

## Answers to Independent Vs Dependent (ID: 1)

1) Dependent  
5) Independent

2) Dependent  
6) Independent

3) Independent

4) Independent

$$7) \frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

$$8) \frac{14}{55} \approx 0.255$$

$$9) \frac{4}{9} \approx 0.444$$

$$10) \frac{1}{36} \approx 0.028$$

$$11) \frac{21}{55} \approx 0.382$$

$$12) \frac{64}{169} \approx 0.379$$

$$P(LL) \cdot P(O)$$

$$\frac{4}{11} \cdot \frac{7}{10} = \frac{28}{110}$$

**Conditional Probability**

Conditional Probability:

- Contains a condition that may limit the sample space for an event.
- You can write a conditional probability using the notation:  
 $P(B|A) = P(\text{B given A})$
- The formula for conditional probability is:

1. The table shows the results of a class survey.  
Find  $P(\text{own a pet} | \text{female})$ .

$$\frac{8}{14} = \frac{4}{7}$$

Do you own a pet?	Yes	No	
Female	8	6	14
Male	5	7	12
	13	13	26

2. The table shows the results of a class survey.  
Find  $P(\text{wash the dishes} | \text{male})$ .

$$\frac{7}{15}$$

Did you wash the dishes last night?	Yes	No	
Female	7	6	13
Male	7	8	15
	14	14	28

3. Using the data in the table, find the probability that a sample of not recycled waste was plastic.  $P(\text{plastic} | \text{non-recycled})$ .

$$\frac{20.4}{156.3} \approx .13$$

Material	Recycled	Not Recycled	
Paper	34.9	48.9	83.8
Metal	6.5	10.1	16.6
Glass	2.9	9.1	12
Plastic	1.1	20.4	21.5
Other	15.3	67.8	83.1
	60.7	156.3	

4. Researchers asked people who exercise regularly whether they jog or walk. Fifty-eight percent of the respondents were male. Twenty percent of all respondents were males who said they jog. Find the probability that a randomly selected person jogs given they are male.

	j	w	
M	20%	38%	58%
F			42%
			100

$$\frac{20\%}{58\%} = \frac{.2}{.58} \approx .34 \text{ or } 34\%$$

5. A bag contains blue and yellow marbles. Two marbles are drawn without replacement. The probability of selecting a blue marble and then a yellow marble is .37 and the probability of selecting a yellow marble on the second draw, if the first marble drawn was blue is .67. What is the probability of selecting a blue marble?

$$P(y|B) = .67$$

$$P(B \cap Y) = .37$$

$$P(B) = ?$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B|A)$$

- $P_1$  Yellow
- $P_2$  Blue
- Yellow Yellow
- Blue Blue
- Blue Yellow .37

$$.37 = P(B) \cdot (.67)$$

$$\frac{.37}{.67} = P(B)$$

$$.55 = P(B)$$

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

**Practice B**

1.

	Ages 10–20	Ages 21–45	Ages 46–65	65 and Older	Total
Yes	0.13	0.02	0.08	0.24	0.47
No	0.25	0.10	0.15	0.03	0.53
Total	0.38	0.12	0.23	0.27	1

2 a.

		Owns an MP3 player		
		Yes	No	Total
Owns a Smart Phone	Yes	0.28	0.12	0.40
	No	0.34	0.26	0.60
	Total	0.62	0.38	1

b. 0.45

c. 0.70