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1. Given that, $a_1 = 3$ and $a_2 = 4$

$$a_1 = 3$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

and, $a_n = 2a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}$

$$\Rightarrow a_n - 2a_{n-1} - a_{n-2} = 0$$

Let, $a_n = r^n$

$$r^n - 2r^{n-1} - r^{n-2} = 0$$

$$r^2 - 2r - 1 = 0$$

[dividing by r^{n-2} both side]

$$r = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (-1)}}{2 \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{4+4}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{8}}{2}$$

$$= 1 + \sqrt{2}, 1 - \sqrt{2}$$

$$s_0, r_1 = 1 + \sqrt{2}, r_2 = 1 - \sqrt{2}$$

Now, solution,

$$a_n = \alpha_1 (r_1)^n + \alpha_2 (r_2)^n$$

$$a_n = \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2})^n + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2})^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 = 3 &= \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2})^1 + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2})^1 \\ &= \alpha_1 + \sqrt{2} \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \sqrt{2} \alpha_2 \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + \sqrt{2} (\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) = 3 \quad \text{--- (ii)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_2 = 4 &= \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2})^2 \\ &= \alpha_1 (3 + 2\sqrt{2}) + \alpha_2 (3 - 2\sqrt{2}) \\ &= 3(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + 2\sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) = 4 \quad \text{--- (iii)} \end{aligned}$$

Solving (ii) and (iii) we get,

$$\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

$$\text{and } \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = -2 \quad \text{--- (v)}$$

$$(iv + v) \Rightarrow 2\alpha_1 = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} - 2 = \frac{5\sqrt{2} - 4}{2}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 = \frac{5\sqrt{2} - 4}{4} = \frac{1}{4} (5\sqrt{2} - 4)$$

$$(iv - v) \Rightarrow -2\alpha_2 = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2} + 2 = \frac{5\sqrt{2} + 4}{2}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_2 = -\frac{1}{4} (5\sqrt{2} + 4)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{So, } a_n &= \alpha_1 (1+\sqrt{2})^n + \alpha_2 (1-\sqrt{2})^n \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} (5\sqrt{2}-4) (1+\sqrt{2})^n + \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \cdot -(5\sqrt{2}+4) \cdot (1-\sqrt{2})^n \right\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ (5\sqrt{2}-4) (1+\sqrt{2})^n - (5\sqrt{2}+4) (1-\sqrt{2})^n \right\} \quad (\text{Ans})
 \end{aligned}$$

2 Given that,

$$a_1 = 3$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

$$a_n = 2a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} + 5$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n - 2a_{n-1} - a_{n-2} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow r^n - 2r^{n-1} - r^{n-2} = 0 \quad [\text{homogenous part}]$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 - 2r - 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore r_1 = 1+\sqrt{2}, r_2 = 1-\sqrt{2}$$

we know, for non-homogenous

$$a_n = a_n^{(h)} + a_n^{(p)}$$

$$\therefore a_n^{(w)} = \alpha_1 (r_1)^n + \alpha_2 (r_2)^n$$

here,

$$f(n) = 5 = 5 \times n^0$$

$$\therefore a_n^{(p)} = \alpha_3 (b)^n$$

$$\therefore A = 2A - A = 5 \quad \text{here, } b = 5$$

$$\therefore -2A = 5 \quad \text{So, } a_n^{(p)} = \alpha_3 (5)^n$$

$$\therefore A = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\therefore a_n = \alpha_1 (1+\sqrt{2})^n + \alpha_2 (1-\sqrt{2})^n + \alpha_3 (5)^n$$

given,

$$a_1 = 3$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

$$\therefore a_3 = 2a_{3-1} + a_{3-2} + 5$$

$$= 2a_2 + a_1 + 5$$

$$= 2 \cdot 4 + 3 + 5$$

$$= 16$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore a_1 = 3 &= \alpha_1(1+\sqrt{2}) + \alpha_2(1-\sqrt{2}) + \alpha_3 \cdot 5 \\ &= \alpha_1 + \sqrt{2}\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \sqrt{2}\alpha_2 + 5\alpha_3 \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + \sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) + 5\alpha_3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}a_2 = 4 &= \alpha_1(1+\sqrt{2})^2 + \alpha_2(1-\sqrt{2})^2 + 5\alpha_3 \\ &= \alpha_1(3+2\sqrt{2}) + \alpha_2(3-2\sqrt{2}) + 5\alpha_3 \\ &= 3(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + 2\sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) + 5\alpha_3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}a_3 = 16 &= \alpha_1(1+\sqrt{2})^3 + \alpha_2(1-\sqrt{2})^3 + 5\alpha_3 \\ &= \alpha_1(7+5\sqrt{2}) + \alpha_2(7-5\sqrt{2}) + 5\alpha_3 \\ &= 7(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + 5\sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) + 5\alpha_3\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let, } \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = x$$

$$\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 = y$$

$$\alpha_3 = z$$

$$3 = x + \sqrt{2}y + 5z \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$4 = 3x + 2\sqrt{2}y + 5z \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$16 = 7x + 5\sqrt{2}y + 5z \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Solving (i) (ii) and (iii)

$$x = -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$y = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$z = -\frac{1}{2} = \alpha_3$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore 2\alpha_1 = \frac{-9 + 10\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 = \frac{1}{4}(-9 + 10\sqrt{2})$$

$$2\alpha_2 = -\left(\frac{9 + 10\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore \alpha_2 = -\frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{10\sqrt{2} + 9}{1}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \alpha_n &= \frac{1}{4}(10\sqrt{2} - 9)(1 + \sqrt{2})^n + \frac{1}{4}(10\sqrt{2} + 9)(1 - \sqrt{2})^n \\ &\quad + 5 \cdot -\frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left\{ (10\sqrt{2} - 9)(1 + \sqrt{2})^n + (10\sqrt{2} + 9)(1 - \sqrt{2})^n \right\} - \frac{5}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(Ans)

3 Given that,

$$a_1 = 3$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

and,

$$a_n = 2a_{n-1} + a_{n-2} + n^2 + 1$$

solution,

$$a_n = a_n^{(W)} + a_n^{(P)}$$

$$a_n = 2n^{n-1} + n^{n-2}$$

from,

$$a_n = 2n^{n-1} + n^{n-2} \quad \therefore n^2 - 2n + 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore n = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

for, $n^2 + 1$

$$a_n^{(P)} = A_0 + A_1 n + A_2 n^2$$

$$\therefore 2A_0 + 2A_1(n-1) + 2A_2(n-1)^2 + A_0 +$$

$$A_1(n-2) + A_2(n-2)^2 + n^2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow A_0 + A_1 n + A_2 n^2 = 2A_0 + 2A_1 n - 2A_1 + 2A_2 + 2A_2 n^2 - 4A_2 n + A_0 + A_1 n - 2A_1 +$$

$$A_2 n^2 + 4A_2 - 4A_2 n + n^2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow A_0 + A_1 n + A_2 n^2 = (1 + 3A_0 - 4A_1 + 6A_2) + (3A_1 - 8A_2)n + (1 + 3A_2)n^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + 2A_2)n^2 + (2A_1 - 8A_2)n + 1 + 2A_0 - 4A_1 + 6A_2 = 0$$

$$\therefore 1 + 2A_2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } A_1 = 4A_2$$

$$\therefore A_1 = 4 \times \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore A_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = -3$$

$$\therefore a_n^{(p)} = -3 - 2n - \frac{n^2}{2}$$

$$\therefore a_n = \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2})^n + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2})^n - 3 - 2n - \frac{n^2}{2}$$

$$a_1 = \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2}) + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2}) - 3 - 2 - \frac{1}{2} = 3$$

$$a_2 = \alpha_1 (1 + \sqrt{2})^2 + \alpha_2 (1 - \sqrt{2})^2 - 3 - 4 - 2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + 2\sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) = 13$$

$$\therefore (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + \sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) = \frac{17}{2} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$3(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + 2\sqrt{2}(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2) = 13 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Solving (i) and (ii)

$$\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = -4 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 = \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{4} \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

Solving (iii) and (iv)

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{8} - 2 = \frac{16 + 25\sqrt{2}}{8}$$

$$\alpha_2 = -2 - \frac{25\sqrt{2}}{8}$$

$$a_n = \left(\frac{25\sqrt{2} - 16}{8} \right) (1 + \sqrt{2})^n - \left(\frac{16 + 25\sqrt{2}}{8} \right) (1 - \sqrt{2})^n$$

$$= -3 - 2n - \frac{n^2}{2} \quad (\text{Ans})$$