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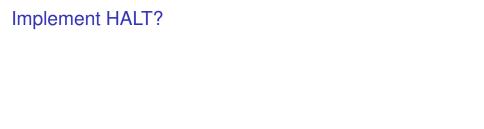
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### Outline: basics

- 1. Counting.
- 2. Tree
- 3. Rules of Counting
- 4. Sample with/without replacement where order does/doesn't matter.

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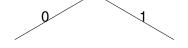
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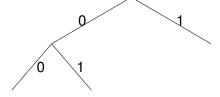
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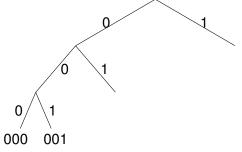
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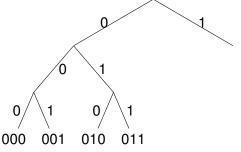
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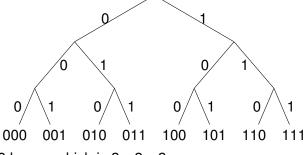


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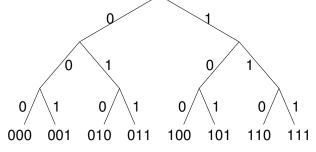
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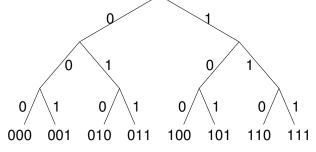
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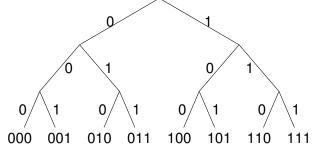
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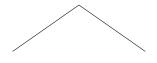
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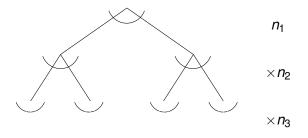


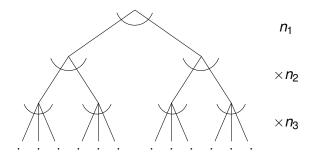
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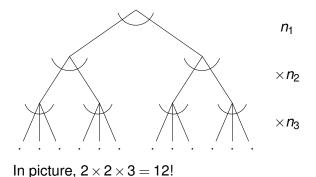
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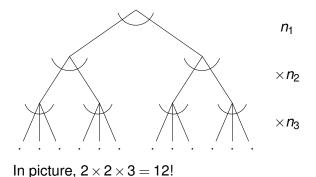












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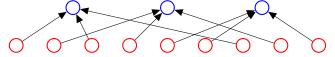
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Generic: ways to choose 5 out of 52 possibilities.

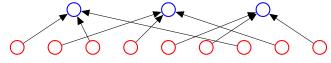
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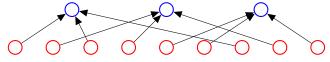


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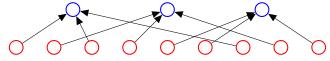
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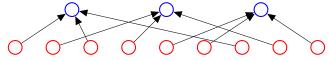
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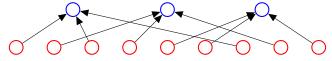
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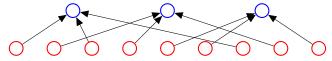


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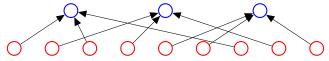


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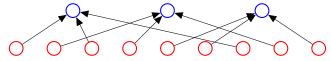


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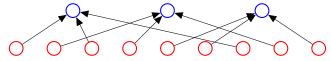
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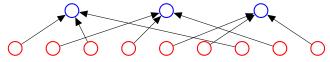
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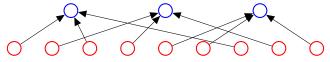
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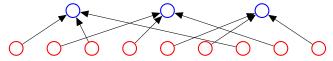
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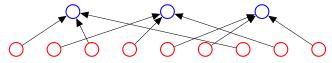
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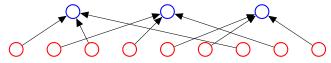
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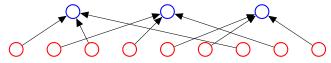
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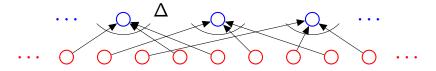
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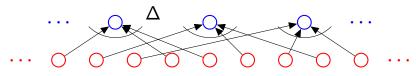
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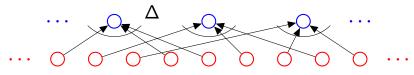
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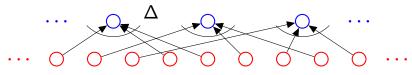
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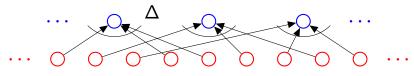
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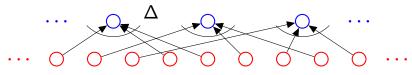
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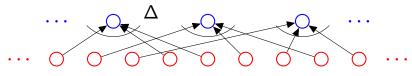
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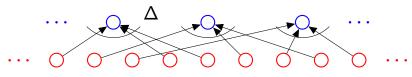
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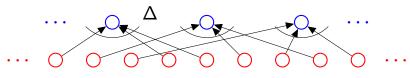


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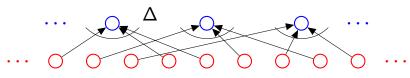
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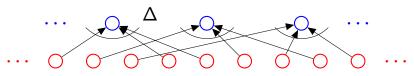
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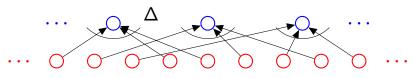
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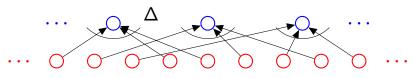
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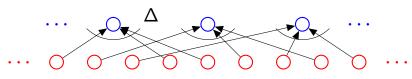
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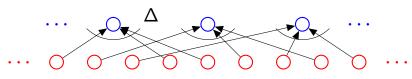
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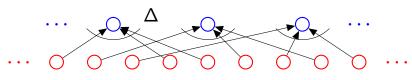
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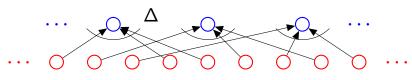
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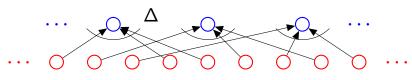
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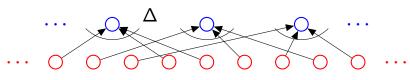
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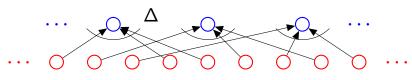
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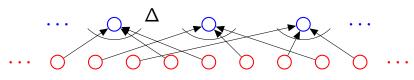
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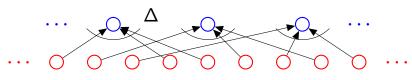
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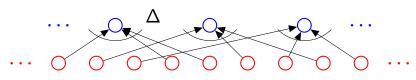
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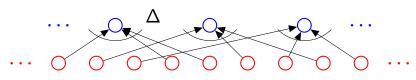
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Total: 52! Second Rule!

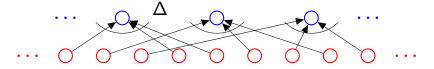
Choose k out of n.

Ordered set:  $\frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$  Orderings of one hand? k! (By first rule!)

 $\implies$  Total:  $\frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!}$  Second rule.

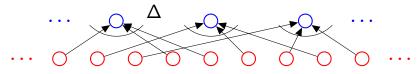
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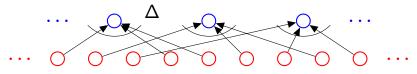
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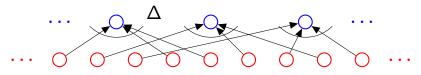


Orderings of ANAGRAM?

Ordered Set: 7!

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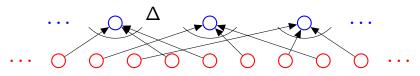
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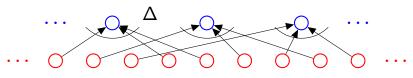


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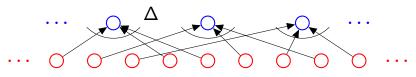
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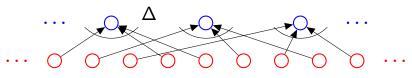
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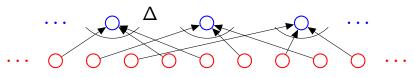
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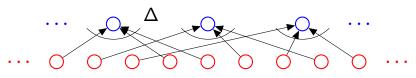
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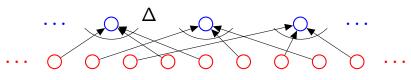
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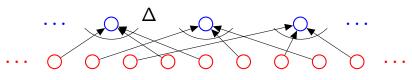
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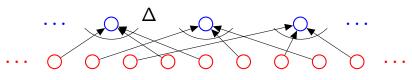
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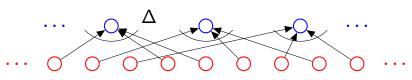
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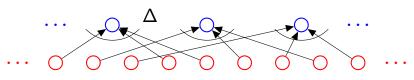
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