

Quiz # 19

Name: Key*You must show your work to get full credit.*

1. Find the first five terms of the sequence defined by

$$a_k = 2a_{k-1} + k \quad \text{for } k \geq 2$$

and $a_1 = 1$.

$$a_1 = 1$$

$$a_2 = 2(1) + 2 = 4$$

$$a_3 = 2(4) + 3 = 11$$

$$a_4 = 2(11) + 4 = 26$$

$$a_5 = 2(26) + 5 = 57$$

$$a_1 = \underline{1}$$

$$a_2 = \underline{4}$$

$$a_3 = \underline{11}$$

$$a_4 = \underline{26}$$

$$a_5 = \underline{57}$$

2. Let
- $t_n = 2 + n$
- for all integers
- $n \geq 0$
- . Show this sequence satisfies

$$t_k = 2t_{k-1} - t_{k-2}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2t_{k-1} - t_{k-2} &= 2(2 + (k-1)) - (2 + (k-2)) \\ &= 4 + 2k - 2 - 2 - k + 2 \\ &= 2k - k + 4 - 2 \\ &= k + 2 \\ &= t_k \quad \underline{\text{done}} \end{aligned}$$