Answer on Question #70922 – Math – Statistics and Probability Question

A class have 100 students A : student study history is 0.4 B: student study math 0.5

a) calculate probability is that at least 1 student studied one of two subjects
b) calculate probability is that none of the students studied one of the two subjects
c) calculate probability is that 1 student study history, don't study math

Solution

Let $A \cap B$ = 'student study both math and history'. **a**) The probability that at least 1 student studied one of two subjects is $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$ $P(A \cup B) = 0.4 + 0.5 - P(A \cap B) = 0.9 - P(A \cap B)$

b) The probability that none of the students studied one of the two subjects is $P((A \cup B)^c) = 1 - P(A \cup B) = 1 - (0.9 - P(A \cap B)) = 0.1 + P(A \cap B)$

c) The probability is that 1 student study history, don't study math $P(\text{History not Math}) = P(A) - P(A \cap B) = 0.4 - P(A \cap B)$