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Exercise 12

a) $a_n = 0$

replace n in $a_n = 0$ by $n-1$ and $n-2$:

$$a_{n-1} = 0$$

$$a_{n-2} = 0$$

$$-3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} = -3(0) + 4(0) = 0 + 0 = a_n$$

b) $a_n = 1$

same with a just change $a_n = 1$

$$\text{we will get } -3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} = -3(1) + 4(1) = -3 + 4 = 1 = a_n$$

c) $a_n = (-4)^n$

$$\begin{aligned} -3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} &= -3(-4)^{n-1} + 4(-4)^{n-2} \\ &= 3 * (-4) * (-4)^{n-2} + 4(-4)^{n-2} \\ &= (-4)^{n-2}(-3 * (-4) + 4) \\ &= (-4)^{n-2}(12 + 4) \\ &= (-4)^{n-2}(16) \\ &= (-4)^{n-2}(-4)^{-2} \\ &= (-4)^n \\ &= a_n \end{aligned}$$

d) $a_n = 2(-4)^n + 3$

$$\begin{aligned}
-3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} &= -3(2(-4)^{n-1} + 3) + 4(2(-4)^{n-2} + 3) \\
&= -6(-4)^{n-1} - 9 + 8(-4)^{n-2} + 12 \\
&= (-6(-4)^{n-1} + 8(-4)^{n-2} + 12) \\
&= (-6 * (-4) * (-4)^{n-2} + 8(-4)^{n-2}) + 3 \\
&= (-4)^{n-2}(-6 * (-4) + 8) + 3 \\
&= (-4)^{n-2}(24 + 8) + 3 \\
&= (-4)^{n-2} * 32 + 3 \\
&= (-4)^{n-2} * 16 * 2 + 3 \\
&= (-4)^{n-2} * (-4)^2 * 2 + 3 \\
&= (-4)^n * 2 + 3 \\
&= 2(-4)^n + 3 \\
&= a_n
\end{aligned}$$

Exercise 16

a) $a_n = -a_{n-1}, a_0 = 5$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= -a_{n-1} = (-1)^1 * a_{n-1} \\
&= -a_{n-2} = (-1)^2 * a_{n-2} \\
&= -a_{n-3} = (-1)^3 * a_{n-3} \\
&= -a_{n-4} = (-1)^4 * a_{n-4} \\
&= (-1)^n a_{n-n} \\
&= (-1)^n a_0 \\
&= 5(-1)^n
\end{aligned}$$

b) $a_n = a_{n-1} + 3, a_0 = 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= a_{n-1} + 3 = a_{n-1} + 3 * 1 \\
&= a_{n-2} + 3 * 1 = a_{n-1} + 6 = a_{n-2} + 3 * 2 \\
&= a_{n-3} + 3 * 2 = a_{n-1} + 9 = a_{n-2} + 3 * 3 \\
&= a_{n-4} + 3 * 3 = a_{n-1} + 12 = a_{n-2} + 3 * 4 \\
&= a_{n-n} + 3 * n \\
&= a_0 + 3n \\
&= 1 + 3n \\
&3n + 1
\end{aligned}$$

$$c) a_n = a_{n-1} - n, a_0 = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= a_{n-1} - n = a_{n-1} - n + 0 \\
&= (a_{n-2} - (n-1)) - n = a_{n-2} - 2n + 0 + 1 \\
&= (a_{n-3} - (n-2)) - 2n + 1 = a_{n-3} - 3n + 0 + 1 + 2 \\
&= (a_{n-4} - (n-3)) - 3n + 3 = a_{n-4} - 4n + 0 + 1 + 2 + 3 \\
&= a_0 - n^2 + \frac{n-1}{n} \\
&= 4 - n^2 + \frac{n^2 - n}{2} \\
&= -\frac{1}{2}n^2 - \frac{1}{2}n + 4
\end{aligned}$$

$$d) a_n = 2a_{n-1} - 3, a_0 = -1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= 2a_{n-1} - 3 = 2^1 a_{n-1} - 3 \\
&= 2(2a_{n-2} - 3) - 3 = 2^2 a_{n-2} - (3 * 2^0 + 3 * 2^1) \\
&= 2^2(2a_{n-3} - 3) - (3 * 2^0 + 3 * 2^1) = 2^3 a_{n-2} - (3 * 2^0 + 3 * 2^1 + 3 * 2^2) \\
&= 2^3(2a_{n-3} - 3) - (3 * 2^0 + 3 * 2^1 + 3 * 2^2) = 2^4 a_{n-2} - (3 * 2^0 + 3 * 2^1 + 3 * 2^2 + 3 * 2^3) \\
&= 2^n * (-1) - 3 * \frac{2^n - 1}{2 - 1} \\
&= -2^n - 3(2^n - 1) \\
&= -2^n - 3 * 2^n + 3 \\
&= -4 * 2^n + 3 \\
\text{e)} a_n &= (n + 1)a_{n-1}, a_0 = 2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= (n + 1)a_{n-1} \\
&= (n + 1)(n)a_{n-2} \\
&= (n + 1)(n)(n - 1)a_{n-3} \\
&= (n + 1)(n)(n - 1)(n - 2)a_{n-4} \\
&= (n + 1)!a_0 \\
&= (n + 1)! * 2 \\
&= 2 * (n + 1)!
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{f)} a_n = 2na_{n-1}, a_0 = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= 2na_{n-1} = 2^1na_{n-1} \\
&= 2n(2(n-1)a_{n-2}) = 2^2n(n-1)a_{n-2} \\
&= 2^2n(n-1)(2(n-2)a_{n-3}) = 2^3n(n-1)(n-2)a_{n-3} \\
&= 2^3n(n-1)(n-2)(2(n-3)a_{n-4}) = 2^4n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)a_{n-4} \\
&= 2^n * n! * a_0 \\
&= 2^n * n! * 3 \\
&= 3n!2^n
\end{aligned}$$

$$g) a_n = -a_{n-1} + n - 1, a_0 = 7$$

$$\begin{aligned}
a_n &= -a_{n-1} + n - 1 = (-1)^1a_{n-1} + (n - 1) \\
&= (-1)^2a_{n-2} + ((n - 1) - (n - 2)) \\
&= (-1)^3a_{n-3} + ((n - 1) - (n - 2) + (n + 3)) \\
&= (-1)^4a_{n-4} + ((n - 1) - (n - 2) + (n + 3) - (n - 4)) \\
&= (-1)^na_0 + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{n-i+1}i \\
&= 7 * (-1)^n + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{n-i+1}i
\end{aligned}$$

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Exercise 2

a) the integers greater than 10

$f(n)=n+10$, Countably infinite

b) the odd negative integers.

$f(n)=1-2n$, Countably infinite

c) the integers with absolute value less than 1,000,000 .

$$C = \{x : \|x\| < 1,000,000\}$$

$$C = \{x : -1,000,000 < x < 1,000,000\}$$

Finite

d) the real number between 0 and 2.

$$D = \{x : x \in (0, 2) \cap R\}$$

uncountable

e) the set A^*Z^+ where $A = \{2, 3\}$.

Countably infinite

by $f(2,n)=2n$ and $f(3,n)$

f) the integers are multiples of 10.

Countably infinite

$$F = \{10n : n \in Z\}$$

Countably infinite

Exercise 10

a) finite.

A =all real number ≥ 0

B =all real number < 0

$$A - B = \emptyset$$

b) countably infinite.

A =all real number

B =all real number that are not the positive integers

$$= A - ()^+$$

$$A-B=A-(A - ()^+)$$

$$=()^+$$

c) uncountable.

A=all real number

B=all positive real number

$$A-B=\{0, R^-\}$$