

COMBINATORICS REVIEW ANSWER KEY

1a) *(captain & ass't. captain)(2 others)*

$$= ({}_{10}P_2)({}_8C_2) = (90)(28) = 2520$$

b) *(boy captain & girl ass't. captain or girl captain & boy ass't. captain)(2 others)*

$$= 2({}_5C_1)({}_5C_1)({}_8C_2) = (2)(5)(5)(28) = 1400$$

2a) ${}_{10}C_3 = 120$

b) ${}_{10}P_3 = 720$

3a) $\{J, Q, K, A\} \times 4 = 16$, ${}_{16}C_5 = 4368$

b) $\{2 \text{ to } 10\} \times 4 = 36$, ${}_{36}C_5 = 376\,992$

c) $({}_{13}C_2)({}_{13}C_3) = (78)(286) = 22\,308$ d) 4 red cards, 1 black + 5 red cards
 $({}_{26}C_4)({}_{26}C_1) + {}_{26}C_5 = (14\,950)(26) + (65\,780) = 454\,480$

e) 3-5's, but also 2 other cards not 5's: $({}_4C_3)({}_{48}C_2) = (4)(1128) = 4512$

f) Case 1: one Queen is Q♥; Q♥, 1 other Q, 1 other ♥ and two other cards, not Q's or ♥'s:
 $(1)({}_3C_1)({}_{12}C_1)({}_{36}C_2) = (3)(12)(630) = 22\,680$

Case 2: no Q♥; 2Q, 2♥, and one other card, not Q or ♥: $({}_3C_2)({}_{12}C_2)({}_{36}C_1) = (3)(66)(36) = 7\,128$

Total: $22\,680 + 7\,128 = 29\,808$

4a) $({}_{13}C_1)({}_4C_2)({}_{12}C_3)({}_4C_1)({}_4C_1)({}_4C_1) = (13)(6)(220)(4)^3 = 1\,098\,240$

b) $({}_{13}C_2)({}_4C_2)({}_4C_2)({}_{44}C_1) = (78)(6)(6)(44) = 123\,552$

c) $({}_{13}C_1)({}_4C_3)({}_{12}C_2)({}_4C_1)({}_4C_1) = (13)(4)(66)(4)^2 = 54\,912$ d) $({}_{13}C_1)({}_4C_4)({}_{48}C_1) = (13)(1)(48) = 624$

5a) ${}_{47}C_7 = 62\,891\,499$

b) ${}_{49}C_6 = 13\,983\,816$

c) $({}_7C_4)({}_{40}C_3) = (35)(9880) = 345\,800$; $({}_6C_4)({}_{43}C_2) = (15)(903) = 13\,545$

6a) $\frac{21!}{12!9!} = 293930$

b) $\left(\frac{11!}{7!4!}\right)\left(\frac{10!}{5!5!}\right) = (330)(252) = 83160$

7a) All possible – no boys – 1 boy = at least 2 boys

$${}_{20}C_5 - {}_{12}C_5 - ({}_{12}C_4)({}_8C_1) = 15\,504 - 792 - (495)(8) = 10\,752$$

b) All possible – no girls – 1 girl = at least 2 girls

$${}_{20}C_5 - {}_8C_5 - ({}_8C_4)({}_{12}C_1) = 15\,504 - 56 - (70)(12) = 14\,608$$

c) $({}_{12}C_5) + ({}_{12}C_4)({}_8C_1) + ({}_{12}C_3)({}_8C_2) = 792 + (495)(8) + (220)(28) = 10\,912$

8. $4 \times 4 \times 3 - 1 = 47$

9a) 5^{15}

b) $\frac{15!}{3!3!3!3!} = 168\,168\,000$

10. Multiples of 3 and 5: $\{0, 15, 30 \text{ and } 45\}$, so there are 4 cases with first two numbers being the same;
 $(4)(59) + (12 \times 20 - 4)(58) = 13\,924$ or $(12 \times 20)(58) - 4$

11a) ${}_n C_2 = 15; \frac{n!}{2(n-2)} = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = 15; n(n-1) = 30; n^2 - n - 30 = 0; (n-6)(n+5) = 0;$

$n = 6$ or -5 ; reject $n = -5 \therefore n = 6$

b) ${}_3 C_4 = {}_n P_3; \frac{3n!}{(n-4)4!} = \frac{n!}{(n-3)!}; \frac{(n-3)!}{(n-4)!} = \frac{4!n!}{3n!}; (n-3) = \frac{4!}{3} = 8; n = 11$

c) $\frac{4!(n-5)!}{(n-3)!} = \frac{4!}{(n-3)(n-4)} = 4 \quad 3! = (n-3)(n-4), n^2 - 7n + 6 = 0, n = 1 \text{ or } 6 \text{ (reject } n = 1)$

d) $x + y = 12$, where $0 \leq x \leq 12$ and $0 \leq y \leq 12$, and both x and y are integers;
 also, $x = y = 0$ and $x = y = 1$ are solutions

12a) ${}_9 P_3 = 504$ b) $({}_9 C_2)(8!) = (36)(40320) = 1451520$ c) ${}_9 P_6 = 60480$

13a) $7! = 5040$ b) $2(6!) = 1440$ c) $5040 - 1440 = 3600$ d) $(2)(2)(5!) = 480$

e) $2(5!) = 240$ f) $4!(2)(2)(2) = 192$

14. ${}_n C_3 = 1\,521\,520, n = 210$

15a) $x^{10} + 10x^9 + 45x^8 + 120x^7 + 210x^6 + 252x^5 + 210x^4 + 120x^3 + 45x^2 + 10x + 1$

b) $19683x^9 - \frac{59049}{2}x^8y + \frac{78732}{4}x^7y^2 - \frac{61236}{8}x^6y^3 + \frac{30618}{16}x^5y^4$
 $- \frac{10206}{32}x^4y^5 + \frac{2268}{64}x^3y^6 - \frac{324}{128}x^2y^7 + \frac{27}{256}xy^8 - \frac{y^9}{512}$

c) $59136a^6b^6$