Discrete 1

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11.9.3.11- Evaluate

$$\sum_{k=1}^{11} (2+3^k)$$

The expression for x(n) is given by:

$$x(n) = 2(n+1) + \frac{3^{n+1} - 1}{2}$$
 where $n = 0, 1, 2, ...$

The solution of the summation

$$\sum_{k=1}^{11} (2+3^k)$$

is

$$x(11) - x(0) = \left[2(12) + \frac{3^{12} - 1}{2}\right] - \left[2(1) + \frac{3^{1} - 1}{2}\right]$$

Simplifying further:

$$x(11) - x(0) = 24 + \frac{3^{12} - 1}{2} - [2(1) + 1]$$
$$= 24 + \frac{3^{12} - 1}{2} - 3$$
$$= 21 + \frac{3^{12} - 1}{2}$$