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【不可使用計算機】*作答前請先核對試題、答案卷(試卷)與准考證之所組別與考科是否相符!!

每題都會依據作答情形給部份分數,請勿因想法不夠完美就放棄該題,另一方面,要有完整的解釋,並符合邏輯,才能得到全部分數.

- 1. (10) Two overlapping circles create 4 regions. Three overlapping circles create 8 regions. How many regions the most that four mutually overlapping circles in the plane can create?
- 2. (10) There are 20 identical sticks lined up in a row occupying 20 distinct places as follows:

Six of them are to be chosen. How many choices are there if no two of the chosen sticks can be consecutive?

- 3. (10) Let a_n be the number of sequences of length n over $\{R, L, U\}$ without consecutive subsequences RL and LR. Note that each such sequence must ends with U, LL, RR, UL, UR. Define $a_0 = 1$ and clearly $a_1 = 3$. Write a recursion relation for a_n for $n \ge 2$.
- 4. Let $\phi(n)$ denote the number of positive integers not exceeding n that are relatively prime to n. For example $\phi(12) = |\{1, 5, 7, 11\}| = 4$.
 - (a) (5) Show that $12 = \phi(1) + \phi(2) + \phi(3) + \phi(4) + \phi(6) + \phi(12)$.
 - (b) (10) Show that $n = \sum_{k|n} \phi(k)$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$.
 - (c) (10) Find the 6×6 matrix μ such that

$$(\phi(1), \phi(2), \phi(3), \phi(4), \phi(5), \phi(6)) = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)\mu.$$

- 5. Let A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_m be subsets of S, where S is a finite set.
 - (a) (10) Suppose $A_i \cap A_j \cap A_k \cap A_\ell = \emptyset$ for any $1 \le i < j < k < \ell \le m$. Show that

$$\sum_{1 \le i \le m} |A_i| - \sum_{1 \le i < j \le m} |A_i \cap A_j| + \sum_{1 \le i < j < k \le m} |A_i \cap A_j \cap A_k| = |A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_m|.$$

(b) (15) Suppose

$$\sum_{1 \le i \le m} |A_i| - \sum_{1 \le i < j \le m} |A_i \cap A_j| + \sum_{1 \le i < j < k \le m} |A_i \cap A_j \cap A_k| = |A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_m|.$$

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6. (20) Let G be a connected graph of order n. Show that there exists a vertex in G whose deletion will not disconnect G.