

CSC 2259 master guide (-to midterm)

Divider 1

- discrete vs non-discrete (continuous)
- syntax tree \rightarrow
- most efficient bin code:
 - if $(x < y)$ min = x_i } 1 test, 1 assignment.
 - else min = y_i
- pasral's triangle: $(x+y)^n \rightarrow$ binomial theorem

row 0	1
row 1	1 1
row 2	1 2 1
row 3	1 3 3 1
- definition of choose

$$C(5,2) = \binom{5}{2} = \frac{5!}{2!3!} \quad C(n,m) = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-m+1)}{m!(n-m)!} = \frac{n!}{m!(n-m)!}$$

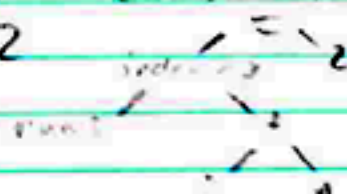
Divider 2

- $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\}$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{m-1}\} \\ \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{m-2}, x_m\} \\ \vdots \\ \{x_1, x_3, \dots, x_m\} \\ \{x_2, x_3, \dots, x_m\} \end{array} \right\}$
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total # lines = $n \cdot C(n, m) = (n-m+1) \cdot C(n, m-1)$

$C(n, m) = C(n, m-1) \cdot \frac{n-m+1}{m}$

- Nums[i+1] = 2



- Structures - how different pieces relate to each other
- $C(n, m) = \#$ of ways of choosing m items out of n items
- symmetric property: $\binom{n}{m} = \binom{n}{n-m}$
- $\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} = \binom{n}{0} + \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + \dots + \binom{n}{n} = 2^n$
- example of recursive proof
 $\{a, b, c, d, e\} = n$

$\{a, b\}$	$\{b, c\}$	$\{c, d\}$	$\{d, e\}$	$\{a\}$	$\{d\}$
$\{a, c\}$	$\{b, d\}$	$\{c, e\}$		$\{b\}$	$\{e\}$
$\{a, d\}$	$\{b, e\}$			$\{c\}$	
$\{a, e\}$					

(10) (5)

connecting these two sets: $2 \times 10 = 4 \times 5$

- non-recursive proof (via recursive)

$$C(n, 1) = C(n, 0) \times \frac{n-0}{1} = C(n, 0) \times n = n$$

$$C(n, 2) = C(n, 1) \times \frac{n-1}{2} = n \times \frac{n-1}{2}$$

$$C(n, 3) = C(n, 2) \times \frac{n-2}{3} = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{3 \times 2 \times 1}$$

$$C(n, m) = C(n, m-1) \times \frac{n-m+1}{m}$$

$$= C(n, m-2) \times \frac{n-m+1}{m-1} \times \frac{n-m+1}{m}$$

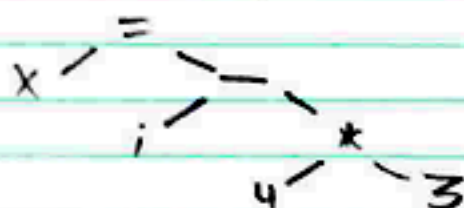
$$= C(n, m-3) \times \frac{n-m+3}{m-2} \times \frac{n-m+2}{m-1} \times \frac{n-m+1}{m}$$

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$$= C(n, 0) \times \frac{n}{1} \times \frac{n-1}{2} \times \dots \times \frac{n-m+3}{m-2} \times \frac{n-m+2}{m-1} \times \frac{n-m+1}{m}$$

$$= \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-m+1)}{m(m-1)(m-2)\dots 1} = (2)$$

- $x = i - 4 \times 3$



Divider 3

- for recursive proof.
 - #(m -subsets) connect #($(m-1)$ -subsets)

- recurse code

```
int[] c = new int[n+1],
c[0] = 1,
c[1] = n;
for (int m=2; m<=n; m++)
    c[m] = (c[m-1] * (n-m+1)) / m;
```

#(x/-) = 2 > # (anti) = 5
(+/-) = 3
(ass.) = 1
(iterat.) = $n-1$
total = $(n-1)(6)$

- don't use curly brackets when unnecessary
- non-recursive code

```
for (int m=2; m<=n; m++)
{
    int top = n, bottom = m;
    for (int i=2; i<=m; i++)
    {
        top *= (n-i+1);
        bottom *= (m-i+1);
    }
    c[m] = top / bottom;
}
```

(ope./it. in i-loop) = 8
(it. of i-loop) = $m-1$
total for m: $(m-1)(8(n-1)+4)$
total for i-loop: $8n(n-1)$
mistake ——— T

$$8(2n)+4+8(3-1)+4+\dots+8(n-1)+4$$

$$4(n-1)+8(1+2+2+\dots+n-1)$$

$$= 4(n-1)+8\left(\frac{n(n-1)}{2}\right) = 4(n-1)+4(n-1)(n)$$

$$= 4(n-1)(1+n) = 4(n^2-1) \quad [4(n^2-1) \text{ vs } 6(n-1)]$$

- non-recursive uses much more computation

Divider 4

- \cup - union, \cap - intersection, $A \cap B = \emptyset$ means disjoint
- x^c - complement, $|x|$ - size/cardinality, $\bar{x} = x^c$
- $|x| = m$, $|x^c| = n-m$, $\{a, b, c\} = \{a, b, c\}^c$
- x and x^c has a 1-1 and onto relationship
- pascal triangle property: $\binom{n}{m} = \binom{n-1}{m-1} + \binom{n-1}{m}$
ex: $\binom{5}{2} = \binom{4}{1} + \binom{4}{2}$

- $\{a, b, c\}$
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 $\{b, c, e\}$
 $\{b, d, e\}$
 $\{c, d, e\}$

idea of

$$C(n, m) = C(n-1, m-1) + C(n-1, m)$$

with

$$C(5, 3) = C(4, 2) + C(4, 3)$$

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int top = n, bot = m;
for (int i = 1; i < m; i++)
{
 top = n - i;
 bot = i;
}

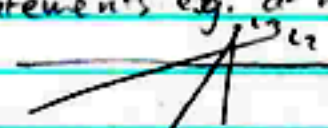
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efficient

$C(n, m)$  code

- disprove  $C(m) = (n-m+1)/m * C(m-1)$   
 $C(6, 2) \checkmark$
- for  $n=6, m=4$ , show links given these 2:  
 $\{2, 1, 6\}$   $\{2, 3\}$   
 $\{2, 3, 6\}$   $\{2, 6\}$   
 $\{2, 4, 6\}$   $\{3, 6\}$   
 $\{2, 5, 6\}$

### Divider 5

- box problem: box has 10 fruits. 7 sour. 6 big.  
 • types of statements: e.g. "at most 6 are sour & big", "3 are not sour"
- line problem  max # intersection points  
 - any 3  $C(n, 2)$   
 mutually intersecting lines form a  $\Delta$   
 - if there are actually 2 lines then an intersection point  
 - why can't  $C(6, 3)$  triangles? 1 points not joined by any lines  
2  $3 \geq$  collinear points

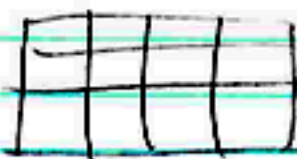


- grid problem

- mississippi method

- leandro's casework

#(ways with 0 turns) ... and so on



this is a "4 by 5" grid according to leandro

- binary strings

- $00001^c = 11110$

basically another  $C(n, m)$  type deal

Divider 6

- binary string (cont.)

- binary strings of an even length  $n = C(n, m)$

- all binary strings of size  $n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} = 2^n$

- proving  $\sum \binom{n}{k} = 2^n$  via binary strings

- structural property

ex: - recursive def of  $\binom{n}{m}$

$$- \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} = 2^n$$

- symmetry, prop of  $\binom{n}{m}$

- pascal

proving  $\sum \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + \dots = 2^n$

not: - non-recursive def of  $\binom{n}{m}$

using  $\binom{n}{m} =$

- ? refer to 02/04/26 notes, ★

some bullshit about adding odd terms

$\binom{n-1}{m-1} +$

$\binom{n-1}{m}$

- $\sum \binom{n}{k}$  for odds  $= 2^{n-1}$

$\sum \binom{n}{k}$  for even  $= 2^{n-1} > 2^n$

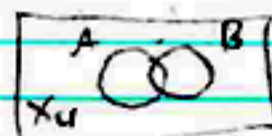
- br prob (cont)

- # ways to use 4R-moves in 7-moves  $C(7, 4)$

- # paths from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(n-1, m-1)$  is  $C(m-1+n-1, m-1)$

- another odd term BS

Divider 7



$x_u$ : items not in A and not in B  
neither in A nor B

- $S = \{a, g\}, A = \{a, d\}$

#(subsets of  $A^c$ ) =  $2^3 = 8$

#(subsets of  $S$  but not of  $A$ ) =  $2^7 - 2^4 = 112$

or the  $2^4(2^3 - 1)$  iden

- demorgan's law  
 $(A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c$   
 $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$

$\downarrow$   $\begin{matrix} \binom{4}{0}(2^3-1) \\ \binom{4}{1}(2^3-1) \\ \vdots \\ \binom{4}{4}(2^3-1) \end{matrix} \left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} \binom{4}{0}(2^3-1) \\ \binom{4}{1}(2^3-1) \\ \vdots \\ \binom{4}{4}(2^3-1) \end{matrix}} \right\} 2^4(2^3-1)$

- clout problem

$\left[ \begin{matrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 \\ \text{Y} & \text{N} & \text{N} & \text{N} \end{matrix} \right]$

$A \setminus B$   
all A, no B  
 $B \setminus A$

$\begin{matrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 \\ \text{Y} & \text{N} & \text{N} & \text{N} \\ \text{Y} & \text{Y} & \text{N} & \text{N} \\ \text{N} & \text{Y} & \text{N} & \text{N} \end{matrix}$

- this thing

Divider 9

- max # fruit in basket that are big and small with  $b, s$

min # fruit in basket that are big and small =  $\max(0, b - F + S)$

- $n \cdot C(n, n)$

- $0 \cdot \binom{n}{0} + 1 \cdot \binom{n}{1} + 2 \cdot \binom{n}{2} + \dots + n \cdot \binom{n}{n} = n \cdot 2^{n-1}$

$\equiv$  # (items in  $S$ )  $\cdot$  # (subsets of  $S$  containing a given item)

$= n \cdot 2^{n-1}$

- $\text{int}[3] c = \text{new int}[n+1];$

$c[0] = 1;$

for (int  $m = 1; m \leq n; m++$ )

$c[m] = (c[m-1] * (n - m + 1)) / m;$

Divider 9

I have something that I want  $H \cap W \neq \emptyset$

I have everything that I want  $H \supseteq W$

I have nothing that I want.  $H \cap W = \emptyset$

$W^c \subseteq H^c$

$|H| = |W|$  vs  $H = W$



$$|H|=0, \#(W's) = 16$$

$$|H|=1, \#(W's) = 8$$

$$|H|=2, \#(W's) = 4$$

$$|H|=3, \#(W's) = 2$$

$$|H|=4, \#(W's) = 1$$

$$\sum_{m=0}^n C(n,m) x^{n-m} y^m$$

# (ways of choosing  $H, W$ )  
such  $H=W$

$H$  and  $W$  such that  $H \subseteq W$

$$\sum_{m=0}^n \#(H \text{ of size } m) \cdot \#(W \text{ containing } H) = \sum_{m=0}^n C(n,m) \cdot 2^{n-m} = (2+1)^n = 3^n$$

•  $H[i] > W[i] \Leftrightarrow$  efficient

```
for (int i=0; i<n; i++)
 if (H[i] > W[i])
 return (false);
return (true);
```

Divisor (C)

Suppose there are 4 things.  
always choose  $H, W$  such  $H=W$ ?

such  $H \subseteq W$  knowing  $|H|$ ?  
such  $H \subseteq W$

$$\#(W \supseteq H \text{ where } |H|=m) = C(n,m) \cdot 2^{n-m}$$

$$\#(C(H,W) \text{-pairs such that } H \subseteq W) = 3^n$$

all cases

#(cases)

always

iteration

all oranges

#boxes

• code to test  $H=W$  test iteratively

• proof for  $1 \cdot 2 \cdot 4^{n-1} + 2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 4^{n-2} + \dots + n \cdot 2^{n-1} \cdot n \cdot 2^n$  (for  $H=W$  first)

•  $1 \cdot 4^{n-1} + 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4^{n-2} + 3 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 4^{n-3} + \dots + n \cdot 3^{n-1} + n \cdot 3^n / 4^n = 4(1 - (\frac{3}{4})^n)$

Divide  $H$

$$H \Delta W = W \Delta H = (H \setminus W) \cup (W \setminus H)$$