Math 421 Q1 Winter 2017 Homework 6

Due Mar. 9, 12pm.

Total 20 points

QUESTION 1. (10 PTS) How many ways are there to color the corners of a regular pentagon with the colors red, blue, and green if

- a) (5 PTS) Only rotation is allowed.
- b) (5 PTS) Both rotation and flipping are allowed.

Give the numerical value of your answer.

QUESTION 2. (5 PTS) How many ways are there to color the four vertices of a square with five colors such that no color is used on more than three vertices? Both rotation and flipping are allowed.

QUESTION 3. (5 PTS) How many ways are there to color the four vertices of a non-square rhombus with m colors? Both rotation and flipping are allowed.