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# Probability & Statistics

## Assignment # 02

### Laws of Probability

#### (1- Addition Law)

(\*) Not-Mutually Exclusive Events

#### (1)

From a Pack of 52 playing cards, a card is drawn randomly. Find the probability of getting it red or face card.

Solution :=

Let,  $n(S)$  = exhaustive cases

$n(A)$  = no. of events of red card

$n(B)$  = no. of events of face cards

$$n(S) = 52, \quad n(A) = 26, \quad n(B) = 12$$

→ since there are 6 face cards which are red (3 face cards of heart + 3 face cards of diamond)

$$\rightarrow n(A \cap B) = 6$$

Now, by using law of addition of probabilities of non-mutually exclusive events.

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{n(A)}{n(S)} + \frac{n(B)}{n(S)} - \frac{n(A \cap B)}{n(S)}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{26}{52} + \frac{12}{52} - \frac{6}{52}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{26+12-6}{52}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{32}{52} \Rightarrow \frac{8}{13} \Rightarrow 0.61$$

$$\boxed{P(A \cup B) = 61\% \text{ Ans.}}$$

\* So, there is 61% chance that the card may be red or face card, if a card is drawn randomly from a pack of 52 playing cards.

(2)

Two unbiased dice are rolled. Find the probability that the sum of the numbers of two faces is either divisible by 3 or divisible by 4.

Solution :=

1st Dice \ 2nd Dice	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	(1,1)	(1,2)	(1,3)	(1,4)	(1,5)	(1,6)
2	(2,1)	(2,2)	(2,3)	(2,4)	(2,5)	(2,6)
3	(3,1)	(3,2)	(3,3)	(3,4)	(3,5)	(3,6)
4	(4,1)	(4,2)	(4,3)	(4,4)	(4,5)	(4,6)
5	(5,1)	(5,2)	(5,3)	(5,4)	(5,5)	(5,6)
6	(6,1)	(6,2)	(6,3)	(6,4)	(6,5)	(6,6)

$$n(S) = 36$$

$$A = \{(1,2), (2,1), (1,5), (2,4), (3,3), (4,2), (5,1), (3,6), (4,5), (5,4), (6,3), (6,6)\}$$

$$n(A) = 12$$

$$B = \{(1,3), (2,2), (3,1), (2,6), (3,5), (4,4), (5,3), (6,2), (6,6)\}$$

$$n(B) = 9$$

∴ (6,6) both in  
A and B

$$n(A \cap B) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cup B) &= P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) \\ &= \frac{n(A)}{n(S)} + \frac{n(B)}{n(S)} - \frac{n(A \cap B)}{n(S)} \\ &= \frac{12}{36} + \frac{9}{36} - \frac{1}{36} \end{aligned}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{20}{36} \Rightarrow \frac{5}{9} \Rightarrow 0.55$$

$$P(A \cup B) = 55\%$$

Ans.

\* So, there is 55% chance that the dice is either divisible by 3 or 4, if two unbiased dices are rolled.

Q(3)

If a card is drawn from a deck, use the addition rule to find the probability of obtaining an ace or a heart.

## Solution :-

Let, A be the event that the card is an ace, and H the event that it is a heart.  
→ Since there are 4 aces, and 13 hearts in the deck.  $n(S) = 52$ ,  $n(A) = 4$ ,  $n(H) = 13$

$$P(A) = \frac{4}{52} \text{ and } P(H) = \frac{13}{52}$$

→ Intersection of two events consists of only one card, the ace of heart:

$$P(A \cap H) = \frac{1}{52}$$

Now, find the probability :

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cup H) &= P(A) + P(H) - P(A \cap H) \\ &= \frac{4}{52} + \frac{13}{52} - \frac{1}{52} = \frac{16}{52} \Rightarrow 0.3076 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(A \cup H) = 30.76\% \quad \underline{\text{Ans.}}$$

\* So, there is 30.76% Probability that a card drawn from a deck either be an ace or heart.

(\* Mutually Exclusive Events)

**Q(4)B**

One card is drawn at random from the numbered cards, numbered from 10 to 21. Find the Probability that the card may be prime number or even numbered card.

Solutions:-

Let,  $n(S)$  = exhaustive cases

$n(A)$  = no. of events of prime number Cards

$n(B)$  = no. of events of even number Cards

$$S = \{10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21\}$$

$$n(S) = 12$$

$$A = \{11, 13, 17, 19\}$$

$$n(A) = 4$$

$$B = \{10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20\}$$

$$n(B) = 6$$

Now

$$P(A) = \frac{n(A)}{n(S)} = \frac{4}{12} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow 0.33$$

$$P(A) = 33\%$$

$$P(B) = \frac{n(B)}{n(S)} = \frac{6}{12} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 0.5$$

$$P(B) = 50\%$$

Now, using law of addition of Probability for  
mutually exclusive events:

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cup B) &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} - 0 \\ &= \frac{5}{6} = 0.83 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{P(A \cup B) = 83\%} \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\*So, there is 83% chance that when one card is drawn at random from the numbered cards from 10 to 21 then the card may be Prime or even number.

**Q(5)**

From a pack of 52 cards, a card is drawn at random. What is the probability of getting a card with face or an ace?

**Solutions:=**

Let,  $n(S)$  = exhaustive cases

$n(A)$  = no. of events of face card

$n(B)$  = no. of events of ace

$n(S) = 52, n(A) = 12, n(B) = 4$

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$= \frac{n(A)}{n(S)} + \frac{n(B)}{n(S)} - 0$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{12}{52} + \frac{4}{52}$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \frac{16}{52} \Rightarrow \frac{4}{13} \Rightarrow 0.3076$$

$$P(A \cup B) = 30.76\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 30.76% chance that when a card is drawn at random from a pack of 52 cards, then the card may be with face or an ace.

## Q2. Complement Law

### Q1

Find the probability that when roll a dice we get a number different than 1 and 6.

Solution :-

First find  $P(A)$  being A getting the number 1 and 6.

$$P(A) = \frac{2}{6}$$

$$P(A) = 0.33 \Rightarrow P(A) = 33\%$$

now find  $P(A')$

$$P(A') = 1 - P(A)$$
$$= 1 - 0.33$$

$$P(A') = 0.67$$

$$P(A') = 67\% \quad \text{Ans}$$

\* So, there is 67% probability of getting a number different from 1 and 6 when a dice is rolled.

**Q(2)B**

A young man goes to buy a new phone model which has 10 different color collection, but he does not like two of those colors, if when he buys the phone they give him a random color. What are the chances of him getting a color that he actually like?

**Solution :-**

First we find  $P(c)$  being  $c$  getting one of the colors he didn't like

$$P(C) = \frac{2}{10}$$

$$\boxed{P(C) = 0.2} \Rightarrow \boxed{P(C) = 20\%}$$

Then, find  $P(C')$

$$P(C') = 1 - P(C)$$

$$= 1 - 0.2$$

$$\boxed{P(C') = 0.8}$$

$$\boxed{P(C') = 80\%}$$

•Ans.

\* So, there is 80% chance that he will get a color he like when they give him a random color phone model.

Q3B

A teacher is asking to some students to read for the class the lesson of the day, if the teacher is going to put to read to 7 of his 40 students, but most of the students are very shy to read for the class. What are the chances for each student to not read out loud?

Solution :-

First we find  $P(R)$  where R is reading for the class.

$$P(R) = \frac{1}{40}$$

$$P(R) = 0.175 \Rightarrow P(R) = 17.5\%$$

Now, we find  $P(R')$

$$\begin{aligned} P(R') &= 1 - P(R) \\ &= 1 - 0.175 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(R') = 0.825$$

$$P(R') = 82.5\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 82.5% chances that each of the 7 students will not read out loud the lesson given by the teacher.

### Q3. Conditional Law

Q(1)

Two dice are thrown simultaneously and the sum of the numbers obtained is found to be 7. What is the probability that the number 3 has appeared at least once?

Solution :

Sample Space =  $n(S) = 6 \times 6 = 36$  events

Event A indicates the combinations in which 3

has appeared atleast once.

Event B indicates the combinations of numbers which sum upto 7.

$$A = \{(3,1), (3,2), (3,3), (3,4), (3,5), (3,6), (1,3), (2,3), (5,3), (6,3), (4,3)\}$$

$$B = \{(1,6), (2,5), (3,4), (4,3), (5,2), (6,1)\}$$

$$P(A) = \frac{11}{36} \Rightarrow 0.305 \Rightarrow P(A) = 30.5\%$$

$$P(B) = \frac{6}{36} \Rightarrow 0.166 \Rightarrow P(B) = 16.6\%$$

$$A \cap B = ?$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \frac{2}{36}$$

Now, Apply conditional Probability formula:

$$\begin{aligned} P(A|B) &= \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} \\ &= \frac{2/36}{6/36} = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow 0.33 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(A|B) = 33.3\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 33.3% chance that the number 3 will appear atleast once when two dies are thrown simultaneously.

**Q(2B)**

In a group of kids, if one is selected at random, the probability that he/she like oranges is 0.6, the probability that he/she like oranges AND apples is 0.3. If a kid, who likes oranges is selected at random, what is the probability that he/she also like apples?

**Solution:**

Let,  
Event O = kids likes oranges,  
Event A = kids likes apples

Given,

$$P(O) = 0.6$$

$$P(A \text{ and } O) = 0.3$$

$$P(A|O) = \frac{P(A \text{ and } O)}{P(O)} = \frac{0.3}{0.6} = 0.5$$

$$P(A|O) = 50\% \quad \underline{\text{Ans.}}$$

\* So, there is 50% chance that the kid likes apples if selected at random in a group of kids.

(3B)

The results of a Survey of a group of 100 People who bought either a mobile phone or a tablet from any of two brands A and B is shown in table below:

	Mobile	Tablet	Total
A	20	10	30
B	30	40	70
Total	50	50	100

If a person is selected at random from the group, what is the probability that he/she

- bought brand B?
- bought a mobile phone from brand B?
- bought a mobile phone given that he/she bought brand B?

### Solutions :-

Let,  
Event M = bought a mobile phone

Event T = bought a tablet

Event A = bought brand A

Event B = bought brand B

**(a) B**

70 people bought brand B out of the total 100.

100%

$$P(B) = \frac{70}{100} = 0.7 \Rightarrow P(B) = 70\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**(b) B**

30 people bought a mobile phone from brand B out of the total 100.

$$P(M \text{ and } B) = \frac{30}{100} = 0.3$$

$$P(M \cap B) = 30\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

**(c) B**

There are 30 mobile phones out of total of 70 bought from brand B.

$$P(M|B) = \frac{P(M \text{ and } B)}{P(B)} = \frac{0.3}{0.7} = \frac{3}{7}$$

$$P(M|B) = 0.4285 \Rightarrow P(M|B) = 42.85\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 70% chance that the person selected random from a group bought brand B, 30% chance that he/she bought a mobile phone from brand B and

42.85% chance that he/she bought mobile phone given that he/she bought brand B.

Q(4)B

The results of Survey of a group of 100 people having insurances with a certain company are as follows. 40% have both home and car insurances with the company. The probability that person selected at random from this group has a car insurance is 0.7. What is the probability that a person selected at random has a home insurance knowing that he has a car insurance?

Solution :=

Let,

Event H = people with home insurance

Event C = people with car insurance

We are given:

$$P(C) = 0.7, P(H \text{ and } C) = 0.4$$

Now, apply conditional probability law:

$$P(H|C) = \frac{P(H \text{ and } C)}{P(C)} = \frac{0.4}{0.7} = \underline{\underline{0.5714}}$$

P(H|C) = 57.14 % Ans.

\*So, there is 57.14 % chance that the person selected at random has a home insurance knowing that he has car insurance.

Q(5)B

You toss a fair coin three times:

- What is the probability of three heads, HHH?
- What is the probability that you observe exactly one heads?
- Given that you have observed at least one heads, what is the probability that you observe at least two heads?

Solutions :=

Let assume that the coin tosses are independent

Q(a)

$$P(HHH) = P(H) \cdot P(H) \cdot P(H) = (0.5)^3 = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$P(HHH) = \boxed{0.125}$$

$$\boxed{P(HHH) = 12.5\%} \text{ Ans.}$$

**Q(b)B**

To find the probability of exactly one head:

$$P(\text{exactly one heads}) = P(HTT \cup THT \cup TTH)$$

$$= P(HTT) + P(THT) + P(TTH)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{3}{8} = \boxed{0.375}$$

$$\boxed{P(\text{exactly one heads}) = 37.5\%}$$

**Q(c)B**

Let,  $A_1$  be the event that you observe at least one heads, and  $A_2$  be the event that you observe atleast two heads.

then,

$$A_1 = S - \{TTT\}, \text{ and } P(A_1) = \frac{7}{8}$$

$$A_2 = \{HHT, HTH, THH, HHH\}$$

$$\text{and } P(A_2) = \frac{4}{8}$$

Now, we can write,

$$P(A_2|A_1) = \frac{P(A_2 \cap A_1)}{P(A_1)}$$

$$= \frac{P(A_2)}{P(A_1)} = \frac{4}{8} \cdot \frac{7}{7} = \frac{4}{7} = 0.5714$$

$P(A_2|A_1) = 57.14\%$  Ans.

So, there is 12.5% chance that three heads will come up if a toss is happen three times, 37.5% chance that you observe exactly one heads, and 57.14% chance that you observe at least two heads.

#### 4. Multiplication Law

(Independent Events)

(1)

Suppose you take out two cards from a standard pack of cards one after another, without replacing the first card. What is probability that the first card is the ace of spades, and the second card is a heart?

## Solution :-

The two events are dependent events because the first card is not replaced.

→ There is only one ace of spades in a deck of 52 cards. So:

$$P(1\text{st card is ace of spades}) = \frac{1}{52}$$

→ If the ace of spades is drawn first, then there are 51 cards left in the deck of which 13 are hearts.

$$P(2\text{nd card is a heart} | 1\text{st card is ace of spade}) \\ = \frac{13}{51}$$

So, applying multiplication law, we get:

$$P(\text{ace of spade, then a heart}) = \frac{1}{52} \cdot \frac{13}{51} \\ = \frac{13}{4 \cdot 13 \cdot 51} = \frac{1}{204}$$

$$= 0.0049$$

$$P(\text{ace of spade, then a heart}) = [0.49 \%]$$

\* So, there is 0.49% chance that the two cards taken out from pack of cards are ace of Spade and second card is a heart.

Q(2)B

Shareen has to select two students from a class of 23 girls and 25 boys. What is the probability that both students chosen are boys?

Solution :-

$$\text{Total no. of students} = 23 + 25 = 48$$

$$\circ P(B_1) = \frac{25}{48}$$

$$\circ P(B_2) = \frac{24}{47}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} P(B_1 \text{ and } B_2) &= P(B_1) \text{ and } P(B_2 | B_1) \\ &= \frac{25}{48} \cdot \frac{24}{47} \\ &= \frac{600}{2256} \Rightarrow 0.2659 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(B_1 \text{ and } B_2) = 26.59\% \quad \boxed{\text{Ans.}}$$

\* So, there is 26.59% chance that the two student selected randomly will be boys.

a(3)b

In a Pack of 52 cards, a card is drawn at random without replacement. Find the probability of drawing a queen followed by a jack.

Solutions:-

$$P(\text{drawing queen in the first place}) = \frac{4}{52}$$

$$P(\text{drawing jack in second place given that queen is in first place}) = \frac{4}{51}$$

$$P(\text{drawing queen followed by a jack}) =$$

$$\frac{4}{52} \cdot \frac{4}{51} = \frac{16}{2652} \Rightarrow \frac{4}{663}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.0060$$

$$P(\text{drawing queen followed by jack}) = \boxed{0.60\%}$$

Ans.

\* So, there is 0.60% chance that a queen followed by a jack will come up when a 52 pack of cards are randomly drawn without replacement.

(Independent events)

Q(4)

A coin is tossed and a die is rolled. What is the probability of getting a head and a 4?

Solution:

We have two independent events:

Event A = toss a coin to get heads.

Event B = Roll a die and get a 4.

$$P(A) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \text{ and } B) &= P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{12} \end{aligned}$$

$$P(A \cap B) = 0.0833$$

$$P(A \cap B) = 8.33\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 8.33% chance that we will get a head and a 4 when a coin is tossed and a die is rolled.

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A card is drawn from a deck of 52 cards and then replaced and a second card is drawn. Find the probability of getting a 2 and then a King.

Solution:-

Event A = draw a card and get a 2.

Event B = draw a card and get a King

Because the cards are replaced, so the two events are independent.

$$P(A) = \frac{4}{52} = \frac{1}{13} = 0.0769 \Rightarrow 7.69\%$$

$$P(B) = \frac{4}{52} = \frac{1}{13} = 0.0769 \Rightarrow 7.69\%$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \text{ and } B) &= P(A) \cdot P(B) \\ &= \frac{1}{13} \cdot \frac{1}{13} = \frac{1}{169} = 0.0059 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(A \text{ and } B) = 0.59\% \quad \text{Ans.}$$

\* So, there is 0.59% chance of getting a 2 and then a King when a card is drawn from a deck 52 cards and then replaced and a second card is drawn.