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Module 2 Quiz

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1/1 point

If A and B are two events such that $P(A) = 0.7$, $P(B) = 0.5$, and $P(B|A) = 0.6$, find $P(A \cup B)$. If possible, round your answer to two decimal places.

0.78

Correct

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No

Correct

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Can't tell

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If $P(A) = 0.8$, $P(B|A) = 0.5$ and A and B are dependent (not independent), then is $P(B) \leq P(A)$? (Answer Yes, No, or Can't tell.)

Yes

Correct

Prompt 2: An unfair coin is flipped four times. The probability of a heads is 0.6 and the probability of a tails is 0.4. Every flip is independent of every other flip.

1/1 point

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0.3456

Correct

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1/1 point

Find the probability of getting exactly 2 heads and 2 tails given that the first coin flip was a head. Round your answer to three decimal places.

0.288

Correct

Prompt 3: 70% of the light aircraft that disappear while in flight in a certain country are subsequently found. Of

1/1 point

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

$$P(B \cap A) = P(B|A) \cdot P(A) = 0.6 \cdot 0.7 = 0.42$$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) = 0.7 + 0.5 - 0.42 = 0.78$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B) = 1$$

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{P(A)}{P(A)} = 1$$

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$$P(X=2) = \binom{4}{2} (0.6)^2 (1-0.6)^2 = 0.3456$$

$$P(B) = 0.3456$$

$$P(A) = 0.6$$

$$P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{0.1728}{0.6} = 0.288$$

$$P(A) = 0.7$$

$$P(A^c) = 0.3$$

posterior > prior
 $P(B|A) > P(B)$

$$P(B|A) \neq P(B)$$

$$P(B) \neq 0.5$$

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the aircraft that are found have an emergency locator, whereas only 10% of the aircraft not found have such a locator. Suppose a light aircraft has disappeared.

If the aircraft has an emergency locator, what is the probability that it will not be found? Round your answer to three decimal places.

0.067

Correct

1/15

10%

$$P(E|A) = P(E)$$

0.6 0.45

9. Prompt 3: 70% of the light aircraft that disappear while in flight in a certain country are subsequently found. Of the aircraft that are found, 60% have an emergency locator, whereas only 10% of the aircraft not found have such a locator. Suppose a light aircraft has disappeared.

1/1 point

Are the two events L = the plane has a locator and F = the plane is found independent?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Correct

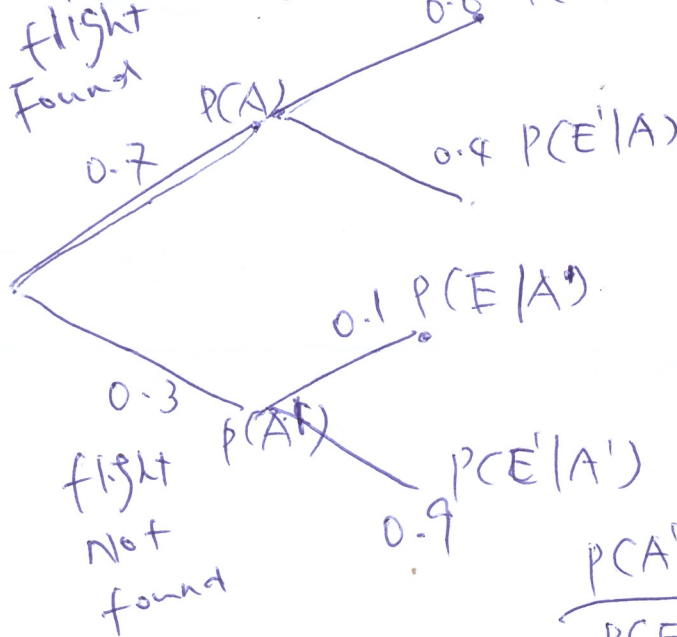
No since $P(L \cap F) = P(L|F)P(F) = 0.42 \neq P(L)P(F) = (.45)(.7)$.

$$P(A \cap E) \neq P(A) \cdot P(E)$$

0.42 0.7 0.45

A → Disappeared flight discovered

E → Emergency locator



$$= \frac{0.3 \times 0.1}{0.6 \times 0.7 + 0.1 \times 0.3}$$

$$= \frac{0.03}{0.42 + 0.03}$$

$$= \frac{0.03}{0.45}$$

$$= 0.067$$

find $P(A'|E)$ ←

$$\frac{P(A'|E)}{P(E|A)} = \frac{P(A)}{P(E)}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(A|E) = \frac{P(E|A) \cdot P(A)}{P(E)} = \frac{P(E|A) \cdot P(A)}{P(E|A) \cdot P(A) + P(E|A') \cdot P(A')}$$

$$= \frac{0.6 \times 0.7}{0.6 \times 0.7 + 0.1 \times 0.3} = \frac{0.42}{0.42 + 0.03} = \frac{0.42}{0.45}$$

$$\frac{P(A'|E)}{P(E|A')} = \frac{P(A')}{P(E)}$$

$$P(A'|E) = \frac{P(A') \cdot P(E|A')}{P(A') \cdot P(E|A') + P(A) \cdot P(E|A)}$$

$$= \frac{0.3 \cdot P(A') \cdot P(E|A')}{0.6 \cdot 0.7 + 0.1 \cdot 0.3}$$