

例題 51

別解

(1)

$$f(x) = (x+1)^n \text{ とすると, } f(x) = (x+1)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n x^k {}_n C_k \text{ より,}$$

$$f'(x) = n(x+1)^{n-1} = \sum_{k=0}^n kx^{k-1} {}_n C_k$$

$$\therefore f'(1) = n \cdot 2^{n-1} = \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot {}_n C_k$$

$$\text{ゆえに, } \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot {}_n C_k = n \cdot 2^{n-1}$$

(2)

$$(1) \text{ より, } f''(x) = n(n-1)(x+1)^{n-2} = \sum_{k=0}^n k(k-1)x^{k-2} {}_n C_k$$

$$\text{ここで, } \sum_{k=0}^n k(k-1)x^{k-2} {}_n C_k = \sum_{k=0}^n k^2 \cdot x^{k-2} {}_n C_k - \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot x^{k-2} {}_n C_k$$

$$\therefore n(n-1)(x+1)^{n-2} = \sum_{k=0}^n k^2 \cdot x^{k-2} {}_n C_k - \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot x^{k-2} {}_n C_k$$

$x=1$ を代入すると,

$$n(n-1)2^{n-2} = \sum_{k=0}^n k^2 \cdot {}_n C_k - \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot {}_n C_k$$

$$\text{これと } \sum_{k=0}^n k \cdot {}_n C_k = n \cdot 2^{n-1} \text{ より,}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=0}^n k^2 \cdot {}_n C_k &= n(n-1)2^{n-2} + n \cdot 2^{n-1} \\ &= (n^2 + n)2^{n-2} \end{aligned}$$