

1. (a) Pick Thousands, Hundreds, Tens, Units digits in that order:  $9 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 = 4536$

(b) Pick units, thousands. hundred, tens digits in that order:  $5 \times 8 \times 8 \times 7 = 2240$

(c) Pick the thousands, units, hundreds and tens digit in that order. There are two cases: 1st digit is 5, 7 or 9 and 1st digit is 6 or 8: Ans  $3 \times 4 \times 8 \times 7 + 2 \times 5 \times 8 \times 7 = 1232$ .

Alt: Pick the units, thousands, hundreds and tens digits in that order. There are 2 cases:

(i) unit digit is 1, 3 and (ii) unit digit is 5, 7, 9. Thus ans:  $2 \times 5 \times 8 \times 7 + 3 \times 4 \times 8 \times 7$ .

2. First arrange the women ( $10!$  ways) and then insert the men ( $\binom{11}{6}6!$  ways). Answer:  $10! \times 6! \times \binom{11}{6}$ .

3. By the multiplication rule, the number of strings with no adjacent letters the same is  $4 \times 3 \times \dots \times 3 = 4 \times 3^{n-1}$ . Thus the ans is  $4^n - 4 \times 3^{n-1}$ .

4. The answer is not affected by the inclusion of 0 in the universe. Let the universe be integers from 0 through 999999.  $|A_i| = 9^6$ ,  $|A_i \cap A_j| = 8^6$  and  $|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3| = 7^6$ .

Thus  $|A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3| = 3 \times 9^6 - 3 \times 8^6 + 7^6$ . So the answer is  $10^6 - (3 \times 9^6 - 3 \times 8^6 + 7^6) = 74460$ .

5. (a) Either both are odd or both are even:  $\binom{50}{2} + \binom{50}{2} = 2450$  (b) one odd and one even:  $\binom{50}{1} \times \binom{50}{1} = 2500$ . Alt:  $\binom{100}{2} - \left( \binom{50}{2} + \binom{50}{2} \right) = 2500$ .

6. (a) Case 1: 3 even. First method: (i) 3 identical numbers:  $\binom{50}{1}$ ; (ii) 2 identical numbers: first choose 2 numbers say  $a, b$  and there are 2 ways to form triples  $a, a, b$  or  $a, b, b$ . So the number of ways is  $2\binom{50}{2}$ . (iii) 3 distinct numbers:  $\binom{50}{3}$ . so the answer is  $\binom{50}{1} + 2\binom{50}{2} + \binom{50}{3} = 22100$ .

Second method: This is equivalent to choosing 3 numbers, with repetitions allowed, from 50 even numbers. The answer is  $\binom{50+2}{3}$ .

Case 2: 2 odd 1 even.  $\binom{50}{1} \left( \binom{50}{1} + \binom{50}{2} \right) = 63750$ . Thus  $ans = 22100 + 63750 = 85850$

(b) 3 odd or 1 odd 2 even. Same answer.

7. One of the elements, say  $x$ , in  $Y$  has 2 preimages while the rest have 1 preimage each. There are  $\binom{5}{2} = 10$  ways to choose the two images for  $x$  and 4 ways to choose  $x$ . Thereafter, there are  $3!$  ways to assign the preimages for the other elements of  $Y$ . Thus the answer is  $10 \times 4 \times 6 = 240$ .

8. Represent each number chosen by 1 and not chosen by 0. Then each choice is represented by a bit string of length 100 with exactly five 1 bits that are not consecutive. Such a bit string can be formed by placing 95 0 bits in a row and inserting the 1 bits into the 96 spaces created by the 0s. Thus the required ans is  $\binom{96}{5}$ .

9.  $A$ : multiples of 2,  $B$ : multiples of 9. (a)  $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B| - |A \cap B| = 500 + 111 - 55 = 556$ .

(b)  $|\overline{(A \cup B)}| = 1000 - 556 = 444$ .