

Problem 1

- 1) 6^n sequences
- 2) 5^n sequences do not contain 1
 4^n sequences do not contain either \blacksquare or \blacksquare
- 3) $|E \cup F| = |E| + |F| - |E \cap F|$ if E and F are finite.
 $\Omega = 6^n, \quad |E| = 6^n - 5^n, \quad |F| = 6^n - 5^n, \quad |E \cap F| = 6^n - 4^n$
 $\therefore |E \cup F| = 6^n - 5^n + 6^n - 5^n - 6^n + 4^n$
 $= 6^n - 2 \cdot 5^n + 4^n.$

Problem 2

- 1) $\frac{|E|!}{(|E|-p)!} = \frac{52!}{(52-13)!} = \frac{52!}{39!}$
- 2) $|E| = 39, \quad p = 26 \Rightarrow \frac{39!}{(39-26)!} = \frac{39!}{13!}$
 $E = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$
 $\Rightarrow |E| = 5 = n$
 $k_1 + \dots + k_n = n = 5 \quad \text{for } k_i \geq 0$
 k_i elements receive i

Problem 3

1. There are only 4 ways to receive a royal flush; one per suit
2. 40 ways; 10 per suit.
3. $\binom{13}{5}$ ways to get a flush per 4 suits \Rightarrow 5148 ways.
4. 10 ways in rank and each card having 4 possible suits $\Rightarrow (10)(4^5) =$ 10240 ways
5. $\binom{13}{2} = 78$ is the number of ways to choose two ranks
 $\binom{4}{2} = 6$ is the number of ways to choose two suits
 $\binom{11}{1} = 11$ is the number of ways to choose a rank from remaining option (cannot be of a pair)
 $\Rightarrow \binom{13}{2} \binom{4}{2} \binom{11}{1}$ Attkh!

Problem 4

$$1. \left. \begin{aligned} P(1^{st}) &= \frac{1}{5} \\ P(2^{nd}) &= \frac{4}{5} \\ P(3^{rd}) &= \frac{4}{5} \end{aligned} \right\} P(1^{st}) \cdot P(2^{nd}) \cdot P(3^{rd}) = \frac{5}{9}$$

2. $\binom{n}{1}, \binom{n}{2}, \dots, \binom{n}{6}$ each object has n choices for colour
obj. 1 obj. 2 obj. 6

the probability two objects do not have the same colour is $P(2 \text{ different}) = \frac{n-1}{n}$

$$P(3 \text{ different}) = \left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right) \left(\frac{n-2}{n}\right) \dots P(6 \text{ different}) = \frac{(n-1)!}{(n-6)! \cdot n^5}$$

thus probability that \exists a pair of objects with same colour is $\boxed{1 - \frac{(n-1)!}{(n-6)! \cdot n^5}}$

Problem 5

$$1. \left\{ \begin{aligned} &\{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \\ &\{a, b\}, \{c\}, \\ &\{a, c\}, \{b\}, \\ &\{a, b, c\} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$2. \text{Proof by induction:} \quad * \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

Base case: $B_1 = 1$ since a set of cardinal $n=1$ has only one possible partition.
Let $\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$ so $B_2 = \sum_{k=0}^2 \binom{2}{k} B_0 = \binom{2}{0} 1 + \binom{2}{1} 1 + \binom{2}{2} 1 = 1 + 2 + 1 = 4$ ✓

$$\begin{aligned} \text{inductive step: let } n=m+1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad B_{m+2} &= \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \binom{m+1}{k} B_k \\ &= \binom{m+1}{0} B_{m+1} + \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m+1}{k} B_k = B_{m+1} + \left(\sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k} B_k \right) + \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k-1} B_k \\ &= 2B_{m+1} + \sum_{k=0}^m \binom{m}{k-1} B_k \end{aligned}$$

$\overset{\text{Base case}}{B_{m+1}}$
 $\text{(Pascal's triangle)}$

Problem 6

Proof by induction

Base case: let $(i, j) = (1, 1)$ so $\binom{p+q}{2} = \sum_{k=0}^2 \binom{1}{k} \binom{1}{2-k} = 2p_2$ ✓