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Question:

Consider the set A of all determinants of order 3 with entries 0 or 1 only. Let B be the subset of A consisting of all determinants with value 1. Let C be the subset of A consisting of all determinants with value -1.

Then

- 1) C is empty
- 2) B has as many elements as C

- 3) $A = B \cup C$
- 4) B has twice as many elements as C

Solution:

Let A be

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix} \tag{1}$$

where $a_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\det(A) \in \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}. \tag{2}$$

Cases

$$|\det| = 2 \implies \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \tag{3}$$

3 with
$$det = 2$$
, 3 with $det = -2$. (4)

$$|\det| = 1 \implies (2^3 - 1)(2^3 - 2)(2^3 - 4) = 168 = 84 (+1), 84 (-1).$$
 (5)

$$\det = 0 \implies 512 - (168 + 6) = 338. \tag{6}$$

Distribution

$$-2 \implies 3$$
 (7)

$$-1 \implies 84$$
 (8)

$$0 \implies 338 \tag{9}$$

$$1 \implies 84 \tag{10}$$

$$2 \implies 3$$
 (11)

Answer: (b),

Listing 1: C code

```
#include <stdio.h>
2
   int det3(int m[3][3]) {
3
       return m[0][0]*m[1][1]*m[2][2]
4
           + m[0][1]*m[1][2]*m[2][0]
           + m[0][2]*m[1][0]*m[2][1]
           - m[0][2]*m[1][1]*m[2][0]
           - m[0][0]*m[1][2]*m[2][1]
           - m[0][1]*m[1][0]*m[2][2];
9
10
   void compute_counts(int counts[7]) {
11
       int mat[3][3];
12
       for (int i = 0; i < 7; i++) counts[i] = 0;</pre>
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14
       for (int mask = 0; mask < (1 << 9); mask++) {
15
          for (int i = 0; i < 9; i++) {
16
              mat[i/3][i%3] = (mask >> i) & 1;
17
18
          int d = det3(mat);
19
          counts[d+3]++;
20
       }
21
   }
22
```