Quiz Questions: Counting

1. How many bit strings (strings of 0's and 1's) are there of length 8 that have more 0's than 1's?

A.
$$\frac{2^8 - C(8,4)}{2}$$

B.
$$C(8,3) + C(8,2) + C(8,1)$$

C.
$$C(7,3) + C(7,2) + C(7,1) + C(7,0)$$

D.
$$\frac{2^8}{2}$$

2. There are 7 women and 13 men. How many ways are there to form a committee of size 6 with equal number of women and men?

B.
$$3! \times 3!$$

C.
$$2^6$$

D.
$$C(7,3)C(13,3)$$

3. How many ways you can distribute 13 distinguishable balls among 4 distinguishable boxes? (boxes can be empty)

A.
$$13 \times 12 \times 11 \times 10$$

C.
$$C(16,4)$$

D.
$$C(13,4)$$

4. Number of different license plates with 4 letters that cannot be repeated followed by 2 digits that can be repeated?

A.
$$10^2 \times 26^4$$

B.
$$10^2 C(26, 4)$$

C.
$$C(10,2) C(26,4)$$

D.
$$26 \times 25 \times 24 \times 23 \times 10^2$$

5. You have a deck of 52 playing cards. How many possible 6-cards poker hands contain exactly one ace and one king?

A.
$$C(4,1)C(4,1)C(50,4)$$

B.
$$C(8,2)C(44,4)$$

C.
$$4 \times 4 \times C(44,4)$$

D.
$$C(8,2)C(44,4) \times 6!$$

6. 7 red and 8 blue balls inside a bin. How many balls one must take out randomly to be sure to have at least 1 red ball?

- D. 9
- 7. What is the coefficient of x^5 in the expansion of $(x + 4)^{14}$?
 - A. $4^9C(14,9)$
 - B. C(14,0) + C(14,1) + C(14,2) + C(14,3) + C(14,4) + C(14,5)
 - C. C(14,5)
 - D. $2 \times 4^9 C(14, 5)$
- 8. How many integers with 4 decimal digits are divisible by 3?
 - A. 3000
 - B. 3001
 - C. 2999
 - D. 2998

Answers:

- 1. A
- 2. D
- 3. B
- 4. D
- 5. C
- 6. D
- 7. A
- 8. A