

Combinatorics Review 2 Answers

6.15a) 1,854

6.25) $6! - 8(5!) + 20(4!) - 20(3!) + 7(2!)$

6.26) $6! - 9(5!) + 26(4!) - 26(3!) + 8(2!) - 0(1!)$

7.13) a) $\frac{1}{(1 - cx)}$

b) $\frac{1}{(1 + x)}$

c) $(1 - x)^\alpha$ for α a positive integer.

d) e^x

e) e^{-x}

7.19) $\frac{x^2}{(1 - x)^3}$

7.20) $\frac{x^3}{(1 - x)^4}$

7.14) a) $\frac{x^4}{(1 - x^2)^4}$

b) $\frac{1}{(1 - x^3)^4}$

c) $\frac{1 + x}{(1 - x)^2}$

d) $\frac{(x + x^3 + x^{11})(x^2 + x^4 + x^5)}{(1 - x)^2}$

e) $\left(\frac{1}{1 - x} - (1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + x^5 + x^6 + x^7 + x^8 + x^9) \right)^4$

7.17) $\frac{1}{1 - x^2}(1 + x + x^2) \frac{1}{1 - x^3}(1 + x); h_n = n + 1$

7.18) $\frac{1}{(1 - x^2)(1 - x^5)(1 - x)(1 - x^7)}$

7.24) a) $\left(\frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2} \right)^k$

b) $\left(e^x - 1 - x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{6} \right)^k$

c) skip this one!

d) skip this one too!

7.25) $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}(e^{4x} - 1); \begin{cases} 4^{n-1} & n \geq 1 \\ 0 & n = 0 \end{cases}$

7.27) $\frac{5^n}{4} - 4^n + \frac{3}{2}(3^n) - 2^n + \frac{1}{4}$

7.28) $\frac{5^n}{2} - 4^n + 3^n - 2^n + \frac{1}{2}$

$$7.48 \text{ a) } \begin{cases} 4^{(n-1)/2} & n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

b) $\frac{1+2x}{1-x-x^2}$ (Stop here; the formula isn't too hard to find, but tedious...you start by factoring the denominator but you have to use the quadratic formula and get lots of $\sqrt{5}$ terms.)

$$\text{c) } \frac{1}{12}(-3 + 4(3^n) - (-3)^n)$$

$$\text{e) } \frac{14}{9} - \frac{2}{3}(n+1) + \frac{1}{9}(-2)^n$$

$$7.51) \frac{2}{(1-3x)} - \frac{4x}{(1-x)^2(1-3x)} \text{ (The o.g.f is good enough for this one.)}$$

11.11) Left to right the graphs are A, B, C, D . We have $A \cong C$, and no other isomorphism. We prove this by numbering the nodes 1-4 (shown in class and on the review) and give the isomorphism $f : A \rightarrow C$ by:

$$f(1) = 1; \quad f(2) = 4; \quad f(3) = 3; \quad f(4) = 2$$

We have $A \not\cong B$ by finding their degree sequences: $\deg.seq.(A) = (5, 3, 2, 2) \neq \deg.seq.(B) = (4, 3, 3, 2)$. We have $A \not\cong D$ by finding the number of edges: $|E(A)| = 6 \neq |E(D)| = 7$.

From the drawing on the review of graph G :

$$\deg.seq.(G) = (3, 3, 3, 3, 2, 2)$$

$$diam.(G) = 2$$

1, 2, 4, 2, 7, 6 is not a walk, and thus not a path.

5, 4, 5, 6, 5, 2, 5 is a walk, but is not a trail.

1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1 is a trail and is a cycle.

5, 4, 2, 5, 6, 7, 4, 5 is not a cycle, and not a trail.