

Solutions for

Assignment 1 : Chapter2 , questions 2, 6, 8, 12, 16, 20, 26

2.

- a. Event A = { RRR, LLL, SSS }
- b. Event B = { RLS, RSL, LRS, LSR, SRL, SLR }
- c. Event C = { RRL, RRS, RLR, RSR, LRR, SRR }
- d. Event D = { RRL, RRS, RLR, RSR, LRR, SRR, LLR, LLS, LRL, LSL, RLL, SLL, SSR, SSL, SRS, SLS, RSS, LSS }
- e. Event D' contains outcomes where all cars go the same direction, or they all go different directions:
 $D' = \{ RRR, LLL, SSS, RLS, RSL, LRS, LSR, SRL, SLR \}$

Because Event D totally encloses Event C, the compound event $C \cup D = D$:

$C \cup D = \{ RRL, RRS, RLR, RSR, LRR, SRR, LLR, LLS, LRL, LSL, RLL, SLL, SSR, SSL, SRS, SLS, RSS, LSS \}$

Using similar reasoning, we see that the compound event $C \cap D = C$:

$C \cap D = \{ RRL, RRS, RLR, RSR, LRR, SRR \}$

6.

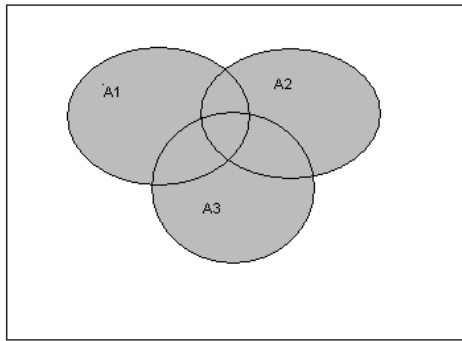
a.

Outcome Number	Outcome
1	123
2	124
3	125
4	213
5	214
6	215
7	13
8	14
9	15
10	23
11	24
12	25
13	3
14	4
15	5

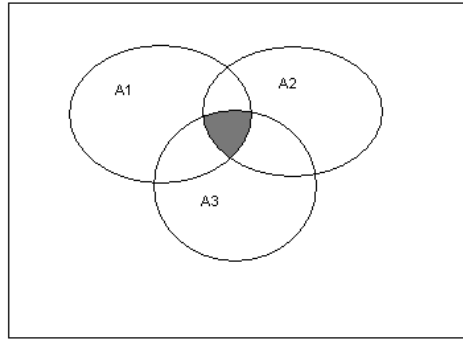
- b. Outcomes 13, 14, 15
- c. Outcomes 3, 6, 9, 12, 15
- d. Outcomes 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15

8.

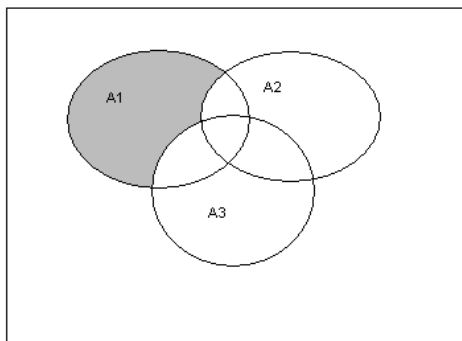
e. $A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3$



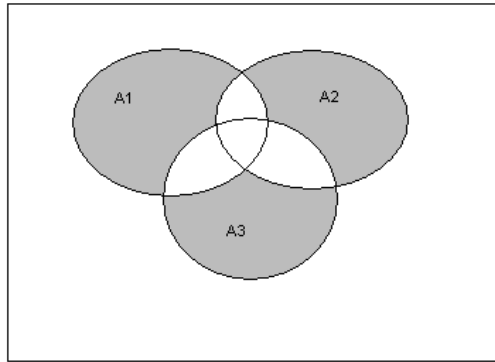
f. $A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3$



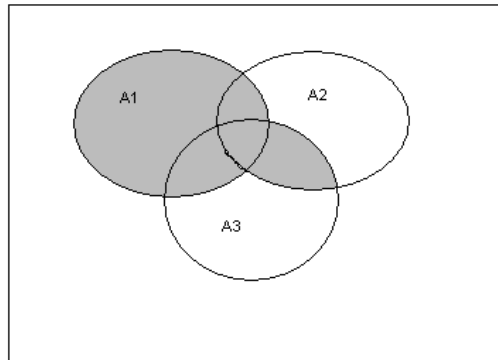
g. $A_1 \cap A_2' \cap A_3'$



h. $(A_1 \cap A_2' \cap A_3') \cup (A_1' \cap A_2 \cap A_3') \cup (A_1' \cap A_2' \cap A_3)$



i. $A_1 \cup (A_2 \cap A_3)$



12.

j. $P(A \cup B) = .50 + .40 - .25 = .65$

k. $P(A \cup B)' = 1 - .65 = .35$

l. $A \cap B'$; $P(A \cap B') = P(A) - P(A \cap B) = .50 - .25 = .25$

16.

m. There are six simple events, corresponding to the outcomes CDP, CPD, DCP, DPC, PCD, and PDC. The probability assigned to each is $\frac{1}{6}$.

n. $P(\text{C ranked first}) = P(\{\text{CPD}, \text{CDP}\}) = \frac{2}{6}$

o. $P(\text{C ranked first and D last}) = P(\{\text{CPD}\}) = \frac{1}{6}$

20.

Let S1, S2 and S3 represent the swing and night shifts, respectively. Let C1 and C2 represent the unsafe conditions and unrelated to conditions, respectively.

p. The simple events are $\{S1, C1\}$, $\{S1, C2\}$, $\{S2, C1\}$, $\{S2, C2\}$, $\{S3, C1\}$, $\{S3, C2\}$.

q. $P(\{C1\}) = P(\{S1, C1\}, \{S2, C1\}, \{S3, C1\}) = .10 + .08 + .05 = .23$

r. $P(\{S1\}') = 1 - P(\{S1, C1\}, \{S1, C2\}) = 1 - (.10 + .35) = .55$

26.

s. $P(A_1') = 1 - P(A_1) = 1 - .12 = .88$

t. $P(A_1 \cap A_2) = P(A_1) + P(A_2) - P(A_1 \cup A_2) = .12 + .07 - .13 = .06$

u. $P(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3') = P(A_1 \cap A_2) - P(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3) = .06 - .01 = .05$

v. $P(\text{at most two errors}) = 1 - P(\text{all three types})$
 $= 1 - P(A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3)$
 $= 1 - .01 = .99$