

Hint for Problem 272

If the list $(i \ \sigma(i) \ \sigma^2(i) \ \dots \ \sigma^n(i))$ does not have repeated elements but the list $(i \ \sigma(i) \ \sigma^2(i) \ \dots \ \sigma^n(i) \ \sigma^{n+1}(i))$ does have repeated elements, then which element or elements are repeats?