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Theorem of circular permutation

The total number of permutation of set of 'n' objects arranged in a circle is (n - 1)!

Derivation of expression of permutation of objects in a circle

· n objects

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$$a_1, a_2, a_3...a_n$$

- For every arrangement in circle, n arrangements in a line
- · Permutation of 'n' objects at a circle as P.

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$$nP = n!$$

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$$P = \frac{n!}{n}$$

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

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$$P = (n-1)!$$

Expression of permutation of objects in a circle

$$P = (n-1)!$$

Expression of permutation of objects in a circle when clockwise and anti clockwise positions are not considered

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

Expression of permutation of objects in a circle when a position of seat is fixed

$$P = n!$$