.0.5)$$

$$\Pr(MP + PC + CA - 3MPC) = 40\% = \frac{2}{5} \quad (2.0.6)$$

(2.0.5) and (2.0.6) can also be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr(MP) + \Pr(PC) + \Pr(CM) \\ - 2\Pr(MPC) &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned} \quad (2.0.7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr(MP) + \Pr(PC) + \Pr(CM) \\ - 3\Pr(MPC) &= \frac{2}{5} \end{aligned} \quad (2.0.8)$$

Subtracting and solving the above two equations we get,

$$\Pr(MPC) = \frac{1}{10} \quad (2.0.9)$$

$$\Pr(MP) + \Pr(PC) + \Pr(CM) = \frac{7}{10} \quad (2.0.10)$$

Using inclusion-exclusion principle, We can express (2.0.4) as

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr(M) + \Pr(P) + \Pr(C) \\ - [\Pr(MP) + \Pr(PC) + \Pr(CM)] \\ + \Pr(MPC) &= \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned} \quad (2.0.11)$$

$$p + m + c - \frac{7}{10} + \frac{1}{10} = \frac{3}{4} \quad (2.0.12)$$

$$p + m + c = \frac{27}{10} \quad (2.0.13)$$

There is no constant answer for the product of  $p, m, c$  which is shown in simulation.

$\therefore$  Only relation I is true.

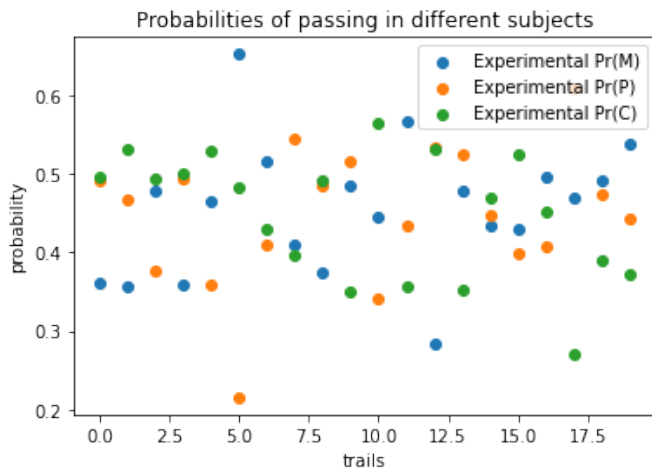


Fig. 4: Probabilities of passing in different subjects in different trails

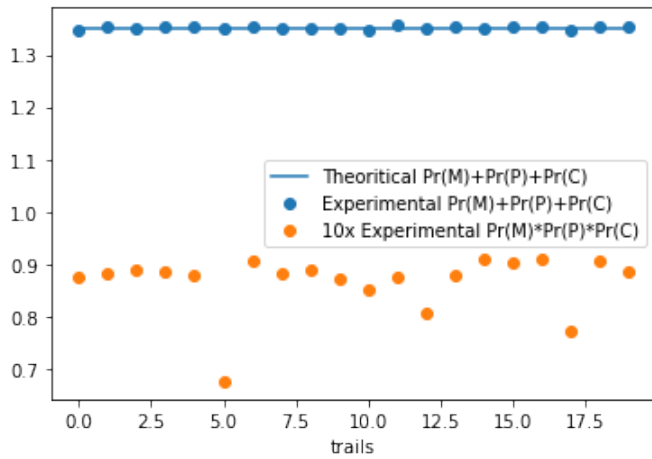


Fig. 4: Sums and Products of probabilities in different trails