Exam 1 Redux

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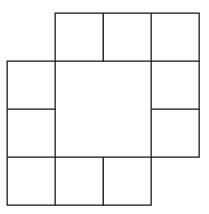
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For each problem that you did not solve correctly on our exam, please provide two independent solutions to the corresponding problem here.

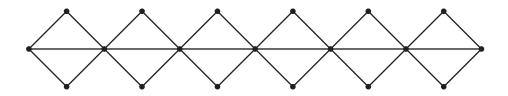
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[2] How many paths are there from the lower left corner to the upper right corner of this grid, moving only up or to the right?



[3] How many paths are there of length 7 from the leftmost vertex to the rightmost vertex? Ignore paths that visit a vertex twice.



[4] How many ways can one fill a tube of length 14, using sticks of length 2 and 3? Two of the possibilities are shown below:

[5] There are 21 ways to cut a hexagon into three pieces. How many ways are there to cut a 7-gon into three pieces?

