

You MUST use good notation and show appropriate work.

**Math 102**  
(Section 12.1-12.3)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. How many different license plates can be made if they must start and end with a letter and contain 3 digits between the two letters?

2. Suppose we wish to form three digit **even** numbers using only the digits from  $\{3, 4, 5\}$ . How many ways can these numbers be formed if:

a) repetition of digits is not allowed? \_\_\_\_\_

b) repetition of digits is allowed? \_\_\_\_\_

3. In a city election there are three candidates for mayor, four candidates for vice-mayor, six candidates for treasurer and two candidates for secretary. In how many ways can these four offices be filled?

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4. A security system has five switches, each of which can be open or closed. The state of the system is described by indicating for each switch whether it is open or closed. How many different states of the system are possible?

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5. Assume a student completes an eight question multiple-choice exam where each question has three possible choices. In how many different ways can a student complete the exam, if exactly one response is given to each question?

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6. In how many ways can a set of five different mathematics books and three different physics books be placed on a shelf with space for eight books, if all books on the same subject are to be kept together?

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7. How many different ordered arrangements can be formed on a shelf with space for three books, if there are six different books available?

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8. In how many ways can 4 boys and 5 girls be seated in a row of nine seats if boys and girls are to occupy alternate seats?

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9. Let  $N = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  and  $L = \{A, B, C\}$ .

a) How many 3 digit numbers are possible using digits (only) from the set N if the digits

i) can be repeated in a number?

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ii) can not be repeated in a number?

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b) How many license plates could be formed starting with a letter from  $L$  and following the letter with four digits selected from  $N$ , if the digits

i) can be repeated on a license plate?

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ii) can not be repeated on a license plate?

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10. Evaluate each of the following. [Recall that  ${}_n P_r = P(n, r)$  and  ${}_n C_r = C(n, r)$ .]

a)  $0! =$  \_\_\_\_\_

f)  $P(6, 2) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

b)  $5! =$  \_\_\_\_\_

g)  ${}_8 P_3 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

c)  $\frac{6!}{5!} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

h)  $C(8, 3) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

d)  $\frac{9!}{10!} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

i)  ${}_8 C_5 =$  \_\_\_\_\_

e)  $\frac{100!}{98!} =$  \_\_\_\_\_