

$$\binom{7}{3} \times \frac{4!}{2!} \rightarrow \text{I U O U}$$

1. a) (10 pt) How many arrangements of the letters of MERCURY are there with the vowels appearing in alphabetical order (e.g., RECURMY).

b) (10 pt) How many arrangements of the letters in INSTRUCTOR have: the vowels and consonants appearing in alphabetical order and have at least 2 consonants between each vowel?

Ⓐ Since for MERCURY, Y, E and U, are vowels,

so first chose position for Y, E, U =  $\binom{7}{3}$

Y E U Y Then randomly assign the

rest.  $\frac{4!}{2!}$  # total =  $\binom{7}{3} \times \frac{4!}{2!}$  ✓

Ⓑ. for INSTRUCTOR, vowels are I, U, O.

first assign positions for vowels.  $\binom{10}{3}$

I O U Then assign the rest  
 $b_1$   $b_2$   $b_3$   $b_4$

*if you chose positions of I, U, O maybe there is no space left for 2 consonant*

$b_2$   $b_3$  have at least two, we place four in  $b_2$   $b_3$

C N R R S T 3 ways to choose middle four.

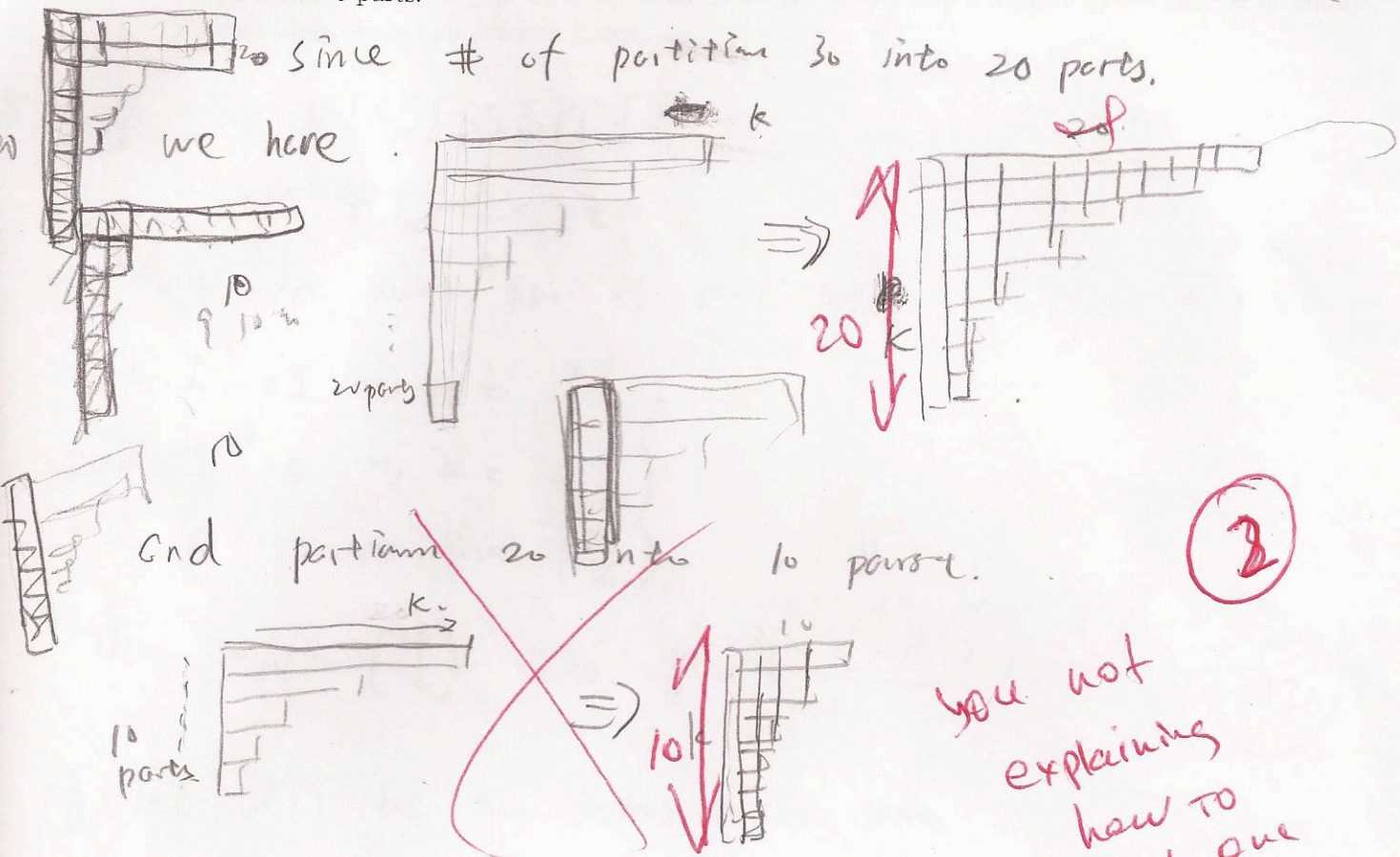
Then we assign the remaining  $\binom{10-3-4+4-1}{10-3-4}$

Thus # total =  $\binom{10}{3} \times \left( \binom{10-3-4+4-1}{10-3-4} \times \dots \right)$



2.T  
 N S T R R C O

2. (10 pt) Show that the number of partitions of 30 into 20 parts is the same as number of partition of 20 into 10 parts.



Since # of partitions 30 into 20 parts, we have

and partitions 20 into 10 parts.

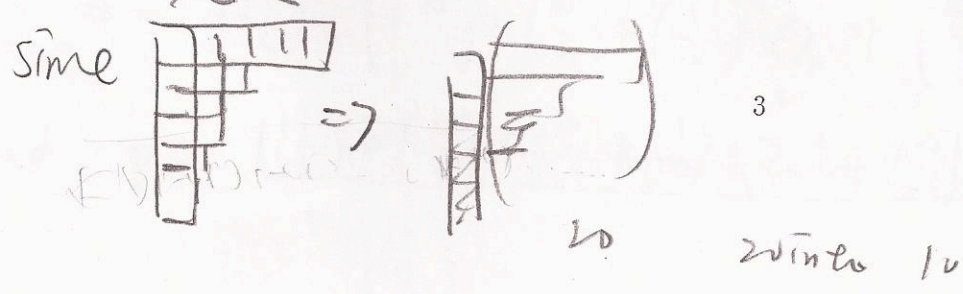
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You not explaining how to get one from another

let  $k$  in case I be 20 case I be 10.

Then # of 30 into 20

= 20 into 10



Also you draw diagram incorrectly

3. a) (10 pt) What is the probability that a pair of letters selected randomly from word MISSISSIPPI contains same letter twice? b) (15 pt) What is the probability that a triple of letters selected randomly from this word has all different letters.

a) for MISSISSIPPI.

M 4 I 4 S 2 P

Since we want pair of same letter

case I 2I  $\Rightarrow \# = \binom{4}{2}$

case II 2S  $\Rightarrow \# = \binom{4}{2}$

case III 2P  $\Rightarrow \# = \binom{2}{2}$

$\binom{11}{2}$   
 $\binom{4}{2}$   
 $3 \times 2 \times 1$   
 $\frac{10!}{2!8!}$   
 $\frac{2!2!}{4!4!}$   
 $\frac{12 \times 6}{11}$

Thus  $\# N = \binom{14}{2}$  Thus  $P = \frac{\binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \binom{2}{2}}{\binom{14}{2}}$

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b) let  $A_i$  be two letters have same

~~$A_1 \cap A_2 = \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \binom{2}{2}$~~

~~$A_2 \cap A_3 = 4 \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \binom{2}{2}$~~

~~$A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 = (4 \times 3 \times 2) \times 2 = \binom{4}{3} \times 2$~~

two letters S  
 $\frac{4 \times 3}{2} \cdot 7$

two letters I  
 $\binom{4}{2} \cdot 7$

two letters P  
 $\binom{2}{2} \cdot 9$

and  $N = \binom{11}{3}$

$\therefore \# = \binom{11}{3} + \left( \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \binom{2}{2} \right) \times 2 + \binom{4}{3} \times 2$

3 letters  
 $3, S \binom{4}{3} \binom{4}{3}$

and  $P = \frac{\binom{11}{3} + \left( \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \binom{2}{2} \right) \times 2 + \binom{4}{3} \times 2}{\binom{11}{3}}$

4. You want to calculate the number of strings of length  $r$  you can make with digits 1, 2 and 3. The digits are available in infinite supply, but you must use at least one digit 2 and use either zero or at least two digits 3.

a) (15 pt) What generating function should you use for this problem? Is your function ordinary or exponential?

b) (10 pt) How many such words are there with  $r = 10$  letters? You must use the generating function to calculate your answer.

ⓐ exponential function should be used since order matters.

$$f(x) = \left( 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right) \left( x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right) \left( 1 + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \right)$$

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 $\emptyset$

$\uparrow$   
 $2$

$\uparrow$   
 $3$

ⓑ.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= e^x (e^x - 1) (e^x - x) \\
 &= (e^{2x} - e^x) (e^x - x) \\
 &= e^{3x} - x e^{2x} - e^{2x} + x e^x
 \end{aligned}$$

for  $r = 10$        $e^{10} + e^{10}$

we have coef =  $\boxed{3^{10} - \frac{2^9 \cdot 10!}{9!} + 2^{10} + \frac{10!}{9!}}$



5. (20 pt) How many eight digit numbers (number can start with 0) are there with no digit appearing exactly three times.

U U U U U U U U

Since any digits can be put in the buckets

We let  $A_i$  be digit  $i$  appear three times

$$A_i = \binom{8}{3} 9^5 = 10^8$$

$$A_i \cap A_j = \binom{8}{3,3,2} 8^2 = \text{you can arrange remaining terms}$$

$$A_i \cap A_j \cap A_k = \binom{8}{1,1,1,5} = 0 \text{ since } 1 \text{ exceeds } 8 \text{ terms}$$

Thus  $N = 10^8$

$$N(\overline{A_1 \cap A_2 \cap \dots \cap A_{10}}) = 10^8 - \sum A_i + \sum A_{ij}$$

$$= 10^8 - \binom{8}{3} \times 10 + \binom{8}{3,3,2} \times \binom{10}{2}$$

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any two digits  
can appear  
3 time each