

80% chance of rain in Oxford. This introduces the probability of weather prediction

blackboard chalkboard

Represents traditional teaching methods which might be less effective

ink + think

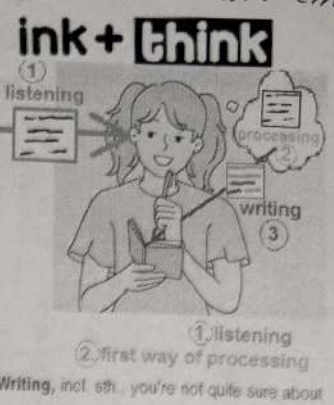
1 listening

2 first way of processing

3 Writing, incl. sth. you're not quite sure about

Engaging more actively with material, listen is more effective

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The contrast of school and university education.

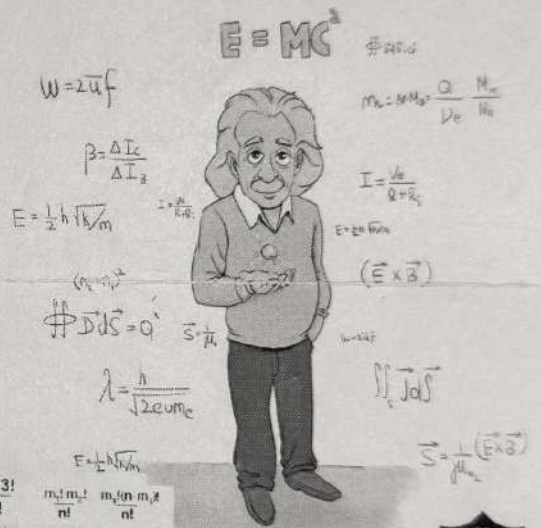
School = formalism, memorize formulas, symbols without deep understanding

University = understanding, know meaning, connections, why.

School \downarrow gravity \downarrow MOTION == formalism ==> University $E = MC^2$ $\# \pi \sqrt{e}$ $\| \int \partial \bar{\psi}$

CONCRETE AND ABSTRACT THINKING

From concrete observations (gravity, motion) to abstract mathematics (real laws (formulas), then to pure mathematical structures (factorials, sequences) and the names of great thinkers. In IV abstraction allows us to quantify city information independently of its physical form.



ISAAC NEWTON

ALBERT EINSTEIN

In the probability of rain each day is independent from others. This implies that the occurrence of rain on one day doesn't influence its occurrence on another day.

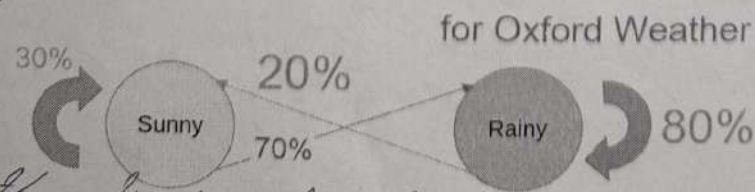
Single day probability of rain = 0.8 / 80%

Markoff Chain Probability Model

Suppose the events A_1, A_2, \dots are independent.

Oxford

Tue 13th	Wed 14th	Thu 15th	Fri 16th
10° 9°	13° 10°	13° 8°	11° 7°
70%	70%	70%	70%



If it's raining:
80% - stays raining
20% - gets sunny

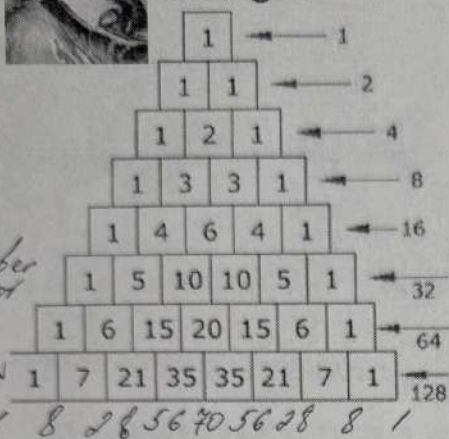
If it's sunny:
30% - stays sunny
70% - gets raining

a mathematical model that predicts future based only on the current state

To find patterns, solve binomial expressions, answer probability questions



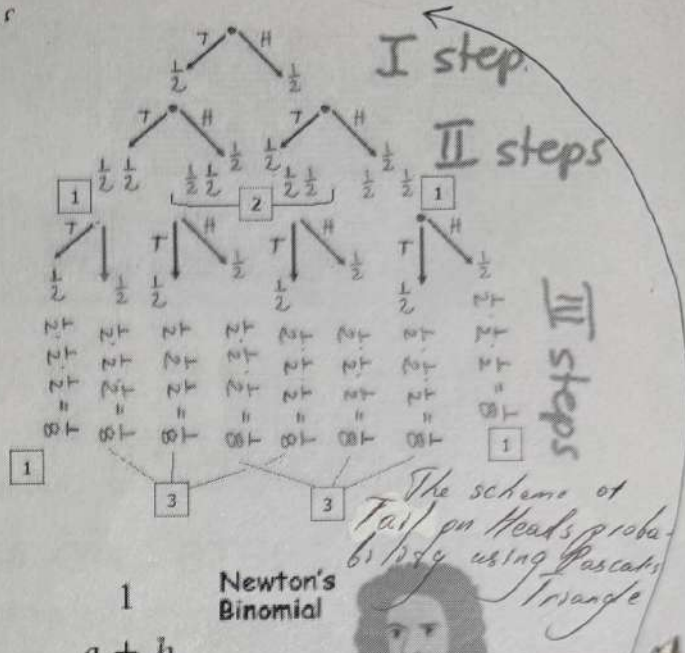
Pascal's triangle



Each number is the sum of the two numbers above it

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a+b)^0 &= 1 \\
 (a+b)^1 &= a+b \\
 (a+b)^2 &= a^2+2ab+b^2 \\
 (a+b)^3 &= a^3+3a^2b+3ab^2+b^3 \\
 (a+b)^4 &= a^4+4a^3b+6a^2b^2+4ab^3+b^4 \\
 (a+b)^5 &= a^5+5a^4b+10a^3b^2+10a^2b^3+5ab^4+b^5 \\
 (a+b)^6 &= a^6+6a^5b+15a^4b^2+20a^3b^3+15a^2b^4+6ab^5+b^6
 \end{aligned}$$

Newton's Binomial



A tree diagram illustrates step-by-step construction of Pascal's Triangle.

Each node splits into two branches, summing the values from the previous step.

Pascal's Triangle is a triangular array of numbers where each number is the sum of the two strictly above it.

Each row corresponds to the coefficients in the expansion of a binomial expression $(a+b)^n$.

The binomial theorem states that $(a+b)^n$ can be expanded using the coefficients from Pascal's Triangle.

The general term in the expansion is given by $\binom{n}{k} a^{n-k} b^k$, where $\binom{n}{k}$ is a binomial coefficient.

+0.1 +0.1 +0.1 +0.1 (+0.1) Thorne Willingness to be corrected

Sir Dr. D. MacKay - a notable figure in information theory and error correction

Do tip if I make error

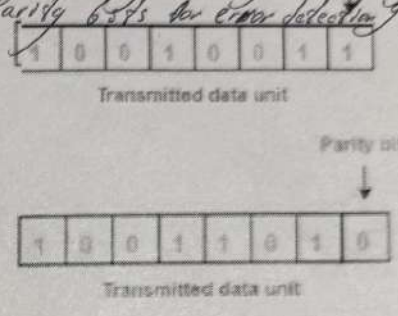
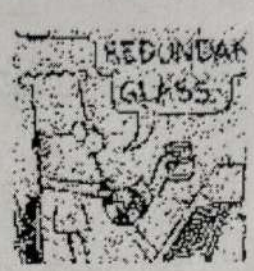
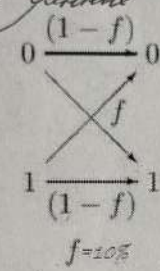
Sir Dr. D. MacKay, University of Cambridge (22 April 1967 - 14 April 2016)

John Nash Alan Turing

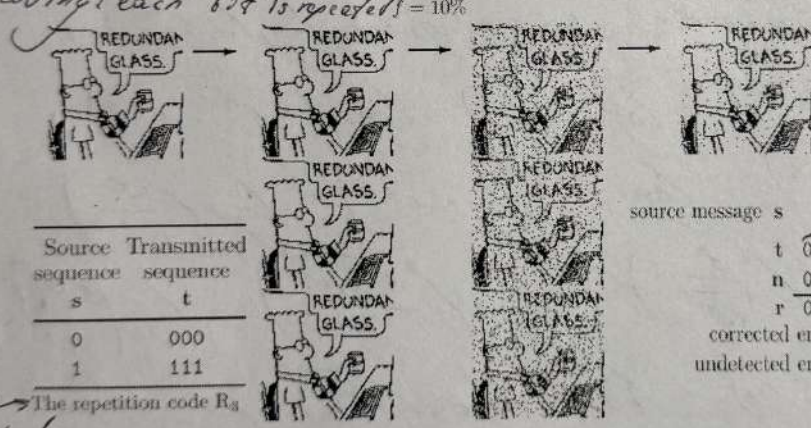


"I believe in clean energy, both fields but I also believe in mathematics"

Redundant data helps ensure accuracy and reliability in the presence of errors



1) Source codes the original data either 0 or 1
2) Encoding each bit is repeated = 10%
3) Reception
4) Decoding



Source sequence	Transmitted sequence
s	t
0	000
1	111

The process of error corrections

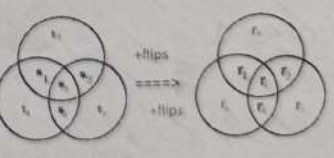
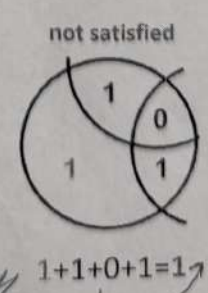
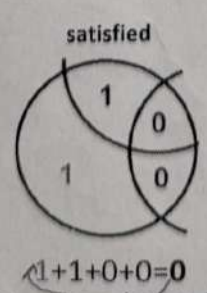
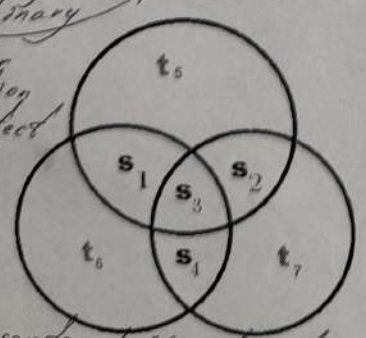
source message s	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
t	000	000	111	000	111	111	000
n	000	001	000	000	101	000	000
r	000	001	111	000	010	111	000
corrected errors	*						
undetected errors					*		

repeat each bit multiple times to create redundancy

7.4. Hamming code.

$$\frac{4}{\Sigma} \rightarrow \frac{7}{t}$$

A type of binary code used for error correction that can detect and correct single-bit errors



represents different sets of parity bits. The intersections - the data bits being protected by the parity bits.

when the parity check results in even parity (sum of bits is even)

When the parity check results in odd parity

Shows how the overlaps help in finding the errors

Entropy

Total circles = 10

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●●

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●●

○○○○ $\frac{4}{10} = \frac{2}{5} = 0.4$

●●

$\frac{2}{10} (\frac{1}{5}) = 0.2$

○○

$\frac{2}{10} (\frac{1}{5}) = 0.2$

●●

$(\frac{2}{10})^2 = 0.2$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n p(i) \cdot \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{p(i)} \right)$$

$$\text{Entropy} = 0.4 \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{0.4} + 0.2 \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{0.2} + 0.2 \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{0.2} + 0.2 \cdot \log_2 \frac{1}{0.2} =$$

$$= 0.4 \log_2 2.5 + 0.2 \cdot \log_2 5 + \log_2 5 + 0.2 \log_2 5 = \log_2 (2.5^{0.4}) +$$

$$+ 0.6 \log_2 5 = \log_2 (2.5^{0.4}) + \log_2 (5^{0.6}) = \log_2 (2.5^{0.4} \cdot 5^{0.6}) =$$

$$= \log_2 \left(\left(\frac{5}{2} \right)^{0.4} \cdot 5^{0.6} \right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{5^{0.4} \cdot 5^{0.6}}{2^{0.4}} \right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{5}{2^{0.4}} \right) =$$

$$= \log_2 \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt[5]{2}} \right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{5}{\sqrt[5]{2^3}} \right) = \log_2 \left(\frac{5 \sqrt[5]{1}}{2} \right) =$$

$$= \log_2 (5 \sqrt[5]{8}) - \log_2 (2) = \log_2 5 + \log_2 (\sqrt[5]{8}) - 1 =$$

$$= \log_2 5 + \log_2 \left(2^{\frac{3}{5}} \right) - 1 = \log_2 5 + \frac{3}{5} - 1 = \log_2 5 - \frac{2}{5} =$$

$$= 1.92193$$

Two types of parity:
 • Even parity: the parity bit is set such that the total number of 1s in the data (+ the parity bit) is even.
 • Odd parity: the parity bit is set such that the total number of 1s in the data (+ the parity bit) is odd.

1-5 & case: 1001001
 add parity bit 1 to make the total count of 1s in the data and 4, which is even.

2-nd case:
 add parity bit 0 to make the total count of 1s the same 4, which remains even

Each code is 4 bits long: 4 bits - actual data
 3 bits - parity (redundant) bits
 They take positions that are powers of 2 (1, 2, 4)

A private land-grant research univ. in Cambridge, established in 1861.
Technology and Science

+ 0.1

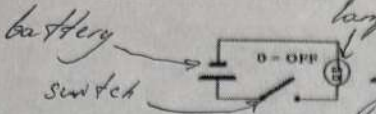
"Father of Information Theory"



Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)



Lecture by Pr. Bob Gallagher
Boole (1815-1864) & Shannon (1916-2001)

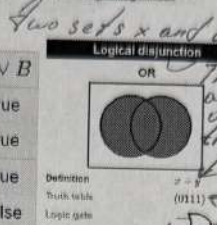


Boolean symbols
A - and
V - or
- not

Logical addition (disjunction)

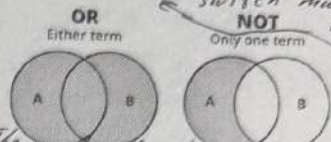
A	B	F=A∨B
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

A	B	A∧B
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	False
False	False	False



Electrical equivalents! And - both's have to be closed) OR - at least one switch must be closed

BOOLEAN LOGIC



A∨B is true if either A or B or both are true

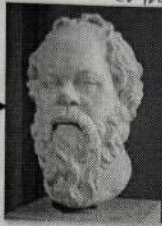
OR operation includes all elements that are either in set x/set y/ both

The output values of the OR operation for all possible combinations of inputs

Good logic



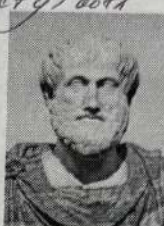
Socrates was a philosopher



philosophers are men



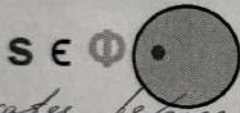
Plato



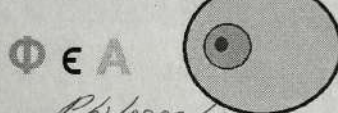
Aristotle



Socrates was a man



Socrates belongs to the set of philosophers (Φ)



Philosophers are a subset of men (A)



Socrates belongs to the set of men

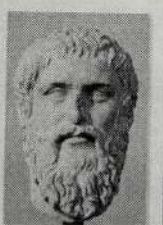
Bad logic



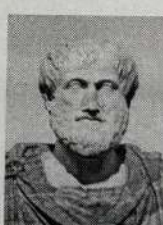
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Socrates



Plato

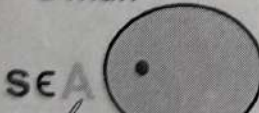


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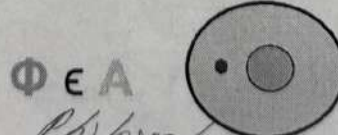


Socrates

Socrates was a philosopher



Socrates belongs to the set of men (A)

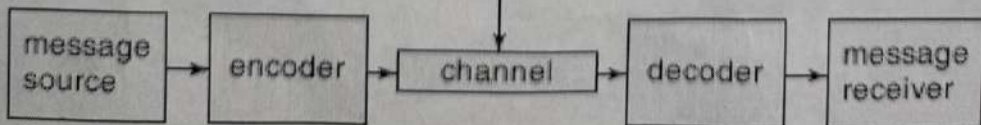


Philosophers are a subset of men (A)



Socrates belongs to philosophers

noise



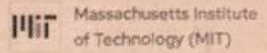
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Good logic: knowing Socrates is a philosopher and philosophers are men, it's correct that Socrates is a man.
Bad logic: from the fact that Socrates is a man and philosophers are men, it's wrong that Socrates is a philosopher.

Van diagram (visual representation) of the output (Socrates) when at least one of the inputs is true.

George Boole showed that logical reasoning could be expressed mathematically using true and false values. His work became the foundation of modern computing.

Resume of Lecture by Pr. Bob Gallagher from MIT



George Boole (1815-1864) developed Boolean logic
 The principles of logical thinking have been understood (and occasionally used) since the Hellenic era.
 Boole's contribution was to show how to systemize these principles and express them in equations (called Boolean logic or Boolean algebra).
 Claude Shannon (1916-2001) showed how to use Boolean algebra as the basis for switching technology. This contribution systemized logical thinking for computer and communication systems, both for the design and programming of the systems and their applications.

Logic continues to be abused in politics, religion and most non-scientific areas



Logic is only reliable when conclusions follow from evidence. Poor reasoning often leads to false conclusions

Logic continues to be abused in politics, religion, and most non-scientific areas.



A little nationalistic, but this is an example of right logic

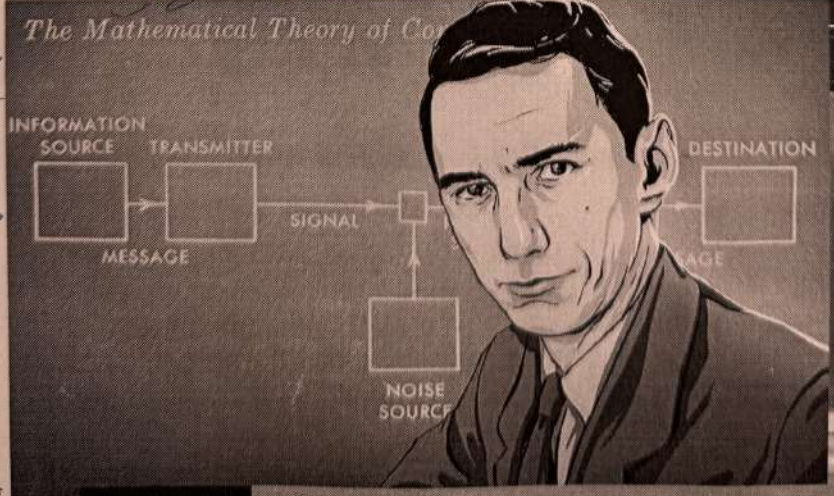


Bad logic (abuse of logic)

An individual incorrectly generalizes personal attributes based on group identity

The logical structure is valid and follows a clear, correct reasoning path

A diagram of a communication system



Creating a reliable connection over an unreliable (noisy) channel that's what IT is about

Shannon showed that accurate communication is possible even when noise is present through equalization and correction.

and that's what Shannon did

Information travels through a channel from sender to receiver. Noise can interfere with the message and cause errors.

Claude Shannon applied Boolean logic to communication systems and founded the field of Information Theory.

Labo

Every C# program must be inside a class

a template that groups data and methods together

This is the program we need to write today

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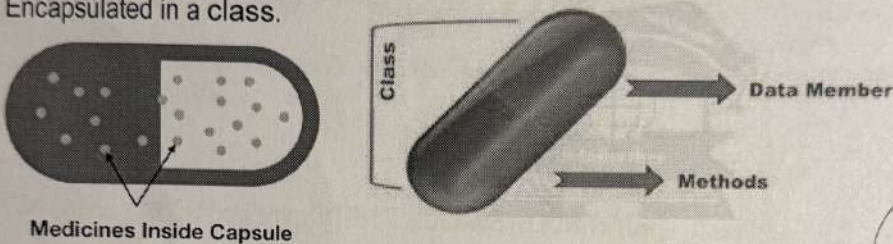
class ABBA
{
    static void Main(string[] args)
        // Here's a method called Main.
    {
        System.Console.WriteLine("ABBA!");
    }
}

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So there's the keyword class. Unlike C++, in C# all code must be placed in a class.

Encapsulated in a class.



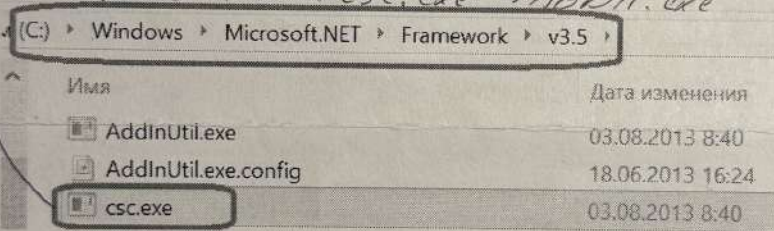
A ≠ a

C# is case sensitive

int & number;
int & number;
These are 2 different variables

Compiler - translates source code (.cs) into executable code (.exe)

C:\WINDOWS\Microsoft.NET\Framework\v3.5\ csc.exe
 ABBA.cs → csc.exe → ABBA.exe



ABBA.cs → csc.exe = ABBA.exe
 C# Compiler

Step 1. And on my HDD, I also make a folder with the same name D:\IT

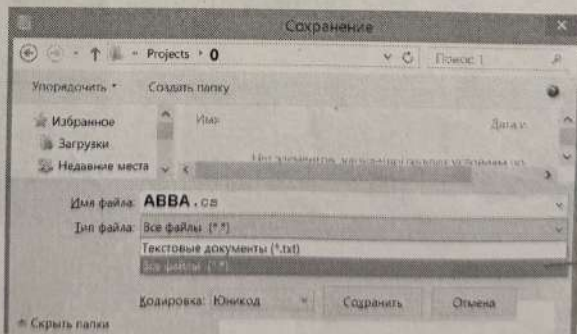
Step 2. In the folder E:\IT\ we make the folder of the Projects - E:\IT\Projects

And in the Project folder make folder 0 - E:\IT\Projects\0\ where our today's practical work will be stored

Step 3. As I mentioned

above, C# is a built-in language of Windows.

Notepad is enough to write a program



You need to switch from *.txt (Text documents) to *.* (all files)

Otherwise, notepad with *.txt extension

Step 4. Entering command mode

Start=>Run=>cmd

cd E: - After that go to the folder IT/Projects/0/
 cd IT - Then go to the folder Projects
 cd projects - Then go to the folder 0
 cd 0 -

```

E:\>cd IT
E:\IT>cd Projects
E:\IT\Projects>cd 0
E:\IT\Projects\0>

```

1. write code → 2. save (.cs) → 3. compile → 4. errors fix →
 → 5. run → 6. test & output

* Entropy ($H(x)$) - quantifies the average amount of information
 Self Information ($I(x)$) - measures how surprising the information/event may be
 • If every outcome is equally likely \Rightarrow Entropy is high / lots of unpredictability

• If 1 outcome is much more likely than others \Rightarrow Entropy is low (more predictable)



Say NO to the first

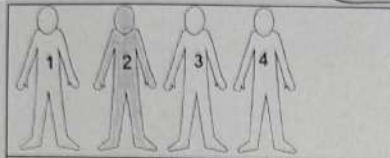


Say YES to the second if it is better than the first

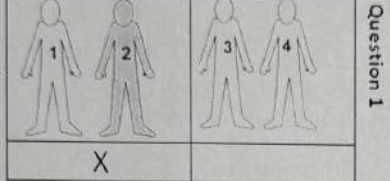


Say NO to the third only if it is worse than all the others

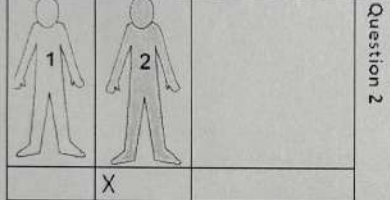
explains how to determine the average number of questions needed to identify a specific person from a set of candidates based on their probability



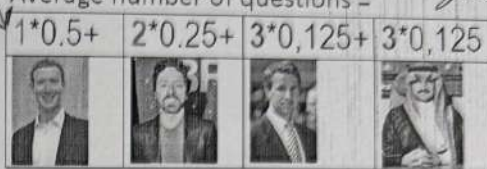
1 question - the first or second group







2 question - the first or second group



Average number of questions = $2 \cdot 0.25 + 2 \cdot 0.25 + 2 \cdot 0.25 + 2 \cdot 0.25 = 2$

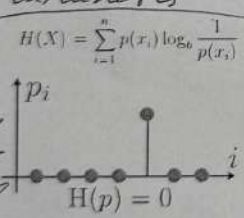


Question 1. Is this Zuckerberg?	 50%	$1 \cdot 0.5$
Question 2. Is this Sergey Brin?	 25%	$2 \cdot 0.25$
Question 3. Is this Stefan from BMW?	 12.5%	$3 \cdot 0.125$
So Prince Saud	 12.5%	$3 \cdot 0.125$

Average number of questions = 1.75

The decision-making process involves comparing these candidates in pairs to determine the best option

This formula calculates the entropy which is the measure of uncertainty or information content



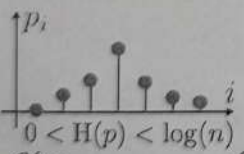
$$H(X) = -\sum_{i=1}^n p(x_i) \log_2 \frac{1}{p(x_i)}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n p(i) \log_2 \frac{1}{p(i)}$$

Quantifying information

Probability of occurrence of event i

The formula takes into account the probability of each candidate being the correct one and the number of questions required to identify them



$$I(x_i) = \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{p_i} \right)$$

number of bits required to encode choice

$$\sum_{i=1}^n p(x_i) I(x_i)$$

This formula gives the information content $I(x_i)$ of a single event x_i , which is the number of bits required to encode that event

- 32 $\rightarrow H(x) \rightarrow 5$
- 64 $\rightarrow H(x) \rightarrow 6$
- 128 $\rightarrow H(x) \rightarrow 7$

50 billion 25 billion 12.5 billion 3.25 billion



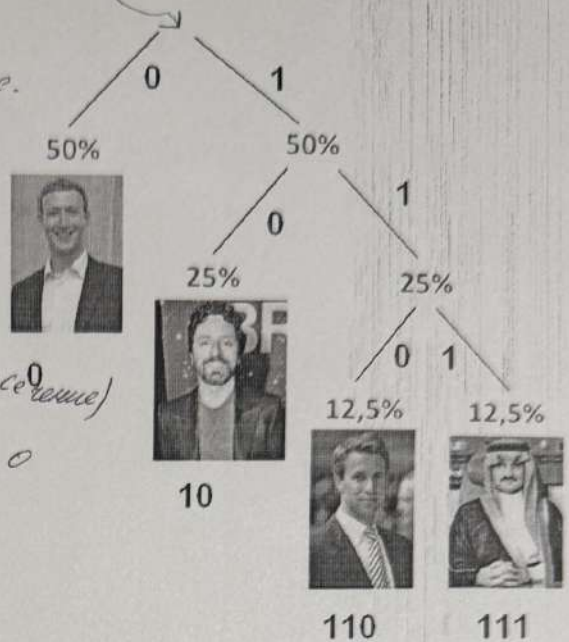
Mark Zuckerberg $P(1) = 50\%$
 Sergey Brin $P(2) = 25\%$
 Stefan Quandt $P(3) = 12.5\%$
 Prince Al Saud $P(4) = 12.5\%$

$$I(\text{Mark}) = \log_2 \left(\frac{1}{0.5} \right) = 1 \text{ bit}$$

argument base exponent
 $\log_b(n) = x \Leftrightarrow b^x = n$
 base exponent argument

Huffman Tree

The tree shows the process of creating a Huffman coding tree. Each character is assigned a binary code based on its frequency. Characters with higher frequencies are closer to the root, resulting in shorter codes. The binary codes are created by traversing the tree left branches are 0 and right branches are 1.



First-order approximation
(symbols independent but with frequencies of Belarusian txt).

М - 3	30%	1-3	М
а - 4	40%	4-7	а
ы - 1	10%	8-ы	
л - 1	10%	9-л	
р - 1	10%	10-р	

ла ма ма р

Мама мыла ра

Ма - 2	22%	1-2	ма
ам - 2	22%	3-4	ам
мы - 1	11%	5	мы
ыл - 1	11%	6	ыл
ла - 1	11%	7	ла
ар - 1	11%	8	ар
ра - 1	11%	9	ра

breaks down the sentence into individual symbols using 1-order approximation



numbers represent positions in the text
0. 4 6 7 3 1 9 1 6 7 3 5
ам ыл ла ам ма ра ма ыл ла ам мы
мылла рама



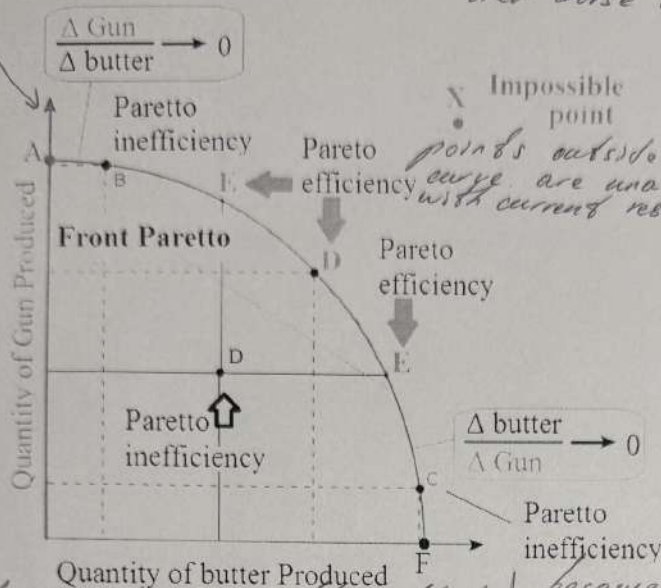
Assumes that each symbol is independent from others meaning the probability of each symbol appearing doesn't depend on previous symbols

considers pairs of symbols where the probability of a symbol appearing depends on the previous symbol

Second-order approximation (diagram 2-symbols) structure is in Belarusian

The trade-off between two goods (guns and butter)
 - Points on the curve represent efficient allocations of resources

Pareto efficiency or Pareto optimality is a state where resources are allocated in the most efficient manner, such that any change to make one individual better off would make another worse off.



by Vilfredo Pareto (1848-1923)

The orange sector E-D-E is the most Pareto efficient - since an increase in one indicator leads to a decrease in another.

A standard example in game theory that shows why two rational individuals might not cooperate, even if it appears to be in their best interest

Prisoners' dilemma

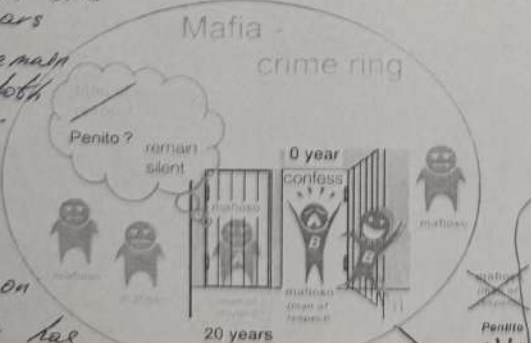
		prisoner B	
		confess	remain silent
prisoner A	confess	5 years, 5 years	0 year, 20 years
	remain silent	20 years, 0 year	1 year, 1 year

If both confess, they both get 5 years

If one confesses and the other doesn't, the confessor gets 0 years and the silent one gets 20 years

If both remain silent, they both get 1 year

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Each person from mafia has two choices: remain silent or confess

- 1) If both remain silent, they are both considered men of respect, they both receive a lesser punishment due to the lack of evidence.
- 2) If one confesses and the other remains silent, the one who confesses is rewarded with free van (Prisoner A) to run the picture. And the one who remains silent - receives the full punishment of 20 years.

because there are unutilized resources and moving to the point on the curve would make at least one person better without making anyone else off

Game Theory

Nash Equilibrium



** => Nash equilibrium

If both recognize, the payoff is 5 each

		Player 2	
		Recognition	Non-recognition
Player 1	H ₁ (x)	1, -5	2, 0
	H ₂ (x)	-5, 1	0, -1

Nash equilibrium - Pareto Optimality
 a concept of a game theory where no player can benefit by changing their strategy while the other players keep theirs unchanged.

If one recognizes and the other doesn't, the payoff is -1 each
 If neither recognizes, the payoff is -1 each
 If one recognizes and the other doesn't, the payoff is 0 for recognition