

AI1110: Probability and Random Variables

Assignment 7

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Question

Show that if $AB = \{\phi\}$, then $\Pr(A) \leq \Pr(B')$

Data Given from Question

Theory

$$\Pr(A + B) = \Pr(A) + \Pr(B) - \Pr(AB) \quad (1)$$

Given,

$$AB = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\implies \Pr(AB) = 0 \quad (3)$$

Result

By (3) and (1),

$$\Pr(A + B) = \Pr(A) + \Pr(B) \leq 1 \quad (4)$$

$$\implies \Pr(A) + 1 - \Pr(B') \leq 1 \quad (5)$$

$$\implies \Pr(A) \leq \Pr(B') \quad (6)$$

By (6), Proved.