

CS211 - Discrete Structures
Assignment #4, Spring 2021
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Q.1

a) Using product rule

$$= 27 \cdot 37 = 999 \text{ offices}$$

b) 12 = shirts, 3 = sizes, 2 = gender

$$= 12 \times 3 \times 2$$

$$= 72 \text{ diff type of shirt}$$

Q.2

a) Repetition allowed

$$= 26 \times 26 \times 26 = 17576.$$

b) Repetition not allowed

$$= 26 \times 25 \times 24 = 15600.$$

Q.3

a) For Hexadecimal consider.

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F (16)

$$\text{String}(10) = 16 \times 16 = 16^{10}$$

$$\text{String}(26) = 16^{26}$$

$$\text{String}(58) = 16^{58}$$

$$= 16^{10} + 16^{26} + 16^{58}$$

$$= 6.9 \times 10^{69}$$

$$b) 26 \times 26 \times 26 \times 26 = 26^4 = 456,976 \text{ (with } \times \text{)}$$

$$25^4 = 390,625 \text{ (without } \times \text{)}$$

string width = $2^6 - 2^4$
 at least x = 66,351

Q.4

a) $\{1, 2, \dots, m\}$ set $\{0, 1\}$
 domain image.

$$f(1) = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

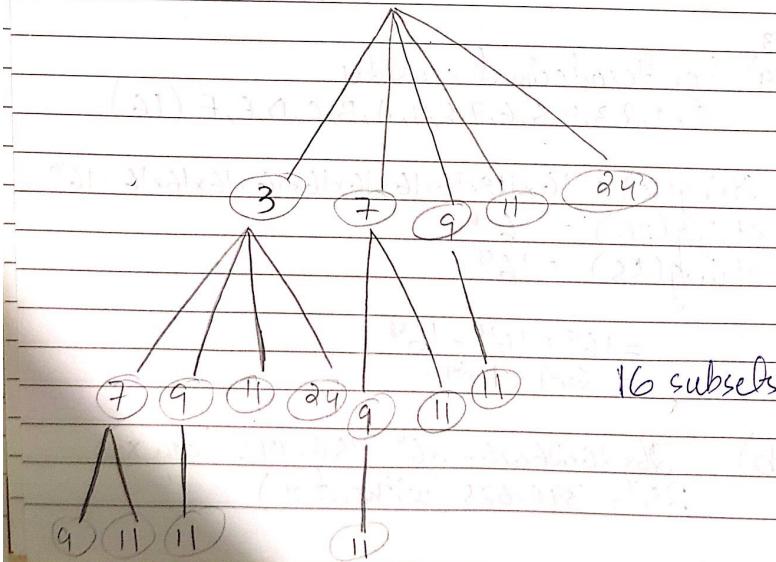
$$f(2) = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

$$f(m) = 0 \text{ or } 1$$

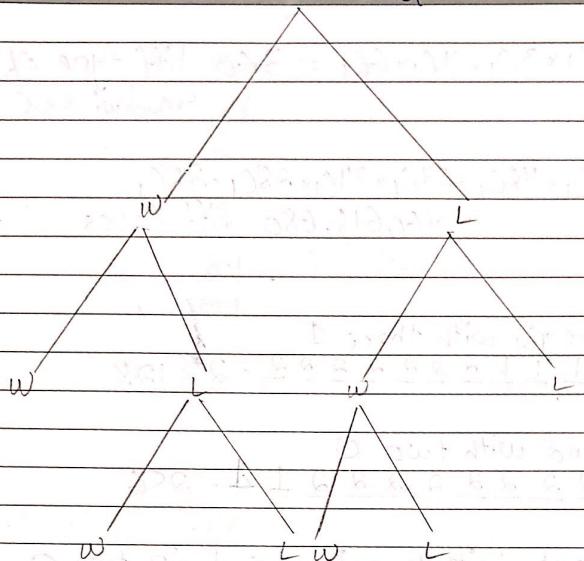
$$\text{so } 2 \times 2 \times 2 \dots \times 2 = 2^n$$

b) Set A with element 5 to set B
 with element 5.
 $= 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 = 120.$

Q.5 Tree diagram $\{3, 7, 9, 11, 24\}$ sum ≤ 28



b)



Q.6

$$a) 8C_3 = 56 \text{ ways}$$

$$b) 12C_6 = 924 \text{ ways}$$

$$c) 9C_5 = 126 \text{ ways}$$

Q.7

$$a) \frac{20 \times 19 \times 18 \times 17 \times 16}{20P_5} = 1860,480 \text{ ways}$$

$$b) \frac{16 \times 15 \times 14 \times 13}{16P_4} = 43,680 \text{ ways}$$

$$c) 15 \times 14 = 210 \text{ ways}$$

Q.8

a) $SC_1 \times 3C_1 \times 4C_1 \times GC_1 = 360$ diff type of sandwiches

b) $15C_1 \times 48C_1 \times 24C_1 \times 34C_1 \times 28C_1 \times 28C_1$
 $= 460,615,680$ diff faces

Q.9

a) Begin with three 1

$$\underline{1} \underline{1} \underline{1} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} = 2^7 = 128$$

End with two 0

$$\underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{1} \underline{1} = 256$$

Begin with three 1 and end with two 0

$$\underline{1} \underline{1} \underline{1} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{1} \underline{1} = 32$$

$$= 128 + 256 - 32 = 352.$$

b) Begin with zero or end with two 1

$$\underline{1} \cdot \underline{2} \cdot \underline{2} \cdot \underline{1} \cdot \underline{1} = 4$$

Begin with zero

$$\underline{1} \cdot \underline{2} \cdot \underline{2} \cdot \underline{2} = 16$$

Begin with two 1

$$\underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{1} \underline{1} = 8$$

$$= 16 + 8 - 4$$

$$= 20$$

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Q.10

a) Students with last name = 30
alphabets = 26

$$\left\lceil \frac{30}{26} \right\rceil = 2. \text{ (at least 2 students with same last letter name).}$$

b) $\left\lceil \frac{8008278}{100000} \right\rceil = 9$ (proved)

c) $\left\lceil \frac{677}{38} \right\rceil = 18$ diff classrooms.

Q.11

a) x^5 in $(1+x)^n$

$$\begin{aligned} {}^n C_r (1)^r (x)^{n-r} \\ {}^n C_5 (1)^5 (x)^5 = 462 x^5 \end{aligned}$$

b) $a^7 b^{17} (2a-b)^{24}$
 $- 2^4 (-7)(2a)^7 (b)^{24-7}$
 $- 44301312 a^7 b^{17}$

Q.12 a) if $a|b$ and $b|c$ then $a|c$

$$b = ax$$

$$c = by$$

$$\frac{c}{a} = \frac{by}{a} = \frac{ax \times y}{a} = xy \text{ (hence proved).}$$

b) if $a|b$ and $a|c$ then $a|(b+c)$

$$b = ax$$

$$c = ay$$

$$\frac{b+c}{a} = \frac{ax+ay}{a} = \frac{a(x+y)}{a} = x+y$$

Q.13

a) $n > 5$ such that $2^n - 1$ is prime.

$$\text{at } n=7$$

$$2^7 - 1 = 127 \text{ which is prime}$$

b) if $P|a, P|x(a+1)$

$$a = Px \quad a+1 = Py$$

Subtract eqns

$$(a+1) - a = Py - Px$$

$$1 = P(y-x)$$

Hence P divides a and not $a+1$.

Q.14 real no $a, b \sqrt{a+b} = \sqrt{a} + \sqrt{b}$

a)

$$a = 16 \quad b = 0 \quad / \quad a = 0 \quad b = 9$$

$$\sqrt{16+0} = \sqrt{16} + \sqrt{0}$$

$$4 = 4 \quad \text{Proved.}$$

b) if $|x| > 1$ then $x > 1$ or $x < -1$

$$x = 2$$

$$x = -2$$

$$|2| > 1$$

$$|-2| = 2 > 1$$

Proved!

Q.15

a) Product of two irrational numbers is an irrational number.

$$x = \sqrt{2} \text{ (irrational)}$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \text{ (irrational)}$$

$$x \times y = \frac{\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$$

statement not true at this condition.

b) Sum of rational and irrational number is irrational.

$$x = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$x + y = \frac{c}{d}$$

rational

$$\frac{a}{b} + y = \frac{c}{d}$$

$$y = \frac{c}{d} - \frac{a}{b}$$

$$y = \frac{cb - ad}{db} \text{ (rational)}$$

contradict our assumption of b as irrational so sum of rational and irrational num is irrational

Q.16

a) For every prime no, $n+2$ is prime

$$n = 2$$

$$n + 2 = 2 + 2 = 4 \text{ (not a prime)}$$

b) Set of prime no is infinite

Using contradiction.

prime nos are finite.

$$P = P_1 \times P_2 \times P_3 \times \dots \times P_n + 1$$

P can't be prime cause all $(P_1 \dots P_n)$ are part of it. So it would be divisible by any of the P_i where remainder = 1

That contradicts our assumption, hence. Original statement is True.

Q.17 If n and m are odd integers, then $m+n$ is an even integer.

Using contradiction.

If n and m are odd integers, then $m+n$ is odd integer.

$$n = 2k+1$$

$$m = 2k+1$$

$$m+n = 2k+1 + 2k+1$$

$$= 4k+2$$

$$= 2(2k+1)$$

$$= 2Y \text{ (Even)}$$

Contradicts our assumption so original statement
True.

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b) If $m+n$ is even, then m and n are both even or m and n are both odd.

Using contrapositive.

If $m+n$ are both odd or $m+n$ are both even, then $m+n$ is odd.

$$m = 2k+1$$

$$n = 2k$$

$$m+n = 2k+1+2k$$

$$= 4k+1$$

Hence sum of even and odd integer is odd.
So original statement is True.

Q. 18) $6 - 7\sqrt{2}$ is irrational using contradiction.
assuming it is rational

$$x = 6 - 7\sqrt{2} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$(6 - 7\sqrt{2})^2 = \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2$$

$$36 - 2(6)(7\sqrt{2}) + (7\sqrt{2})^2 = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$$

$$134 - 84\sqrt{2} = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$$

$$134b^2 - 84\sqrt{2}b^2 = a^2$$

$$134b^2 - a^2 = 84\sqrt{2}b^2$$

b^2 is rational and so $84\sqrt{2}$

Contradicts our assumption hence
original statement is True.

b) $\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}$ is irrational.
assuming it as rational.

$$\text{so } (\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3})^2 = 2 + 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{3} + 3 \\ = 5 + 2\sqrt{6}$$

but here $\sqrt{6}$ is irrational.

contradict the assumption hence original statement is True.

Q.19.

$$\text{a) } {}^{36}P_{36} = 36! \\ = 3.72 \times 10^{41}$$

$$\text{b) } {}^{36}P_7 = 36 \times 35 \times 34 \times 33 \times 32 \times 31 \times 30 \\ = 4.2 \times 10^{10}$$

$$\text{c) } {}^{20}P_{20} \times {}^{16}P_{16}$$

$$20! \times 16! = 5.1 \times 10^{31}$$

Q.20 Mathematical Induction.

$$\text{a) } 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 = (n(n+1)(2n+1))/6$$

Basic Step

$$n = 1$$

$$(1)^2 = (1(1+1)(2+1))/6$$

$$1 = 6/6$$

$$1 = 1$$

Inductive step

$$n = k$$

$$1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + k^2 = (k(k+1)(2k+1))/6$$

$$n = k+1$$

$$(k+1)^2 = (k+1(k+1+1)(2k+2+1))/6$$

$$(k+1)^2 = (k+1(k+2)(2k+3))/6$$

L.H.S

R.H.S proof

$$k^2 + (k+1)^2 = (k(k+1)(2k+1))/6 + (k+1)^2$$

$$\underline{k(k+1)(2k+1)} + 6(k+1)^2$$

$$\underline{(k+1)[k(2k+1) + 6(k+1)]}$$

$$(k+1)(2k^2 + 6k + 6)$$

$$\underline{\frac{(k+1)(k+2)(2k+3)}{6}} \quad \text{Proved.}$$

$$\text{b) } 1 + 2 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^n = 2^{n+1} - 1$$

$n=0$ Basic step.

$$2^0 = 2^{0+1} - 1$$

$$1 = 2 - 1$$

$$1 = 1$$

Inductive step

$$n = k$$

$$1 + 2 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^k = 2^{k+1} - 1$$

$$n = k+1$$

$$2^{k+1} = 2^{k+1+1} - 1$$

$$2^{k+1} = 2^{k+2} - 1$$

(add)

(proof)

$$2^k + 2^{k+1} = 2^{k+1} - 1 + 2^{k+1}$$

$$= 2(2^{k+1}) - 1$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2^{k+1} - 1$$

$$= 2^{k+1+1} - 1$$

$$= 2^{k+2} - 1 \quad \text{proved.}$$

$$c) 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \dots + n^3 = \frac{1}{4} n^2 (n+1)^2$$

Basic step

$$n=1$$

$$(1)^3 = \frac{1}{4} (1)^2 (1+1)^2$$

$$(1)^3 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$1 = 1$$

Inductive step

$$n=k$$

$$1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \dots + k^3 = \frac{1}{4} k^2 (k+1)^2$$

$$n=k+1$$

$$(k+1)^3 = \frac{1}{4} (k+1)^2 (k+2)^2$$

add $\quad \quad \quad$ proof

$$k^3 + (k+1)^3 = \frac{1}{4} k^2 (k+1)^2 + (k+1)^3 \times \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (k+1)^2 [(k+1)+1] (k^2 + 4(k+1))$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (k+1)^2 (k^2 + 4k + 4)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (k+1)^2 (k+2)^2 \quad \text{proved.}$$