



# Direct and Elementary Approach to Enumerate Topologies on a Finite Set

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## Abstract

Let  $\mathbb{E}$  be a set with  $n$  elements, and let  $\tau(n, k)$  be the set of all labelled topologies on  $\mathbb{E}$ , having  $k$  open sets, and  $T(n, k) = |\tau(n, k)|$ . In this paper, we use a direct approach to compute  $T(n, k)$  for all  $n \geq 4$  and  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ .

## 1 Introduction

Let  $\mathbb{E}$  be a set with  $n$  elements. The problem of determining the total number of labelled topologies  $T(n)$  one can define on  $\mathbb{E}$  is still an open question. Sharp [3], and Stephen [6] had shown that every topology which is not discrete contains  $k \leq 3 \cdot 2^{n-2}$  open sets, and that this bound is optimal. Stanley [5] computed all labelled topologies on  $\mathbb{E}$ , with  $k \geq 7 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets. In the opposite sense, Benoumhani [1] computed, for all  $n$ , the total number of labelled topologies with  $k \leq 12$  open sets. In the other hand, Ern e and Stege [2] computed the total number of topologies, for  $n \leq 14$ . In this paper, we use a direct approach to compute all labelled topologies on  $\mathbb{E}$  having  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets. Furthermore, we confirm the results in [3, 5, 6]. This work is a continuation of the results of [1, 5]. Here is our approach. The set  $\tau(n, k)$  is partitioned into two disjoint parts as follows:

$$\tau(n, k) = \tau_1(n, k) \cup \tau_2(n, k),$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_1(n, k) &= \left\{ \tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_{k-2}, \mathbb{E}\} \in \tau(n, k), \text{ such that } \bigcap_{i=1}^{k-2} A_i \neq \emptyset \right\}, \\ \tau_2(n, k) &= \tau(n, k) - \tau_1(n, k).\end{aligned}$$

In Theorem 2.1, we prove that the cardinal  $T_1(n, k) = |\tau_1(n, k)|$  satisfies

$$T_1(n, k) = \sum_{l=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{l} T(l, k-1), \quad \forall n \geq 1.$$

This relation enables us to compute  $T_1(n, k)$  for  $k > 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ . For the determination of the cardinal  $T_2(n, k) = |\tau_2(n, k)|$ , we introduce the notion of minimal open set (Definition 2.2), and we designate by  $\tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$  the labelled topologies in  $\tau_2(n, k)$  having  $\alpha \geq 2$  minimal open sets. In Lemma 2.2, it is proved that if  $k > 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  such that  $k \neq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and  $k \neq 2^{n-1}$ , then all the minimal open sets of  $\tau$  are necessarily singletons. So, we can compute the numbers  $T_2(n, k, \alpha)$  for all  $n \geq 4$ ,  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and  $\alpha \geq 2$ .

## 2 Basic Results

**Theorem 2.1.** *For every integer  $n > 1$ , and  $2 \leq k \leq 2^n$ , we have*

$$T_1(n, k) = \sum_{l=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{l} T(l, k-1),$$

with the convention that  $T(l, 1) = 0$ .

*Proof.* Let  $A \subset \mathbb{E}$ , with  $|A| = l \leq n-1$ , and let  $\tau'$  be a topology on  $A$ , and having  $k-1$  open sets. To this topology we associate the following one

$$\Phi_A(\tau') = \tau = \{O \cup A^c, \quad O \in \tau'\} \cup \{\emptyset\}.$$

Obviously  $\Phi_A$  is an injective mapping on  $\tau(l, k-1)$  into  $\tau_1(n, k)$ . In the other hand, if  $|A| = |B| = l \leq n-1$  and  $A \neq B$ , then

$$R(\Phi_A) \cap R(\Phi_B) = \emptyset,$$

where  $R(\Phi_A)$  is the image of  $\Phi_A$ . This shows that

$$T_1(n, k) \geq \sum_{l=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{l} T(l, k-1).$$

Conversely, if  $\tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_{k-2}, \mathbb{E}\} \in \tau_1(n, k)$ , with  $A_1 = \bigcap_{i=1}^{k-2} A_i$ , then  $\tau' = \{O - A_1, \quad O \in \tau\}$  is a topology on  $A_1^c$ , having  $k-1$  open sets, and  $\Phi_{A_1^c}(\tau') = \tau$ . This shows the other inequality, and completes the proof.  $\square$

The following definition will be needed in the sequel.

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $\tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_{k-2}, \mathbb{E}\} \in \tau(n, k)$ . The element  $A_i$  is called a *minimal open set*, if it satisfies:

$$A_i \cap A_j = A_i \quad \text{or} \quad \emptyset, \quad \forall j = 1, \dots, k-2.$$

**Remark 2.3.** i) A topology on  $\mathbb{E}$  is a bounded lattice with  $(1 = \mathbb{E}, 0 = \emptyset)$ . A minimal open set is in fact an atom. Recall that an atom in a partially ordered set is an element which covers 0. So, every topology has at least one minimal open set, and  $\tau_1(n, k)$  is the subset of topologies having exactly one minimal open set.

ii) If  $\tau \in \tau_2(n, k)$ , then  $\tau$  has at least two minimal open sets.

iii) The space  $\mathbb{E}$  is a union of  $\alpha$  minimal open sets for the topology  $\tau \in \tau(n, k)$  if and only if  $k = 2^\alpha$ .

iv) If  $\tau$  has  $\alpha$  minimal open sets, then  $k \geq 2^\alpha$ .

**Definition 2.4.** For  $\alpha \geq 2$ , we define

$$\tau_2(n, k, \alpha) = \{\tau \in \tau_2(n, k), \quad \tau \text{ has } \alpha \text{ minimal open sets}\}.$$

Note that if  $\alpha_1 \neq \alpha_2$ , then  $\tau_2(n, k, \alpha_1) \cap \tau_2(n, k, \alpha_2) = \emptyset$ . So

$$T_2(n, k) = \sum_{\alpha \geq 2, 2^\alpha \leq k} T_2(n, k, \alpha).$$

The computation of  $T_2(n, k)$  is then equivalent to the computation of  $T_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , for  $\alpha \geq 2$ , under the condition  $2^\alpha \leq k$ . If  $k = 2^\alpha$ , then

$$T_2(n, 2^\alpha, \alpha) = S(n, \alpha),$$

where  $S(n, \alpha)$  is the Stirling number of the second kind.

**Lemma 2.1.** Let  $n \geq 1$ ,  $\alpha \geq 2$ . Then  $\tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$  is empty, for  $k > 2^{n-1} + 2^{\alpha-1}$ . In addition, this bound is optimal:

$$\tau_2(n, 2^{n-1} + 2^{\alpha-1}, \alpha) \neq \emptyset.$$

*Proof.* We argue by contradiction. Suppose that  $\tau \in \tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , and write it as

$$\tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_\alpha, \dots, \mathbb{E}\},$$

where  $A_1, \dots, A_\alpha$  are the  $\alpha$  minimal open sets of  $\tau$ . Put  $A = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\alpha} A_i$ , the topology  $\tau' = \{O - A, \quad O \in \tau\}$  on  $A^c$  has at least  $[k 2^{1-\alpha} - 1]$  open sets. In the other hand,  $|A^c| \leq n - \alpha$ , and since  $\tau'$  is at most the discrete topology, we obtain

$$k 2^{1-\alpha} - 1 \leq |\tau'| \leq 2^{n-\alpha}.$$

This contradiction proves that  $\tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$  is empty. The second assertion will be proved in the next section.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $\tau \in \tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , with  $k > 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ ,  $k \neq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and  $k \neq 2^{n-1}$ . Then, all the minimal open sets of  $\tau$  are singletons.*

*Proof.* Let  $\tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_\alpha, \dots, \mathbb{E}\} \in \tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , where  $A_1, \dots, A_\alpha$  are its minimal open sets, and suppose that  $A = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\alpha} A_i$  has more than  $\alpha + 1$  elements. The same argument used in the previous Lemma gives  $5 \cdot 2^{n-4} < k \leq 2^{n-2} + 2^{\alpha-1}$ . This last inequality is possible only for  $\alpha = n - 1$  or  $\alpha = n - 2$ . In the first case,  $\mathbb{E}$  is a union of  $n - 1$  minimal open sets, so  $k = 2^{n-1}$ , which is excluded. In the second, necessarily  $k = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , which is also excluded. So, all the minimal open sets of  $\tau$  are singletons.  $\square$

### 3 Computation

Firstly, we compute  $T_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , for  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  and  $\alpha \geq 2$ . We use the notation

$$(n)_l = n(n-1) \cdots (n-l+1),$$

and we convenient that if  $l > n$ , then  $(n)_l = 0$ . We start by the number of topologies  $\tau \in \tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$ , such that  $\tau$  has at least one minimal open set, which is not a singleton. For this, the previous Lemma gives  $k = 2^{n-1}$  or  $k = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ . If  $k = 2^{n-1}$ , then  $\alpha = n - 1$  and the number of these topologies is

$$S(n, n-1) = \frac{(n)_2}{2}.$$

If  $k = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , we have  $\alpha = n - 2$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$2(n-2) \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{1} = (n-2) (n)_3.$$

The remaining topologies of  $\tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$  have the property that all their minimal open sets are singletons. For this, let  $\tau \in \tau_2(n, k, \alpha)$

$$\tau = \{\emptyset, A_1, \dots, A_\alpha, \dots, \mathbb{E}\}.$$

Put  $\alpha = n - i$ ,  $0 \leq i \leq n - 2$ , and  $A = \cup_{i=1}^{\alpha} A_i$ . The topology  $\tau' = \{O - A, O \in \tau\}$  (on  $A^c$ ), can be written as follows:

$$\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1, \dots, C_m\}, \quad m \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 5 \cdot 2^{i-3} - 1, 3 \cdot 2^{i-2} - 1, 2^i - 1\}.$$

To reconstruct  $\tau$  from  $\tau'$ , we remark that every  $C_j$ , if it exists, generates  $2^{i_j}$  open sets in  $\tau$ , with  $i_j \leq n - i - 1$ . So, the number  $k$  has necessarily the form:

$$k = 2^{n-i} + 2^{i_1} + 2^{i_2} + \dots + 2^{i_m},$$

where the integers  $i_j$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq m$  can be dependant. Our approach is that for all  $\alpha$ ,  $2 \leq \alpha \leq n$ , we determine all possibilities of the number  $k$ , and next the number of all these topologies.

For  $\underline{\alpha = n}$ .  $A^c = \emptyset$ ; so  $m = 0$ ,  $k = 2^n$  and  $T_2(n, 2^n, n) = 1$ . This case corresponds to the discrete topology.

For  $\underline{\alpha = n - 1}$ .  $A^c = \{x\}$ ; so  $m = 1$ , and  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1 = \{x\}\}$ . All the possibilities of  $k$  are given by

$$k = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1-j}, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n - 1.$$

The number of these topologies is

$$T_2(n, 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1-j}, n - 1) = n \binom{n-1}{j} = \frac{(n)_{j+1}}{j!}, \quad 1 \leq j \leq n - 1.$$

For  $\underline{\alpha = n - 2}$ .  $A^c = \{x, y\}$ ,  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1, \dots, C_m\}$ , with  $m = 1, 2$  or  $3$ .

If  $m = 1$ ,  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1 = \{x, y\}\}$ . Since we are supposing  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , the unique possibility is that  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets. So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$\binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{1} = \frac{(n)_3}{2}.$$

If  $m = 2$ ,  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1 = \{x\}, C_2 = \{x, y\}\}$  or  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1 = \{y\}, C_2 = \{x, y\}\}$ . Here we have two categories of solutions:

a)  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets, and  $C_2$  generates  $2^{n-3-j}$ ,  $0 \leq j \leq n-3$ , open sets. Hence

$$k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-3-j} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-3-j}, \quad 0 \leq j \leq n - 3.$$

The number of such topologies is

$$2(j+1) \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{j+1} = \frac{(n)_{j+3}}{j!}.$$

b)  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets and also  $C_2$  generates  $2^{n-4}$ . So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-4} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the number in this case is

$$2 \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{2} = \frac{(n)_3}{2}.$$

If  $m = 3$ ,  $\tau' = \{\emptyset, C_1 = \{x\}, C_2 = \{y\}, C_3 = \{x, y\}\}$ . There are 8 categories of solutions:

a) Each  $C_j$ ,  $j = 1, 2, 3$  generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets. So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-3} = 10 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the wanted number is

$$\binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{1} = \frac{(n)_3}{2}.$$

b)  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets,  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  each one generates  $2^{n-3-j}$  open sets, with  $1 \leq j \leq n-3$ . So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-3-j} + 2^{n-3-j} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-2-j}$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n-3$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$2(j+1) \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{j+1} = \frac{(n)_{j+3}}{j!}.$$

c)  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  each one generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets, but  $C_3$  generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets. So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-4} = 9 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$2 \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{2} = \frac{(n)_4}{2}.$$

d)  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-3}$  open sets,  $C_2$  generates  $2^{n-2-j}$ ,  $2 \leq j \leq n-3$  open sets. So,  $C_3$  generates  $2^{n-3-j}$  open sets, and  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-2-j} + 2^{n-3-j} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-3-j}$ ,  $2 \leq j \leq n-3$ . The number of these topologies is

$$2(j+1) \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{j+1} = \frac{(n)_{j+3}}{j!}.$$

e)  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  and  $C_3$  each one generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets. So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-4} = 7 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$\binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{2} = \frac{(n)_4}{4}.$$

f)  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ , each one generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets, but  $C_3$  generates  $2^{n-5}$  open sets. In this case  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-5} = 13 \cdot 2^{n-5}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$6 \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{3} = \frac{(n)_5}{2}.$$

g)  $C_1$  generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets, and each one of  $C_2$ ,  $C_3$  generates  $2^{n-5}$ . So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-5} + 2^{n-5} = 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$6 \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{3} = \frac{(n)_5}{2}.$$

h) Each one of  $C_1$ ,  $C_2$  generates  $2^{n-4}$  open sets, but  $C_3$  generates  $2^{n-6}$ . So,  $k = 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-6} = 25 \cdot 2^{n-6}$ , and the number of these topologies is

$$6 \binom{n}{n-2} \binom{n-2}{4} = \frac{(n)_6}{8}.$$

All the other cases give  $k < 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ . We resume all these results in the next statement.

**Theorem 3.1.** *Let  $n \geq 4$ , and  $\alpha = n - 2$ . Then we have*

$k$	$T_2(n, k, n-2)$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$(n-1)(n)_3 + \frac{1}{2}(n)_5$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 1$	$(n)_3$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-3-j}, \quad 4 \leq j \leq n-4$	$\frac{(n-2)(n)_{j+3}}{(j+1)!}$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-3-j}, \quad 5 \leq j \leq n-3$	$\frac{(n)_{j+3}}{j!}$
$25 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$\frac{7}{24}(n)_6 + \frac{1}{24}(n)_7$
$51 \cdot 2^{n-7}$	$\frac{1}{24}(n)_7$
$13 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$(n)_5 + \frac{1}{6}(n)_6$
$27 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$\frac{1}{6}(n)_6$
$7 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$\frac{5}{4}(n)_4 + \frac{1}{2}(n)_5$
$15 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_5$
$2^{n-1}$	$(n)_3 + (n)_4$
$9 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_4$
$10 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_3$

All other topologies in  $\tau_2(n, k, n-2)$  have  $k < 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets.

We use the same reasoning as above, to show the following theorem.

**Theorem 3.2.** *Let  $n \geq 5$ , and  $\alpha = n - i$ ,  $3 \leq i \leq n - 2$ . Then, the following results hold.  
For  $\alpha = n - 3$ , if  $n = 5$ , we have*

$k$	12	13	14	15	18
$T_2(5, k, 2)$	360	60	180	60	20

If  $n \geq 6$ , we have

$k$	$6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$25 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$13 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$27 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$7 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$15 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$9 \cdot 2^{n-4}$
$T_2(n, k, n-3)$	$(n)_4 + \frac{5}{2}(n)_5 + \frac{5}{4}(n)_6$	$\frac{1}{4}(n)_6$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_5$	$\frac{1}{6}(n)_6$	$(n)_4 + \frac{1}{2}(n)_5$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_5$	$\frac{1}{6}(n)_4$

For  $\alpha = n - 4$ , and  $n \geq 6$

$k$	$25 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$13 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$27 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$17 \cdot 2^{n-5}$
$T_2(n, k, n-4)$	$\frac{1}{8}(n)_6$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_5 + \frac{1}{6}(n)_6$	$\frac{1}{6}(n)_6$	$\frac{1}{24}(n)_5$

For  $\alpha = n - i$ ,  $5 \leq i \leq n - 2$ , and  $n \geq 7$

$k$	$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-i-1}$	$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-i-2}$	$2^{n-1} + 2^{n-i-1}$
$T_2(n, k, n - i)$	$\frac{(n-2)}{(i-1)!} (n)_{i+1}$	$\frac{1}{(i-1)!} (n)_{i+2}$	$\frac{(n)_{i+1}}{i!}$

All other topologies in  $\tau_2(n, k, n - i)$ ,  $3 \leq i \leq n - 2$ , have  $k < 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets.

Now, we compute  $T_1(n, k)$ , for  $k > 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ .

**Theorem 3.3.** For all  $n \geq 5$ , and  $k > 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}$ , we have:

$$\begin{aligned} T_1(n, 2^{n-1} + 1) &= n, \\ T_1(n, 3 \cdot 2^{n-3} + 1) &= (n)_3, \\ T_1(n, 5 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 1) &= (n)_4, \\ T_1(n, k) &= 0, \text{ otherwise.} \end{aligned}$$

*Proof.* Obviously, we have  $T_1(n, 2^{n-1} + 1) = nT(n-1, 2^{n-1}) = n$ ,  $T_1(n, 3 \cdot 2^{n-3} + 1) = nT(n-1, 3 \cdot 2^{n-3}) = n(n-1)_2 = (n)_3$ , and  $T_1(n, 5 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 1) = nT(n-1, 5 \cdot 2^{n-4}) = n(n-1)_3 = (n)_4$ . If  $k > 2^{n-1} + 1$ , we have  $T(l, k-1) = 0$ , for  $1 \leq l \leq n-1$ , so  $T_1(n, k) = 0$ . If  $5 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 1 < k < 2^{n-1} + 1$ , and  $k \neq 3 \cdot 2^{n-3} + 1$ , the Theorem 2.1 yields  $T_1(n, k) = nT(n-1, k-1)$ . But we know that  $T(n-1, k-1) = 0$ , for  $5 \cdot 2^{n-4} < k-1 < 2^{n-1}$ , and  $k \neq 3 \cdot 2^{n-3} + 1$ ; so we deduce  $T_1(n, k) = 0$ , and the proof is complete.  $\square$

Now, we can give the number of all labelled topologies with  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets.

**Theorem 3.4.** Suppose that  $n \geq 7$ , then the total number of labelled topologies, with  $k \geq 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets, is given by



$k$	$T_2(n, k)$	$T_1(n, k)$	$T(n, k)$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$(n-1)(n)_3 + (n)_4 + 3(n)_5 + \frac{5}{4}(n)_6$	0	$(n-1)(n)_3 + (n)_4 + 3(n)_5 + \frac{5}{4}(n)_6$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 1$	$(n)_3$	$(n)_3$	$2(n)_3$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 2^{n-3-j}, 4 \leq j \leq n-4$	$\frac{2(n-2)(n)_{j+3}}{(j+1)!}$	0	$\frac{2(n-2)(n)_{j+3}}{(j+1)!}$
$6 \cdot 2^{n-4} + 3 \cdot 2^{n-3-j}, 5 \leq j \leq n-3$	$\frac{2}{j!}(n)_{j+3}$	0	$\frac{2}{j!}(n)_{j+3}$
$25 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$\frac{n+14}{24}(n)_6 + \frac{1}{24}(n)_7$	0	$\frac{(n+14)(n)_6}{24} + \frac{(n)_7}{24}$
$51 \cdot 2^{n-7}$	$\frac{1}{12}(n)_7$	0	$\frac{1}{12}(n)_7$
$13 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$2(n)_5 + \frac{1}{3}(n)_6$	0	$2(n)_5 + \frac{1}{3}(n)_6$
$27 \cdot 2^{n-6}$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_6$	0	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_6$
$7 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$\frac{9}{4}(n)_4 + (n)_5$	0	$\frac{9}{4}(n)_4 + (n)_5$
$15 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$(n)_5$	0	$(n)_5$
$2^{n-1}$	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_2 + (n)_3 + (n)_4$	0	$\frac{1}{2}(n)_2 + (n)_3 + (n)_4$
$2^{n-1} + 1$	$n$	$n$	$2n$
$2^{n-1} + 2^{n-j-1}, 5 \leq j \leq n-2$	$\frac{2}{j!}(n)_{j+1}$	0	$\frac{2}{j!}(n)_{j+1}$
$17 \cdot 2^{n-5}$	$\frac{1}{12}(n)_5$	0	$\frac{1}{12}(n)_5$
$9 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$\frac{5}{6}(n)_4$	0	$\frac{5}{6}(n)_4$
$10 \cdot 2^{n-4}$	$(n)_3$	0	$(n)_3$
$3 \cdot 2^{n-2}$	$(n)_2$	0	$(n)_2$
$2^n$	1	0	1

For  $n = 6$ , the total number of labelled topologies having  $k \geq 24$  open sets is given by

$k$	$ \tau_2(6, k) $	$ \tau_1(6, k) $	$ \tau(6, k) $
24	4020	0	4020
25	480	120	600
26	1680	0	1680
27	360	0	360
28	1530	0	1530
30	720	0	720
32	495	0	495
33	6	6	12
34	60	0	60
36	300	0	300
40	120	0	120
48	30	0	30
64	1	0	1

For  $n = 5$ , the total number of labelled topologies having  $k \geq 12$  open sets is given by

$k$	$ \tau_2(5, k) $	$ \tau_1(5, k) $	$ \tau(5, k) $
12	660	0	660
13	180	60	240
14	390	0	390
15	120	0	120
16	190	0	190
17	5	5	10
18	100	0	100
20	60	0	60
24	20	0	20
32	1	0	1

For  $n = 4$ , the total number of labelled topologies having  $k \geq 6$  open sets is given by

$k =$	6	7	8	9	10	12	16
$ \tau_2(4, k) $	72	30	54	16	24	12	1
$ \tau_1(4, k) $	0	24	0	4	0	0	0
$ \tau(4, k) $	72	54	54	20	24	12	1

All the others topologies on  $\mathbb{E}$  have  $k < 6 \cdot 2^{n-4}$  open sets.

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