## HW2

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1.  $9 \cdot 10^6 = 9,000,000$  seven-digit phone numbers.

- 2. (a) 8! = 40320 seatings
  - (b)  $5! \cdot 4 \cdot 3! = 2880$  consecutive male seatings.
  - (c)  $4! \cdot 2^4 = 384$  consecutive couples seatings.
- 3.  $6m, 7s, 4e \rightarrow 2$  books
  - (a)  $\binom{6}{2} + \binom{7}{2} + \binom{4}{2} = 42$  choices of the two books who share the same subject.
  - (b)  $\binom{6}{1}\binom{7}{1} + \binom{6}{1}\binom{4}{1} + \binom{7}{1}\binom{4}{1} = 94$  choices of two books who don't share the same subject.
- 4.  $8w, 6m \rightarrow 3w, 3m$ 
  - (a)  $\binom{8}{3} [\binom{6}{3} \binom{4}{1}] = 896$  committees where  $m_1, m_2$  don't work together.
  - (b)  $\binom{6}{3} \begin{bmatrix} \binom{8}{3} \binom{6}{1} \end{bmatrix} = 1000$  committees where  $w_1, w_2$  don't work together.
  - (c)  $\binom{8}{3}\binom{6}{3} P_3^7 = 910$  committees where  $w_1, m_1$  don't work together.
- 5. Let  $D_6 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ ,  $A = \text{rolling } 1 \dots 6$  in any order, and  $|S| = |D_6|^6$ . If the point  $r_1 = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6) \in A \implies$  other points in A must be arrangements of  $r_1 \implies |A| = |D_6|!$  $\therefore P(A) = \frac{6!}{6^6} = \frac{5}{324} \approx 0.015 \dots$
- 6.  $|S| = \binom{10}{5}$  because the professor chooses 5 questions from 10  $|A| = \binom{6}{5}$  because she chose to study 6 questions, and 5 are on the test  $\therefore P(A) = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{1}{42} \approx 0.02...$
- 7.  $4s_w, 2s_b, 6s_r, 3s_g \to 4s$  $|S| = \binom{15}{4}$  which is all choices of 15 socks taken 4 at a time.
  - (a) We want all possible one color two sock pairs, with another color two sock pairs.  $P(2s_1,2s_2) = \frac{\binom{4}{2} [\binom{2}{2} + \binom{6}{2} + \binom{3}{2}] + \binom{2}{2} [\binom{6}{2} + \binom{3}{2}] + \binom{6}{2} \binom{3}{2}}{\binom{15}{4}} = \frac{177}{1365} \approx 0.13$
  - (b) At least one red sock is the same as the complement of no red socks.  $P(1s_r)=1-P(\text{no reds})=1-\frac{P_4^9}{P_4^{15}}=\frac{59}{65}\approx 0.91$
- 8. 52 cards  $\rightarrow$  5 cards;  $|S| = {52 \choose 5}$  which is how many ways to draw 5 cards from 52 cards.
  - (a) The #ways to pick 3 aces from 4 by how many ways to pick two kings from 4  $P(3A,2K) = \frac{\binom{4}{3}\binom{4}{2}}{\binom{52}{5}} \approx 0.000009...$
  - (b) The amount of ways to pick 1 rank from a suite by the amount of ways to pick each rank from a suite.  $P(\text{full house}) = \frac{\binom{13}{1}\binom{4}{3}\binom{12}{1}\binom{4}{2}}{\binom{52}{5}} \approx 0.001\dots$
- 9.  $2w, 4h, 7a \rightarrow 1w, 2h, 3a$

If every claim is different, and the process order doesn't matter, then  $|S| = \binom{13}{6}$ . There is only one way to select  $\{w_1, h_1, h_2, a_1, a_2, a_3\} \implies |A| = 1$ .  $\therefore P(A) = \frac{1}{\binom{13}{6}} = \frac{1}{1716} \approx 0.0006...$ 

 $<sup>{}^{1}</sup>P_{3}^{7}$  is a simplification of the number of committees where  $w_{1}, m_{1}$  work together.

10. (a) Fluke = 
$$\binom{5}{1}\binom{4}{1}\binom{3}{1}\binom{2}{1}\binom{1}{1} = 120$$
 arrangements

(b) Propose = 
$$\binom{7}{2}\binom{5}{1}\binom{4}{2}\binom{2}{1}\binom{1}{1} = 1260$$
 arrangements

(c) Mississippi = 
$$\binom{11}{1}\binom{10}{4}\binom{6}{4}\binom{2}{2} = 34650$$
 arrangements

11. 
$$3u, 4r, 2z, 1c; |S| = \binom{10}{3,4,2,1} = 12600 \text{ rankings}$$

$$P(1 \text{ winner, } 2 \text{ losers of US}) = \frac{\binom{7}{2,4,1}\binom{3}{1}\binom{3}{2}}{12600} = \frac{3}{40} = 0.075$$

12. 
$$9m = 2m_{\alpha} + 7m_{x} \rightarrow 3p_{1}, 3p_{2}, 3p_{3}; |S| = \binom{9}{3,3,3} = 1680 \text{ outcomes}$$

$$P(2m_{\alpha} \rightarrow 3p_{1}) = \frac{\binom{7}{1,3,3}}{1680} = \frac{1}{12} = 0.08\overline{3}$$

13. **Proof:** 
$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} \binom{n}{k} = 2^n$$

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$$\sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} = 2^n$$
  
The Binomial Theorem states that  $(x+y)^n = \sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} x^{n-k} y^k$ .  
Then, let  $x = y = 1 \implies (1+1)^n = (2)^n = \sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} 1^{n-k} 1^k = \sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} 1^n = \sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k}$ .  
 $\therefore \sum_{k=0}^{n} {n \choose k} = 2^n$ .

14. **Proof:** 
$$\sum_{k=0}^{n>0} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} = 0$$
  
If  $(x+y)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} x^{n-k} y^k \implies (1-1)^n = 0^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} 1^{n-k} (-1)^k = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} (-1)^k$   
 $\therefore \sum_{k=0}^{n>0} (-1)^k \binom{n}{k} = 0^n = 0.$