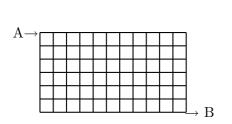
Solutions to Quiz 2

1. 線の上を右か下に進み A から B へ行く行き方の数 x と、r 個のみかんを s 人のこどもで分ける分け方の数は同じである(一人が一つももらえなくても良いとする。) The number x is the ways to move from A to B by going to the right or down. This number is same as the number of ways r Japanese oranges are distributed among s children (some may get none). (10pts)



(a) r と s は何か。What are r and s?

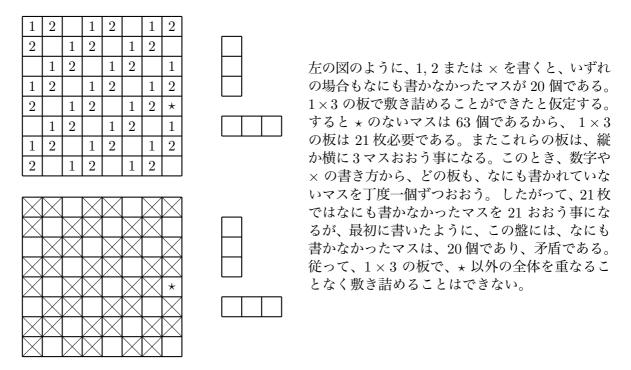
$$r = \boxed{11}$$
 $s = \boxed{7}$

r = 6, s = 12 も正解です。

(b) この数 x はいくつか。 ${}_{n}C_{m}$ の形で表せ。What is the number x? Express the number in the form ${}_{n}C_{m}$

$$x = \boxed{17C_6}$$

2. 下のようなチェス盤から、 \star のところを取り除いたものは、 1×3 の板では敷き詰められないことを説明せよ。 Explain the fact that it is impossible to cover up the board without overlapping using 1×3 plates below.



Write 1, 2 or \times as in the boards above. Observe that there are 20 squares with no marks in either case.

Suppose this board can be covered up by 1×3 plates without overlapping. Since there are 63 squares, we need 21 plates. In order to cover up without overlapping, each plate has to be placed either horizontally or vertically covering up three squares. Moreover, each plate covers up exactly one square with no marks. So with 21 plates 21 squares with no marks are to be covered, contradicting our first observation that there are only 20 squares with no marks. Therefore it is impossible to cover up the board without overlapping.