

1. (a) State one disadvantage of using quota sampling compared with simple random sampling.

(1)

In a university 8% of students are members of the university dance club.

A random sample of 36 students is taken from the university.

The random variable X represents the number of these students who are members of the dance club.

(b) Using a suitable model for X , find

(i) $P(X = 4)$

(ii) $P(X \geq 7)$

(3)

Only 40% of the university dance club members can dance the tango.

(c) Find the probability that a student is a member of the university dance club and can dance the tango.

(1)

A random sample of 50 students is taken from the university.

(d) Find the probability that fewer than 3 of these students are members of the university dance club and can dance the tango.

(2)

a) Disadvantage of quota sampling compared with simple random sampling :

⇒ Not random ①

b) $X \sim B(36, 0.08)$ ①

(i) $P(X = 4) = 0.167387 \dots$
 $= 0.167$ (3 s.f.) ①

(ii) $P(X \geq 7) = 1 - P(X \leq 6)$
 $= 1 - 0.977 \dots$
 $= 0.022233 \dots$
 $= 0.0222$ (3 s.f.) ①

$$(c) P(\text{dance club} \cap \text{dance tango}) = 0.08 \times 0.4 \\ = 0.032 \quad (1)$$

d) let T = dance club and dance tango

$$T \sim B(50, 0.032) \quad (1)$$

$$P(T < 3) = P(T \leq 2)$$

$$= 0.785081\dots$$

$$= 0.785 \text{ (3 s.f.)} \quad (1)$$

2. The discrete random variable X has the following probability distribution

x	a	b	c
$P(X = x)$	$\log_{36} a$	$\log_{36} b$	$\log_{36} c$

where

- a, b and c are distinct integers ($a < b < c$)
- all the probabilities are greater than zero

(a) Find

- the value of a
- the value of b
- the value of c

Show your working clearly.

(5)

The independent random variables X_1 and X_2 each have the same distribution as X

(b) Find $P(X_1 = X_2)$

(2)

$$\text{a) } \sum \text{probabilities} = 1 : \log_{36} a + \log_{36} b + \log_{36} c = 1 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\log_{36} abc = 1$$

$$abc = 36^1$$

$$\therefore abc = 36 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

All probabilities are greater than zero :

Hence, $a, b, c > 1$, since $\log_{36} 1 = 0$ $\textcircled{1}$

\Rightarrow if we take factor of 36, and a, b, c are distinct integers.

Smallest factor = 2. So, $a = 2$ $\textcircled{1}$

Next smallest factor = 3. So, $b = 3$

$$c = 36 \div (2 \times 3) = 6 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

b)	x	a	b	c
	$P(x_1)$	$\log_{36} a$	$\log_{36} b$	$\log_{36} c$
	$P(x_2)$	$\log_{36} a$	$\log_{36} b$	$\log_{36} c$

$$P(x_1 = x_2) = (\log_{36} a)^2 + (\log_{36} b)^2 + (\log_{36} c)^2 \quad (1)$$

$$= (\log_{36} 2)^2 + (\log_{36} 3)^2 + (\log_{36} 6)^2$$

$$= 0.0374137\dots + 0.09398737\dots + 0.25$$

$$= 0.38140\dots$$

$$= 0.381 \text{ (3 s.f.)} \quad (1)$$

3 A company has 1825 employees.

The employees are classified as professional, skilled or elementary.

The following table shows

- the number of employees in each classification
- the two areas, A or B , where the employees live

	A	B
Professional	740	380
Skilled	275	90
Elementary	260	80

An employee is chosen at random.

Find the probability that this employee

(a) is skilled, (1)

(b) lives in area B and is not a professional. (1)

Some classifications of employees are more likely to work from home.

① • 65% of professional employees in both area A and area B work from home
 ② • 40% of skilled employees in both area A and area B work from home
 ③ • 5% of elementary employees in both area A and area B work from home

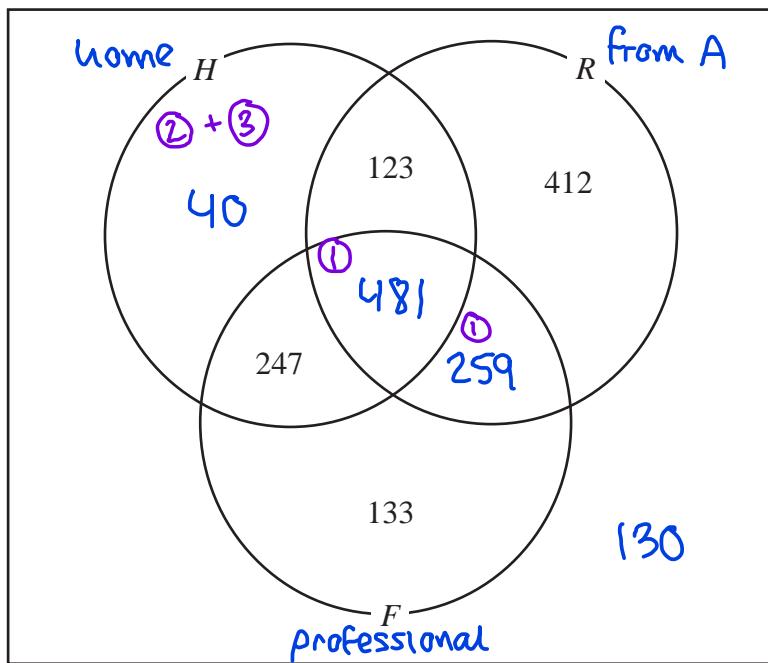
- Event F is that the employee is a professional
- Event H is that the employee works from home
- Event R is that the employee is from area A

(c) Using this information, complete the Venn diagram on the opposite page. (4)

(d) Find $P(R' \cap F)$ (1)

(e) Find $P([H \cup R]')$ (1)

(f) Find $P(F | H)$ (2)



Turn over for a spare diagram if you need to redraw your Venn diagram.

$$a) P(\text{skilled}) = \frac{275+90}{1825} = \frac{1}{5} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$b) P(B \text{ and not professional}) = \frac{90+80}{1825} = \frac{34}{365} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$c) \textcircled{1} 740 \text{ professional from A, } 65\% \text{ work from home}$$

$$740 \times 0.65 = 481 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\textcircled{2} 90 \text{ skilled from B, } 40\% \text{ work from home}$$

$$90 \times 0.4 = 36$$

$$\textcircled{3} 80 \text{ elementary from B, } 5\% \text{ work from home}$$

$$80 \times 0.05 = 4$$

$$36 + 4 = 40 \text{ non professionals from B who work from home}$$

$$\textcircled{1} 740 \text{ professional from A, } 35\% \text{ do not work from home: } 740 \times 0.35 = 259$$

$$1825 - (40 + 123 + 412 + 481 + 247 + 259 + 133)$$

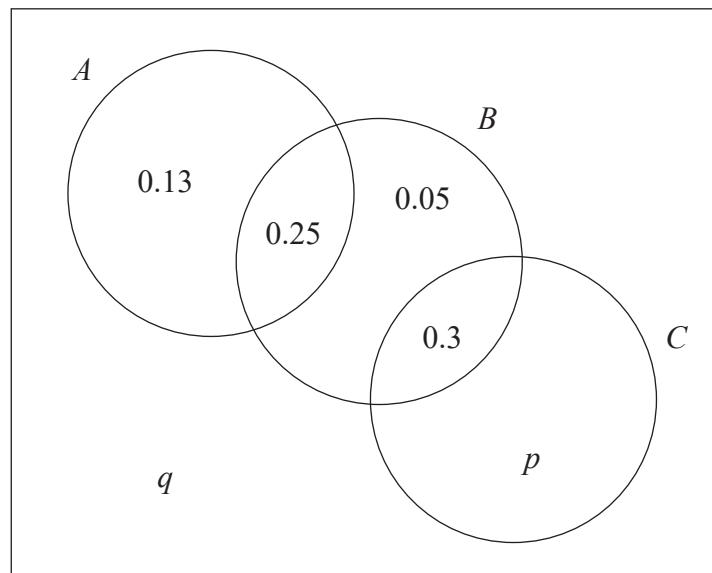
$$= 130$$

$$d) P(R' \cap F) = \frac{247 + 133}{1825} = 0.208 \text{ (3sf)} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$e) P([H \cup R]^c) = \frac{133 + 130}{1825} = 0.144 \text{ (3sf)} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$f) P(F|H) = \frac{P(F \cap H)}{P(H)} = \frac{247 + 481}{40 + 123 + 247 + 481} \quad \textcircled{1}$$
$$= 0.817 \text{ (3sf)} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

4. The Venn diagram, where p and q are probabilities, shows the three events A , B and C and their associated probabilities.



(a) Find $P(A)$ (1)

The events B and C are independent.

(b) Find the value of p and the value of q (3)

(c) Find $P(A|B')$ $\frac{P(A \cap B')}{P(B')}$ (2)

a) $P(A) = 0.13 + 0.25$

≈ 0.38 (1)

b) $P(B \cap C) = P(B) \times P(C)$ — independent event

$0.3 = (0.3 + 0.25 + 0.05) \times (0.3 \times p)$ (1)

$0.3 = 0.6 \times (0.3 + p)$

$0.3 = 0.18 + 0.6p$

$0.12 = 0.6p$

$\therefore p = 0.2$ (1)

Σ probabilities = 1 :

$$0.13 + 0.25 + 0.05 + 0.3 + p + q = 1$$

$$0.13 + 0.25 + 0.05 + 0.3 + 0.2 + q = 1$$

$$0.93 + q = 1$$

$$\therefore q = 0.07 \text{ (1)}$$

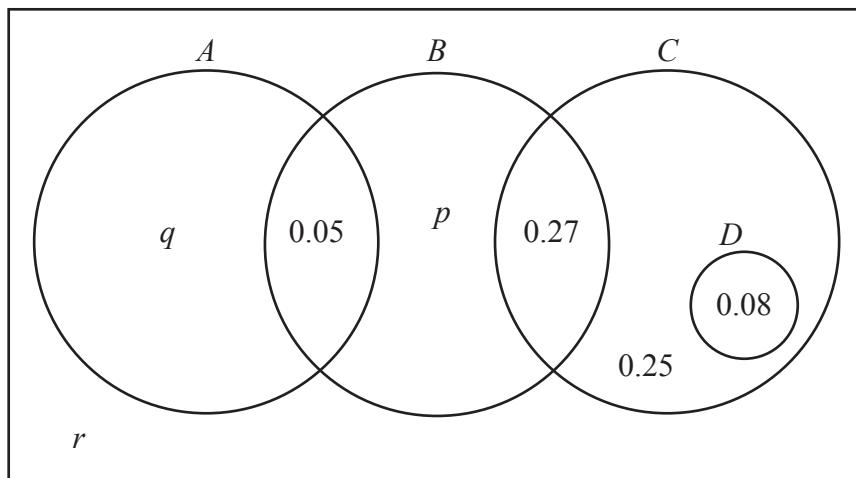
$$(c) P(A|B') = \frac{P(A \cap B')}{P(B')}$$

$$= \frac{0.13}{0.13 + 0.2 + 0.07} \text{ (1)}$$

$$= \frac{0.13}{0.4}$$

$$= 0.325 \text{ (1)}$$

5. The Venn diagram, where p , q and r are probabilities, shows the events A , B , C and D and associated probabilities.



(a) State any pair of mutually exclusive events from A , B , C and D

(1)

The events B and C are independent.

(b) Find the value of p

(2)

(c) Find the greatest possible value of $P(A | B')$

(3)

Given that $P(B | A') = 0.5$

(d) find the value of q and the value of r

(3)

(e) Find $P([A \cup B]' \cap C)$

(1)

(f) Use set notation to write an expression for the event with probability p

(1)

a) A and D ①

b) $P(B)P(C) = P(B \cap C)$

$$P(C) = 0.6 \quad P(B) = p + 0.32 \quad P(B \cap C) = 0.27 \quad ①$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.6(p + 0.32) = 0.27$$

$$p + 0.32 = 0.45$$

$$p = 0.13 \quad ①$$

$$c) P(A|B') = \frac{P(A \cap B')}{P(B')}$$

$$= \frac{q}{q+r+0.25+0.08} \stackrel{\textcircled{1}}{=} \frac{q}{0.55}$$

$$q+r = 1 - (0.05 + 0.13 + 0.27 + 0.25 + 0.08) \\ = 0.22 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\max P(A|B') \rightarrow \max q$$

$r \geq 0$ so $\max q$ happens when $r=0 \Rightarrow q=0.22$

$$\max P(A|B') = \frac{0.22}{0.55} = \frac{2}{5} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$d) P(B|A') = \frac{P(B \cap A')}{P(A')} = \frac{0.27 + 0.13}{0.6 + 0.13 + r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.4}{r+0.73} = 0.5 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$r + 0.73 = 0.8$$

$$r = 0.07 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$q = 0.22 - r \\ = 0.15 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$e) P([A \cup B]' \cap C) = 0.25 + 0.08 = 0.33 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

"is not in A or B AND is in C"

f) $B \cap [A \cup C]'$ ①

"is not in A or C AND is in B"