Instructions: Legibly complete each of the following exercises; +1 bonus point if written in IATEX.

- 1. How many integers between 1000 and 9999 inclusive are divisible by either 6 or 15?
- 2. A sysadmin requires accounts to have passwords of length between 10 and 13 characters. The allowed characters are lowercase and uppercase English letters, numeric digits, and special characters \*, >, <, !, +, and =.
  - (a) How many passwords are possible in this scheme?
  - (b) How many passwords use at least one special character?
- 3. How many bit strings of length 12 contain...
  - (a) exactly 3 ones?
  - (b) at least 7 zeroes?
  - (c) the same number of zeroes and ones?
- 4. How many anagrams are there of the word COMBINATORICS?
- 5. How many ways can 20 people sit in order around a round table?
- 6. Prove that for all  $1 \le k < n$  we have  $\binom{n-1}{k-1}\binom{n}{k+1}\binom{n+1}{k} = \binom{n-1}{k}\binom{n}{k-1}\binom{n+1}{k+1}$ .
- 7. Prove that  $k \binom{n}{k} = n \binom{n-1}{k-1}$  by counting the set  $\{(i, S) \in [n] \times \mathbb{P}([n]) : i \in S, \#S = k\}$  in two ways.
- 8. Suppose 25 Apple users and 25 Windows users are seated at a round table.
  - (a) Show that someone is seated next to two Apple users.
  - (b) How long before everyone realizes they should switch to Linux?