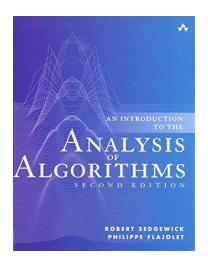
# 2-3 Counting

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The Analysis of Algorithms

## "People who analyze algorithms have double happiness ..."



Donald E. Knuth (1938  $\sim$ )



Unfortunately, you have to master some mathematics.



Counting

Sums  $\sum$  Binomials (

#### Counting

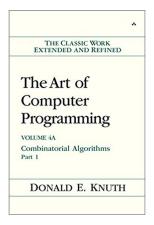
tuples
permutations
combinations



compositions partitions

Counting # of functions under (twelve) different restrictions

#### Counting vs. Generating



Generating is about algorithms.

#### Falling and Rising Factorials

$$m^{\underline{n}} = (m)_n = m(m-1)(m-2)\cdots(m-n+1) = \frac{m!}{(m-n)!}$$

$$m^{\bar{n}} = m^{(n)} = m(m+1)(m+2)\cdots(m+n-1)$$

$$n! = n^{\underline{n}} = 1^{\bar{n}}$$

$$\binom{m}{n} = \frac{m^{\underline{n}}}{n!}$$

#### Iverson Bracket

$$[P] = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } P \text{ is true;} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$[n \le m] = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } n \le m; \\ 0, & \text{if } n > m \end{cases}$$

# Theorem

 $Sum\ Rule$ 

# Theorem

 $Product\ Rule$ 

先学习下加法,1+1,就是



所以1+1=2,这很好理解

那我们趁热打铁学习下一个重要公式吧:

$$\frac{\sum_{w \in W} (-1)^{\det(w)} w(e^{\lambda + \rho})}{e^{\rho} \prod_{\alpha > 0} (1 - e^{-\alpha})}$$



## Counting # of functions under (twelve) different restrictions

$$f:N\to M \qquad (|N|=n,\quad |M|=m)$$

$$12 = (2 \times 2) \times 3$$

Elements of $N$	Elements of $M$	Any $f$	Injective $f$	Surjective $f$
distinguishable	distinguishable			
in distinguishable	distinguishable			
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Table: The Twelvefold Way (Functions).

distinguishable vs. indistinguishable

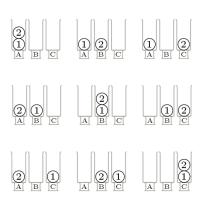
Balls	Bins	unrestricted	$\leq 1$	$\geq 1$
unlabeled	unlabeled			
labeled	unlabeled			
unlabeled	labeled			
labeled	labeled			

Table: The Twelvefold Way (Balls into Bins Model).

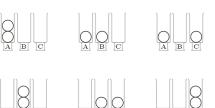
labeled vs. unlabeled

## (unrestricted)

#### labeled balls into labeled bins



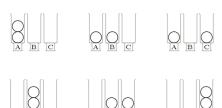
#### unlabeled balls into labeled bins



Only # of balls in each bin matters.

# (unrestricted)

#### unlabeled balls into labeled bins



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$$2 = 2 + 0 + 0$$

$$= 1 + 1 + 0$$

$$= 1 + 0 + 1$$

$$= 0 + 2 + 0$$

$$= 0 + 1 + 1$$

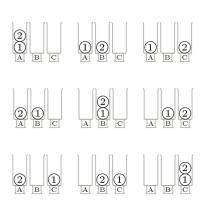
$$= 0 + 0 + 2$$

$$n = n_1 + n_2 + \ldots + n_m \quad (n_i \ge 0)$$

weak composition of n with m terms

# (unrestricted)

#### labeled balls into labeled bins



#### unlabeled balls into labeled bins





$$f: 1 \mapsto A, \quad 2 \mapsto B$$

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$$f' = f \circ (h: 1 \mapsto 2, \quad 2 \mapsto 1)$$

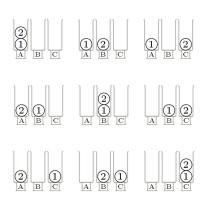
f class	Any f	Injective $f$	Surjective $f$
f	n tuples		
	of $m$ items		
$f\circ S_N$	compositions of $n$		
	into $m$ parts		

$$S_N = \{ f : N \underset{1-1}{\overset{\text{onto}}{\longleftarrow}} N \}$$
$$[f] = f \circ S_N = \{ f \circ g \mid g \in S_N \}$$

f, g are indistinguishable  $\iff g \in [f]$ 

## (unrestricted)

## labeled balls into labeled bins



#### labeled balls into unlabeled bins

$$\{1,2\} = \{1,2\}$$
$$= \{1\} \cup \{2\}$$

partition of N into  $\leq m$  parts

$$\binom{n}{k}$$
: # of partitions of N into  $k$  pa

$$\sum_{k=1}^{m} \begin{Bmatrix} n \\ k \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$\{1,2,3\} = \{1,2,3\}$$

$$= \{1\} \cup \{2,3\}$$

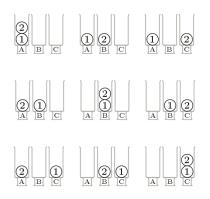
$$= \{2\} \cup \{1,3\}$$

$$= \{3\} \cup \{1,2\}$$

$$= \{1\} \cup \{2\} \cup \{3\}$$

## (unrestricted)

#### labeled balls into labeled bins



#### labeled balls into unlabeled bins

$$f: 1 \mapsto A, \quad 2 \mapsto A$$

$$g: 1 \mapsto B, \quad 2 \mapsto B$$

$$h: 1 \mapsto C, \quad 2 \mapsto C$$

$$g=(l:A\mapsto B,\quad B\mapsto A)\circ f$$

f class	Any f	Injective $f$	Surjective $f$
f	n  tuples of $m  items$		
$f \circ S_N$	compositions of $n$ into $m$ parts		
$S_M \circ f$	partitions of $N$ into $\leq m$ parts		

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$$5 = 5$$

$$= 41$$

$$= 32 = 311$$

$$= 221 = 21111$$

$$= 11111$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k = n$$

$$x_1 \ge x_2 \ge \dots \ge x_k \ge 1$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} n \\ k \end{vmatrix} : \# \text{ of (integral) solutions}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{m} \binom{n}{k}$$

f class	Any f	Injective $f$	Surjective $f$
f	$n$ -tuples of $m$ items $m^n$	$n$ -permutations of $m$ items $m^{\underline{n}}$	???
$f\circ S_N$	$\begin{array}{c} \text{weak compositions of } n \\ \text{into } m \text{ parts} \end{array}$	$n$ -combinations of $m$ items $\binom{m}{n}$	compositions of $n$ into $m$ parts
$S_M \circ f$	partitions of $N$ into $\leq m$ parts $\sum_{k=1}^{m} {n \choose k}$	$n$ pigeons into $m$ holes $[n \le m]$	partitions of $N$ into $m$ parts $\binom{n}{m}$
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Multisets (CS: 1.5-4)

Use multisets to determine the number of ways to pass out k identical apples to n children. Assume that a child may get more than one apple.

$$x_i$$
: the # of apples the *i*-th child gets

$$x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = k, \quad x_i \ge 0$$

Integer composition (The order matters!)

$$y_i \triangleq x_i + 1$$

$$y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_n = n + k, \qquad y_i \ge 1$$

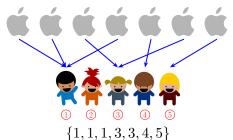
$$\binom{n+k-1}{n-1} = \binom{n+k-1}{k}$$

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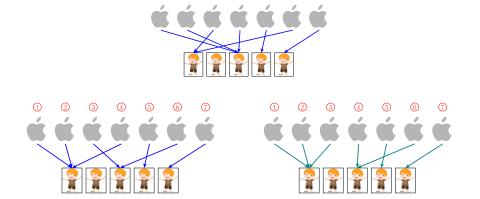
Q: k-multiset of  $[1 \cdots n]$  vs. n-multiset of  $[1 \cdots k]$ 

$$k = 7$$
  $n = 5$ 



#### Set Partition (CS: 1.5-4 Extended)

What is the number of ways to pass out k distinct apples to n-. Assume that a child may get more than one apple.



Set partition of  $[1 \cdots k]$  into  $\leq n$  parts

Set Partition (CS: 1.5 - 12)

$$S(n,k)$$
  $\left\{ n \atop k \right\}$  : # of set partitions of  $[1 \cdots n]$  into k classes

## Stirling number of the second kind

Theorem (Recurrence for S(n,k))

$$S(0,0) = 1, \quad S(n,0) = S(0,n) = 0 \ (n > 0)$$
 
$$S(n,k) = S(n-1,k-1) + kS(n-1,k), \quad n > 0, k > 0$$

Proof.

$$S(n,k) = \underbrace{S(n-1,k-1)}_{n \text{ is alone}} + \underbrace{kS(n-1,k)}_{n \text{ is not alone}}$$



Bell number: 
$$B_n = \sum_{k=0}^{k=n} {n \brace k}$$

Theorem (Berend & Tassa (2010))

$$B_n < \left(\frac{0.792n}{\ln(n+1)}\right)^n, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$

# Theorem (de Bruijn (1981))

As  $n \to \infty$ ,

$$\frac{\ln B_n}{n} = \ln n - \ln \ln n - 1 + \frac{\ln \ln n}{\ln n} + \frac{1}{\ln n} + \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\ln \ln n}{\ln n} \right)^2 + O\left( \frac{\ln \ln n}{(\ln n)^2} \right)$$

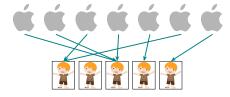
#### THE TWELVEFOLD WAY

balls per urn	unrestricted	≤ 1	$\geq 1$	
n labeled balls, $m$ labeled urns	n-tuples of $m$ things	n-permutations of $m$ things	partitions of $\{1, \ldots, n\}$ into $m$ ordered parts	
n unlabeled balls, $m$ labeled urns	n-multicombinations of $m$ things	n-combinations of $m$ things	compositions of $n$ into $m$ parts	
n labeled balls, $m$ unlabeled urns	partitions of $\{1, \dots, n\}$ into $\leq m$ parts	n pigeons into $m$ holes	partitions of $\{1, \dots, n\}$ into $m$ parts	
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Integer Partition (CS: 1.5-4 Extended)

What is the number of ways to pass out k identical apples to n- . Assume that a child may get more than one apple.





Integer partition of k into  $\leq n$  parts (The order does not matter!)

Theorem (G. H. Hardy, Ramanujan (1918))

$$p(k) \triangleq \sum_{x=1}^{x=k} p_x(k) \sim \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}k} \exp\left(\pi\sqrt{\frac{2k}{3}}\right)$$

# Thank You!



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