

Question: The probability that at least one of the events A and B occurs is 0.6. If A and B occur simultaneously with probability 0.2, then $P(\bar{A}) + P(\bar{B})$ is

(A) 0.4

(B) 0.8

(C) 1.2

(D) 1.6

Solution: : Given,

TABLE 0

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Parameters	values	Description
X_i	0	Probability of A
	1	Probability of B
$p(0 + 1)$	0.6	Probability that atleast one of the events occur
$p(0 - 1)$	0.2	Probability that A and B occur simultaneously

$$\therefore P(0 + 1) = P(0) + P(1) - p(0 - 1) \quad (1)$$

$$P(0) + P(1) = 0.8 \quad (2)$$

$$1 - P(\bar{0}) + 1 - P(\bar{1}) = 0.8 \quad (3)$$

$$\therefore P(\bar{0}) + P(\bar{1}) = 1.2 \quad (4)$$