## Reading Quiz §5

1. Consider the permutation  $\sigma$  acting on the set  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  where:

 $\sigma(1) = 3$ 

 $\sigma(2) = 2$ 

 $\sigma(3) = 5$ 

 $\sigma(4) = 1 \qquad \sigma(5) = 4$ 

- (a) [1] Write  $\sigma$  as an array.
- (b) [1]Write  $\sigma$  with cycle notation.
- (c) [1] Write  $\sigma$  as a product of 2-cycles.
- 2. [1] Find  $|S_5|$
- 3. [1] Find the order of  $\alpha \in S_8$  where  $\alpha = (134)(2658)(7)$