

Chapter : 30. BAYES'S THEOREM AND ITS APPLICATIONS

Exercise : 30

Question: 1

Solution:

Let

D : Bulb is defective

We want to find $P(C|D)$, i.e. probability that the selected defective bulb is manufactured by C

$$P(C|D) = \frac{P(C).P(D|C)}{P(A).P(D|A) + P(B).P(D|B) + P(C).P(D|C)}$$

Where, $P(A)$ = probability that bulb is made by machine A = $\frac{60}{100}$

$P(B)$ = probability that bulb is made by machine B = $\frac{25}{100}$

$P(C)$ = probability that bulb is made by machine C = $\frac{15}{100}$

$P(D|A)$ = probability of defective bulb from machine A = $\frac{1}{100}$

$P(D|B)$ = probability of defective bulb from machine B = $\frac{2}{100}$

$P(D|C)$ = probability of defective bulb from machine C = $\frac{1}{100}$

$$\begin{aligned} P(C|D) &= \frac{15}{60 + 50 + 15} \\ &= \frac{15}{125} \\ &= \frac{3}{25} \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected defective bulb is from machine C is $\frac{3}{25}$

Question: 2

Solution:

Let S : Standard quality

We want to find $P(A|S)$, i.e. probability that selected standard scooter is from plant A

$$P(A|S) = \frac{P(A).P(S|A)}{P(A).P(S|A) + P(B).P(S|B)}$$

Where, $P(A)$ = probability that scooter is from A = $\frac{80}{100}$

$P(B)$ = probability that scooter is from B = $\frac{20}{100}$

$P(S|A)$ = probability that standard scooter from A = $\frac{85}{100}$

$P(S|B)$ = probability that standard scooter from B = $\frac{65}{100}$

$$P(A|S) = \frac{(80)(85)}{(80)(85) + (20)(65)}$$

$$= \frac{6800}{6800 + 1300} = \frac{68}{81}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected standard scooter is from plant A is $\frac{68}{81}$

Question: 3

Solution:

Let, T :students taller than 1.75

B : Boys in class

G : Girls in class

We want to find $P(G|T)$, i.e. probability that selected taller is a girl

$$P(G|T) = \frac{P(G).P(T|G)}{P(G).P(T|G) + P(B).P(T|B)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{1}{100}\right)}{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{1}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{40}{100}\right)\left(\frac{4}{100}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{60}{220} = \frac{3}{11}$$

Conclusion : Therefore, the probability of selected taller student is a girl is $\frac{3}{11}$

Question: 4

Solution:

Let, I : students having IQ more than 150

B : Boys in the class

G : Girls in the class

We want to find $P(B|I)$ i.e. probability that selected student having IQ greater than 150 is a boy

$$P(B|I) = \frac{P(B).P(I|B)}{P(G).P(I|G) + P(B).P(I|B)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{5}{100}\right)}{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{5}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{40}{100}\right)\left(\frac{10}{100}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{300}{300 + 400} = \frac{3}{7}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability that selected student having IQ greater than 150 is a boy is $\frac{3}{7}$

Question: 5

Solution:

Let MG : Men having grey hair

WG: Women having grey hair

G : Having grey hair

Given an equal number of males and females. So let's assume both the probabili

We want to find $P(MG|G)$, i.e. probability of a randomly selected grey person to be male

$$\begin{aligned}P(MG|G) &= \frac{P(MG).P(G|MG)}{P(MG).P(G|MG) + P(WG).P(G|WG)} \\&= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{5}{100}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{5}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{0.25}{100}\right)} \\&= \frac{5}{5.25} \\&= \frac{20}{21}\end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of a randomly selected grey person to be male is $\frac{20}{21}$

Question: 6

Solution:

Let F : First group

S : Second group

N : Introducing a new product

We want to find $P(S|N)$, i.e. new product introduced by the second group

$$\begin{aligned}P(S|N) &= \frac{P(S).P(N|S)}{P(S).P(N|S) + P(F).P(N|F)} \\&= \frac{(0.4)(0.3)}{(0.6)(0.7) + (0.4)(0.3)} \\&= \frac{0.12}{0.54} \\&= \frac{2}{9}\end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of the second group introduced a new product is $\frac{2}{9}$

Question: 7

Solution:

Let R : Red ball

W : White ball

A : Bag A

B : Bag B

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{2}$

We want to find $P(A|W)$, i.e. the selected white ball is from bag A

$$P(A|W) = \frac{P(A).P(W|A)}{P(A).P(W|A) + P(B).P(W|B)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{4}{7}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected white ball is from bag A is $\frac{1}{5}$

Question: 8

Solution:

Let W : White ball

B : Black ball

X : 1st bag

Y : 2nd bag

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{2}$

We want to find $P(X|W)$, i.e. probability of selected white ball is from the 1st bag

$$P(X|W) = \frac{P(X).P(W|X)}{P(X).P(W|X) + P(Y).P(W|Y)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{3}{7}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{3}{7}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{5}{11}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{7}}{\frac{3}{7} + \frac{5}{11}}$$

$$= \frac{33}{68}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected white ball is from the 1st bag is $\frac{33}{68}$

Question: 9

Solution:

Let G : Gold coins

S : Siler coins

A : 1st box

B : 2nd box

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{2}$

We want to find $P(B|G)$, i.e. probability of selected gold coin is from the 2nd box

$$P(B|G) = \frac{P(B).P(G|B)}{P(A).P(G|A) + P(B).P(G|B)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{7}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{4}{7}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected gold coin is from the 2nd box is $\frac{5}{9}$

Question: 10

Solution:

let A : Ball drawn from bag A

B : Ball is drawn from bag B

C : Ball is drawn from bag C

R : Red ball

W : White ball

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{3}$

We want to find $P(A|R)$, i.e. probability of selected red ball is from bag A

$$P(A|R) = \frac{P(A).P(R|A)}{P(A).P(R|A) + P(B).P(R|B) + P(C).P(R|C)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{6}{10}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{6}{10}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{8}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)}{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)} = \frac{36}{61}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected red ball is from bag A is $\frac{36}{61}$

Question: 11

Solution:

let A : Ball drawn from bag A

B : Ball is drawn from bag B

C : Ball is drawn from bag C

BB : Black ball

WB : White ball

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{3}$

We want to find $P(A|W)$, i.e. probability of selected White ball is from bag A

$$P(A|W) = \frac{P(A).P(W|A)}{P(A).P(W|A) + P(B).P(W|B) + P(C).P(W|C)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)}$$

Solution:

$$= \frac{2}{9}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected white ball is from bag A is $\frac{2}{9}$

Question: 12

Solution:

let A : Ball drawn from bag A

B : Ball is drawn from bag B

C : Ball is drawn from bag C

BB : Black ball

WB : White ball

RB : Red ball

Assuming, selecting bags is of equal probability i.e. $\frac{1}{3}$

We want to find $P(B|WR)$ i.e. probability of selected White and red ball is from bag B

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)} = \frac{6}{11}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected white and red ball from bag B is $\frac{6}{11}$

Question: 13

Solution:

Let A : Ball is drawn from bag A

B : Ball is drawn from bag B

C : Ball is drawn from bag C

BB : Black ball

WB : White ball

RB : Red ball

$$\text{Probability of picking 2 white balls fro urn A} = \frac{7c2}{10c2} = \frac{21}{45}$$

$$\text{Probability of picking 2 white balls fro urn B} = \frac{4c2}{10c2} = \frac{6}{45}$$

$$\text{Probability of picking 2 white balls fro urn C} = \frac{2c2}{10c2} = \frac{1}{45}$$

We want to find the probability of 2 white balls picked from urn C

$$= \frac{(0.2)\left(\frac{1}{45}\right)}{(0.2)\left(\frac{21}{45}\right) + (0.6)\left(\frac{6}{45}\right) + (0.2)\left(\frac{1}{45}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{40}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of both selected white balls are from urn C is $\frac{1}{40}$

Question: 14

Let A : the set of first 3 bags

B : a set of next 2 bags

Solution:

WB : White ball

BB : Black ball

Now we can change the problem to two bags, i.e. bag A containing 15 white and 9 black balls(5 white and 3 black in each bag) and bag B containing 4 white and 8 black balls(2 white and 4 black balls in each bag)

Probability of selecting bag A is $\frac{3}{5}$ (3 bags are in A) and selecting B is $\frac{2}{5}$ (2 bags are in B)

We want to find the probability of selected white ball is from bag A

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(A|WB) &= \frac{P(A).P(WB|A)}{P(A).P(WB|A) + P(B).P(WB|B)} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{15}{24}\right)}{\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)\left(\frac{15}{24}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)\left(\frac{4}{12}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{45}{61}
 \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected white ball is from the first group is $\frac{45}{61}$

Question: 15**Solution:**

Let A : Ball drawn from bag A

B : Ball is drawn from bag B

C : Ball is drawn from bag C

D : Ball is drawn from bag D

BB : Black ball

WB : White ball

RB : Red ball

Assuming all boxes have an equal probability for picking i.e. $\frac{1}{4}$

We want to find $P(A|RB)$, i.e. probability of selected red ball is from box A

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(A|RB) &= \frac{P(A).P(RB|A)}{P(A).P(RB|A) + P(B).P(RB|B) + P(C).P(RB|C) + P(D).P(RB|D)} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{6}{10}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{8}{10}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{0}{10}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{15}
 \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected red ball is from box A is $\frac{1}{15}$

Question: 16

Let X : Car produced from plant X

Y : Car produced from plant Y

S : Car rated as standard quality

We want to find $P(X|S)$, i.e. selected standard quality car is from plant X

Solution:

$$P(X|S) = \frac{P(X).P(S|X)}{P(X).P(S|X) + P(Y).P(S|Y)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{70}{100}\right)\left(\frac{80}{100}\right)}{\left(\frac{70}{100}\right)\left(\frac{80}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{30}{100}\right)\left(\frac{90}{100}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{56}{83}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected standard quality car is from plant X is $\frac{56}{83}$

Question: 17

Solution:

Let M : Motorcycle

S : Scooter

A : Accident vehicle

We want to find $P(M|A)$, i.e. probability of accident vehicle was a motorcycle

$$P(M|A) = \frac{P(M).P(A|M)}{P(M).P(A|M) + P(S).P(A|S)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{3000}{5000}\right)(0.02)}{\left(\frac{3000}{5000}\right)(0.02) + \left(\frac{2000}{5000}\right)(0.01)}$$

$$= \frac{6}{8}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of accident vehicle was motorcycle is $\frac{3}{4}$

Question: 18

Solution:

Let A : Manufactured from machine A

B : Manufactured from machine B

C : Manufactured from machine C

D : Defective bulb

We want to find $P(A|D)$, i.e. probability of selected defective bulb is from machine A

$$P(A|D) = \frac{P(A).P(D|A)}{P(A).P(D|A) + P(B).P(D|B) + P(C).P(D|C)}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{1}{100}\right)}{\left(\frac{60}{100}\right)\left(\frac{1}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{30}{100}\right)\left(\frac{2}{100}\right) + \left(\frac{10}{100}\right)\left(\frac{3}{100}\right)}$$

$$= \frac{6}{15}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5}$$

Conclusion: Therefore, the probability of selected defective bulb is from machine A is $\frac{2}{5}$

