

Exercise 8.1

#6

a/

19 item 3 divider

$$C(19-1+4,3)=1540$$

b/

$S=1549$ ways that all $x \geq 0$

S_1 : one solution ≥ 8

Assume x_1 is the one ≥ 8 , let $y_1 = x_1 - 8 \geq 0$

Then $y_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 11$

$$4 \cdot C(11-1+4,3) = 1456 \quad // \text{ 4 is } N(x_1) + N(x_2) + N(x_3) + N(x_4)$$

S_2 : two solution ≥ 8

$$Y_1 + Y_2 + X_3 + X_4 = 3$$

$$6 \cdot C(3-1+4,3) = 120 \quad // \text{ 6 is } x_1x_2 \quad x_1x_3 \quad x_1x_4 \quad x_2x_3 \quad x_2x_4 \quad x_3x_4$$

$$N(\overline{x_1x_2x_3x_4}) = 1540 - 1456 + 120 = 204$$

c/ let $y_3 = x_3 - 3$ $y_4 = x_4 - 3$, then $y_3 \leq 4$, $y_4 \leq 5$

then the question becomes

$$X_1 + X_2 + Y_3 + Y_4 = 13$$

$$S = C(13+4-1,3) = 560$$

For S_1 ,

$$N(x_1) = C(7-1+4,7) = 120 \quad // \text{ } x_1 \geq 6 \quad y_1 = x_1 - 6 \geq 0 \quad y_1 + x_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 7$$

$$N(x_2) = C(6-1+4,6) = 84$$

$$N(x_3) = C(8-1+4,8) = 165$$

$$N(x_4) = C(7-1+4,7) = 120$$

$$S_1 = 120 + 84 + 165 + 120 = 489$$

For S_2

$$N(x_1x_2) = 1 \quad // \text{ } X_1 \geq 6, X_2 \geq 7$$

$$N(X_1X_3) = C(2-1+4,2) = 10 \quad // \text{ } X_1 \geq 6, Y_3 \geq 5$$

$$N(X_1X_4) = C(1-1+4,1) = 4 \quad // \text{ } X_1 \geq 6, Y_4 \geq 6$$

$$N(X_2X_3) = C(1-1+4,1) = 4$$

$$N(X_2X_4) = 1$$

$$N(X_3X_4) = C(2-1+4,2) = 10$$

$$S_2 = 1 + 10 + 4 + 4 + 1 + 10 = 30$$

$$N(\overline{x_1x_2x_3x_4}) = 560 - 489 + 30 = 101$$

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Every question is $5k$, where $k \geq 1$

Assume $y_i = x_i/5$

Then the question become

$$Y_1 + Y_2 + \dots + Y_{12} = 40 \quad \text{where } 2 \leq y_i \leq 5$$

Then Assume $Z_i = Y_i - 2$

$$Z_1 + Z_2 + \dots + Z_{12} = 16 \quad \text{where } 0 \leq z_i \leq 3$$

$$S = C(16-1+12, 16) = 13037895$$

$$\text{One } z_i \geq 4, \quad C(12, 1) * C(12-1+12, 12) = 16224936$$

$$\text{Two } z_i \geq 4 \quad C(12, 2) * C(8-1+12, 8) = 4988412$$

$$\text{Three } z_i \geq 4 \quad C(12, 3) * C(4-1+12, 4) = 300300$$

$$4z_i \geq 4 \quad C(12, 4) * C(0-1+12, 0) = 495$$

$$N(\overline{x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4}) = 13037895 - 16224936 + 4988412 - 300300 + 495 = 1501566$$

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$$S = 84$$

$$S_1 = C(7, 1) * 35 = 245 \quad // C(n_1) + C(n_2) + \dots + C(n_7)$$

$$S_2 = C(7, 2) * 16 = 336$$

$$S_3 = C(7, 3) * 8 = 280$$

$$S_4 = C(7, 4) * 4 = 140$$

$$S_5 = C(7, 5) * 2 = 42$$

$$S_6 = C(7, 6) * 1 = 7$$

$$S_7 = 0$$

$$N(\overline{x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 x_5 x_6 x_7}) = 84 - 245 + 336 - 280 + 140 - 42 + 7 = 0$$

So she never had lunch alone

Exercise 8.2

#2

a/

S2

Let a pair of letter such as AA be a new type

Then $S2 = C(4,2) \cdot 9!/2!2! = 544320$ // For $C(4,2)$, pick 2 kinds of consecutive letters from 4.

For $9!/2!2!$, this is permutation of different kinds of same item (sequence important), there are still 2 groups of repetitive letters (size is 2).

$$S3 = C(4,3) \cdot 8!/2! = 80640$$

$$S4 = C(4,4) \cdot 7! = 5040$$

$$E2 = S2 - C(3,1)S3 + C(4,2)S4 = 332640$$

$$L2 = S2 - C(2,1)S3 + C(3,1)S4 = 398160$$

b/

$$E3 = S3 - C(4,1)S4 = 80640 - 4 \cdot 5040 = 60480$$

$$L3 = S3 - C(3,2)S4 = 65520$$

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S4: 4 at right place, then permutation the rest 6 $P(6, 6)$

S5: $P(5, 5)$

S6: $P(4,4)$

.....

$$\begin{aligned} E4 &= S4 - C(5, 1) \cdot S5 + C(6,2) \cdot S6 - C(7,3) \cdot S7 + C(8,4) \cdot S8 - C(9,5) \cdot S9 + C(10,6) \cdot S10 \\ &= 6! - 5 \cdot 5! + 15 \cdot 4! - 35 \cdot 3! + 70 \cdot 2! - 126 \cdot 1! + 210 \\ &= 494 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L4 &= S4 - C(4, 3) \cdot S5 + C(5, 3) \cdot S6 - C(6,3) \cdot S7 + C(7,3) \cdot S8 - C(8,3) \cdot S9 + C(9,3) \cdot S10 \\ &= 6! - 4 \cdot 5! + 10 \cdot 4! - 20 \cdot 3! + 35 \cdot 2! - 56 \cdot 1! + 84 \\ &= 458 \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 9.1

#2

$a/(1+x+x^2+x^3+\dots)^5$ //1 means this child has no penny x^0

$b/(x+x^2+x^3+\dots)^5$ //

$c/(x^2+x^3+\dots)^5$

$d/(x^{10}+x^{11}+\dots)*(1+x+x^2+\dots)^4$

$e/(x^{10}+x^{11}+\dots)^2*(1+x+x^2+\dots)^3$

Exercise 9.2

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a/Start with 1

Then the palindromes of 11 will be

1 9 1

So the question is in fact the number of palindromes of 9

$$9-2-2-2-2=1>0$$

$$2^4=16$$

272

$$7-2-2-2=1>0$$

$$2^3=8$$

353

$$5-2-2=1>0$$

$$2^2=4$$

434

$$3-2=1>0$$

$$2^1=2$$

So there are 16 palindromes of 11 start with 1, 8 with 2, 4 with 3, 2 with 4

b/

1 10 1

$$10/2=5$$

$$2^5=32$$

2 8 2

$$8/2=4$$

$$2^4=16$$

3 6 3

$$6/2=3$$

$$2^3=8$$

4 4 4

$$4/2=2$$

$$2^2=4$$

So there are 32 palindromes of 12 start with 1, 16 with 2, 8 with 3, 4 with 4

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Step1:

Assume a nonconsecutive example

3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15

Then $3-1=2$, $5-3=2$ $50-15=35$

$2*7+35=49$ //coefficient of x^{49} in step2

Step2:

So we need to assume

C_1 and $C_8 \geq 0$

C_2 to $C_7 \geq 2$ // no consecutive

Generating function

$(1+x+x^2+\dots)^2 * (x^2+x^3+\dots)^6$

$=x^{12} * (1+x+x^2+\dots)^8$

$=x^{12} * (1-x)^{-8}$

We need find the coefficient of x^{49}

Step 3

$$(1-x)^{-8} = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} C(8+i-1, i) * x^i$$

We need to find the coefficient of x^{37}

So $i=37$

$$C(8+37-1, 37) = 44C37 = 38320568$$

Exercise 9.3

#4

a/

$2w=2*k$ which $k \geq 0$, $= 1+k^2+k^4+k^6..$

The rest are same

So the generating function = $(1+k^2+k^4\cdots)(1+k^3+k^6\cdots)(1+k^5+k^{10}\cdots)(1+k^7+k^{14}\cdots)$
 $= (1/(1-k^2)) * (1/(1-k^3)) * (1/(1-k^5)) * (1/(1-k^7))$

b/

the generating function is $(1+k^2+k^4\cdots)(k^{12}+k^{15}+k^{18}\cdots)$
 $* (k^{20}+k^{25}+k^{30}\cdots)(k^{35}+k^{40}\cdots)$
 $= (1+k^2+k^4\cdots) * k^{12} * (1+k^3+\cdots) * k^{20} * (1+k^5+k^{10}\cdots) * k^{35} * (1+k^5+k^{10}\cdots)$
 $= k^{67} * (1/(1-k^2)) * (1/(1-k^3)) * (1/(1-k^5)) * (1/(1-k^7))$

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a/

take 1 for example

1 cannot exceed 5 times means its generating function is

$1+x+x^2+x^3+x^4+x^5$ //1 means x^0

So the generating function is

$(1+x+x^2+x^3+x^4+x^5)(1+x^2+x^4+x^6+x^8+x^{10})\cdots$
 $= [(1-x^6)/(1-x)] * [(1-x^{12})/(1-x^2)] * \cdots [1-x^{(6i)}/(1-x^i)]$

b/ $[(1-x^6)/(1-x)] * [(1-x^{12})/(1-x^2)] * \cdots [1-x^{(6*12)}/(1-x^{12})]$

9.4

#2

a/

$$3e^x = 3(1 + x + (3x)^2/2! + \dots) = 3 + 9x + 27x^2/2! + \dots$$

So the sequence is

$$3, 9, 27, \dots, 3^i$$

b/

$$6(1, 5, 25, \dots) - 3(1, 2, 4, 8, \dots)$$

$$= 6 \cdot 5^i - 3 \cdot 2^i$$

So the sequence is

$$3, 24, \dots, 6 \cdot 5^i - 3 \cdot 2^i$$

c/

$$1 + x + x^2/2! + x^2 + x^3/3! + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x + 3x^2/2! + \dots$$

So the sequence is

$$1, 1, 3, 1, 1, 1, 1$$

d/

$$1 + 2x + 7x + (2x)^2/2! + 5x^2 + 8x^3/3! - 3x^3$$

$$= 1 + 9x + 14x^2/2! - 10x^3/3! + \dots$$

So the sequence is

$$1, 9, 14, -10, 2^4, \dots, 2^i$$

e/

$$1/(1-x) = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 + \dots$$

$$= 1 + 1/1! \cdot x + 2! \cdot x^2/2! + \dots$$

So the sequence is

$$0!, 1!, 2!, 3!, \dots, i!$$

f/

$$3/(1-2x) = 3(1 + 2x + 4x^2 + 8x^3 + \dots) + 1 + x/1! + x^2/2! + \dots$$

$$= 4 + 7x + (3 \cdot 2! \cdot 2^2 + 1) \cdot x^2/2! + \dots$$

So the sequence is

$$4, 7, 25, \dots, 3^i \cdot 2^{i+1}$$

#6

1/

$$2^*A, 2^*I$$

$$(1 + X + X^2/2!)^2 \cdot (1 + X)^2$$

2/

$$4^*I, 4^*S, 2^*P, 1^*M$$

$$(1 + X)(1 + X + X^2/2!)(1 + X + X^2/2! + X^3/3! + X^4/4!)^2$$

3/

$$2^*I, 2^*O, 2^*S, 2^*M, 1^*R, 1^*P, 1^*H$$

$$(1 + X)^3(1 + X + X^2/2!)^4$$

b/

$$(1 + X)(1 + X + X^2/2!)(1 + X + X^2/2! + X^3/3! + X^4/4!) \cdot (X^2/2! + X^3/3! + X^4/4!)$$

10.4

#1

a/

step1:

$$a_{n+1}X^{n+1} - a_nX^{n+1} = 3^n X^{n+1}$$

Step2:

$$\text{Sum: } a_1x - a_0x^1 = 3^1x^1$$

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$$\text{Then: } F(x) - a_0 - x(f(x)) = x/(1-3x)$$

$$(1-x)f(x) - 1 = x/(1-3x)$$

$$F(x) = x/(1-3x)(1-x) + 1/1-x$$

Step3:

$$x/(1-3x)(1-x) = A/(1-3X) + B/(1-X)$$

$$A - AX + B - 3BX = X$$

$$A = -B \quad -2BX = X, B = -0.5, A = 0.5$$

$$\text{Then } F(X) = 0.5/(1-3X) + 0.5/(1-X)$$

Step4;

$$F(X) = 0.5(1+3X+9X^2\cdots) + 0.5(1+X+X^2\cdots)$$

$$\text{Then } a_n = \text{coefficient of } x^n = 0.5 \cdot 3^n + 0.5 = (3^{n+1} + 1)/2$$

b/

step1:

$$a_{n+1}X^{n+1} - a_nX^{n+1} = n^2 X^{n+1}$$

step2:

$$\text{Sum: } a_1x - a_0x^1 = 0$$

...

$$\text{Then: } F(x) - a_0 - x(f(x)) = 0x + 1x^2 + 4x^3 + 9x^4 \cdots$$

$$\text{For } 0x + 1x^2 + 4x^3 + 9x^4 = g(x)$$

$$g(x) - x(g(x)) = 0 + 0x + x^2 + 3x^3 + 5x^4 + 7x^5 + 9x^6 \cdots = h(x)$$

$$\text{For } h(x) = 0 + 0x + x^2 + 3x^3 + 5x^4 + 7x^5 + 9x^6 \cdots$$

$$H(x) - xh(x) = x^2 + 2x^3 + 2x^4 + 2x^5 \cdots$$

$$= x^2(-1 + 2 + 2x + 2x^2 + 2x^3 \cdots)$$

$$= x^2(2/(1-x) - 1)$$

$$= x^2(1 + x/1-x)$$

$$= (x^2 + x^3)/(1-x)$$

$$H(x) = (x^2 + x^3)/(1-x)^2$$

$$G(x) = (x^2 + x^3)/(1-x)^3$$

$$F(x) = (x^2 + x^3)/(1-x)^4 + 1/1-x$$

$$= 4x^2 - 3x + 1/(1-x)^4$$

Then we need to get the coefficient of x^n

Step 3:

$$4x^n C(4+n-2-1, 3) - 3x^n C(4+n-1-1, 3) + 1x^n C(4+n-1, 3)$$

$$A_n = 4(n+1, 3) - 3(n+2, 3) + (n+3, 3)$$

c/

step1:

multiply x^{n+2}

$$a_{n+2}X^{n+2} - 3a_{n+1}X^{n+2} + 2a_nX^{n+2} = 0$$

step2

sum

$$F(n) - a_0 - a_1x - 3x(f(n) - a_0) + 2x^2 * f(n) = 0$$

$$F(n) - 1 - 6x - 3x(f(n) - 1) + 2x^2(f(n)) = 0$$

$$F(n)(1 - 3x + 2x^2) - 1 - 6x + 3x = 0$$

$$F(n) = 3x + 1 / (1 - 3x + 2x^2)$$

$$= (3x + 1) / (2x - 1)(x - 1)$$

Step3:

$$A/2X - 1 + B/X - 1 = (3x + 1) / (2x - 1)(x - 1)$$

$$AX - A + 2BX - B = 3X + 1$$

$$A + 2B = 3, B + A = -1, B = 4, A = -5$$

$$F(n) = 4/x - 1 - 5/(2x - 1) = 5/(1 - 2x) - 4/(1 - x)$$

Step4:

$$F_n = 5(1 + 2x + 4x^2 + \dots) - 4(1 + x + x^2 + \dots)$$

$$A_n = 5 \cdot 2^n - 4$$

d/

step1:

multiply x^{n+2}

$$a_{n+2}X^{n+2} - 2a_{n+1}X^{n+2} + a_nX^{n+2} = 2^n * x^{n+2}$$

step2

sum

$$F(n) - a_0 - a_1x - 2x(f(n) - a_0) + x^2 * f(n) = x^2 / (1 - 2x)$$

$$F(n) - 1 - 2x - 2x(f(n) - 1) + x^2(f(n)) = x^2 / (1 - 2x)$$

$$F(n)(1 - 2x + x^2) - 1 - 2x + 2x = x^2 / (1 - 2x)$$

$$F(n)(1 - 2x + x^2) = (1 - 2x + x^2) / (1 - 2x)$$

$$F(n) = 1 / (1 - 2x)$$

Step3

$$F(n) = 1 + 2x + 4x^2 + 8x^3$$

$$A_n = 2^n$$

#3

a/

step1: multiply x^{n+1}

$$a(n+1) \cdot x^{n+1} = x(-2ax^n - 4bx^n)$$

$$F(x) - a_0 = x(-2f(x) - 4g(x))$$

$$b(n+1)x^{n+1} = x(4ax^n + 6bx^n)$$

$$g(x) - b_0 = x(4f(x) + 6g(x))$$

$$f(x)(1+2x) + 4xg(x) = 1$$

$$f(x)(-4x) + (1-6x)g(x) = 0$$

step2

$$f(x) = \frac{1 - 4x}{0 - 1 - 6x} \div \frac{1+2x}{-4x} = \frac{1-6x}{[(1+2x)(1-6x) + 16x^2]} = \frac{1-6x}{4x^2 - 4x + 1}$$

$$= (1-6x)/(1-2x)^2$$

$$F(x) = (1-6x)g(x)/4x$$

$$(1-2x)^2 = 4x/g(x)$$

$$G(x) = 4x/(1-2x)^2$$

Step3:

$$F(x) = (1-6x) [\dots C(1+n,1)X^{n+1} + C(n,1)X^n + \dots]$$

$$A_n = 2^n(1-2n)$$

$$B_n = n2^{n+1}$$

B/

STEP1

Multiply X^{n+1}

$$F(x) = 2xf(x) - xg(x) + 2x^{n+1}$$

$$G(x) - 1 = -x(fx) + 2xg(x) - x^{n+1}$$

Step2

$$f(x) + 2g(x) - 2 = 3xg(x)$$

$$(2-3x)g(x) = 2 - f(x)$$

$$G(x) = (2 - f(x))/(2-3x)$$

$$(1-2x)f(x) = x(f(x) - 2)/(2-3x) + 2x^{n+1}$$

15.

a)

Q: Pick k people from n and one will be leader, how many ways?

LHS: Firstly, pick k group members from n people, which is $C(n, k)$, and then pick 1 leader from k group members which is $C(k, 1) = k$

RHS: pick the leader firstly from n people, which is $C(n, 1) = n$, then we can pick $k-1$ group members from $n-1$ people, which is $C(n-1, k-1)$

b)

$$\text{LHS: } k \cdot \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

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

$$\text{RHS: } n \cdot \frac{(n-1)!}{(k-1)!(n-k)!}$$

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

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

16.

n balls be a line, one leader ball is red, the rest can be black or white. How many ways?

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RHS:

Take a ball from n to be red, then rest $n-1$ balls is random white or black, which is 2^{n-1}

LHS:

Take k balls from n to be white, which is $C(n, k)$ and then pick a white from k white ball to be red, which is $C(k, 1) = k$, when $k=1$ this is the situation that one red ball, the others are black ball. When $k=n$, it means one is red ball, the others are white ball. Then we use summation symbol to sum all situations between all black \rightarrow all white