

- Q1. How many terms of the AP : 24 , 21 , 18 , . . . must be taken to give a sum of 78 ? Ans. 4 or 13 terms
- Q2. How many terms of the AP : 9 , 17 , 25 , . . . must be taken to give a sum of 636 ? Ans. 12 terms
- Q3. How many terms of the AP : 63 , 60 , 57 , . . . must be taken to give a sum of 693 ? Ans. 21 or 22
- Q4. What is the sum of first 20 odd natural numbers ? Ans. 400
- Q5. What is the sum of first 20 even natural numbers ? Ans. 420
- Q6. Find the sum of first 40 positive integers divisible by 3. Ans. 2460
- Q7. Find the sum of first 40 positive integers divisible by 6. Ans. 4920
- Q8. Find the sum of first 15 multiples of 8. Ans. 960
- Q9. Find the sum of all 3-digit natural numbers which are multiples of 11. Ans. 44550
- Q10. Find the sum of all 3-digit natural numbers which are divisible by 13. Ans. 37674
- Q11. Find the sum of odd natural numbers between 0 and 50. Ans. 625
- Q12. Find the sum of odd natural numbers between 0 and 100. Ans. 2500
- Q13. Find the sum of first 15 terms in each case , where a_n is defined as below :
(i) $a_n = 3 + 4n$ (ii) $a_n = 9 - 5n$ Ans. (i) $S_{15} = 525$ (ii) $S_{15} = -465$
- Q14. Find the sum of first 24 terms of an AP whose n^{th} term is given by $3 + 2n$. Ans. 672
- Q15. If the sum of first 7 terms of an AP is 49 and that of 17 terms is 289, find the sum of first n terms. Ans. n^2
- Q16. The sum of the third and the seventh terms of an AP is 6 and their product is 8. Find the sum of first sixteen terms of the AP. Ans. $a = 1$, $d = \frac{1}{2}$, $S_{16} = 76$ $a = 5$, $d = -\frac{1}{2}$, $S_{16} = 20$
- Q17. If the sum of the first n terms of an AP is $4n - n^2$, what is the first term ? What is the second term ? Similarly , find the 3^{rd} , the 10^{th} and the n^{th} term. Ans. $a_1 = 3$, $a_2 = 1$, $a_3 = -1$, $a_{10} = -15$, $a_n = 5 - 2n$
- Q18. The sum of the first n terms of an AP is $3n^2 + 6n$. Find the n^{th} term of this AP. Ans. $6n + 3$
- Q19. In an AP , the sum of first 7 terms is 63 and the sum of its next 7 terms is 161. Find the AP. Ans. 57
- Q20. In an AP , the sum of first 10 terms is -150 and the sum of its next 10 terms is -550 . Find the AP. Ans. $3, -1, -5, \dots$
- Q21. In an AP of 50 terms, the sum of first 10 terms is 210 and the sum of last term 15 terms is 2565. Find the AP. Ans. $3, 7, 11, \dots$
- Q22. The sum of first six terms of an AP is 42. The ratio of its 10^{th} term to its 30^{th} term is $1 : 3$, find the AP. Ans. $2, 4, 6, \dots$
- Q23. The sum of first seven terms of an AP is 182. The ratio of its 4^{th} term to its 7^{th} term is $1 : 5$, find the AP. Ans. $2, 10, 18, \dots$

