

C12 - 2.4 - Definition of Derivative

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= x^n \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^n - x^n}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} \left[\sum_{k=0}^n \left[\binom{n}{k} x^{n-k} h^k \right] - x^n \right] \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{h} [x^n + \binom{n}{1} x^{n-1} h + \binom{n}{2} x^{n-2} h^2 + \cdots + \binom{n}{n} h^n - x^n] \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} [\binom{n}{1} x^{n-1} + \binom{n}{2} x^{n-2} h + \cdots + \binom{n}{n} h^{n-1}] \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= nx^{n-1} \quad QED
 \end{aligned}$$

$n! = n(n-1)(n-2) \dots \times 2 \times 1$

$nC_1 = \frac{n!}{1!(n-1)!}$
 $= \frac{n(n-1)!}{1(n-1)!} = \boxed{n}$

$\binom{n}{k} = {}_n C_k = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$

Newton's Binomial Theorem - 1729*

$$(a+b)^n = {}_n C_0 (a)^n (b)^0 + {}_n C_1 (a)^{n-1} (b)^1 + {}_n C_2 (a)^{n-2} (b)^2 + \cdots + {}_n C_{n-1} (a)^1 (b)^{n-1} + {}_n C_n (a)^0 (b)^n$$

Pascal's Triangle - 1662*

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 n=0 \text{ Row 1} & 1 \\
 n=1 \text{ Row 2} & 1 \ 1 \\
 n=2 \text{ Row 3} & 1 \ 2 \ 1 \\
 n=3 \text{ Row 4} & 1 \ 3 \ 3 \ 1 \\
 n=4 \text{ Row 5} & 1 \ 4 \ 6 \ 4 \ 1 \\
 \dots & \dots
 \end{array}$$

Add #'s above*

 $k=0$ $k=1$ ${}_4 C_3$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & & {}_0 C_0 & & & & \\
 & & {}_1 C_0 & {}_1 C_1 & & & \\
 & & {}_2 C_0 & {}_2 C_1 & {}_2 C_2 & & \\
 & & {}_3 C_0 & {}_3 C_1 & {}_3 C_2 & {}_3 C_3 & \\
 {}_4 C_0 & {}_4 C_1 & {}_4 C_2 & {}_4 C_3 & {}_4 C_4 & &
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a+b)^0 &= 1 \\
 (a+b)^1 &= 1a + 1b \\
 (a+b)^2 &= 1a^2 + 2ab + 1b^2 \\
 (a+b)^3 &= 1a^3 + 3a^2b + 3ab^2 + 1b^3 \\
 (a+b)^4 &= 1a^4 + 4a^3b + 6a^2b^2 + 4ab^3 + 1b^4
 \end{aligned}$$

Arranging two of the Letters of ABCD.

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 AB & BC & CD & \\
 AC & BD & & \\
 AD & & & \boxed{\text{Logical Order.}}
 \end{array}$$

$${}_4 C_2 = \frac{2!(4-2)!}{4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = \frac{2 \times 1 \times (2)!}{4!} = \boxed{6}$$

Pathways A→B
(Down & Right)

1	1	1
1	A	2
1	B	3
1	3	6

RRDD DRRR
RDRD DRDR
RDDR DRRD

How many words* from these letters.

PEEP	EPPE
PEPE	EPEP
PPEE	EEPP

$$\frac{4!}{2!2!} = \boxed{6}$$

Gauss - 1855* Add #'s 1-50

$$\begin{aligned}
 &1 + 2 + \cdots + 49 + 50 \\
 &+ 50 + 49 + \cdots + 2 + 1 \\
 &\hline
 &51 + 51 + \cdots + 51 + 51
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{51 \times 50}{2} \quad \text{Factor } \frac{50}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 s_{50} &= \frac{50}{2}(1+50) & s_n &= \frac{n}{2}(t_1 + t_n) \\
 s_{50} &= \boxed{1275} & 51 &= 1 + 50
 \end{aligned}$$