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QUESTION: A and B are two events such that P(A) = 0.54, P(B) = 0.69 $P(A \cap B) = 0.35$. Find (iii) $P(A \cap B')$

Theoretical Solution:

$$(A \cap B) = (A \cdot B) \tag{0.1}$$

For 2 Boolean variables A and B, the axioms of Boolean Algebra are defined as:

$$A = AB + AB' \tag{0.2}$$

$$A \cdot A = A \tag{0.3}$$

$$B \cdot B' = 0 \tag{0.4}$$

Now let's take

X.Y = AB.AB' = 0, because it is a disjoint using these axioms, we will try to prove that

$$Pr(A) = Pr(AB) + Pr(AB')$$
(0.5)

$$Pr(A) - Pr(AB) = Pr(AB')$$
(0.6)

Using the given values of Pr(A), Pr(B) and $Pr(A \cdot B)$

$$Pr(AB') = Pr(A) - Pr(AB)$$
(0.7)

$$Pr(AB') = 0.54 - 0.35 \tag{0.8}$$

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$$Pr(AB') = 0.19$$
 (0.9)

Simulated Solution:

Let X_1 be an indicator random variable of the event A. X_1 is defined as:

$$X_1 = \begin{cases} 1, & A \\ 0, & A' \end{cases} \tag{0.10}$$

Let X_2 be the indicator random variable of the event B. X_2 is defined as:

$$X_2 = \begin{cases} 1, & B \\ 0, & B' \end{cases} \tag{0.11}$$

Let X_3 be the indicator random variable of the event AB. X_3 is defined as:

$$X_3 = \begin{cases} 1, & AB \\ 0, & (AB)' \end{cases}$$
 (0.12)

The PMF of the random variable X_1 is:

$$p_{X_1}(n) = \begin{cases} p_1, & n = 1\\ 1 - p_1, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (0.13)

The PMF of the random variable X_2 is:

$$p_{X_2}(n) = \begin{cases} p_2, & n = 1\\ 1 - p_2, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (0.14)

The PMF of the random variable X_3 is:

$$p_{X_3}(n) = \begin{cases} p_3, & n = 1\\ 1 - p_3, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (0.15)

where,

$$p_1 = 0.54 \tag{0.16}$$

$$p_2 = 0.69 (0.17)$$

$$p_3 = 0.35 (0.18)$$

(0.19)

Let Y be the random variable which is defined as follows:

$$Y = X_1 - X_3 \tag{0.20}$$

$$p_Y(n) = \begin{cases} p, & n = 1\\ 1 - p, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$
 (0.21)

Where

$$p = P(A.B') \tag{0.22}$$

Using Expectation to Find p:From linearity of expectation

$$E(Y) = E(X_1) - E(X_3)$$
 (0.23)

Since

$$E(X_1) = p_1 = 0.54, E(X_3) = p_3 = 0.35$$
 (0.24)

We have

$$p = E(Y) = p_1 - p_3 (0.25)$$

Substitute the

$$p = 0.54 - 0.35 \tag{0.26}$$

$$p = (AB') = 0.19 \tag{0.27}$$

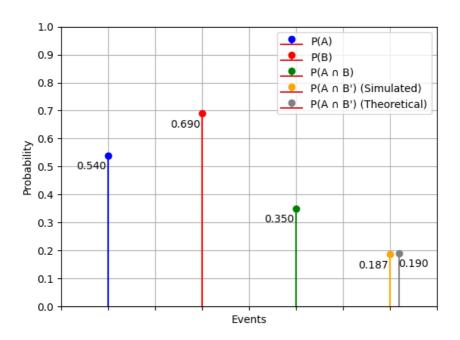


Fig. 0.1: Solving the system of equations