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The number of ways to choose k elements from an n set allowed m repetitions is called the (n, k) -th m -generalized combination. This talk will show how the row echelon form of a matrix consisting of m -generalized combinations can be related to a matrix of $(m - 1)$ -generalized combinations. (Received September 25, 2012)