

## ANSWER KEYS

1. (3)      2. (2)      3. (3)      4. (4)      5. (3)      6. (3)      7. (1)      8. (2)  
9. (4)      10. (4)

1. (3) All the 5 digit numbers and 6 digit numbers are greater than 3000. Therefore, number of 5 digit numbers =  ${}^6P_5 - {}^5P_5 = 600$ .

{Since the case that 0 will be at ten thousand place should be subtracted}.

Similarly, number of 6 digit numbers  $6! - 5! = 600$ .

Now, the numbers of 4 digit numbers which are greater than 3000, having 3, 4 or 5 at first place, this can be done in 3 ways and remaining 3 digit may be filled from remaining 5 digits i.e. required number of 4 digit numbers are  ${}^5P_3 \times 3 = 180$ .

Hence, total numbers =  $600 + 600 + 180 = 1380$

2. (2)

Number of ways of choosing 1 candidate =  ${}^{10}C_1$

Number of ways of choosing 2 candidates =  ${}^{10}C_2$

Number of ways of choosing 3 candidates =  ${}^{10}C_3$

Number of ways of choosing 4 candidates =  ${}^{10}C_4$

Total number of ways

$$= {}^{10}C_1 + {}^{10}C_2 + {}^{10}C_3 + {}^{10}C_4$$

$$= 10 + 45 + 120 + 210$$

$$= 385$$

3. (3) Out of 6 novels, 4 novels can be selected in  ${}^6C_4$  ways.

Also out of 3 dictionaries, 1 dictionary can be selected in  ${}^3C_1$

ways.

Since the dictionary is fixed in the middle, we only have to arrange 4 novels which can be done in 4! ways. Then the number of ways  ${}^6C_4 \cdot {}^3C_1 \cdot 4!$

$$= \frac{6 \cdot 5}{2} \cdot 3 \cdot 24 = 1080$$

4. (4) Odd numbers are 1, 3, 5, 7

We have to fill up four places like - - - -

Units place can be occupied in 4 ways by 1, 3, 5, 7. Thousands place can be occupied in 5 ways (i.e. 1, 2, 3, 5, 7) remaining two positions can be filled in 6 ways each

$\therefore$  By fundamental principle of counting.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required no. of ways are} &= 5 \times 6^2 \times 4 \\ &= 720 \end{aligned}$$

5. (3)

In word MATHEMATICS

H, E, C, I and S - without repetition

M, A, T - occurs twice 5 letters can be placed on 3 places in  ${}^5C_3$  ways.

Again even places 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> position can be filled by the three letter M, A & T

Even places can be filled in two ways

(1) Choose 1 letter from 3 given letters M, A & T

${}^3C_1$  ways

(2) Choose 2 letter from 3 given letters M, A & T and arrange them in 2! ways

${}^3C_1 \times 2!$  ways

Total ways  ${}^3C_1 + {}^3C_1 \times 2! = 9$  ways

Required number of ways =  ${}^5C_3 \times 9 = 540$  ways.

6. (3) 6 particular players are always to be included and 4 are always excluded so total no. of selection, now, 4 players out of 12, hence number of ways =  ${}^{12}C_4$ .

7. (1) Consider triangle without vertex  $A$ .  
We can choose 2 vertices from line  $AB$  and one vertex from  $A$ , the possibilities are  ${}^mC_2 \times n$ .  
We can choose 2 vertices from line  $AC$  and one vertex from  $AB$ , the possibilities are  ${}^nC_2 \times m$ .  
As anyone of the above can be done, so number of possibilities is  ${}^mC_2 \times n + {}^nC_2 \times m$ .  
$$= \frac{m(m-1)}{2}n + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}m$$
$$= \frac{mn(m+n-2)}{2}$$
  
Consider triangles with vertex  $A$   
As one vertex is  $A$ , we can choose one vertex from  $AC$  and one from  $AB$  the possibilities are  $1 \times m \times n = mn$ .  
Number of triangles when  $A$  may be included is  $= mn + \frac{mn(m+n-2)}{2} = \frac{mn(m+n)}{2}$   
Therefore, ratio is  $\frac{m+n-2}{m+n}$ .
8. (2) Given word is  $HAVANA$  ( $3A$ ,  $1H$ ,  $1N$ ,  $1V$ ).  
Total number of ways arranging the given word  
 $= \frac{6!}{3!} = 120$   
Total number of words in which  $N$  &  $V$  are together  
 $= \frac{5!}{3!} \times 2! = 40$   
 $\therefore$  Required number of ways  $= 120 - 40 = 80$
9. (4) Total number of ways in which boys and girls can seat alternatively  $= 4! \times 4! \times 2 = 1152$ .  
When particular boy and particular girl are always together, then number of ways  $= 3! \times 3! \times 7 \times 2 = 504$ .  
 $\therefore$  Required number of ways  $= 1152 - 504 = 648$ .
10. (4)  
Given word is  $MISSISSIPPI$ .  
Here,  $I = 4$  times,  $S = 4$  times,  $P = 2$  times,  $M = 1$  time  
 $\_M\_I\_I\_I\_I\_P\_P\_$   
So,  $IIIIIP$  can be arranged in  $\frac{7!}{4! \times 2!}$ .  
So there are 8 gaps among the letters of the words  $IIIIIP$ , in which 4S can be filled.  
 $\therefore$  Required number of words  $= {}^8C_4 \times \frac{7!}{4!2!}$   
 $= {}^8C_4 \times \frac{7 \times 6!}{4!2!}$   
 $= 7 \cdot {}^8C_4 \cdot {}^6C_4$