

Errata for
“Combinatorics: The Art of Counting”
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In the list that follows p/l (respectively, p//l) refers to the lth line from the top (respectively, bottom) of page p, ignoring figures. Also, $A \leftarrow B$ means A is to be replaced by B .

3//17 set of tiles \leftarrow sequence of tiles

3//10 $\mathcal{T}_0 \leftarrow \#\mathcal{T}_0$

3//9 $\mathcal{T}_1 \leftarrow \#\mathcal{T}_1$

22/9–10 Let i be the smallest such index and let j be the first index after i where repetition occurs. \leftarrow Let j be the smallest index such that v_j equals an earlier vertex in the sequence and let v_i be that earlier vertex.

28//2 $\text{std } \sigma \leftarrow \text{std } \sigma'$

37/16–17 bijection, that is, when $n = k \leftarrow$ bijective and $n = k$ are positive integers

49/6 Rogers-Ramanujan \leftarrow Rogers-Ramanujan

47//11 $\text{andis} \leftarrow$ is

59/8 Gessle \leftarrow Gessel

61, two lines above Proposition 2.6.1: matrix $C(G) \leftarrow$ matrix $C = C(G)$

69/2 Gessle \leftarrow Gessel

79/13 We induct on k where the case $k = 0$ is left to the reader. If $k > 0 \leftarrow$ We do a double induction on k, l where the cases $k = 0$ and $l = 0$ are left to the reader. When $k, l > 0$

82/18 the that range \leftarrow that the range

84/15 for any $n \leftarrow$ for $n = 1$

85/9 $n > N \leftarrow k > N$

100/16 to the enumerating \leftarrow to enumerating

102//17 $A \not\supseteq B \leftarrow A \not\supsetneq B$

104/11 Exercise 14(b) of Chapter 1 \leftarrow Exercise 19(b) of Chapter 2

104/14 $\phi^{-1}(O') = 1 \leftarrow \#\phi^{-1}(O') = 1$

104/15 $\phi^{-1}(O') = 2 \leftarrow \#\phi^{-1}(O') = 2$

104/17 $\phi^{-1}(O') = 2 \leftarrow \#\phi^{-1}(O') = 2$

104/21 $\phi^{-1}(O') = 2 \leftarrow \#\phi^{-1}(O') = 2$

109//4 Use part (b) \leftarrow Use parts (a) and (b)

110//6 two way \leftarrow two ways

113//15 $b > \min B_j \leftarrow b > \min B_{i+1}$

114/1–9 Throughout this exercise, one should use the inversion statistic, inv , rather than the major index, maj .

120//15 $\pi_k \leftarrow \pi_{k+1}$

120//14 k is odd $\leftarrow k$ is even

120//10 k is odd $\leftarrow k$ is even

120//9 even $k \leftarrow$ odd k

136/14 show that \leftarrow show that, for $n \geq 1$,

136/16 show that \leftarrow show that, for $n \geq 0$,

143//5 *upper-order ideals* \longleftarrow *Upper-order ideals*
 145//13 $X/Y \longleftarrow Y/X$ (in two places)
 150//10 finite \longleftarrow finite, nonempty
 151//10 $z, y, z \longleftarrow x, y, z$
 157//5 $\hat{0}_{[x,y]} \longleftarrow \hat{0}_{[x,z]}$
 172//2 right-hand \longleftarrow bottom
 173//14 $y \in I(x) \longleftarrow y \in I(X)$
 173//16 $I(X) \rightarrow (X) \longleftarrow I(X) \rightarrow I(X)$
 177//8 12(c) \longleftarrow 12(a)
 180 & ff Use f_ϕ for F_ϕ so there can be no confusion with the factorial function of P .
 182//20 $s \in \mathbb{C} \longleftarrow s$ is an integer greater than 1
 182//18 Add at the end of the sentence: for s with real part greater than 1.
 184//17 $x, y \in L \longleftarrow x, y \in P$
 184//3 a poset $P \longleftarrow$ a finite poset P
 190//2 $\#\mathcal{O} \mid \#X \longleftarrow \#\mathcal{O} \mid \#G$
 192//17 function \longleftarrow which is an analytic continuation of the series definition of $\zeta(s)$
 193//5 $4^2 \longleftarrow 2^4$
 197//2 we say \longleftarrow we saw
 199//2 $\binom{X}{k}^g \longleftarrow \#\binom{X}{k}^g$
 205//5 since cycles commute \longleftarrow since disjoint cycles commute
 214//4 polynomials \longleftarrow polynomials with nonnegative coefficients
 222//13 $\sum_{l(\lambda)=n} \longleftarrow \sum_{\ell(\lambda)=n}$
 224//10 Gessle \longleftarrow Gessel
 227//14 Gessle \longleftarrow Gessel
 228//7 Gessle \longleftarrow Gessel
 231//14 to be replace \longleftarrow to be replaced
 231//17 to be replaced $c' := c \longleftarrow c := c'$
 237//1 $x^{\text{des } \pi} \longleftarrow x^{\text{des } \pi} + 1$
 238//13 Note \longleftarrow Recall that linear extensions were defined in Section 5.5. Note
 240//7 (7.23) yields. \longleftarrow (7.23) yields
 242//5 $r_{\pi_k} \longleftarrow r_{\pi_k}(P_{k-1})$
 245//16 $P_{k-1} \longleftarrow P_{k-1}$, assuming $j \geq 2$. When $j = 1$, a similar proof will work
 244//14 $\text{st } U \longleftarrow \text{sh } U$
 259//10 $\gamma = \omega^i \longleftarrow \gamma = \omega^j$
 268//14 $i_1 < i_1 \longleftarrow i_1 < i_2$
 268//17 $7M_{121} \longleftarrow M_{121}$
 269//10 impose by $\alpha \longleftarrow$ imposed by α
 278//7 $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n(\Pi) \longleftarrow \sigma \in \text{Av}_n(\Pi)$
 278//14 $\sigma \in \mathfrak{S}_n(\Pi) \longleftarrow \sigma \in \text{Av}_n(\Pi)$

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