

4.2 Events

GOALS:

1. Use Venn Diagrams to help understand which individuals in population have certain characteristics.
2. Understand differences between events having both conditions and events having either condition.

Study Ch. 4.2, # 41(37), 48(39), 53(41), 57(45), 55(43), 59(47)

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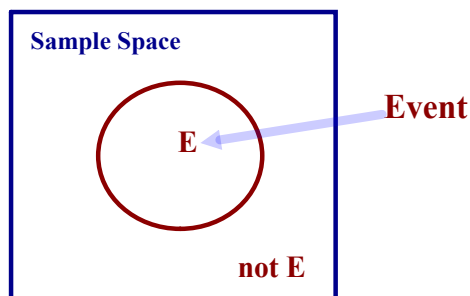
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Sample Space: collection of all possible outcomes

Event: collection of outcomes with specified characteristic; subset of sample space



Venn Diagram

not E: complement of E
outside E, inside sample space

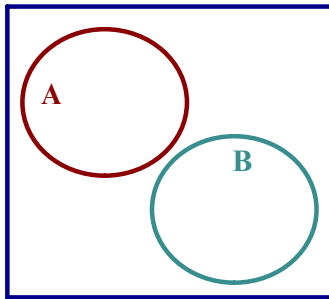
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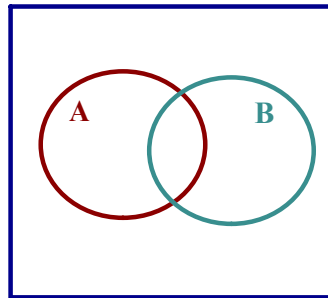
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Suppose have two events, A and B
How many regions in each sample space?



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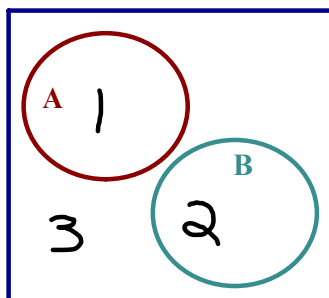
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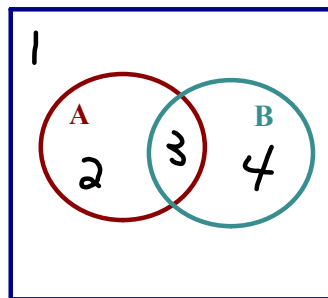
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3 Regions



4 Regions

Note: If region 3 is empty, then the right one is essentially the same as the left.

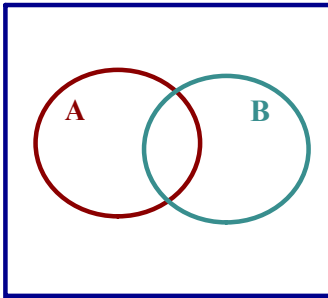
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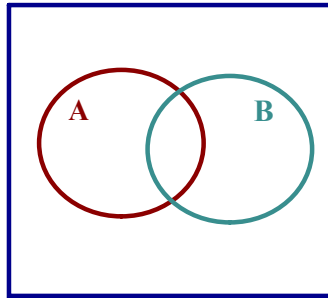
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in both A and B



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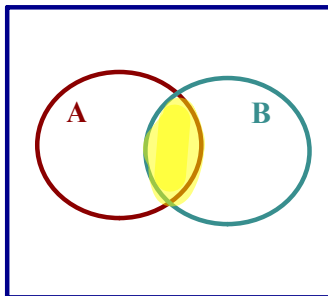
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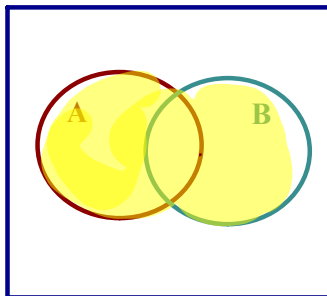
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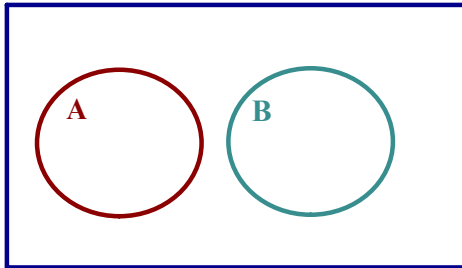
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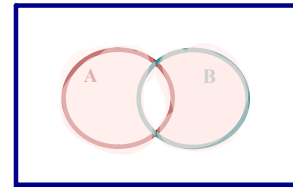
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Mutually Exclusive Events: Events with no common outcome(s)



coffee (A)
or tea (B)



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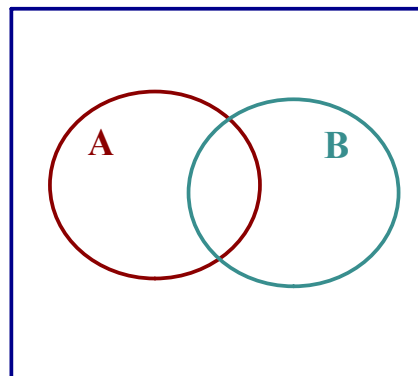
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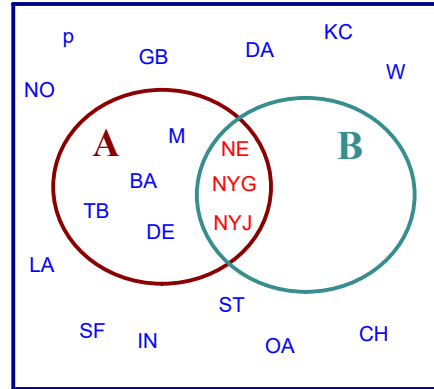
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NOT Mutually Exclusive

Eastcoast:
NYG, NE, BA, M, NYJ, TB
Northeast:
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Two possible outcomes for each toss. There are 4 tosses, so:
Number of possible outcomes = $2^4 = 2^4$

Here ORDER matters, since HHTT is a different outcome from HTHT and THTH, etc.

NOT nCr
where order does not matter and HHTT is same as HTHT, etc.
id: H or T **repeats** (or can be selected) each time

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HHHH	THHH
HHHT	THHT
HHTH	HTHT
HHTT	THTT
HTHH	TTHH
HTHT	TTHT
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- Event A: exactly 2 heads
- Event B: first 2 tosses are tails
- Event C: first toss is heads
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P(M or TB) ?
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 M and TB are M.E. so no overlap, ∴ simply add. (If there is overlap, then not ME and need to be careful not to count the overlap twice.)

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