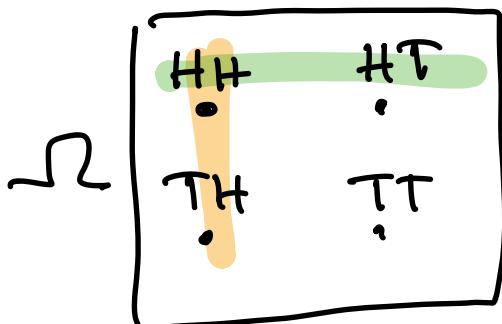


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Warmup

The outcome space of flipping two coins is drawn below.



Find two indep. events and show them in the outcome space.

$A = \text{heads on 1}^{\text{st}} \text{ toss}$

$B = \text{heads on 2}^{\text{nd}} \text{ toss}$

Notice that A, B are independent nonempty sets that have a nonempty intersection,

mutually exclusive \Rightarrow not independent (dependent)
since if you have one you can't have the other.

\Leftrightarrow

Independent \Rightarrow not mutually exclusive.

last time

Sec 1.4 Conditional Probability and independence

We saw last time the multiplication rule

$$P(AB) = P(A|B)P(B) \quad \text{and} \quad P(AB) = P(B|A)P(A)$$

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

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

$$P(A|B)P(B) = P(B|A)P(A) \quad \text{assure } P(A) \neq 0,$$

$$\cancel{P(A)}^{\parallel} \Rightarrow P(B|A) = P(B) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} P(A|B) = P(A) \\ P(B|A) = P(B) \\ P(AB) = P(A)P(B) \end{array} \right.$$

so to show independence you can show

ex

$$P(A\bar{B}) = P(A|B)P(\bar{B}) \quad \text{mult rule}$$

A deck of cards is shuffled. What is the chance that the top card is the **king** of spades **or** the bottom card is the **king** of spades

a $\frac{1}{52} + \frac{1}{52} - \frac{1}{52} \times \frac{1}{52}$

b $\frac{1}{52} + \frac{1}{51}$

c $\frac{1}{52} + \frac{1}{52} - \frac{1}{52} \times \frac{1}{51}$

d none of the above

$$P(A\bar{B}) = 0$$



a

The answer is a by the inclusion exclusion rule

d

Two ways:

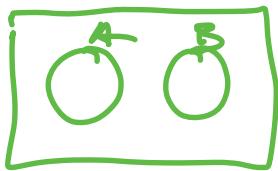
1. The two are mutually exclusive events so their intersection is 0 so while taking the union, the individual probabilities add up which is $1/52 + 1/52$ or $1/26$ which isn't among the options
2. By the complement rule, the probability is $1 - (51/52) \cdot (50/51)$ which is $1 - 50/52$ which again gives $1/26$ which isn't among the options

Tuesday

- ① Sec 1.4 Mutually Exclusive versus Independent
- ② Sec 1.5 Bayes' Rule

① Sec 1.4 Mutually Exclusive (ME) versus Independent

ME: $P(A \cap B) = 0$



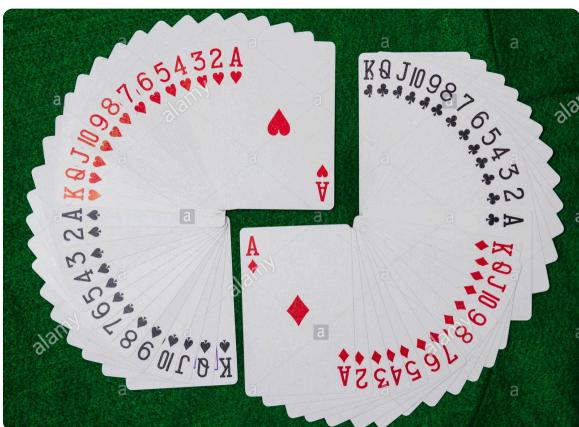
Ind: $P(A \cap B) = P(A)$

ex Consider different kinds of cards

Is red and Heart ME, Ind?

$$P(R \cap H) \neq P(R) \cdot P(H)$$

\Rightarrow not Indep.

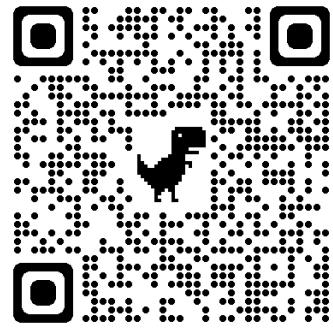


ex Is red and Spade ME, Ind?

ex Is red and Ace ME, Ind? $P(R \cap \text{Ace}) = P(R) \cdot P(\text{Ace})$

ex Is green and Ace ME, Ind?

$$\begin{aligned} P(\phi \cap B) &= 0 \\ P(\phi | B) &= \frac{P(\phi \cap B)}{P(B)} = 0 \\ P(\phi \cdot B) &= P(\phi)P(B) \end{aligned}$$



Suppose A and B are two events with

$$\boxed{P(A) = 0.8 \text{ and } P(A \cup B) = 0.8.} \Rightarrow B = \emptyset \quad P(B) = 0$$

Is it possible for A and B to be both **mutually exclusive** and **independent**?

a yes

b no

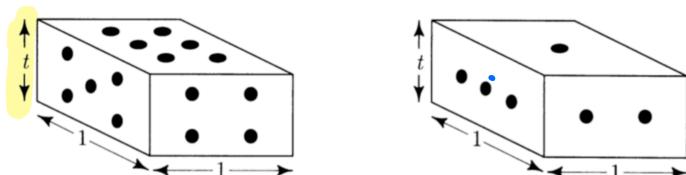
c there isn't enough information to decide

ex

Sec 1.5 Bayes's rule

Shapes.

A shape is a 6-sided die with faces cut as shown in the following diagram:



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} P(A \text{ and } B) \\ P(AB) \\ P(A, B) \\ P(A \cap B) \end{array} \right\} \text{all the same}$$

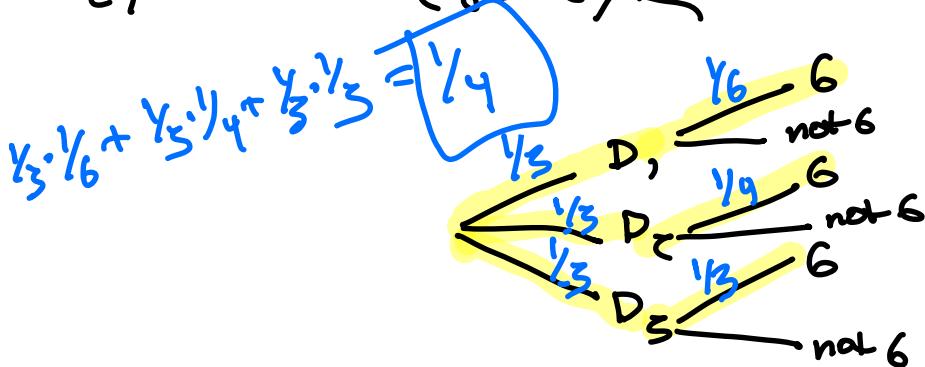
A box contains 3 shaped die (see pic above), D_1, D_2, D_3 , with probability $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$ respectively of landing flat (with 1 or 6 on top).

Note: the numbers $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$ don't add up to 1 because they are the chance of landing flat for 3 different die.

a) what $\Rightarrow P(\text{get 6} | D_1) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$
forward conditional

or b) what $\Rightarrow P(\text{get 6}, D_1) = P(\text{get 6} | D_1) \cdot P(D_1) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{18}$
likelihood conditional

c) what $\Rightarrow P(\text{get 6}) = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{18} = \frac{1}{3}$



a) Find posterior $P(D_1 | 6) = \frac{P(D_1, 6)}{P(6)} = \frac{\frac{1}{18}}{\frac{1}{4}} = \boxed{\frac{2}{9}}$

backward conditional
need Bayes's rule

ex

Suppose you draw a number from a bag, with equal probabilities across the choices {1, 2, 3}.

Once you draw a number, you toss a coin until you get that many number of heads followed by a tails—so if you draw a 3, you keep tossing until you encounter the sequence {Heads, Heads, Heads, Tails}.

What is the probability of tossing a coin seven times given that you draw the number 2?

$P(7 \mid \text{draw } 2)$ ← forward conditioning (don't use Baye's rule)

