NCERT Discrete 11.9.1 Q7

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Question: Find the indicated terms in the sequence whose nth terms is a(n) = 4n - 3. Find a(17) and a(24).

Solution: In the question, following information is provided:

Symbol	Value	Description
x(n)	4n - 3	The nth term of the sequence
x(17)	?	17nth term
x(24)	?	24th term

TABLE I Parameters

$$x(n) = (4n - 3) u(n). (1)$$

$$x(17) = 4 \times 16 - 3 = 61 \tag{2}$$

$$x(24) = 4 \times 23 - 3 = 89 \tag{2}$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n = -\infty}^{\infty} x[n] \cdot z^{-n}$$

From (??) we get,

$$X(z) = 4\frac{z^{-1}}{(1 - z^{-1})^2} - 3\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}$$
 (5)

ROC: |z| > 1 (6)

Fig. 1. x(n) vs n



