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CA FOUNDATION MATHEMATICS

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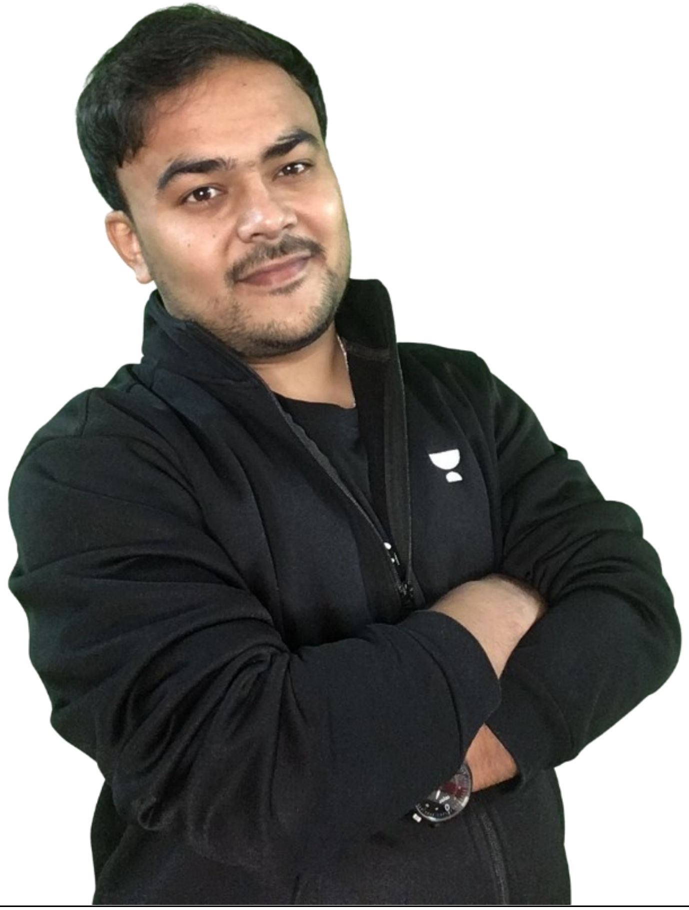

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› If a quantity increases or decreases in the ratio $a:b$ then

$$\text{new quantity} = \frac{b}{a} \times \text{original quantity}$$

The fraction by which the original quantity is multiplied to get a new quantity is called the **factor multiplying ratio**.

- **Inverse Ratio:** One ratio is the inverse of another if their **product is 1**. Thus b : a is the inverse of **a : b** and *vice-versa*.

- The ratio **compounded** of the two ratios a : b and c : d is ac : bd.
- Compounding two or more ratios means **multiplying them**.

› A ratio compounded of itself is called its duplicate ratio.

$a^2 : b^2$ is the **duplicate ratio** of a:b

$a^3 : b^3$ is the **triplicate ratio** of a:b

$\sqrt{a} : \sqrt{b}$ is the **sub-duplicate ratio** of a:b

$\sqrt[3]{a} : \sqrt[3]{b}$ is the **sub-triplicate ratio** of a:b

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- **Continued Ratio:** is the relation or comparison between the magnitudes of **three or more** quantities of same kind.
- The continued ratio of three similar quantities a, b, c can be written as **a:b:c**

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- **Cross Product Rule:** If a : b = c : d are in proportion then **ad = bc**

Product of extremes = Product of means

- **Continuous Proportion:** Three quantities a, b, c of the same kind (in same units) are said to be in continuous proportion if **a : b = b : c**

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{b}{c}$$

$$b^2 = ac$$

here, a = first proportional, c = third proportional and b is mean proportional (because b is GM of a and c)

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› Invertendo

If a : b = c : d, then

$$b : a = d : c$$

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› Alternendo

If a : b = c : d, then

$$a : c = b : d$$

› Componendo

If a : b = c : d, then

$$a+b:b=c+d:d$$

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› Dividendo

If a : b = c : d, then

$$a-b:b=c-d:d$$

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› Componendo and Dividendo

If a : b = c : d, then

$$\frac{a+b}{a-b} = \frac{c+d}{c-d}$$

$$\frac{a-b}{a+b} = \frac{c-d}{c+d}$$

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› Addendo

If a:b = c:d = e:f = … = k

then $$\frac{a+c+e+\ldots}{b+d+f+\ldots}=k$$

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› Subtrahendo

If a:b = c:d = e:f = ... = k

then $$\frac{a-c-e+\ldots}{b-d-f+\ldots}=k$$

Indices – Standard Results

› Any base raised to the power zero is defined to be 1

$$a^0 = 1$$

› Roots can also be expressed in the form of power.

$$\sqrt[r]{a} = a^{\frac{1}{r}}$$

Law 1

$$a^m \times a^n = a^{m+n}$$

- If two or more terms with same base are multiplied, we can make them one term having the same base and power as sum of all powers.

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Law 2

$$\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$$

- If two or more terms with same base are in division, we can make them one term having the same base and power as difference of power.

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Law 3

$$\left(a^{m}\right)^{n}=a^{m\times n}$$

- If a term having power is raised to another power, we can do product of powers to simplify the expression

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Law 4

$$(a\times b)^n = a^n \times b^n$$

- If a product of two or more terms is raised to power, we can split the two terms with same individual power to each one of them.

Calculator Trick for Power

Base [×] [=] [=] [=] [=]

Calculator Trick for Reciprocal

[÷] [=]

Calculator Trick for any root

Base $\boxed{\sqrt{}}$ $\boxed{\sqrt{}}$ $\boxed{\sqrt{}}$ $\ldots 12\ times$ $\boxed{-1}$ $\boxed{\div}$ $\boxed{n}$

$\boxed{+1}$ $\boxed{\times =}$ $\boxed{\times =}$ $\boxed{\times =}$ $\ldots 12\ times$

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Calculator Trick for any power (including non integer)

$$\text{Base} \boxed{\sqrt{}} \boxed{\sqrt{}} \boxed{\sqrt{}} \ldots 12\ times \boxed{-1} \boxed{\times} \boxed{n}$$

$$\boxed{+1} \boxed{\times =} \boxed{\times =} \boxed{\times =} \ldots$$

Log Conditions

- The logarithm of a number to a given base is the **index or the power** to which the **base must be raised** to **produce** the **number**, i.e. to make it equal to the given number.

$$3^4 = 81 \quad \log_3 81 = 4$$

- *If* $a^x = n$ *then* $\log_a n = x$

- *Conditions:*
  - *Number should be positive*
  - *Base should be positive*
  - *Base cannot be equal to one*

$$n > 0, a > 0, a \neq 1$$

Standard Results of Log

› Log of a number with same base as number is equal to 1

$$\log_a a = 1$$

› Log of 1 (one) for any base is equal to zero

$$\log_a 1 = 0$$

Law 1

› Logarithm of the product of two numbers is equal to the sum of the logarithms of the numbers to the same base

$$\log_a mn = \log_a m + \log_a n$$

Law 2

› The logarithm of the quotient of two numbers is equal to the difference of their logarithms to the same base

$$\log_a \frac{m}{n} = \log_a m - \log_a n$$

Law 3

- Logarithm of the number raised to the power is equal to the index of the power multiplied by the logarithm of the number to the same base.

$$\log_a m^n = n \log_a m$$

Change of Base Theorem

› If the logarithm of a number to any base is given, then the logarithm of the same number to any other base can be determined from the following relation

$$\log_b m = \frac{\log m}{\log b} = \frac{\log_a m}{\log_a b}$$

$$\log_b a \times \log_a b = 1$$

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Base of Log

- Common Log's Base

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- Natural Log's Base

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Quadratic Equation

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- Equation having **degree = 2** is called as Quadratic Equation
- QE will have two roots/ solutions usually denoted by α, β
- Equation **Format** $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

where,
a is coefficient of x^2
b is coefficient of x
c is constant
$a \neq 0$

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Solution of Quadratic Equation

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

- Formula to calculate roots:

$$\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

where,
a is coefficient of x^2
b is coefficient of x
c is constant
$a \neq 0$

Sum and Product of Roots of QE

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

- *Sum of roots* $\alpha + \beta = -\dfrac{b}{a}$

- *Product of roots* $\alpha\beta = \dfrac{c}{a}$

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› Construction of Quadratic Equation

If sum of roots and product of roots are given, equation can be constructed in the below manner:

$$x^2 - (\alpha + \beta)x + \alpha\beta = 0$$

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› Concept of discriminant – to get nature of roots

Discriminant of QE is the mathematical expression which is used to understand nature of roots of QE, it is expressed as below:

$$b^2 - 4ac$$

Condition	***Nature of Roots***
$b^2 - 4ac = 0$	*Real and Equal*
$b^2 - 4ac < 0$	*Imaginary*
$b^2 - 4ac > 0$	*Real and Unequal*
$b^2 - 4ac > 0$ *and a perfect square*	*Real, Unequal and Rational*
$b^2 - 4ac > 0$ *& not a perfect square*	*Real, Unequal and Irrational*

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- Conjugate Pairs
  - *If one root of the equation is*

$$m+\sqrt{n}$$

  - *The other one is surely*

$$m-\sqrt{n}$$

  - *This pair is called as conjugate pairs*

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Simple Equation

- Equation of one degree and having one unknown variable is simple.
- A simple equation has only one root.
- *Form of Equation*:

$$ax + b = 0$$

where,
a is coefficient of x
b is constant
$a \neq 0$

- Solution Method – Direct basic algebra

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Simultaneous Linear Equations *(two unknowns)*

- Here we always deal with two equations as it consist of 2 unknowns
- Form:

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$$

where,
a is coefficient of x
b is coefficient of y
c is constant
$a \neq 0$

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Methods of Solution Simultaneous Linear Equations

- **Elimination Method:** In this method two given linear equations are reduced to a linear equation in one unknown by eliminating one of the unknowns and then solving for the other unknown.
- **Substitution Method:** equation is written in the form of one variable in LHS and that value is substituted in other equation.
- **Cross Multiplication Method:** Formula based method

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1 = 0$$
$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2 = 0$$

$$\frac{x}{b_1c_2 - b_2c_1} = \frac{y}{c_1a_2 - c_2a_1} = \frac{1}{a_1b_2 - a_2b_1}$$

Cubic Equation

› **Form:**

$$ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$$

where,
a is coefficient of x^3
b is coefficient of x^2
c is coefficient of x
d is constant
$a \neq 0$

› **Method of solution:** Trial and Error

Addition/Subtraction of Matrices

- **Property**
  - Commutative Law: $A + B = B + A$
  - Associative Law: $(A + B) + C = A + (B + C)$
  - Distributive Law: $k(A + B) = kA + kB$

Multiplication of Matrices

- **Condition**
  - The product A x B of two matrices A and B is defined only if the number of columns in Matrix A is equal to the number of rows in Matrix B.

$$A_{m\times n}\times B_{n\times p}=AB_{m\times p}$$

Determinant – 2x2

› *If a square matrix of order 2 x 2 is given*

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \det A = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det A = a_{11} \times a_{22} - a_{12} \times a_{21}$$

Determinant – 3x3

› *If a square matrix of order 3 x 3 is given*

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \det A = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det A = a_{11}\begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12}\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13}\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

Minors and Cofactors

› Minor of the element of a determinant is the determinant of M_{ij} by deleting i^{th} row and j^{th} column in which element is existing.

$$C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

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Inverse of Matrix

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} \times adj.A$$

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Cramer's Rule

$$x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta}, y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta}, z = \frac{\Delta z}{\Delta}$$

Simple Interest

$$SI = \frac{P.r.t}{100}$$

P = principal value
r = rate of interest per annum
t = time period in years

Simple Interest

› *Amount as per SI*

$$A = P + SI = P + \frac{P.r.t}{100} = P(1 + \frac{rt}{100})$$

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Conversion Period

Conversion period	Description	Number of conversion period in a year
1 day	Compounded daily	365
1 month	Compounded monthly	12
3 months	Compounded quarterly	4
6 months	Compounded semi annually	2
12 months	Compounded annually	1

Compound Interest Amount

– Calculation of Accumulated Amount under CI denoted by A

$$A = P(1+i)^n$$

where,

P = Initial Principal
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

$$i = \frac{r\%}{nocppy}$$

$$n = t \times noccpy$$

Compound Interest Amount by Trick

› Calculator Tricks for Amount as per CI

– **Example:** *P= 1000, i = 10%, n = 3* then

Calculator Steps to obtain A:

1000 + 10 % + 10 % + 10 %

Compound Interest

› **Formula for Compound Interest**

– Calculation of Compound Interest Value denoted by CI

$$CI = P[(1+i)^n - 1]$$

– **where,**

P = Initial Principal
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

$$i = \frac{r\%}{nocppy}$$

$$n = t \times noccpy$$

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Effective Rate of Interest

$$E = [(1+i)^n - 1]$$

where,

i = adjusted interest rate

n = no. of periods in a year

Future Value – Single Cashflow

$$FV = CF(1+i)^n$$

where,

CF = Single Cashflow of which FV is to be calculated
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

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Future Value – Annuity Regular

$$FVAR = A_i \times FVAF(n,i)$$

$$FVAR = A_i \times \left\{ \frac{[(1+i)^n - 1]}{i} \right\}$$

Future Value Annuity Factor:
It is a multiplier for Annuity Value to obtain Final Future Value

where,

FVAR = Future Value of Annuity Regular
A_i = Annuity Value (Installment)
FVAF = Future Value Annuity Factor
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

Future Value – Annuity Due

› **Formula:**

$$FVAD = A_i \times FVAF(n,i) \times (1+i)$$

$$FVAD = A_i \times \left\{ \frac{[(1+i)^n - 1]}{i} \right\} \times (1+i)$$

Future Value Annuity Factor:
It is a multiplier for Annuity Value to obtain Final Future Value

where,

FVAD= Future Value of Annuity Due
A_i = Annuity Value (Installment)
FVAF = Future Value Annuity Factor
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

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Present Value – Single Cashflow

$$PV = \frac{CF}{(1+i)^n}$$

where,

CF = Single Cashflow for which PV is to be calculated
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

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Compounding and Discounting Factor

- **Compounding**
  - Finding Future Value of any Cashflow
  - *Compounding Factor*: $\times(1+i)^n$

- **Discounting**
  - Finding Present Value of any Cashflow
  - *Discounting Factor:* $\times\frac{1}{(1+i)^n}$

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Present Value – Annuity Regular

$$PVAR = A_i \times PVAF(n,i)$$

$$PVAR = A_i \times \left[\frac{1}{i} \times \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{(1+i)^n} \right\} \right]$$

Present Value Annuity Factor:
It is a multiplier for Annuity Value to obtain Final Present Value

where,

PVAR = Present Value of Annuity Regular
A_i = Annuity Value (Installment)
PVAF = Present Value Annuity Factor
i = adjusted interest rate
n = no. of periods

Calculator trick of PVAF

$$\boxed{1+i}\boxed{\div}\boxed{=}\boxed{=}\ldots n - times\boxed{GT}$$

Present Value – Annuity Due

$$PVAD = \left[A_i \times PVAF\left\{(n-1), i\right\} \right] + A_i$$

where,

PVAD = *Present Value of Annuity Due*
A_i = *Annuity Value (Installment)*
PVAF = *Present Value Annuity Factor*
i = *adjusted interest rate*
n = *no. of periods*
n-1 = *one lesser period*

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Perpetuity

$$PVP = \frac{A_i}{i}$$

where,

PVP = Present Value of Perpetuity
A_i = Annuity Value (Installment)
i = adjusted interest rate

Growing Perpetuity

$$PVGP = \frac{A_i}{i - g}$$

where,

$PVGP$ = Present Value of Growing Perpetuity
A_i = Annuity Value (Installment)
i = adjusted interest rate
g = growth rate

Net Present Value

- Formula
  - NPV = Present Value of Cash Inflows – Present Value of Cash Outflows
- Decision Base:
  - If NPV ≥ 0, accept the proposal, If NPV < 0, reject the proposal

Real Rate of Return

- **Meaning:**
  - The real interest rate is named so to show what a lender or investor receives in real terms after inflation is factored in.
- **Formula:**
  - Real Rate of Return = Nominal Rate of Return – Rate of Inflation

CAGR

- Compounded Annual Growth rate is the interest rate we used in Compound Interest.
- It is used to see returns on investment on yearly basis

Rules of Counting

› Multiplication Rule
  – If certain thing may be done in 'm' different ways and when it has been done, a second thing can be done in 'n ' different ways then total number of ways of doing both things simultaneously is (m × n) ways

› Addition Rule
  – It there are two alternative jobs which can be done in 'm' ways and in 'n' ways respectively then either of two jobs can be done in (m + n) ways

Word Used	Use
OR	+ Plus
AND	× Product

Factorial

- $n! = n(n-1)(n-2)\ldots 3.2.1$
- $n! = 1.2.3\ldots(n-2)(n-1)n$
- $n! = n(n-1)!$
- $n! = n(n-1)(n-2)!$
- $0! = 1$

Factorial Values

Value of n	Value of n!
1	1
2	2
3	6
4	24
5	120
6	720
7	5040

Value of n	Value of n!
8	40320
9	362880
10	3628800
11	39916800
12	479001600
13	6227020800
14	87178291200

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Theorem of Permutations

Number of Permutations when r objects are chosen out of n different objects

$$^{n}P_{r} = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

Few Observations:

$n \geq r$

n *is a positive integer*

Particular Case of theorem (n = r)

Number of Permutations when n objects are chosen out of n different objects

$$^{n}P_{n} = n!$$

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Special Formula (Must Remember)

$$(n + 1)! - n! = n.n!$$

Circular Permutations

› Theorem:

– The number of circular permutations of n different things chosen at a time is $(n-1)!$

– Note: this theorem applies only when we choose all of n things

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Circular Permutations (Type II)

- number of ways of arranging n persons along a closed curve so that no person has the same two neighbours is

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

- Same formula will apply if ask is to find number of different forms of necklaces/ garlands

Permutation with Restriction : Theorem 1

› Number of permutations of n distinct objects taken r at a time when a particular object is not taken in any arrangement is

$$^{n-1}P_r$$

Permutations with Restrictions : Theorem 2

› Number of permutations of r objects out of n distinct objects when a particular object is always included in any arrangement is

$$r.\ ^{n-1}P_{r-1}$$

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Relation between restriction theorem

$$^{n-1}P_r + r.\,^{n-1}P_{r-1} = {}^{n}P_r$$

One particular thing always included

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One particular thing always excluded

→ Total Permutations

No. of ways when things are never together

Ways of Never Together =

Total ways – Ways of always together

Theorem of Combinations

Number of Combinations when r objects are chosen out of n different objects

$$^{n}C_{r} = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!\,r!}$$

Few Observations:

- $n \geq r$
- n is a positive integer

Linkage of PNC Theorems

$$^{n}C_{r} = \frac{^{n}P_{r}}{r!}$$

Few Observations:

- $n \geq r$
- n is a positive integer

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Special Result of Combinations

$$^{n}C_{0} = 1$$

$$^{n}C_{n} = 1$$

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Complimentary Combinations

$$^{n}C_{r} = {}^{n}C_{n-r}$$

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Special Formula of Combination

$$^{n+1}C_r = {}^nC_r + {}^nC_{r-1}$$

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Combinations of one or more

Combinations of n different things taking **one or more** out of n things at a time

$$2^n - 1$$

Geometry in PNC

Particulars	Tips to Solve
No. of Straight Lines with the given n points	${}^{n}C_{2}$ 2 is used as we need to select two points to make a line
No. of Triangles with the given n points	${}^{n}C_{3}$ 3 is used as we need to select two points to make a line
Adjustment of Collinear Points	If there are collinear points in any problem, no. of lines or triangles formed using those points should be deducted from total no. of lines/ triangles
No. of Parallelogram with the given one set of m parallel lines and another set of n parallel lines	${}^{n}C_{2} \times {}^{m}C_{2}$ Selecting 2 lines from each set of parallel lines
No. of Diagonals	${}^{n}C_{2} - n$

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Common Difference of AP

$$d = t_2 - t_1 = t_3 - t_2 = \ldots = t_n - t_{n-1}$$

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General Term of an AP

$$t_n = a + (n-1)d$$

where,
a = first term
d = common difference
n = position number of term

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General Term of an AP

$$t_n = a + (n-1)d$$

Calculator Trick:

$$\boxed{a}\ \boxed{\pm}\ \boxed{d}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=}\ \ldots\ \boxed{=}$$

$$\uparrow t_2 \quad \uparrow t_3 \quad \uparrow t_4 \quad \uparrow t_n$$

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Sum of first n terms of an AP

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(a + t_n)$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}\{2a + (n-1)d\}$$

where,
a = first term
d = common difference
n = position number of term
t_n = nth term of AP

Sum of first n terms of an AP

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(a + t_n)$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}\{2a + (n-1)d\}$$

Calculator Trick

a	$\pm$	d	$=$	$=$	$=$	$\ldots$	$=$	GT	$+$	a
			$\uparrow$ t_2	$\uparrow$ t_3	$\uparrow$ t_4		$\uparrow$ t_n			

Sum of first n natural or counting numbers

$$S = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

Sum of first n odd numbers

$$S = n^2$$

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Sum of the squares of first n natural numbers

$$S = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

Sum of the cubes of first n natural numbers

$$S = \left\{ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right\}^2$$

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Common Ratio of GP

$$r = \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{t_n}{t_{n-1}}$$

General Term of an GP

$$t_n = ar^{n-1}$$

where,
a = first term
r = common ratio
n = position number of term

General Term of an AP

$$t_n = ar^{n-1}$$

Calculator Trick:

$$\boxed{r}\ \boxed{\times}\ \boxed{a}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=}\ \ldots\ \boxed{=}$$

$$\quad\quad\quad\quad\quad\quad \uparrow t_2 \quad \uparrow t_3 \quad \uparrow t_4 \quad\quad \uparrow t_n$$

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Sum of first n terms of a GP

$$S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$$

Use when r < 1

$$S_n = \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1}$$

Use when r > 1

where,
a = first term
r = common ratio
n = position number of term

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Sum of first n terms of a GP

$$S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$$

$$S_n = \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1}$$

Calculator Trick

$$\boxed{r}\ \boxed{\times}\ \boxed{a}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=}\ \boxed{=} \ldots \boxed{=}\ \boxed{GT}\ \boxed{+}\ \boxed{a}$$

$$\uparrow t_2 \quad \uparrow t_3 \quad \uparrow t_4 \quad \ldots \quad \uparrow t_n$$

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Sum of Infinite Geometric Series

$$S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

Can be used only if -1 < r < 1

where,
a = first term
r = common ratio
n = position number of term

Subset

› No. of possible subset of any set

Total = 2^n

Proper= 2^n-1

De Morgan's Law

- $(P \cup Q)' = P' \cap Q'$
- $(P \cap Q)' = P' \cup Q'$

2 Set Operations Formulas

- $n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$
  - Proof:
    - Example: A = {6, 2, 4, 1} B = {2, 4, 3}

3 Set Operations Formula

› $n(A \cup B \cup C) =$

$$n(A) + n(B) + n(C) - n(A \cap B) - n(B \cap C) - n(A \cap C) + n(A \cap B \cap C)$$

Composition of Functions

- $fog = fog(x) = f[g(x)]$

- $gof = gof(x) = g[f(x)]$

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Step Method of finding inverse of f

1. Write your function in the form of y
   - $y = f(x)$
2. From above expression, find the value of x
   - $x = \square$
3. Interchange value of x and y, now the RHS is Inverse function
   - $y = \square$

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Differentiation Basic Formulas

$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n)$	nx^{n-1}
$\frac{d}{dx}(e^x)$	e^x
$\frac{d}{dx}(a^x)$	$a^x \log_e a$
$\frac{d}{dx}(constant)$	0
$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{ax})$	ae^{ax}
$\frac{d}{dx}(\log x)$	$\frac{1}{x}$

Basic Laws of Differentiation

Function	Derivative of the Function
$h(x) = c.f(x)$ where c is a real constant, scalar multiplication of function	$\frac{d}{dx}\{h(x)\} = c.\frac{d}{dx}\{f(x)\}$
$h(x) = f(x) \pm g(x)$ sum/ difference of function	$\frac{d}{dx}\{h(x)\} = \frac{d}{dx}\{f(x)\} \pm \frac{d}{dx}\{g(x)\}$
$h(x) = f(x).g(x)$ Product of functions	$\frac{d}{dx}\{h(x)\} = f(x)\frac{d}{dx}g(x) + g(x)\frac{d}{dx}f(x)$
$h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ Quotient of Function	$\frac{d}{dx}\{h(x)\} = \frac{g(x)\frac{d}{dx}f(x) - f(x)\frac{d}{dx}g(x)}{\{g(x)\}}$

Cost and Revenue Functions

Cost Function	$y = C(x)$
Average Cost	$A(x) = \dfrac{C(x)}{x}$
Average Cost is minimum or maximum when	$A'(x) = 0$
Marginal Cost	$M(x) = \dfrac{dC}{dx}$
Marginal Cost is minimum or maximum when	$M'(x) = 0$
Marginal Revenue	$MR(x) = \dfrac{dR}{dx}$

Integration – Basic Formulas

i) $\int x^n \, dx = \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} + c, \ n \neq -1$ (If n=-1, $\frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} = \frac{1}{0}$ which is not defined)

ii) $\int dx = x + c$, since $\int 1dx = \int x^{\circ} dx = \frac{x1}{1} = x + c$

iii) $\int e^x \, dx = e^x + c$, since $\frac{d}{dx} e^x = e^x$

iv) $\int e^{ax} \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a} + c$, since $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{e^{ax}}{a}\right) = e^{ax}$

v) $\int \frac{dx}{x} = \log x + c$, since $\frac{d}{dx} \log x = \frac{1}{x}$

vi) $\int a^x \, dx = a^x / \log_e a + c$, since $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{a^x}{\log_e^a}\right) = a^x$

Integration by Parts – ILATE Rule

$$\int uv\,dx = u\int v\,dx - \int\left[\frac{d(u)}{dx}\int v\,dx\right]dx$$

where u and v are two different functions of x

Guidelines for Selecting u and dv:

(There are always exceptions, but these are generally helpful.)

"L-I-A-T-E" Choose 'u' to be the function that comes first in this list:

L: Logrithmic Function

I: Inverse Trig Function

A: Algebraic Function

T: Trig Function

E: Exponential Function