

Permutations And Combinations JEE Main PYQ – 2

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Instructions

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1. Test will auto submit when the Time is up.
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Permutations And Combinations

1. Let T_n be the number of all possible triangles formed by joining vertices of an n -sided regular polygon. If $T_{n+1} - T_n = 10$ then the value of n is (+4, -1)
- a. 7
 - b. 5
 - c. 10
 - d. 8
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2. Let A and B be two sets containing four and two elements respectively. Then the number of subsets of the set $A \times B$, each having at least three elements is : (+4, -1)
- a. 219
 - b. 256
 - c. 275
 - d. 510
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3. If all the words (with or without meaning) having five letters, formed using the letters of the word *SMALL* and arranged as in a dictionary; then the position of the word *SMALL* is: (+4, -1)
- a. 46^{th}
 - b. 59^{th}
 - c. 52^{th}
 - d. 58^{th}
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4. All possible numbers are formed using the digits 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 4, 4 taken all at a time. The number of such numbers in which the odd digits occupy even (+4, -1)

places is :

- a. 175
- b. 162
- c. 160
- d. 180

5. An eight digit number divisible by 9 is to be formed using digits from 0 to 9 without repeating the digits. The number of ways in which this can be done is : (+4, -1)

- a. 72 (7!)
- b. 18 (7!)
- c. 40 (7!)
- d. 36 (7!)

6. If a , b and c are the greatest values of ${}^{19}C_p$, ${}^{20}C_q$ and ${}^{21}C_r$ respectively, then : (+4, -1)

- a. $\frac{a}{11} = \frac{b}{22} = \frac{c}{42}$
- b. $\frac{a}{10} = \frac{b}{11} = \frac{c}{42}$
- c. $\frac{a}{11} = \frac{b}{22} = \frac{c}{21}$
- d. $\frac{a}{10} = \frac{b}{11} = \frac{c}{21}$

7. Consider a class of 5 girls and 7 boys. The number of different teams consisting of 2 girls and 3 boys that can be formed from this class, if there are two specific boys A and B , who refuse to be the members of the same team, is : (+4, -1)

- a. 200

- b. 300
 - c. 500
 - d. 350
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8. Consider three boxes, each containing 10 balls labelled 1, 2, ..., 10. Suppose one ball is randomly drawn from each of the boxes. Denote by n_i , the label of the ball drawn from the i^{th} box, ($i = 1, 2, 3$). Then, the number of ways in which the balls can be chosen such that $n_1 < n_2 < n_3$ is : (+4, -1)

- a. 82
 - b. 240
 - c. 164
 - d. 120
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9. If ${}^{2n}C_3 : {}^nC_3 = 10$, then $\frac{n^2+3n}{n^2-3n+4}$ is equal to (+4, -1)

10. Find all the four letter words with two vowels and 2 consonants from the word UNIVERSE? (+4, -1)

Answers

1. Answer: b

Explanation:

Given, $T_n = {}^nC_3 \Rightarrow T_{n+1} = {}^{n+1}C_3$

$\therefore T_{n+1} - T_n = {}^{n+1}C_3 - {}^nC_3 = 10$ [given]

$\Rightarrow {}^nC_2 + {}^nC_3 - {}^nC_3 = 10$ [because

${}^nC_r + {}^nC_{r+1} = {}^{n+1}C_{r+1}$

$\Rightarrow {}^nC_2 = 10$

$\Rightarrow n = 5$

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2. Answer: a

Explanation:

$$n(A \times B) = 8$$

$$\text{Total subsets} = 2^8$$

$${}^8C_0 + {}^8C_1 + {}^8C_2$$

$$= 37$$

$$\text{No. of Re Subsets} = 256 - 37$$

$$= 219.$$

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3. Answer: d

Explanation:

$$ALLMSA(LLMS) \rightarrow \frac{4!}{2!} = \frac{24}{2} = 12$$

$$L(ALMS) \rightarrow 4! = 24$$

$$M(ALLS) \rightarrow \frac{4!}{2!} = \frac{24}{2} = 12$$

$$SA(MLL) \rightarrow \frac{3!}{2!} = 3$$

$$SL(ALM) \rightarrow 3! = 6$$

$$\text{Total words} = 12 + 24 + 12 + 3 + 6 = 57$$

SMALL 58th

\therefore the position of the word *SMALL* is 58th

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4. Answer: d

Explanation:

The correct answer is D:180

Given that: The periodic number to be formed using digits 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 4, 4 to be taken all at a time.

[Note: Means; it is a clear case of combination as only selection is important here]

$$\therefore {}^4C_3 \times \frac{3!}{2!} \times \frac{6!}{2! \times 4!} = 180 \quad (\because n_{C_k} = \frac{n!}{(n-k)! \cdot k!}) \quad ({}^4C_3 = \frac{4!}{1! \times 3!})$$

Solⁿ: Given that; the possible number to be formed using digits 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2, 2, 3, 4, 4 to be taken all at a time.

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5. Answer: d

Explanation:

Eight digit no divisible by 9 i.e. sum of digits divisible by 9

(i) Total no formed by 1,2,3,4,5, 6,7,8 = 8!

(ii) Total no formed by 0,2,3,4,5,6,7,9 = $7 \times 7!$

(iii) Total no formed by 1,0,3,4,5,6,9,8 = $7 \times 7!$

(iv) Total no formed by 1,2,0,4,5,9,7,8 = $7 \times 7!$

(v) Total no formed by 1,2,3,0,5,6,7,8 = $7 \times 7!$

$8! + 28 \times 7!$

$= 36 \times 7!$

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6. Answer: a

Explanation:

$$\begin{aligned} a &= {}^{10}C_{10}, b = {}^{20}C_{10} \text{ and } c = {}^{21}C_{10} \\ \Rightarrow a &= {}^{19}C_9, b = 2({}^{19}C_9) \text{ and } c = \frac{21}{11}({}^{20}C_{10}) \\ \Rightarrow b &= 2a \text{ and } c = \frac{21}{11}b = \frac{42a}{11} \\ \Rightarrow a : b : c &= a : 2a : \frac{42a}{11} = 11 : 22 : 42 \end{aligned}$$

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7. Answer: b

Explanation:

Required number of ways

= Total number of ways - When A and B are always included.

$$= {}^5C_2 \cdot {}^7C_3 - {}^5C_1 {}^5C_2 = 300$$

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8. Answer: d

Explanation:

$$\text{No. of ways} = {}^{10}C_3 = 120$$

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9. Answer: 2 – 2

Explanation:

$$\frac{{}^{2n}C_3}{{}^nC_3} = 10 \Rightarrow \frac{2n \cdot (2n-1) \cdot (2n-2)}{n \cdot (n-1) \cdot (n-2)}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{(2n-1) \cdot 2}{n-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 8$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{n^2+3n}{n^2-3n+4} = \frac{88}{44} = 2$$

The answer is 2

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10. Answer: 432 - 432

Explanation:

The correct answer is 432

Vowels - I, U, E,

Consonants - N, V, R, S

$$\Rightarrow {}^3C_2 \times {}^4C_2 \times 4!$$

$$= 3 \times 6 \times 24$$

$$= 432$$

So, 432 four letters word can be made

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