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Exercise 4B





- **b i** $P(E) = \frac{14}{25}$
 - ii $P(E \cap A) = \frac{6}{25}$

iii P(English but not Arabic) = $\frac{8}{25}$

- iv P(Neither English nor Arabic) = $\frac{1}{25}$
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b i P(All three) = $\frac{15}{125} = \frac{3}{25}$

ii P(Pasta but not cheesecake and not garlic bread) = $\frac{10}{125} = \frac{2}{25}$

iii P(Garlic bread and pasta but not cheesecake) = $\frac{10}{125} = \frac{2}{25}$

iv P(None) = $\frac{54}{125}$

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b i P(Plays piano) =
$$\frac{89}{275}$$

ii P(At least 2) =
$$\frac{64+9+29+1}{275} = \frac{103}{275}$$

iii P(Plays exactly one) =
$$\frac{20+15+35}{275} = \frac{14}{55}$$

iv P(Plays none) =
$$\frac{102}{275}$$

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- **a** $P(E \cap H) = P(E) + P(H) P(E \cup H)$ = 0.27 + 0.25 - 0.45 = 0.17
- **b** P(Black hair but not Blue eyes) = 0.35 0.17 = 0.18
- **c** P(Neither) = $1 P(E \cup H) = 1 0.45 = 0.55$

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- **a** $P(H \cap D) = P(H) + P(D) P(H \cup D)$ = 0.6 + 0.4 - 0.7 = 0.3
- **b** P(Hiya only) = 0.6 0.3 = 0.3
- **6 a** P(B) = x + 0.1 + 0.2 = 0.45

So
$$x = 0.45 - 0.3 = 0.15$$

- **b** y = 1 (0.35 + 0.15 + 0.1 + 0.2 + 0.05) = 1 0.85 = 0.15
- 7 P(M) = 0.32 + p

$$P(P) = p + q + 0.07$$

As P(M) = P(P), 0.32 + p = p + q + 0.07.
So, rearranging, q = 0.32 - 0.07 = 0.25.
p = 1 - (0.32 + 0.25 + 0.07 + 0.13 + 0.1) = 0.13
p = 0.13, q = 0.25

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P(B) = p + q + 0.05

P(A) = 0.15 + p

As P(B) = 2P(A), p + q + 0.05 = 2(0.15 + p), or p + q + 0.05 = 0.3 + 2p

So our first equation relating p and q is: q = 0.25 + p

As P(not C) = 0.83

0.15 + p + q + 0.2 = 0.83, so our second equation results: p + q = 0.48

Using substitution to solve simultaneously:

p + (0.25 + p) = 0.48, so 2p = 0.23 and therefore p = 0.115

q = 0.25 + 0.115 = 0.365

P(C) = 1 - P(not C) = 1 - 0.83 = 0.17

Hence r + 0.05 = 0.17, so r = 0.12

p = 0.115, q = 0.365, r = 0.12

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