

151 Midterm 3

① Modular Arithmetic.

→ $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}, a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, a \equiv b \pmod{n}$

$$\Leftrightarrow (i) \ n \mid a - b$$

(ii) a, b leaves the same remainder when divided by n

$$(iii) \ a = b + kn, \ k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

→ given $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$, (1) $c \equiv d \pmod{n} \Rightarrow a + c \equiv b + d \pmod{n} \wedge ac \equiv bd \pmod{n}$

$$(3) \ a^c \equiv b^c \pmod{n}$$

→ finding multiplicative inverse of $a \pmod{b}$: $1 = ax + by \Rightarrow ax + \cancel{by}^0 \equiv 1 \pmod{b}$

→ Wilson: if p is a positive prime, then $(p-1)! \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$

→ FLT: if p is a positive prime and $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $p \nmid a$, then $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

→ Euler: if $n \in \mathbb{N}^+$, $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $\gcd(a, n) = 1$, then $a^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$

↳ totient function ϕ : # of ints in $[n]$ that are coprime with n

② Finite Sets

→ S is finite if $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a bij $f: [n] \rightarrow S$

→ let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ if f is inj, $|X| \leq |Y|$ and if Y finite, X finite

if f is surj, $|X| \geq |Y|$, and if X finite, Y finite

if f is bij, $|X| = |Y|$

→ X finite $\wedge U \subseteq X \Rightarrow U$ finite.

→ every non-empty finite set of \mathbb{N} has a greatest element.

(3) Counting

→ Addition Principle: if a finite set S is partitioned into S_1, \dots, S_k , s.t.

1. $\bigcup_{i=1}^k S_i = S$ (partition is exhaustive), and

2. $S_i \cap S_j = \emptyset$ for $i \neq j$ (partition is disjoint), then $|S| = \sum_{i=1}^k |S_i|$

→ Multiplication Principle: if S consists of k -tuples s.t. the i th coordinate is selected from n_i elements,

then $|S| = \prod_{i=1}^k n_i$

→ The # of k -tuples chosen (w replacement) with each coordinate from S is n^k
n elements
↓

↳ equiv. $f: [k] \rightarrow S$, $f(i)$ is the i th coordinate.

→ The # of arrangements (w/o replacement) of k from S is $n(n-1)\dots(n-(k-1)) = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!} = \binom{n}{k} \cdot k!$
func. w/o repeats.

↳ equiv. inj $f: [k] \rightarrow S$

2-step process: select then permute ↗

→ The # of permutations of S is $n!$ ← arrangement of all n elements.

↳ equiv. bij $f: S \rightarrow S$

→ S is a finite set, event $E \subseteq S$. if all outcomes in S are equally likely, then $P(E) = \frac{|E|}{|S|}$

→ Binomial Theorem: $(x+y)^n = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} x^i y^{n-i}$