

Combinatorial Analysis – Summary

Summary Table

Concept	Definition	Formula (no repetition)	With repetition
Arrangements	Ordered selection of k elements from n . Order matters.	$A_k^n = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$	n^k
Combinations	Unordered selection of k elements from n . Order does not matter.	$C_k^n = \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$	$\binom{n+k-1}{k}$
Permutations	Ordered arrangement of all n elements.	$P_n = n!$	$\frac{n!}{n_1! n_2! \cdots n_r!}$