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Closed Form

An equation is said to be a closed-form solution if it solves a given problem in terms of functions and mathematical operations from a given generally-accepted set.

For example, the sum of the first N numbers is given by the closed form

$$\sum_{i=0}^N i = \frac{N \times (N + 1)}{2}$$

A great tool to find closed form is a search tool [The On-Line Encyclopedia of Integer Sequences](#).

Related challenge for **Closed Form**

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