

# SIGUE, JP-FA4

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A geospatial analysis system has four sensors supplying images. The percentage of images supplied by each sensor and the percentage of images relevant to a query are shown in the following table.

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images <- data.frame(sensor = 1:4, Supplied = c(0.15, 0.2, 0.25, 0.4), Relevant = c(0.5,
  0.6, 0.8, 0.85))
images
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##	sensor	Supplied	Relevant
## 1	1	0.15	0.50
## 2	2	0.20	0.60
## 3	3	0.25	0.80
## 4	4	0.40	0.85

What is the overall percentage of relevant images?

\*R = Relevant, S = Supplied

$$P(R) = P(R|S_1) \cdot P(S_1) + P(R|S_2) \cdot P(S_2) + P(R|S_3) \cdot P(S_3) + P(R|S_4) \cdot P(S_4)$$

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prob_rel <- sum(images$Supplied * images$Relevant)
cat("The overall percentage of relevant images is ", prob_rel * 100, "%.", sep = "")
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## The overall percentage of relevant images is 73.5%.
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A fair coin is tossed twice. Let  $E_1$  be the event that both tosses have the same outcome, that is  $E_1 = (HH, TT)$ . Let  $E_2$  be the event that the first toss is a head, that is,  $E_2 = (HH, HT)$ . Let  $E_3$  be the event that the second toss is a head, that is,  $E_3 = (TH, HH)$ . Show that  $E_1, E_2$ , and  $E_3$  are pairwise independent but not mutually independent.

Sample Space

$$S = HH, HT, TH, TT$$

Since the coin is fair, each outcome has an equal probability:

$$P(HH) = P(HT) = P(TH) = P(TT) = \frac{1}{4}$$

## Events and Their Probabilities

1.  $E_1 = (HH, TT)$ 
  - $P(E_1) = P(HH) + P(TT) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$
2.  $E_2 = (HH, HT)$ 
  - $P(E_2) = P(HH) + P(HT) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$
3.  $E_3 = (TH, HH)$ 
  - $P(E_3) = P(TH) + P(HH) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$

## Check for Pairwise Independence

Events  $A$  and  $B$  are independent if:

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

1.  $E_1$  and  $E_2$   
 $E_1 \cap E_2 = \{HH\}$   
 $P(E_1 \cap E_2) = P(HH) = \frac{1}{4}$   
 $P(E_1)P(E_2) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$   
Since  $P(E_1 \cap E_2) = P(E_1)P(E_2)$ ,  $E_1$  and  $E_2$  are independent.
2.  $E_1$  and  $E_3$   
 $E_1 \cap E_3 = \{HH\}$   
 $P(E_1 \cap E_3) = P(HH) = \frac{1}{4}$   
 $P(E_1)P(E_3) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$   
Since  $P(E_1 \cap E_3) = P(E_1)P(E_3)$ ,  $E_1$  and  $E_3$  are independent.
3.  $E_2$  and  $E_3$   
 $E_2 \cap E_3 = \{HH\}$   
 $P(E_2 \cap E_3) = P(HH) = \frac{1}{4}$   
 $P(E_2)P(E_3) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$   
Since  $P(E_2 \cap E_3) = P(E_2)P(E_3)$ ,  $E_2$  and  $E_3$  are independent.

## Check for Mutual Independence

$E_1, E_2, \dots, E_k$  are mutually independent if:

$$P(E_{i_1} \cap E_{i_2} \cap \dots \cap E_{i_k}) = P(E_{i_1})P(E_{i_2}) \dots P(E_{i_k})$$

From the sets:

$$\begin{aligned} E_1 \cap E_2 \cap E_3 &= \{HH\} \\ P(E_1 \cap E_2 \cap E_3) &= P(HH) = \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Calculate  $P(E_1)P(E_2)P(E_3)$ :

$$P(E_1)P(E_2)P(E_3) = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$$

Since  $P(E_1 \cap E_2 \cap E_3) \neq P(E_1)P(E_2)P(E_3)$ , the events are not mutually independent.