

2.4 Combinations of Multisets

$$C(n, r) = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} = \frac{P(n, r)}{r!}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^n$$

Let $A = \{\infty \cdot 1, \infty \cdot 2, \dots, \infty \cdot k\}$

The number of r combinations of $A = \binom{r+k-1}{r}$

Proof: An r combination is

2.4 Permutations of Multisets

Thm 2.4.1: Let $A = \{\infty \cdot 1, \infty \cdot 2, \dots, \infty \cdot k\}$

The number of r permutations of $A = k^r$

Ex: The number of 8-digit numbers with digits $\{1, 2, 3, 4\} = 4^8$

Ex: The number of 9-digit numbers with digits $\{0, 1, 2, 3\} = 3(4^8)$

Thm 2.4.2: Let $B = \{n_1 \cdot 1, n_2 \cdot 2, \dots, n_k \cdot k\}$

$$n = n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_k$$

The number of permutations of $B = \frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!}$

$$\frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!} = \binom{n}{n_1} \binom{n-n_1}{n_2} \dots \binom{n-\sum_{i=1}^{k-1} n_i}{n_k}$$

of permutations of $\{n_1 \cdot 1, (n-n_1) \cdot 2\} = \frac{n!}{n_1!(n-n_1)!} = C(n, n_1)$

Thm 2.4.3 If we have $n = n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_k$ different objects to be placed in k labeled boxes such that the box B_i contains n_i objects

$$\frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \dots n_k!}$$

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unlimited repeats

$$4 \cdot 4 \cdot \dots \cdot 4$$

can't have 0

limited repeats

permutation of entire multiset

equality between

2.3 method for counting

and 2.4 " "

multiset contains only 2 different types of elements

Ex 1) Suppose a traveling salesperson living in city H must visit five of the the seven cities A, B, C, D, E, F, G. Find the number of different routes.

Note Ex 1 is a linear permutation, NOT a circular permutation.

Ex 2) Find the number of arrangements of six of eight letters A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H in a circle.

Ex 3) Find the number of arrangements of six of eight colors A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H in a bracelet.

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Ex 4) Find the number of arrangements of six of eight letters A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H in a circle if the arrangement must include the letter H.

$$\frac{7!}{5!} = \frac{7!}{2!}$$

$$H \quad \begin{array}{c} \underline{7} \quad \underline{6} \\ \underline{3} \quad \underline{4} \quad \underline{5} \end{array}$$

Ex 5) How many different teams are possible if there must be 6 members on a team to be chosen from a group of 8 people.

Ex 6) How many different teams are possible if there must be at least one member on a team to be chosen from a group of 8 people.

Ex 7 (p. 45 bottom) The number of 2-combinations of the set $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ is

For each i , the number of 2-combinations where i is the largest integer in the 2-combination is

Thus,

Example: How many 10-digit telephone numbers are there if

- 1.) there are no restrictions.
- 2.) the digits must all be distinct.
- 3.) The area code cannot begin with a 0 or 1 and must have a 0 or 1 in the middle.

Example: How many different seven-digit numbers can be constructed out of the digits $\{2, 4, 8, 8, 8, 8, 8\} = \{2, 4, 5 \cdot 8\}$

$$\frac{7!}{1!1!5!} = \frac{7!}{5!}$$

Example: How many different seven-digit numbers can be constructed out of the digits $\{2, 2, 8, 8, 8, 8, 8\}$?

$$\frac{7!}{2!5!}$$

2.3 Combinations

An r -combination of S is an r -element subset of S (ORDER DOES NOT MATTER).

$C(n, r)$ = number of r -combinations of S where $|S| = n$.

How many different math teams consisting of 4 people can be formed if there are 10 students from which to choose?

Thm: $C(n, r) = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} = \frac{P(n, r)}{r!}$

Cor: $C(n, r) = C(n, n - r)$

Cor: $C(n, r) = C(n - 1, r - 1) + C(n - 1, r)$

Cor: Pascal's Triangle.

Cor: $\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^n$

How many different proteins containing 10 amino acids can be formed if the protein contains 5 alanines (A), 3 leucines (L), and 2 serines (S)?

$$\frac{10!}{5! 3! 2!}$$