

Lecture 3

Math 241 9/3/15

Previously... J, M, S sitting where order matters
and no replacement

$${}_3P_3 = 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1$$

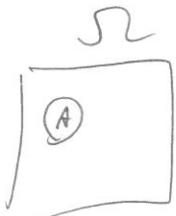
$$= \frac{3!}{(3-3)!}$$

generally ${}_nP_k = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$

This gets its own notation because it happens
a lot. Let's talk about one off
situations!

Bob & Jane, Max & Mary } married
the 6 people Joe & Susan

If we're random,
What is probability that all married couples are sitting together?



$$P(A) = \frac{|A|}{|\Omega|}$$

each arrangement is equally likely

$$|\Omega|? = {}_6P_6 = 6! = 720 \Rightarrow 6.7\%$$

$$|A| = \underline{6} \underline{1} \underline{4} \underline{1} \underline{2} \underline{1} = 48$$

$$\frac{3}{HH} \frac{2}{HH} \frac{1}{HH} \cdot (2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2) = 3! \cdot 2^3$$

What is prob of alt. boy-girl-boy-girl?

$$(\underline{3} \underline{3} \underline{2} \underline{2} \underline{1} \underline{1}) 2$$

$$BBB GGG \quad 3! \cdot 3!$$

Max/Mary

How about only ~~Bob/John~~ sit together? How?

Max-Mary as 1 unit

MM B J a J o S

$$\underline{\underline{5! \cdot 2}}$$

100 balls, 3 positions, no replac

$$100P_3 = \frac{100!}{(100-3)!} = \frac{100 \cdot 99 \cdot 98}{\#1 \#2 \#3} = 970,200$$

100 balls, 3 positions with replac

$$\underline{100} \underline{100} \underline{100} = 1,000,000$$

10,000 balls, 3 positions, no replac

$$\underline{10000} \underline{9999} \underline{9998}$$

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yes "

, 9997

$$\underline{10990} \underline{10990} \underline{10990}$$

n balls k positions no repl = ? k is fixed n is large

n balls k " yes repl

If n is large k replac/no replac \Rightarrow no diff

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n!}{n^k} = \frac{n(n-1) \cdots (n-k+1)}{\underbrace{(n)(n) \cdots (n)}_k}$$

recall $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x)g(x) = \lim f(x) \lim g(x)$

if $f(x)$ const

$$\lim \frac{4}{n} \lim \frac{4-1}{n} \dots \lim \frac{4-k+1}{n} = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot \dots \cdot 1 = \boxed{1}$$

$1 - \frac{1}{n} \qquad 1 - \frac{k-1}{n}$

5 people, 5 chairs in a circle but circle is rotationally invariant



$$\frac{5!}{5} = 24$$

5 rotations

dividing out invariance principle

9 flowers 5 blue, 3 Red

Each blue is distinct; each red is distinct

$B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, R_1, R_2, R_3$ ↖ ↗ diff

How many ways to order? $8!$

But what if the Red are indistinct? As in R_1, R_2, R_3 appear to be same or you don't care about the diff?

Imagine $B_1, B_2, R_1, B_3, R_2, B_4, R_3, B_5$

$= \text{" } R_1 \text{ " } R_3 \text{ " } R_2 \text{ "}$
 $= \text{" } R_2 \text{ " } R_1 \text{ " } R_3 \text{ "}$
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For each config of ~~R_1, R_2, R_3~~ flowers
 we collapse $3! = 6$ to 1
 hence we divide by $3!$
 $= \frac{8!}{3!}$



How about blues also relevant?

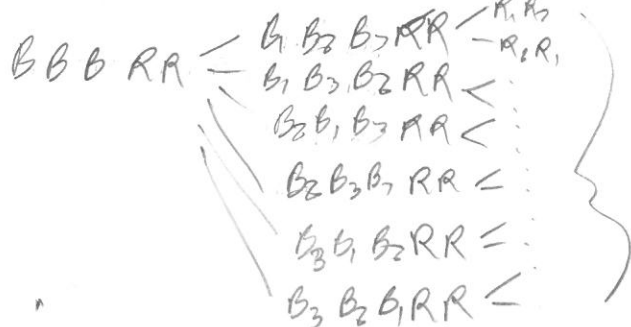
BBRBRBRB $\rightarrow 5!3!$ possibilities but the read can be collapsed

$$\Rightarrow \frac{8!}{5!3!} = 56$$

Let's see it...

How about 3B, 2R

$$\frac{5!}{3!2!} = 10$$



- 10
- BBRBR
 - BBRRB
 - BRBBR
 - BRBRB
 - BRRBB
 - RBBBR
 - RBRRB
 - RBRRB
 - RRBBB

$$10 \cdot 12 = 120 = 5!$$

What is $P(2H, 2T)$? $= \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{|A|}{16}$

$H_1, H_2, T_1, T_2 \rightarrow \frac{4!}{2!2!} = 6$

100 flips

What is $P(50H, 50T) = \frac{|A| \binom{50!}{25!25!}}{|S|} = \frac{1}{2^{50}} = 11\%$

1000 flips

$P(500H, 500T) = \frac{|A|}{2^{1000}} = \frac{1000!}{(500!)^2} \rightarrow \text{Blow up!}$

Logs help?

$$\ln(1000!) - 2\ln(500!) - 1000\ln(2)$$

$$n! = \prod_{i=1}^n i$$

$$\ln(n!) = \sum_{i=1}^n \ln i \quad \text{no don up... but } 2n \text{ operations!}$$

$$n! \approx \sqrt{2\pi n} \left(\frac{n}{e}\right)^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(n!) \approx \frac{1}{2} \ln(2\pi) + \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right) \ln(n) - n$$

$$\ln(p) = \frac{1}{2} \ln(2\pi) + 1000.5 \ln(1000) - 1000 - \ln(2\pi) - 500.5 \ln(500) + 500 - 1000 \ln(2) = -3.6798$$

$$\Rightarrow p = e^{-3.6798} = .0252$$

A people & chairs $n = \{J, B, M, D\}$

How many ways to order them? $\# P_2 = \frac{n!}{2!} = 12$

What if we don't care about order?

$$\frac{\# P_2}{2!} = \frac{n!}{2! \cdot 2!} = \frac{n!}{2! \cdot 2!} = \frac{24}{2 \cdot 2} = 6$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \{J, B\}, \{J, M\}, \{J, D\} \\ \{B, M\}, \{B, D\}, \{M, D\} \end{array} \right\}$$

division
where
don't care
about

combinations of n people taken 2 at a time
combinations of n ~~objects~~ objects taken k at a time

$$nC_k := \frac{n P_k}{k!} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)! k!}, \quad \binom{n}{k} := n C_k$$

for set A , let
 $S \subseteq A, |S|=k$

$$C_{A,k} := \{B: B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B|=k\}$$

$$\binom{n}{k}_A = |C_{A,k}|$$

hmm I'll use "choose notation"
"n choose k"

52 cards in a deck.

$$R = \{A, 2, \dots, K\}$$

$$S = \{S, H, C, D\}$$

$$\Omega = R \times S$$

5-card from poker $|\Omega| = \binom{52}{5}$
order doesn't matter

Shuffled randomly...
each comb.
equally likely

$$P(\text{Royal Flush}) = \frac{|\text{Royal Flush}|}{|\Omega|}$$

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Identities

Trivialities

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!} = \frac{n(n-1)!}{(n-k)!k!}$$

$$= \frac{(n-1)! \cdot n}{(n-k)!k!}$$

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

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!}$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)!}{(n-k)!k(k-1)!}$$

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

$$(n-1) - (k-1)$$

$$\textcircled{1} \binom{n}{1} = \frac{n!}{(n-1)!1!} = n$$

$$\textcircled{2} \binom{n}{n-1} = \frac{n!}{(n(n-1)!)1!} = n$$

$$\textcircled{3} \binom{n}{n} = 1$$

$$\textcircled{4} \binom{n}{0} = 1$$

$$\textcircled{5} \binom{n}{n-k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \binom{n}{k}$$

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!} = \frac{n! \cdot (n-k+1)}{(n-k+1)(n-k)!k!}$$

$$= \frac{n!}{(n-k+1)!(k-1)!} \cdot \frac{(n-k+1)}{k}$$

$$= \binom{n}{k-1} \frac{(n-k+1)}{k}$$

