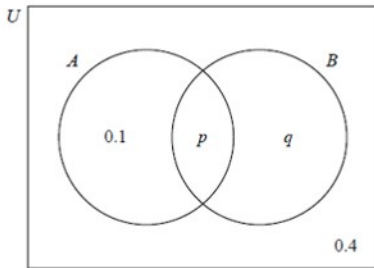


Probability-question

Thursday, April 8, 2021 5:36 AM

[Maximum mark: 6]

The following Venn diagram shows the events A and B , where $P(A) = 0.3$. The values shown are probabilities.



- (a) Find the value of p . 0.2
- (b) Find the value of q . 0.3
- (c) Find $P(A' \cup B)$. 0.9

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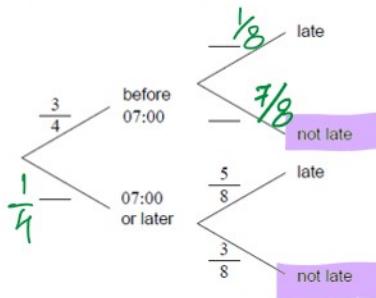
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Pablo drives to work. The probability that he leaves home before 07:00 is $\frac{3}{4}$.

If he leaves home before 07:00 the probability he will be late for work is $\frac{1}{8}$.

If he leaves home at 07:00 or later the probability he will be late for work is $\frac{5}{8}$.

- ✓ (a) Copy and complete the following tree diagram.



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$$P(\text{not late}) = \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{7}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{3}{8}$$

$$= \frac{21}{32} + \frac{3}{32} = \frac{24}{32} = \frac{3}{4}$$

- ✓ (b) Find the probability that Pablo leaves home before 07:00 and is late for work. [2]
- ✓ (c) Find the probability that Pablo is late for work. $\frac{1}{4}$ [3]
- ✓ (d) Given that Pablo is late for work, find the probability that he left home before 07:00. [3]
- ✓ (e) Two days next week Pablo will drive to work. Find the probability that he will be late at least once. ? [3]

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$$P(\text{at least once}) = 1 - P(\text{not late twice})$$

$$P(\text{at least once}) = 1 - P(\text{None})$$

$$= 1 - \left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \times \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{9}{16} = \frac{7}{16}$$

$$P(\text{before 7 | late}) = \frac{P(\text{before 7} \cap \text{late})}{P(\text{late})}$$

[Maximum mark: 6]

Two events A and B are such that $P(A) = 0.62$ and $P(A \cap B) = 0.18$.

- ✓ (a) Find $P(A \cap B')$. $\frac{1}{25} = 0.44$
- ✓ (b) Given that $P((A \cup B)') = 0.19$, find $P(A | B')$.

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$$P(A|B) = \frac{44}{63}$$

[Maximum mark: 15]

A bag contains n marbles, two of which are blue. Hayley plays a game in which she randomly draws marbles out of the bag, one after another, without replacement. The game ends when Hayley draws a blue marble.

✓ Find the probability, in terms of n , that the game will end on her

- (i) first draw: $\frac{2}{n}$
 (ii) second draw: $\frac{n-2}{n} \times \frac{2}{n-1} = \frac{2n-4}{n^2-n}$

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✓ (b) Let $n = 5$. Find the probability that the game will end on her

- (i) third draw: $\frac{1}{5}$
 (ii) fourth draw: $\frac{1}{10}$

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Hayley plays the game when $n = 5$. She pays \$20 to play and can earn money back depending on the number of draws it takes to obtain a blue marble. She earns no money back if she obtains a blue marble on her first draw. Let M be the amount of money that she earns back playing the game. This information is shown in the following table.

Number of draws	1	2	3	4
Money earned back (\$M)	0	20	8k	12k

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✓ (c) Find the value of k so that this is a fair game.

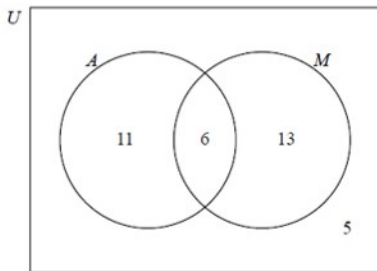
$$\text{Expectations} = \sum x \cdot p$$

$$\frac{2}{5}(0) + \frac{3}{10} \times 20 + \frac{1}{5} \times 8k + \frac{1}{10} \times 12k = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 5$$

[Maximum mark: 6]

In a group of 35 students, some take art class (A) and some take music class (M). 5 of these students do not take either class. This information is shown in the following Venn diagram.



✓ (a) Write down the number of students in the group who take art class. 17

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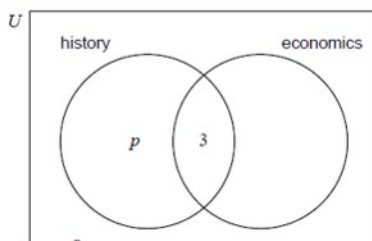
✓ (b) One student from the group is chosen at random. Find the probability that

- (i) the student does not take art class: $\frac{18}{35}$
 (ii) the student takes either art class or music class, but not both: $\frac{24}{35}$

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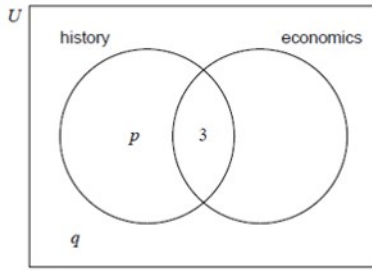
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In a group of 20 girls, 13 take history and 8 take economics. Three girls take both history and economics, as shown in the following Venn diagram. The values p and q represent numbers of girls.



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(a) Find the value of

(i) $p = 10$

(ii) $q = 2$

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(b) A girl is selected at random. Find the probability that she takes economics but not history.

$\frac{1}{4}$

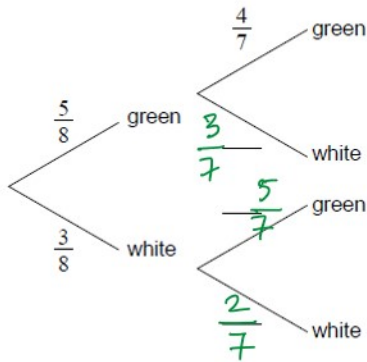
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A bag contains 5 green balls and 3 white balls. Two balls are selected at random without replacement.

(a) Complete the following tree diagram.

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(b) Find the probability that exactly one of the selected balls is green.

$\frac{15}{28}$

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[Maximum mark: 13]

A café serves sandwiches and cakes. Each customer will choose one of the following three options; buy only a sandwich, buy only a cake or buy both a sandwich and a cake. The probability that a customer buys a sandwich is 0.72 and the probability that a customer buys a cake is 0.45.

(a) Find the probability that a customer chosen at random will buy

(i) both a sandwich and a cake;

(ii) only a sandwich. 0.55

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On a typical day 200 customers come to the café.

(b) Find

(i) the expected number of cakes sold on a typical day;

(ii) the probability that more than 100 cakes will be sold on a typical day.

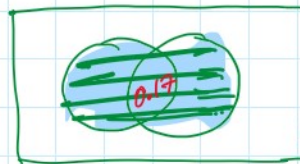
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It is known that 46% of the customers who come to the café are male, and that 80% of these buy a sandwich.

(c) (i) A customer is selected at random. Find the probability that the customer is male and buys a sandwich. 0.368

(ii) A female customer is selected at random. Find the probability that she buys a sandwich.

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$$0.72 + 0.45 = 1.17$$

$$1.17 - 1 = 0.17$$

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$0.72 - 0.368$

$= P(\text{snf})$

- ✓(ii) A female customer is selected at random. Find the probability that she buys a sandwich.

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$$P(S|F) = \frac{P(S \cap F)}{P(F)} = \frac{0.72 - 0.368}{0.54} = 0.652$$

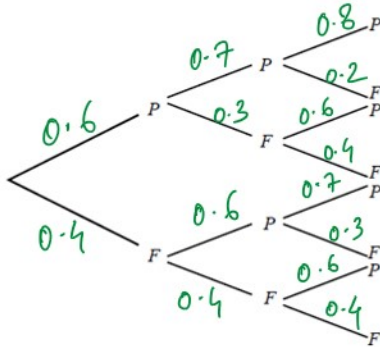
$0.72 - 0.368 = P(S \cap F)$

[Maximum mark: 8]

Iqbal attempts three practice papers in mathematics. The probability that he passes the first paper is 0.6. Whenever he gains a pass in a paper, his confidence increases so that the probability of him passing the next paper increases by 0.1. Whenever he fails a paper the probability of him passing the next paper is 0.6.

- (a) Complete the given probability tree diagram for Iqbal's three attempts, labelling each branch with the correct probability.

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- ✓(b) Calculate the probability that Iqbal passes at least two of the papers he attempts.

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- ✓(c) Find the probability that Iqbal passes his third paper, given that he passed only one previous paper.

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$$P(T|O) = \frac{0.657}{(0.6 \times 0.3) + (0.4 \times 0.6)}$$

[Maximum mark: 6]

Consider two events, A and B , such that $P(A) = P(A' \cap B) = 0.4$ and $P(A \cap B) = 0.1$.

- (a) By drawing a Venn diagram, or otherwise, find $P(A \cup B)$.

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- (b) Show that the events A and B are not independent.

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