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1) The English alphabets can be arranged in $26!$ ways. $\therefore |S| = 26!$

Let A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4 be the sets where the patterns CAR, DOG, PUN and BYTE occur respectively.

$$|A_1| = 24! \quad |A_2| = 24! \quad |A_3| = 24! \quad |A_4| = 23!$$

$$|A_1 \cap A_2| = |A_1 \cap A_3| = |A_2 \cap A_3| = 22!$$

$$|A_1 \cap A_4| = |A_2 \cap A_4| = |A_3 \cap A_4| = 21!$$

$$|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3| = 20!$$

$$|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_4| = |A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4| = |A_1 \cap A_3 \cap A_4| = 19!$$

$$|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4| = 17!$$

The no of way the 26 letters of the English alphabet be permuted so that none of the patterns CAR, DOG, PUN or BYTE occurs is given by $|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4|$

$$\begin{aligned} |A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4| &= |S| - (|A_1| + |A_2| + |A_3| + |A_4|) + \\ &+ (|A_1 \cap A_2| + |A_1 \cap A_3| + |A_2 \cap A_3| + |A_1 \cap A_4| + |A_2 \cap A_4| + \\ &+ |A_3 \cap A_4|) - (|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3| + |A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_4| + |A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4| \\ &+ |A_1 \cap A_3 \cap A_4|) + (|A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap A_4|) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 26! - (3(24!) + 23!) + (3(22!) + 3(21!)) - (20! + 3(19!)) + 17!$$

$$= 4.014 \times 10^{26} \text{ ways} //$$

2) Derangement:- It is permutation of n distinct objects where none of the n objects are in its natural place is called derangement.

Eight letters to be delivered to 8 different people. This no of ways the 8 letters are delivered to the 8 different people is given by $8!$ ways

~~The no. of ways in which the 8 letters are delivered~~ The no. of derangements of the 8 letters is d_8 .

\therefore The No. of ways of doing this so that at least one letter gets to the right person.

$$= 8! - d_8$$

$$= 8! - (8! \times e^{-1})$$

$$= 8! (1 - e^{-1})$$

$$= 25487.10093$$

3)

1	2	3
4	5 [*]	6
7	8	9

In the 3x3 board lets mark 5 as *

1

3

7

9

D.

1	2	3
4		6
7	8	9

E.

$$r_1 = 4.$$

$$r_2 = (1,9), (3,7)$$

$$r_2 = 2.$$

$$r_3 = 0.$$

$$r_4 = 0.$$

$$r(D, n) = 1 + 4n + 2n^2.$$

$$r_1 = 8.$$

$$r_2 = (1,6), (1,8), (1,9), (2,4), (2,6), (2,7), (2,9), (3,4), (3,7), (3,8), (4,8), (4,9), (6,7), (6,8)$$

$$r_2 = 14.$$

$$r_3 = (1,6,8), (2,4,9), (2,6,7), (3,4,8), (4,7,9)$$

$$r_3 = 4.$$

$$r_4 = 0.$$

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$$r(E, n) = 1 + 8n + 14n^2 + 4n^3.$$

According to root polynomial.

$$\gamma(C, E) = \gamma(P, \lambda) + \gamma(E, \lambda).$$

$$= \lambda(1 + 4\lambda + 2\lambda^2) + 1 + 8\lambda + 14\lambda^2 + 4\lambda^3.$$

$$= \lambda + 4\lambda^2 + 2\lambda^3 + 1 + 8\lambda + 14\lambda^2 + 4\lambda^3$$

$$\boxed{\gamma(C, E) = 1 + 9\lambda + 18\lambda^2 + 6\lambda^3.}$$

4) $a_n = 3a_{n-1} - 2a_{n-2}$ for $n \geq 2$.

Given $a_1 = 5, a_2 = 3$.

$$a_n - 3a_{n-1} + 2a_{n-2} = 0 \text{ for } n \geq 2.$$

$$C_n = 1 \quad C_{n-1} = -3 \quad C_{n-2} = 2.$$

according to formula $C_n k^2 + C_{n-1} k + C_{n-2} = 0$.

$$k^2 - 3k + 2 = 0.$$

$$k^2 - 2k - k + 2 = 0$$

$$k(k-2) - 1(k-2) = 0$$

$$(k-2)(k-1) = 0$$

$$k = 2, 1$$

General solⁿ is given by

$$a_n = A 2^n + B 1^n.$$

Given $a_1 = 5, a_2 = 3$

$$5 = A 2^1 + B 1^1$$

$$5 = 2A + B$$

$$B = 5 - 2A.$$

$$3 = A 2^2 + B 1^2.$$

$$3 = 4A + B.$$

$$B = 3 - 4A.$$

$$5 - 2A = 3 - 4A$$

$$4A - 2A = 3 - 5$$

$$2A = -2$$

$$A = -1$$

$$B = 5 - 2(-1)$$

$$B = 5 + 2$$

$$B = 7$$

$$a_n = -2^n + 7$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 3x - 5 & \text{if } x > 0 \\ -3x + 1 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f^{-1}(0)$$

$$f(x) = 0$$

$$3x - 5 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{5}{3} > 0$$

$$-3x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3} \neq 0$$

$$f^{-1}(0) = \left\langle \frac{5}{3} \right\rangle$$

$$f^{-1}(1)$$

$$f(x) = 1$$

$$3x - 5 = 1$$

$$x = 2$$

$$-3x + 1 = 1$$

$$x = 0$$

$$f^{-1}(1) = \langle 2, 0 \rangle$$

$$f^{-1}(3)$$

$$f(x) = 3$$

$$3x - 5 = 3$$

$$3x = 8$$

$$x = \frac{8}{3}$$

$$-3x + 1 = 3$$

$$-x = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$f^{-1}(3) = \left\langle \frac{8}{3}, -\frac{2}{3} \right\rangle$$

$$f^{-1}(6)$$

$$f(x) = 6$$

$$3x - 5 = 6$$

$$3x = 11$$

$$x = \frac{11}{3}$$

$$-3x + 1 = 6$$

$$-3x = 5$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{3}$$

$$f^{-1}(6) = \left\langle \frac{11}{3}, -\frac{5}{3} \right\rangle$$

$$f^{-1}([-5, 5])$$

$$-5 \leq f(n) \leq 5$$

$$-5 \leq 3n - 5 \leq 5$$

$$0 \leq 3n \leq 10$$

$$0 \leq n \leq \frac{10}{3}$$

Here $n \neq \frac{10}{3}$ so ignore

$$f^{-1}([-5, 5]) = \left\{ -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{10}{3} \right\}$$

$$-5 \leq -3n + 1 \leq 5$$

$$-6 \leq -3n \leq 4$$

$$-\frac{4}{3} \leq n \leq 2$$

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6]. $f(n) = an + b$.

$$g(n) = 1 - n + n^2$$

$$(g \circ f)(n) = 9n^2 - 9n + 3 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$(g \circ f)(n) = g(f(n))$$

$$= g(an + b)$$

$$= 1 - (an + b) + (an + b)^2$$

$$= 1 - an - b + a^2n^2 + b^2 + 2abn$$

$$(g \circ f)(n) = a^2n^2 - (a - 2ab)n + (1 - b + b^2) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

comparing eq (1) & (2).

$$a^2 = 9$$

$$\boxed{a = \pm 3}$$

$$(a - 2ab) = 9$$

when $a = 3$,

$$3 - 6b = 9$$

$$-6b = 6$$

$$\underline{\underline{b = -1}}$$

when $a = -3$,

$$-3 + 6b = 9$$

$$6b = 12$$

$$\underline{\underline{b = 2}}$$

7]. If m regions are there and n (region) holes are there such that $m > n$ then ~~at least~~ ^{at least} $P+1$ (or) more regions will exist in one region hole.

where $P = \lfloor \frac{m-1}{n} \rfloor$

Let us create sets which ~~only~~ contains pair of numbers from 1 to 8 that will have sum 9.

$$A_1 = \{1, 8\}$$

$$A_2 = \{2, 7\}$$

$$A_3 = \{3, 6\}$$

$$A_4 = \{4, 5\}$$

The pairs in the set A_1, A_2, A_3 , and A_4 have sum 9. If we take three ~~nos~~ numbers together they will not add up to 9.

∴ If we select two numbers from 1 to 8 then they will have their sum as 9.

8) If G is a finite group and H is a subgroup of G then the order of H will divide $|G|$.

Proof :-

If G is a finite set then H is finite.

~~For~~ Since H is a subgroup of G then its cosets are also finite

Let us consider the right cosets of H .

$Ha_1, Ha_2, Ha_3, \dots, Ha_r$.

According to right decomposition

$$G = Ha_1 \cup Ha_2 \cup Ha_3 \cup \dots \cup Ha_r$$

$$|G| = |Ha_1| + |Ha_2| + \dots + |Ha_r|.$$

$$\text{Wkt. } |Ha_1| = |Ha_2| = \dots = |Ha_r| = |H|$$

$$|G| = r |H|.$$

$\therefore H$ divides G

Hence proved.