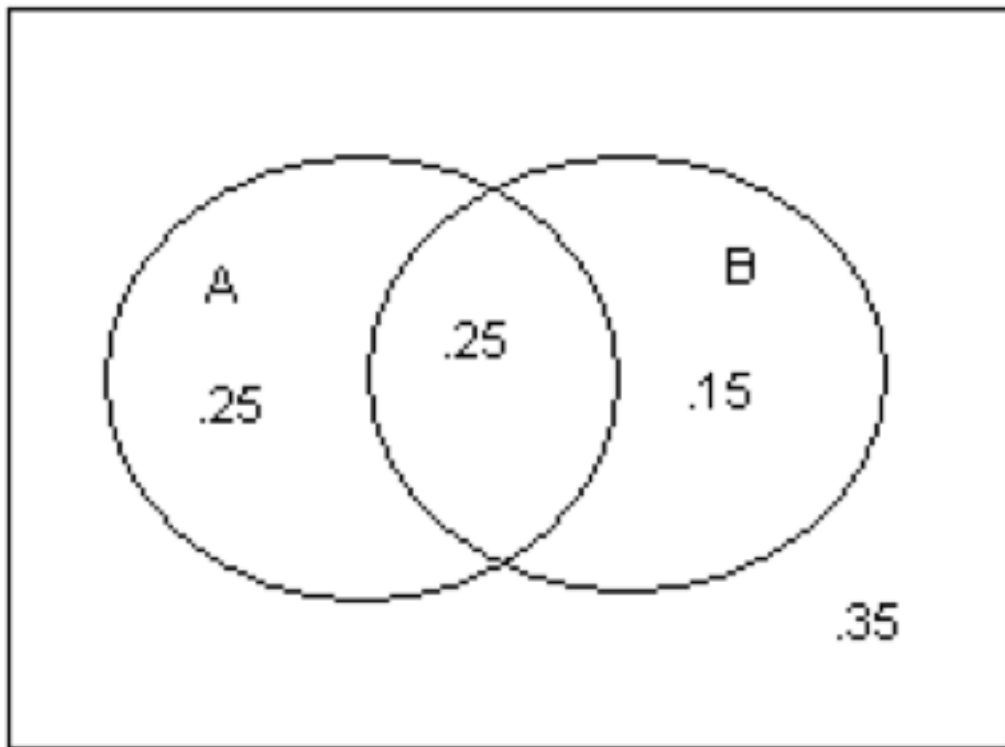


Statistics 1211 (4)
Professor Salzman
Homework#2
Solutions – Section 2

Chapter 2.4.47 (10 Points)



a. $P(B|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(A)} = \frac{0.25}{0.50} = 0.50$

b. $P(B'|A) = \frac{P(A \cap B')}{P(A)} = \frac{0.25}{0.50} = 0.50$

c. $P(A|B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{0.25}{0.40} = 0.625$

d. $P(A'|B) = \frac{P(A' \cap B)}{P(B)} = \frac{0.15}{0.40} = 0.375$

e. $P(A|A \cup B) = \frac{P(A \cap (A \cup B))}{P(A \cup B)} = \frac{0.50}{0.65} = 0.7692$

Chapter 2.4.50 (10 Points)

a.

$$P(M \cap LS \cap PR) = 0.05 \text{ directly from the table of probabilities}$$

b.

$$P(M \cap Pr) = P(M, Pr, LS) + P(M, Pr, SS) = 0.05 + 0.07 = 0.12$$

c.

$$P(SS) = \text{sum of 9 probabilities in SS table} = 0.56$$

d.

$$P(M) = 0.08 + 0.07 + 0.10 + 0.05 + 0.07 = 0.49$$

$$P(\text{Pr}) = 0.02 + 0.07 + 0.07 + 0.02 + 0.05 + 0.02 = 0.25$$

e.

$$P(M | SS \cap Pl) = \frac{P(M \cap SS \cap Pl)}{P(SS \cap Pl)} = \frac{0.08}{0.04 + 0.08 + 0.03} = 0.533$$

f.

$$P(SS | M \cap Pl) = \frac{P(SS \cap M \cap Pl)}{P(M \cap Pl)} = \frac{0.08}{0.08 + 0.10} = 0.44$$

$$P(LS | M \cap Pl) = 1 - P(SS | M \cap Pl) = 1 - 0.44 = 0.556$$

Chapter 2.4.61 (10 Points)

$$P(0 \text{ def in sample} | 0 \text{ def in batch}) = 1$$

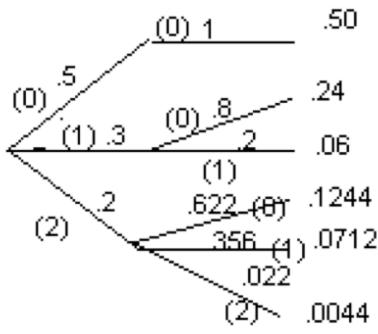
$$P(0 \text{ def in sample} | 1 \text{ def in batch}) = \frac{\binom{9}{2}}{\binom{10}{2}} = 0.800$$

$$P(1 \text{ def in sample} | 1 \text{ def in batch}) = \frac{\binom{9}{1}}{\binom{10}{2}} = 0.200$$

$$P(0 \text{ def in sample} | 2 \text{ def in batch}) = \frac{\binom{8}{2}}{\binom{10}{2}} = 0.622$$

$$P(1 \text{ def in sample} | 2 \text{ def in batch}) = \frac{\binom{2}{1} \binom{8}{1}}{\binom{10}{2}} = 0.356$$

$$P(2 \text{ def in sample} | 2 \text{ def in batch}) = \frac{1}{\binom{10}{2}} = 0.022$$



a.

$$P(0 \text{ def in batch} | 0 \text{ def in sample}) = \frac{0.5}{0.5 + 0.24 + 0.1244} = 0.578$$

$$P(1 \text{ def in batch} | 0 \text{ def in sample}) = \frac{0.24}{0.5 + 0.24 + 0.1244} = 0.278$$

$$P(2 \text{ def in batch} | 0 \text{ def in sample}) = \frac{0.1244}{0.5 + 0.24 + 0.1244} = 0.144$$

b.

$$P(0 \text{ def in batch} | 1 \text{ def in sample}) = 0$$

$$P(1 \text{ def in batch} | 1 \text{ def in sample}) = \frac{0.06}{0.06 + 0.0712} = 0.457$$

$$P(2 \text{ def in batch} | 1 \text{ def in sample}) = \frac{0.0712}{0.06 + 0.0712} = 0.543$$

Chapter 2.4.66 (10 Points)

Let E, C, and L be the events associated with e-mail, cell phones, and laptops, respectively. We are told that $P(E)=40\%$, $P(C)=30\%$, $P(L)=25\%$, $P(E \cap C)=23\%$, $P(E' \cap C' \cap L')=51\%$, $P(E|L)=88\%$, and $P(L|C)=70\%$.

a. $P(C|E) = P(E \cap C)/P(E) = .23/.40 = .575$

b. $P(C|L) = P(C \cap L)/P(L) = P(C)P(L|C)/P(L) = .30(.70)/.25 = .84$

c. $P(C|E \cap L) = P(C \cap E \cap L)/P(E \cap L)$. For the denominator, $P(E \cap L) = P(L)P(E|L) = (.25)(.88) = .22$. For the numerator, use $P(E \cup C \cup L) = 1 - P(E' \cap C' \cap L') = 1 - .51 = .49$ and write
 $P(E \cup C \cup L) = P(C) + P(E) + P(L) - P(E \cap C) - P(C \cap L) - P(E \cap L) + P(C \cap E \cap L)$
 $\rightarrow .49 = .30 + .40 + .25 - .23 - .30(.70) - .22 + P(C \cap E \cap L) \rightarrow P(C \cap E \cap L) = .20$.
So, finally, $P(C|E \cap L) = .20/.22 = .9091$

Chapter 2.5.76 (10 Points)

$P(\text{no error on any particular question}) = .9$, so $P(\text{no error on any of the 10 questions}) = (.9)^{10} = .3487$. Then $P(\text{at least one error}) = 1 - (.9)^{10} = .6513$. For p replacing .1, the two probabilities are $(1-p)^n$ and $1 - (1-p)^n$.

Chapter 2.5.82 (10 Points)

Event A: $\{(3,1)(3,2)(3,3)(3,4)(3,5)(3,6)\}$, $P(A) = \frac{1}{6}$;

Event B: $\{(1,4)(2,4)(3,4)(4,4)(5,4)(6,4)\}$, $P(B) = \frac{1}{6}$;

Event C: $\{(1,6)(2,5)(3,4)(4,3)(5,2)(6,1)\}$, $P(C) = \frac{1}{6}$;

Event $A \cap B$: $\{(3,4)\}$; $P(A \cap B) = \frac{1}{36}$;

Event $A \cap C$: $\{(3,4)\}$; $P(A \cap C) = \frac{1}{36}$;

Event $B \cap C$: $\{(3,4)\}$; $P(B \cap C) = \frac{1}{36}$;

Event $A \cap B \cap C$: $\{(3,4)\}$; $P(A \cap B \cap C) = \frac{1}{36}$;

$$P(A) \cdot P(B) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{36} = P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A) \cdot P(C) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{36} = P(A \cap C)$$

$$P(B) \cdot P(C) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{36} = P(B \cap C)$$

The events are pairwise independent.

$$P(A) \cdot P(B) \cdot P(C) = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{216} \neq \frac{1}{36} = P(A \cap B \cap C)$$

The events are not mutually independent