QUESTION: 12.13.3.7

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12.13.3.7.*A* and *B* are two events such that 4) $Pr(A) = \frac{1}{2}$, $Pr(B) = \frac{1}{3}$ and $Pr(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$. Find:

i Pr(A|B)

ii Pr(B|A)

iii Pr(A'|B)

iv Pr(A'|B')

Solution: : Given, $Pr(A) = \frac{1}{2}$, $Pr(B) = \frac{1}{3}$ and $Pr(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{4}$. Then,

$$Pr(A') = 1 - Pr(A) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$Pr(B') = 1 - Pr(B) = \frac{2}{3}$$

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

$$= \frac{7}{12}$$
(1)

1)

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

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$
(2)

2)

$$Pr(B|A) = \frac{Pr(A \cap B)}{Pr(A)}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2}$$
 (3)

3)

$$\Pr(A'|B) = \frac{\Pr(A' \cap B)}{\Pr(B)}$$

Since,

$$Pr(A \cap B) Pr(A' \cap B) = Pr(B) - Pr(A \cap B)$$
$$= \frac{1}{12}$$

We have,

$$\Pr\left(A'|B\right) = \frac{1}{4}$$

 $Pr(A'|B') = \frac{Pr(A' \cap B')}{Pr(B')}$ Since,

$$Pr(A' \cap B') = Pr(A \cup B)'$$

$$= 1 - Pr(A \cup B)$$

$$= \frac{5}{12}$$
(5)

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We have,

$$\Pr\left(A'|B'\right) = \frac{5}{8}$$

(4)