

## Today.

Finish up undecidability.  
Counting.

## Halt does not exist.

$HALT(P, I)$   
 $P$  - program  
 $I$  - input.

Determines if  $P(I)$  ( $P$  run on  $I$ ) halts or loops forever.

**Theorem:** There is no program HALT.

**Proof:** Yes! No! Yes! No! No! Yes! No! Yes! .. □

What is he talking about?

- (A) He is confused.
- (B) Fermat's Theorem.
- (C) Diagonalization.

(C).

## Programs and Diagonalization.

Write me a program checker!

Check that the compiler works!

How about.. Check that the compiler terminates on a certain input.

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Determines if  $P(I)$  ( $P$  run on  $I$ ) halts or loops forever.

Notice:

Need a computer

...with the notion of a stored program!!!!

(not an adding machine! not a person and an adding machine.)

Program is a text string.

Text string can be an input to a program.

Program can be an input to a program.

## Halt and Turing.

**Proof:** Assume there is a program  $HALT(\cdot, \cdot)$ .

$Turing(P)$

1. If  $HALT(P, P) = \text{"halts"}$ , then go into an infinite loop.
2. Otherwise, halt immediately.

Assumption: there is a program HALT.

There is text that "is" the program HALT.

There is text that is the program Turing.

Can run Turing on Turing!

Does  $Turing(Turing)$  halt?

$Turing(Turing)$  halts

$\Rightarrow$  then  $HALTS(Turing, Turing) = \text{halts}$

$\Rightarrow$   $Turing(Turing)$  loops forever.

$Turing(Turing)$  loops forever

$\Rightarrow$  then  $HALTS(Turing, Turing) \neq \text{halts}$

$\Rightarrow$   $Turing(Turing)$  halts.

**Contradiction.** Program HALT does not exist! □

Questions?

## Implementing HALT.

$HALT(P, I)$   
 $P$  - program  
 $I$  - input.

Determines if  $P(I)$  ( $P$  run on  $I$ ) halts or loops forever.

Run  $P$  on  $I$  and check!

How long do you wait?

Something about infinity here, maybe?

## Another view of proof: diagonalization.

Any program is a fixed length string.

Fixed length strings are enumerable.

Program halts or not any input, which is a string.

	$P_1$	$P_2$	$P_3$	...
$P_1$	H	H	L	...
$P_2$	L	L	H	...
$P_3$	L	H	H	...
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\ddots$

Halt - diagonal.

Turing - is **not** Halt.

and is different from every  $P_i$  on the diagonal.

Turing is not on list. Turing is not a program.

Turing can be constructed from Halt.

Halt does not exist! □

## Discussion of Proof.

Undecidability:

HALT( $P$ ) - does not exist.

Why not?

Programs are text.

List programs, Turing not in list of programs!

Argue directly by saying Turing(Turing) neither halts nor runs forever.

Really Same: Says there is no text which can be Turing.

## Notes.

Fairly quick. Right?

No computers in early 20th century.

Turings proof came up with the notion of computer.

Also, the incompleteness theorems also designed a computer using arithmetic.

CS 61C + one slide  $\implies$  undecidability of halting.

## Undecidable questions about Programs.

Does a program,  $P$ , print "Hello World"?

How? What is  $P$ ? Text!!!!!!

Solve HALT( $P, I$ ):

Make  $P'$  as follows:

Remove all print statements.

Find exit points add statement: **Print** "Hello World."

Call PrintsHelloWorld( $P', I$ )

$P$  halts if and only if  $P'$  prints hello world.

Many things one can ask about programs that are undecidable.

Because programs are text.

## Other example undecidable problems.

Can a set of notched tiles tile the infinite plane?

Proof: simulate a computer. Halts if finite.

Does a set of integer equations have a solution?

Example: " $x^n + y^n = 1$ "

**Problem** is undecidable.

Be careful!

Is there an integer solution to  $x^n + y^n = 1$ ?

(Diophantine equation.)

The answer is yes or no. This "problem" is not undecidable.

Undecidability for Diophantine set of equations

$\implies$  no program can take any set of integer equations and always correctly output whether it has an integer solution.

## Comments: undecidability.

Computer Programs are an interesting thing.

Like Math.

Formal Systems.

Computer Programs cannot completely "understand" computer programs.

Example: no computer program can tell if any other computer program HALTS.

Proof Idea: Diagonalization.

Program: Turing (or DIAGONAL) takes  $P$ .

Assume there is HALT.

DIAGONAL flips answer: **Loops if P halts, halts if P loops.**

What does Turing do on turing? Doesn't loop or HALT.

HALT does not exist! □

## Computation as a lens

Computation is a lens for other action in the world.

E.g. Turing's work on linear systems (condition number), chemical networks (embryo.)

Today: Quantum computing, evolution models, models of the brain, complexity of Nash equilibria, ...

## Your future (in this course).

What's to come? Probability.

A bag contains:



What is the chance that a ball taken from the bag is blue?

Count blue. Count total. Divide.

Today: Counting!

Later: Probability. Professor Ayazifar. Babak.

Babak  $\equiv$  "Bob" Back.

## Outline: basics

1. Counting.
2. Tree
3. Rules of Counting
4. Sample with/without replacement where order does/doesn't matter.

Probability is soon..but first let's count.

## Count?

How many outcomes possible for  $k$  coin tosses?

How many poker hands?

How many handshakes for  $n$  people?

How many diagonals in a convex polygon?

How many 10 digit numbers?

How many 10 digit numbers without repetition?

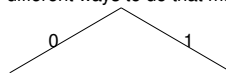
## Using a tree..

How many 3-bit strings?

How many different sequences of three bits from  $\{0, 1\}$ ?

How would you make one sequence?

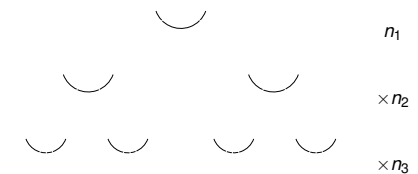
How many different ways to do that making?



8 leaves which is  $2 \times 2 \times 2$ . One leaf for each string.  
8 3-bit strings!

## First Rule of Counting: Product Rule

Objects made by choosing from  $n_1$ , then  $n_2$ , ..., then  $n_k$   
the number of objects is  $n_1 \times n_2 \cdots \times n_k$ .



In picture,  $2 \times 2 \times 3 = 12!$

## Using the first rule..

How many outcomes possible for  $k$  coin tosses?

2 ways for first choice, 2 ways for second choice, ...  
 $2 \times 2 \cdots \times 2 = 2^k$

How many 10 digit numbers?

10 ways for first choice, 10 ways for second choice, ...  
 $10 \times 10 \cdots \times 10 = 10^k$

How many  $n$  digit base  $m$  numbers?

$m$  ways for first,  $m$  ways for second, ...  
 $m^n$

(Is 09, a two digit number?)

If no. Then  $(m-1)m^{n-1}$ .

## One-to-One Functions.

How many one-to-one functions from  $|S|$  to  $|S|$ .

$|S|$  choices for  $f(s_1)$ ,  $|S| - 1$  choices for  $f(s_2)$ , ...

So total number is  $|S| \times |S| - 1 \cdots 1 = |S|!$

A one-to-one function is a permutation!

## Functions, polynomials.

How many functions  $f$  mapping  $S$  to  $T$ ?

$|T|$  ways to choose for  $f(s_1)$ ,  $|T|$  ways to choose for  $f(s_2)$ , ...

.... $|T|^{|S|}$

How many polynomials of degree  $d$  modulo  $p$ ?

$p$  ways to choose for first coefficient,  $p$  ways for second, ...  
 $\dots p^{d+1}$

$p$  values for first point,  $p$  values for second, ...  
 $\dots p^{d+1}$

Questions?

## Counting sets..when order doesn't matter.

How many poker hands?

$52 \times 51 \times 50 \times 49 \times 48$  ???

Are  $A, K, Q, 10, J$  of spades  
 and  $10, J, Q, K, A$  of spades the same?

**Second Rule of Counting:** If order doesn't matter count ordered objects and then divide by number of orderings.<sup>2</sup>

Number of orderings for a poker hand: "5!"

(The "!" means factorial, not Exclamation.)

$$\frac{52 \times 51 \times 50 \times 49 \times 48}{5!}$$

Can write as...

$$\frac{52!}{5! \times 47!}$$

Generic: ways to choose 5 out of 52 possibilities.

<sup>2</sup>When each unordered object corresponds equal numbers of ordered objects.

## Permutations.

How many 10 digit numbers **without repeating a digit**?

10 ways for first, 9 ways for second, 8 ways for third, ...

...  $10 \times 9 \times 8 \cdots \times 1 = 10!$ <sup>1</sup>

How many different samples of size  $k$  from  $n$  numbers **without replacement**.

$n$  ways for first choice,  $n-1$  ways for second,  
 $n-2$  choices for third, ...

...  $n \times (n-1) \times (n-2) \cdots (n-k+1) = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$ .

How many orderings of  $n$  objects are there?

**Permutations of  $n$  objects.**

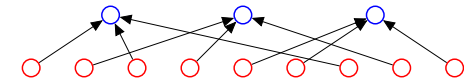
$n$  ways for first,  $n-1$  ways for second,  
 $n-2$  ways for third, ...

...  $n \times (n-1) \times (n-2) \cdots \times 1 = n!$ .

<sup>1</sup>By definition:  $0! = 1$ .

## Ordered to unordered.

**Second Rule of Counting:** If order doesn't matter count ordered objects and then divide by number of orderings.



How many red nodes (ordered objects)? 9.

How many red nodes mapped to one blue node? 3.

How many blue nodes (unordered objects)?  $\frac{9}{3} = 3$ .

How many poker deals?  $52 \cdot 51 \cdot 50 \cdot 49 \cdot 48$ .

How many poker deals per hand?

Map each deal to ordered deal: 5!

How many poker hands?  $\frac{52 \cdot 51 \cdot 50 \cdot 49 \cdot 48}{5!}$

Questions?

..order doesn't matter.

Choose 2 out of  $n$ ?

$$\frac{n \times (n-1)}{2} = \frac{n!}{(n-2)! \times 2}$$

Choose 3 out of  $n$ ?

$$\frac{n \times (n-1) \times (n-2)}{3!} = \frac{n!}{(n-3)! \times 3!}$$

Choose  $k$  out of  $n$ ?

$$\frac{n!}{(n-k)! \times k!}$$

**Notation:**  $\binom{n}{k}$  and pronounced "n choose k."

Familiar? Questions?

### Some Practice.

How many orderings of letters of CAT?

3 ways to choose first letter, 2 ways for second, 1 for last.

$\implies 3 \times 2 \times 1 = 3!$  orderings

How many orderings of the letters in ANAGRAM?

Ordered, except for A!

total orderings of 7 letters. 7!

total "extra counts" or orderings of three A's? 3!

Total orderings?  $\frac{7!}{3!}$

How many orderings of MISSISSIPPI?

4 S's, 4 I's, 2 P's.

11 letters total.

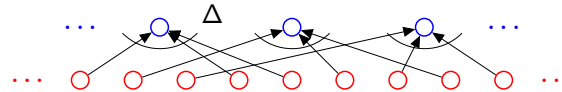
11! ordered objects.

$4! \times 4! \times 2!$  ordered objects per "unordered object"

$\implies \frac{11!}{4!4!2!}$ .

### Example: Visualize the proof.

**First rule:**  $n_1 \times n_2 \cdots \times n_3$ . **Product Rule.**  
**Second rule:** when order doesn't matter divide...



3 card Poker deals:  $52 \times 51 \times 50 = \frac{52!}{49!}$ . First rule.

Poker hands:  $\Delta$ ?

Hand: Q, K, A.

Deals: Q, K, A : Q, A, K : K, A, Q : K, A, Q : A, K, Q : A, Q, K.

$\Delta = 3 \times 2 \times 1$  First rule again.

Total:  $\frac{52!}{49!3!}$  Second Rule!

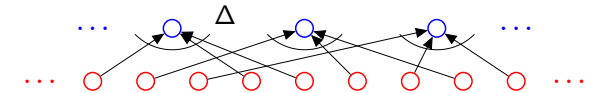
Choose  $k$  out of  $n$ .

Ordered set:  $\frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$  Orderings of one hand?  $k!$  (By first rule!)

$\implies$  Total:  $\frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!}$  Second rule.

### Example: Anagram

**First rule:**  $n_1 \times n_2 \cdots \times n_3$ . **Product Rule.**  
**Second rule:** when order doesn't matter divide...



Orderings of ANAGRAM?

Ordered Set: 7! First rule.

A's are the same!

What is  $\Delta$ ?

ANAGRAM

$A_1NA_2GRA_3M, A_2NA_1GRA_3M, \dots$

$\Delta = 3 \times 2 \times 1 = 3!$  First rule!

$\implies \frac{7!}{3!}$  Second rule!

### Sum Rule

Two indistinguishable jokers in 54 card deck.

How many 5 card poker hands?

**Sum rule: Can sum over disjoint sets.**

No jokers "exclusive" or One Joker "exclusive" or Two Jokers

$$\binom{52}{5} + \binom{52}{4} + \binom{52}{3}$$

Two distinguishable jokers in 54 card deck.

How many 5 card poker hands? Choose 4 cards plus one of 2 jokers!

$$\binom{52}{5} + 2 * \binom{52}{4} + \binom{52}{3}$$

Wait a minute! Same as choosing 5 cards from 54 or

$$\binom{54}{5}$$

**Theorem:**  $\binom{54}{5} = \binom{52}{5} + 2 * \binom{52}{4} + \binom{52}{3}$ .

**Algebraic Proof:** Why? Just why? Especially on Thursday!

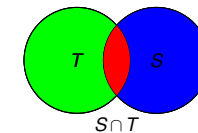
Already have a **combinatorial proof**.  $\square$

### Simple Inclusion/Exclusion

**Sum Rule: For disjoint sets  $S$  and  $T$ ,**  $|S \cup T| = |S| + |T|$

**Inclusion/Exclusion Rule:**

For any  $S$  and  $T$ ,  $|S \cup T| = |S| + |T| - |S \cap T|$ .



In  $T$ .  $\implies |T|$

In  $S$ .  $\implies + |S|$

Elements in  $S \cap T$  are counted twice.

Subtract.  $\implies -|S \cap T|$

$$|S \cup T| = |S| + |T| - |S \cap T|$$

## Using Inclusion/Exclusion.

**Inclusion/Exclusion Rule: For any  $S$  and  $T$ ,**

$$|S \cup T| = |S| + |T| - |S \cap T|.$$

**Example:** How many 10-digit phone numbers have 7 as their first or second digit?

$S$  = phone numbers with 7 as first digit.  $|S| = 10^9$

$T$  = phone numbers with 7 as second digit.  $|T| = 10^9$ .

$S \cap T$  = phone numbers with 7 as first and second digit.  $|S \cap T| = 10^8$ .

Answer:  $|S| + |T| - |S \cap T| = 10^9 + 10^9 - 10^8$ .

## Counting.

**First Rule:**

Make object out of sequence of choices.

$n_i$  - number of choices for choice  $i$ .

Number of objects:  $\prod_i n_i$ .

**Second Rule:**

When order doesn't matter, divide out orderings.

**Sum Rule:**

Size of union of disjoint sets is sum of sizes.

**Inclusion/Exclusion:**

Size of union of sets is sum of sizes

**minus** the size of intersection.