

3. A and B are independent if $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$

First

$$P(A|B) = P(A)$$

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

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chain rule

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

Second

$$P(A) = P(A \cap B) + P(A \cap B^c)$$

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$$P(A) = P(A|B) \cdot P(B) + P(A|B^c) \cdot P(B^c)$$

↓ given

$$= P(A|B) \cdot P(B) + P(A|B) \cdot P(B^c)$$

~~P(A)~~

$$= P(A|B) (P(B) + P(B^c))$$

$$P(A) = P(A|B) \quad \perp$$

$$P(A|B) = P(A|B^c)$$

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

$$P(A \cap B) \cdot P(B^c) = P(A \cap B^c) \cdot P(B)$$

if independent we can write as below:

$$P(A) \cdot P(B) \cdot P(B^c) = P(A) \cdot P(B^c) \cdot P(B)$$

so they're independent