



Permutations Ex 16.3 Q27

Total number of boys = 6

Total number of girls = 5

Now,

Five girls can sit on chairs in a row in ${}^5P_5 = 5!$ ways.

and 6 boys can stand behind them in a row in ${}^6P_6 = 6!$ ways.

Hence, the total number of ways

$$= 5! \times 6!$$

$$= 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$= 120 \times 720$$

$$= 86400$$

Permutations Ex 16.3 Q28

'a' denotes the number of permutations of $(x+2)$ things taken all at a time.

$$\therefore a = {}^{x+2}P_{x+2}$$

'b' is the number of permutations of x things taken 11 at a time.

$$\therefore b = {}^xP_{11}$$

and, C is the number of permutations of $x-11$ things taken all at a time.

$$\therefore C = {}^{x-11}P_{x-11}$$

Now,

$$a = 182bc \quad [\text{given}]$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^{x+2}P_{x+2} = 182 \times {}^xP_{11} \times {}^{x-11}P_{x-11}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)! = 182 \times \frac{x!}{(x-11)!} \times (x-11)!$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \therefore {}^nP_n = n! \\ \text{and } {}^nP_r = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)! = 182 \times x!$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)(x+1)x! = 182 \times x!$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2)(x+1) = 182$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + x + 2x + 2 = 182$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3x + 2 - 182 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 3x - 180 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 15x - 12x - 180 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x(x+15) - 12(x+15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-12)(x+15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x-12 = 0 \quad [\because x \neq -15]$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 12$$

Hence, $x = 12$

Permutations Ex 16.3 Q29

There are 9 ways to pick the 1st digit.

For each of those 9 ways there are 8 ways to choose the second digit.
That's 9×8 or 72 ways to pick the first two digits.

For each of those 72 ways there are 7 ways to choose the third digit.
That's 72×7 ways or 504 ways to pick all three digits.

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