

## Topic :-PERMUTATIONS AND COMBINATIONS

1 (c)

We have the following possibilities:

*Number of selections*    *Number of Arrangements*

$${}^3C_1 \times {}^2C_2 \qquad {}^3C_1 \times {}^2C_2 \times \frac{5!}{3!} = 60$$

$${}^3C_2 \times {}^1C_1 \qquad {}^3C_2 + {}^1C_1 \times \frac{5!}{2!2!} = 90$$

Three bottles of one type and two distinct. Two bottles of one type, two bottles of second type and one from the remaining.

Hence, required number of ways =  $60 + 90 = 150$

2 (a)

Six '+' signs can be arranged in a row in  $\frac{6!}{6!} = 1$  way. Now, we are left with seven places in which 4 minus signs can be arranged in

$${}^7C_4 \times \frac{4!}{4!} = 35$$

3 (b)

∴ The candidate is unsuccessful, if he fails in 9 or 8 or 7 or 6 or 5 papers.

∴ Numbers of ways to be unsuccessful

$$= {}^9C_9 + {}^9C_8 + {}^9C_7 + {}^9C_6 + {}^9C_5$$

$$= {}^9C_0 + {}^9C_1 + {}^9C_2 + {}^9C_3 + {}^9C_4$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} ({}^9C_0 + {}^9C_1 + \dots + {}^9C_9)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (2^9) = 2^8 = 256$$

4 (d)

Using the digits 0, 1, 2, ....., 9 the number of five digits telephone numbers which can be formed is  $10^5$  (since repetition is allowed).

The number of five digits telephone numbers, which have none of digits repeated =  ${}^{10}P_5 = 30240$

∴ The required number of telephone number

$$= 10^5 - 30240 = 69760$$

5 (d)

The number of words beginning with 'a' is same as the number of ways of arranging the remaining 4 letters taken all at a time. Therefore 'a' will occur in the first place  $4!$  times. Similarly, *b* or *c* will occur in the first place the same number of times. Then, *d* occurs in the first place. Now, the number of words beginning with 'da, db or dc' is  $3!$ . Then, the words beginning with 'de' must follow. The first one is 'de abc', the next one is 'de acb' and the next to the next comes 'de bac'.

So, the rank of 'de bac' =  $3 \cdot 4! + 3 \cdot 3! + 3 = 93$

6 (b)

$$\text{Required number} = 2^{20}C_2$$

7 (c)

The total number of combinations which can be formed of five different green dyes, taking one or more of them is  $2^5 - 1 = 31$ . Similarly, by taking one or more of four different red dyes  $2^4 - 1 = 15$  combinations can be formed. The number of combinations which can be formed of three different red dyes, taking none, one or more of them is  $2^3 = 8$

Hence, the required number of combinations of dyes

$$= 31 \times 15 \times 8 = 3720$$

8 (b)

We observe that

4 lines intersect each other in  ${}^4C_2 = 6$  points

4 circles intersect each other in  ${}^4C_2 \times 2 = 12$  points

A line cuts a circle in 2 points

∴ 4 lines will cut four circles into  $2 \times 4 \times 4 = 32$  points

Hence, required number of points =  $6 + 12 + 32 = 50$

9 (a)

From the given relation it is evident that  ${}^nC_r$  is the greatest among the values  ${}^nC_0, {}^nC_1, \dots, {}^nC_n$

We know that  ${}^nC_r$  is greatest for  $r = \frac{n}{2}$ . Hence,  $r = \frac{n}{2}$

10 (d)

A committee may consists of all men and no women or all women and no men or 3 men and 1 women whose is not among wives of 3 chosen men or, 2 men and 2 women who are not among the wives of 2 chosen men or 1 men and 3 women none of whom is wife of chosen men

∴ Required number of committees

$$= {}^4C_4 + {}^4C_4 + {}^4C_3 \times {}^1C_1 + {}^4C_2 \times {}^2C_2 + {}^4C_1 \times {}^3C_3 = 16$$

11 (d)

The women choose the chairs amongst the chairs marked 1 to 4 in  ${}^4P_2$  ways and the men can select the chairs from remaining in  ${}^6P_3$  ways

$$\text{Total number of ways} = {}^4P_2 \times {}^6P_3$$

12 (a)

Let  $n$  be the number of diagonals of a polygon.

Then,  ${}^nC_2 - n = 44$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n(n-1)}{2} - n = 44$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 - 3n - 88 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow n = -8 \text{ or } 11$$

$$\therefore n = 11$$

13 **(b)**

In the word 'exercises' there are 9 letters of which 3 are e's and 2 are s's

$$\text{So, required number of permutations} = \frac{9!}{3!2!} = 30240$$

14 **(b)**

Total number of functions

= Number of dearrangement of 5 objects

$$= 5! \left( \frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{5!} \right) = 44$$

15 **(a)**

The total number of ways in which words with five letters are formed from given 10 letters =  $10^5$   
= 100000

Total number of ways in which words with five letters are formed (no repetition)  
=  $10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 = 30240$

$$\therefore \text{Required number of ways} = 100000 - 30240 = 69760$$

17 **(d)**

We have,

Required number of numbers = Number of three digit numbers divisible by 5 + number of 4 digit numbers divisible by 5

$$= {}^3C_2 \times 2! \times 1 + ({}^3C_3 \times 3!) \times 1 = 6 + 6 = 12$$

19 **(c)**

In 8 squares 6x can be placed in 28 ways but there are two methods in which there is no x in first or last row.

$$\therefore \text{required number of ways} = 28 - 2 = 26$$

20 **(d)**

Total number of points on a three lines are  $m + n + k$

$\therefore$  maximum number of triangles

$$= {}^{m+n+k}C_3 - {}^mC_3 - {}^nC_3 - {}^kC_3$$

(subtract those triangles in which point on the same line)

ANSWER-KEY										
Q.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A.	C	A	B	D	D	B	C	B	A	D
Q.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A.	D	A	B	B	A	B	D	C	C	D

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