

MATH 1500

Section 6.4 HW Solutions: 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14

3. a. $\Pr(E|F) = \frac{0.1}{0.4} = \frac{1}{4}$

b. $\Pr(F|E) = \frac{0.1}{0.5} = \frac{1}{5}$

c. $\Pr(E|F') = \frac{0.4}{0.6} = \frac{2}{3}$

d. $\Pr(E'|F') = \frac{0.2}{0.6} = \frac{1}{3}$

7. a. $\Pr(F|E) = \frac{\Pr(E \cap F)}{\Pr(E)}$

$$0.25 = \frac{\Pr(E \cap F)}{0.4}$$

$$\Pr(E \cap F) = 0.1$$

b. $\Pr(E \cup F) = 0.4 + 0.3 - 0.1 = 0.6$

c. $\Pr(E|F) = \frac{0.1}{0.3} = \frac{1}{3}$

d. $\Pr(E' \cap F) = 0.3 - 0.1 = 0.2$

9. $\Pr(8 | \text{not } 7) = \frac{\Pr(8 \cap \text{not } 7)}{\Pr(\text{not } 7)}$

$$\Pr(8 | \text{not } 7) = \frac{\frac{5}{36}}{\frac{30}{36}}$$

$$\Pr(8 | \text{not } 7) = \frac{5}{30} = \frac{1}{6}$$

11. 0; because exactly one coin shows heads therefore there are two tails.

13. $\frac{[\text{number of outcomes that four are white}]}{[\text{number of outcomes that at least 1 is white}]}$

$$\frac{C(7, 4)}{C(12, 4) - C(5, 4)} = \frac{35}{495 - 5}$$

$$= \frac{35}{490}$$

$$= \frac{1}{14} \approx 0.0714$$

14. $\frac{[\text{number of outcomes that two are white}]}{[\text{number of outcomes that at least 1 is white}]}$

$$= \frac{C(2, 2)}{C(5, 2) - C(3, 2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10 - 3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} \approx 0.1429$$