

**IEM KOLKATA**  
**PERMUTATIONS AND COMBINATIONS**

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Q1) How many different salads can be made from cauliflower, tomatoes, onions, potatoes and carrots?

- (a) 16 (b) 28 (c) 31 (d) 32

Q2) Gautam Gambhir has to select the Indian team consisting of 4 bowlers, 6 batsmen and 1 wicket keeper from a group of 8 batsmen, 3 wicket keepers and 6 bowlers. How many possible combinations can GG have?

- (a) 17 (b) 126 (c) 63 (d) 64

Q3) In how many ways can 5 members form a committee out of 10 be selected, so that,

(i) two particular members must be included

(ii) two particular members must not be included.

- (a) 56,56 (b) 28,56 (c) 56,28 (d) 64,36

Q4) In how many ways can you place  $N$  coins on a board with  $N$  rows and  $N$  columns such that every row and every column contains exactly one coin?

- (a)  $N$  (b)  $N(N - 1)(N - 2)\dots2.1$  (c)  $N^2$  (d)  $N^N$

Q5) If  ${}^{15}C_{3r} = {}^{15}C_{r+3}$ , then find  $r$ .

Q6) Find the number of ways in which 10 students can form a ring?

Q7) Find the total number of ways, in which 10 beads can be strung into a necklace.

Q8) In a cricket tournament 5 matches were played, then in how many ways result can be declared?

Q9) Eight friends meet at a party. Each shakes hand with each of the other once. The number of possible handshakes is

- (a) 64 (b) 56 (c) 28 (d) 20

Q10) In a plane, there are 16 non-collinear points. Find the number of straight lines formed.

- (a) 120 (b) 64 (c) 84 (d) 150

Q11) A committee of 5 members is going to be formed from 3 trainees, 4 professors and 6 research associates. How many ways can they be selected, if

- (i) in committee, there are 2 trainees and 3 research associates?
  - (a) 15 (b) 45 (c) 60 (d) 9 (e) None
- (ii) there are 4 professors and 1 research associate or 3 trainees and 2 professors?
  - (a) 12 (b) 13 (c) 24 (d) 52 (e) None