## Math 55, Handout 21.

## INCLUSION-EXCLUSION.

The Principle of Inclusion-Exclusion. Let  $A_1, A_2, ..., A_n$  be finite sets. Then

$$|A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \ldots \cup A_n| = \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_i| - \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_i| - \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_i| - \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_i| - \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_i| + \ldots + (-1)^{m-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} |A_{i1} \cap A_{i2} \cap \ldots \cap A_{im}|$$

- Q1. Find the cardinality of  $A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3$  if there are 100 elements in each set and
  - (a) the sets are pairwise disjoint: |100 + 100 = 300
  - (b) there are 50 common elements in each pair of sets and no elements in all three sets: 100+100+100-50-50-50-50=150
- Q2. Find the probability that when four numbers from 1 to 100, inclusive, are picked at random with no repetitions allowed, all are odd, all are divisible by 3, or all are divisible by 5.

$$S = \text{ the set of all } \text{ y element sets consisting of } \#s \text{ -from } 1-100 = \binom{100}{4}$$

$$\frac{|A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3|}{|S|} = \frac{\binom{50}{4} + \binom{33}{4} + \binom{20}{4} - \binom{17}{4} \cdot \binom{10}{4} + 0}{\binom{100}{4}} = \boxed{0.07}$$

## Alternative Form of Inclusion-Exclusion.

Let U be a universal finite set of cardinality N, and let  $A_i$  denote its subset of elements satisfying

Let  $N(A_{i_1}, A_{i_1} ... A_{i_k})$  denote the number of elements of U satisfying properties  $P_{i_1}, P_{i_2}, ..., P_{i_k}$ .

Let  $\mathbb{N}(A_{l_1}, A_{i_1}, A_{i_2}, A_{i_k})$  denote the number of elements of U satisfying none of the properties  $P_{i_1}, P_{i_2}, \ldots, P_{i_k}$ .

Then 
$$N(P'_1 \dots P'_n) = \mathbb{N} - \sum_{i} \mathbb{N}(A_i) + \sum_{i \in I} \mathbb{N}(A_i A_i) - \dots + (-1)^n \mathbb{N}(A_1 A_2 \dots A_n)$$

Q3. How many primes are there not exceeding 120?

Q4. How many onto functions are there from a set with 5 elements to a set with 3 elements?

**Theorem.** Let  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $m \ge n$ . Then there are  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ 

onto functions from a set with m element to a set with n elements.

## DERANGEMENTS.

A derangement is a permutation of objects that leave no expect in place

Q5. What is the probability that none of the 10 employees receives the correct hat if a hatcheck person hands their hats back randomly?

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$$D_{10} = \{0\} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} - \dots | |0| \right) = |33496|$$

$$\frac{|33496|}{|0|} = \frac{|33496|}{3628800} = 0.37$$

The number of derangements. The number of derangements of a set with n elements is

$$D_n = \prod_{i=1}^{n} \left( \left[ -\frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} - \dots + \frac{(-1)^n}{n!} \right] \right)$$