

ways to sample k objects out of a set of n objects without replacement?

"permutations" $n P_k = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!} = (n)(n-1) \cdots (n-k+1)$

B, J, R, S, C, M

Chairs in a circle and you don't care which chair is first

B J
H H
H^c
H^M H^S

How many ways to seat?

$$\frac{6!}{6} = 6$$

principle of dividing out the invariable

$\langle B, J, R, S, M, C \rangle$
 $\langle C, B, J, R, S, M \rangle$
 $\langle M, C, B, J, R, S \rangle$
 $\langle S, M, C, B, J, R \rangle$
 $\langle R, S, M, C, B, J \rangle$
 $\langle J, R, S, M, C, B \rangle$

"collapsible set"

Imagine a basket of 5 flowers: 3 $\langle O_1, O_2, O_3 \rangle$ and 2 chrysanthemums $\{X_1, X_2\}$

How many ways to place them in 5 pots? $5! = 120$

" " " " " if each orchid is "not unique"/"indistinguishable"/"indistinct" and each chrysanthemum is indistinct? $\frac{5!}{3!} = 20$

$$P(4H \text{ in } 10 \text{ coin tosses}) = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{10!}{4!6!} = \frac{10!}{2! \cdot 1024} \approx 0.205$$

How many ways to order 10 flips? $10!$

4H, 6T

$\{B, J, R\}$ $\langle B, J, R \rangle, \langle B, R, J \rangle, \langle R, B, J \rangle, \langle R, J, B \rangle, \langle J, B, R \rangle, \langle J, R, B \rangle$

$\{B, J, R, S, C, M\}$

1 How many ways to order than 6 chairs? $6!$
 2 " " " " 3 chairs? $6P_3$
 3 " " " " " such that the order (of these 3) does not matter? $\frac{6P_3}{3!} = \frac{6P_3}{2!} = \frac{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4}{3 \cdot 2} = 20$

How many ways to seat in 4 chairs, such that order does not matter?

$$\frac{6P_4}{4!} = \frac{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2} = 15$$

How many ways to sample K items out of a set of n without replacement s.t. order does not matter?

$$\binom{n}{K} := \frac{nPK}{KPK} = \frac{nPK}{K!} = \frac{n!}{(n-K)!K!}$$

combinations "choose"

Combinatorial Identities

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

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

$$\textcircled{5} \binom{n}{n} = 1$$

$$\textcircled{3} \binom{n}{K} = \binom{n}{n-K} = \frac{n!}{\underbrace{(n-(n-K))!}_{K!}(n-K)!}$$

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

B, J, R, S, M, C

2 WAYS TO APPROACH THIS

you seat 4 people randomly

① NOT ORDERED

What is the prob. Jane is seated?

② ORDERED

$$\textcircled{1} P(A) = \frac{|A|}{|S|} = \frac{\binom{5}{3}}{\binom{6}{4}} = \frac{2}{3} \quad \left\{ \underbrace{B, R, S, M, C}_{5 \text{ options}}, \underbrace{J, _, _, _}_{3 \text{ chairs}} \right\}$$

$$\textcircled{2} P(A) = \frac{4(5P_3)}{6P_4} = \frac{4(5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3)}{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

chair #	J	S	M	C
1	S	J	M	C
2	S	M	J	C
3	S	M	C	J

$$2^A = \{B : B \subseteq A\}$$

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

$$= \{B : B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B| = 0\} \cup \{B : B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B| = 1\} \cup \{B : B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B| = 2\} \cup \{B : B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B| = 3\}$$

$$2^A = \{\underbrace{\emptyset}_{\text{size 0}}, \underbrace{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}}_{\text{size 1}}, \underbrace{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}}_{\text{size 2}}, \underbrace{A}_{\text{size 3}}\}$$

mutually exclusive & collectively exhaustive.

$$|A| = n$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^n = |2^A| &= |\{B: B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B|=0\}| + \dots + |\{B: B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B|=n\}| \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n |\{B: B \subseteq A \text{ \& } |B|=i\}| = \boxed{\sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} = 2^n} \end{aligned}$$

$$(a+b)^2 = (a+b)(a+b) = \underbrace{a^2 + ab + ba + b^2}_{4 \text{ terms}} = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$(a+b)^3 = (a+b)(a+b)(a+b) = \underbrace{\hspace{2cm}}_{8 \text{ terms}} = a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + b^3$$

$$(a+b)^n = \underbrace{\hspace{2cm}}_{\substack{2^n \\ \text{TERMS}}} = \binom{n}{n} a^n b^0 + \binom{n}{n-1} a^{n-1} b^1 + \dots + \binom{n}{2} a^2 b^{n-2} + \binom{n}{1} a^1 b^{n-1} + \binom{n}{0} a^0 b^n$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} a^i b^{n-i} \quad \text{Binomial Theorem}$$

↳ Binomial Coefficient