

Q2.

Bag I contains 4 white and 6 black balls while another Bag II contains 4 white & 3 black balls. One ball is drawn at random from one of the bags & it is found to be black. Find the probability that it was drawn from Bag I.

$$E_1 = \text{Bag I contains (4 white + 6 Black balls)} \\ p(E_1) = 1/2$$

$$E_2 = \text{Bag 2 contains (4 white + 3 Black balls)} \\ p(E_2) = 1/2$$

A = probability of black balls

$$p(A/E_1) = 6/10$$

$$p(A/E_2) = 3/7$$

using Baye's theorem  $p(\text{of getting black ball from bag I}) = \frac{p(E_1) * p(A/E_1)}{p(E_1) * p(A/E_1) + p(E_2) * p(A/E_2)}$

$$= \frac{\frac{6}{10} \times \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{6}{10} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{7} \times \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{7}{12} \text{ Ans.}$$

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Q3. A man is known to speak truth 2 out of 3 times. He throws a dice & reports that number obtained is four. Find the probability that the number obtained is actually a four.

$E_1$  = probability of speaking truth =  $2/3$   
 $P(E_1) = 2/3$

$E_2$  = probability of speaking lie =  $1/3$

A = rolling a dice with number = 4.

$$P(A/E_1) = 1/6$$

$$P(A/E_2) = 5/6$$

Using Baye's theorem

P (of speaking truth with 4 on dice)

$$= \frac{P(E_1) * P(A/E_1)}{P(E_1) * P(A/E_1) + P(E_2) * P(A/E_2)}$$

$$= \frac{1/6 * 2/3}{1/6 * 2/3 + 1/3 * 5/6} = 2/7 \text{ Ans}$$