

Week 2 M/W

Problem 1.

Arithmetic Series $S = 5 + 8 + 11 + \dots + 88$

$$a_1 = 5$$

$$d = 3$$

~~Find~~

$$a_n = 88$$

$$88 = 5 + (n-1)3$$

$$83 = 3(n-1)$$

$$83 - 1 = 2n$$

$$n = 22$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{22} = [5 + (k-1)3]$$

Problem 2.

$$\sum_{k=1}^{13} (2k+1)$$

start at $k=1$

$$j = k-2$$

$$k=3, j=1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{13} = [2(j+2)+1] = [2j+5]$$

Problem 3.

Recursive notation

$$Q_1 = 12$$

$$Q_n = Q_{n-1} + d$$

$$d = \frac{Q_{10} - Q_1}{10 - 1} = \frac{57 - 12}{9} = 6$$

$$Q_{10} = 57$$

$$d = 6$$

$$Q_{25} = ?$$

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$59 = 12 + (n-1)3$$

$$\frac{47}{3} = n - 1$$

$$a_{25} = 12 + (25-1)3$$

$$a_{25} = 132$$

Problem 4

Find the sum all multiples of 7 between 700 and 2000.

$$a_1 = 7 \cdot 15 = 105$$

$$a_n = 7 \cdot 142 = 994$$

$$n = \frac{a_n - a_1}{d} + 1 = \frac{994 - 105}{7} + 1 = 128$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n) = \frac{128}{2} (105 + 994) = 64 \cdot 2099 = 134336$$

Problem 5

$$S = \sum_{k=1}^n (3k+2), n=? \quad S = 2,650$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n) = \frac{n}{2} (7 + (3n+2)) = \frac{n}{2} (3n+9)$$

$$a_1 = 3(1) + 2 = 5$$

$$a_n = 3n + 2$$

$$2,650 = \frac{n}{2} (3n+9) \quad 5300 = n(3n+9)$$

$$5300 = n(3n + 1)$$

$$5300 = 3n^2 + 3n - 5$$

$$3n^2 + 3n - 5300 = 0$$

$$n = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 - 4(-5300)}}{2 \cdot 3} = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 + 21200}}{6} \approx \frac{-3 \pm 145.29}{6} =$$

$$40.88$$

$$n = 41$$

$$S_{41} = \frac{41}{2} (5 + 3 \cdot 41 + 2) = \frac{41}{2} (5 + 125) = 47.65$$

$$2665$$

There is no integer value of n such as

$$\text{Thus } S = 2660$$

Problem 6

$$a_5 = 20; a_1 = 20$$

a_0 is arithmetic mean of a_5 and a_1

$$a_0 = \frac{20 + 20}{2} = 20$$

$$a_0 = 20, a_1 = 20, a_2 = 20, a_3 = 20, a_4 = 20, a_5 = 20$$

$$20 = a_1 + 4 \cdot d$$

$$a_1 = 4$$

$$a_2 = 4 + 3 \cdot d$$

$$a_3 = 40$$

$$\text{Mean Formula} = \frac{a_1 + a_n}{2} = \frac{20 + 60}{2} = 40$$

Answer: a_0 is arithmetic mean of a_5 and a_1

Problem 7

$n = 20$ steps.

$$a_1 = 5$$

$$d = 0.5$$

$$S_{20} = \frac{20}{2} (5 + a_n) = \frac{20}{2} (5 + (5 + (20-1)0.5)) =$$

$$= 135 \text{ cm}$$

Problem 8

$$a_1 = 11$$

$$d = 3$$

$$n = ?$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [22 + 3(n-1)]$$

$$= \frac{n}{2} [22 + 3n - 3] = \frac{n}{2} [30 + 3n]$$

$$S_n > 1000$$

$$\frac{n(3n+18)}{2} > 1000$$

$$3n^2 + 18n - 2000 = 0$$

$$n = \frac{-18 \pm \sqrt{18^2 - 4(3)(-2000)}}{2 \cdot 3}$$

$$S_{23} = \frac{23}{2} [2 \cdot 11 + (23-1)3]$$

$$n = 23 \text{ is smallest}$$

Problem 9
Rewrite $\sum_{k=3}^{12} 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$ as a sum starting from

$$j=0$$

$$j = k - 3; \quad k=3; j=0; \quad k=12; j=9$$

$$\sum_{k=3}^{12} 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = \sum_{j=0}^9 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{j+3} = \sum_{j=0}^9 \left(\frac{1}{8}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^j =$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^9 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^j \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \sum_{j=0}^9 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{j+1}$$

Problem 10

11th formula

$$a_2 = -8 \text{ and } a_5 = 48$$

$$a_n = a_1 \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$a_2 = a_1 \cdot r^{2-1} = -8 = a_1 \cdot r^1$$

$$a_5 = 48 = a_1 \cdot r^4$$

$$\frac{48}{-8} = r^3$$

$$-6 = r^3$$

$$r = -2$$

Let's find a_1 :

$$-8 = a_1 \cdot r^{2-1} \quad ; \quad -8 = a_1 \cdot (-2)^1 \quad ; \quad a_1 = 4$$

Problem 11

$$a_{10} = a_1 \cdot r^9$$

$$a_{10} = 3 \cdot (-2)^9$$

$$a_{10} = -1536$$

Problem 11

$$a_1 = 54 \text{ and } a_7 = 1458$$

$r = ?$

$$a_4 = 54 = a_1 \cdot r^3$$

$$a_7 = 1458 = a_1 \cdot r^6$$

$$\frac{1458}{54} = r^3$$

$$27 = r^3$$

$$r = 3$$

Problem 12

Sum of the first N terms

$$S_N = \frac{a_1(1-r^N)}{1-r} \text{ where } a_1 = 8 \text{ and } r = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$S_N = \frac{8\left(\frac{3}{4}^N - 1\right)}{\frac{3}{4} - 1}$$

$$= 8 \frac{\left(\frac{3}{4}^N - 1\right)}{\left(\frac{3}{4} - 1\right)}$$

$$= 8 \frac{\frac{3}{4}^N - 1}{\frac{3}{4} - 1} = 32(1 - \frac{3}{4}^N)$$

$$S_{15} = 32 \cdot 1 = 32$$

Problem 13

$$P(x) = x^5 + x^3 + x^2 - 7$$

degree - 5

Number of quadratic - quadratic

Problem 14

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Simplify } (2x^4 - 3x^3 + x - 5) + (x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x + 7) \\ 2x^4 - 3x^3 + x - 5 + x^3 - 2x^2 + 4x + 7 = 2x^4 - 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 5x + 2 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 15

$$\begin{aligned} (x^2 - x + 2)(x^2 + x + 1) &= x^4 + x^3 + x^2 - x^3 - x^2 - x + 2x^2 + 2x + 2 \\ &= x^4 + 2x^2 + x + 2 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 16

Find GCD and LCM for $24x^3y^2z^5$ and $36x^5y^3z^2$

$$\text{GCD} = 6x^2yz^2$$

$$\text{LCM} = 4 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot x^5y^3z^5 = 144x^5y^3z^5$$

$$\text{GCD} = 12x^3y^2z^2$$

$$\text{LCM} = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 12 = 72x^5y^3z^5$$

Problem 17

Factor $x^4 - 13x^2 + 36$

$$x^2(x^2 - 13x + 36)$$

$$(x^2 - 9)(x - 4) = (x - 3)(x + 3)(x - 2)(x + 2)$$

Problem 18

Expand $(2x + 3y)^5$

$$\text{Using } (a + b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} a^{n-k} b^k$$

$$k=0: \binom{5}{0} (2x)^5 (3y)^0 = 32x^5$$

$$k=1: \binom{5}{1} (2x)^4 (3y)^1 = 80x^4y$$

$$k=2: \binom{5}{2} (2x)^3 (3y)^2 = 240x^3y^2$$

$$k=3: \binom{5}{3} (2x)^2 (3y)^3 = 240x^2y^3$$

$$k=4: \binom{5}{4} (2x)^1 (3y)^4 = 80xy^4$$

$$k=5: \binom{5}{5} (2x)^0 (3y)^5 = 24y^5$$

Problem 19

$$(2x + 3y)^5 = 32x^5 + 240x^4y + 720x^3y^2 + 1080x^2y^3 + 800xy^4 + 243y^5$$

$$-6x^3 + 11x^2 - 3x + 15$$

$$-15x^2 - 10x - 24x + 15$$