

$\{ s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n, \dots \}$

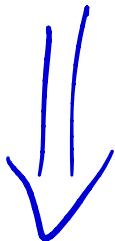
SERIES

$$\sum_{k=1}^n a_k = a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n$$

Counter

Sequence

$$\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, \dots\}$$



Corresponding

SERIES

$$\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n, \dots\}$$

where $s_1 = a_1$

$$s_2 = a_1 + a_2$$

$$s_n = a_1 + \dots + a_n$$

$$S_n = \sum_1^n a_k = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n$$

$$S_{n-1} = \sum_1^{n-1} a_k = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_{n-1}$$

diff.

$$S_n - S_{n-1} = a_n$$

$$\therefore a_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$$

$$a, a+d, a+2d, a+3d, \dots$$

$$\dots a+(n-1)d$$

$$\therefore S_n = a + (a+d) + (a+2d) + \dots + [a+(n-1)d]$$

$S_n = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{sum of first } n \text{ terms of A.P.} \\ \text{nth term of Arithmetic series} \end{array} \right.$

Example :

Eight term = 8th term = a_8

$$= a + 7d = 23 \quad \curvearrowleft \textcircled{1}$$

Twenty fourth term = a_{24}

$$= a + 23d = 103$$

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$\textcircled{2} - \textcircled{1}$ gives

$$16d = 80 \Rightarrow d = 5$$

$$\therefore a = 23 - 7d = 23 - 35$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -12$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore S_{30} &= \frac{30}{2} [2a + (30-1)d] \\ &= 15 [-24 + 29 \times 5] \\ &= \underline{\underline{1815}}.\end{aligned}$$

G. Sequence is

$$a, ar, ar^2, \dots, ar^{n-1}$$

$$\therefore S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-1}$$

If $r=1$

$$\Rightarrow S_n = a + a + a + \dots + a \quad (\text{n times})$$

$$\underline{S_n = na}$$

$\sum x$:

$$r = \frac{1}{3}, S_4 = 150$$

$$S_n = a \left(\frac{1-r^n}{1-r} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 150 = a \left[\frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^4}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)} \right]$$

When
 $n=4$

$$\Rightarrow 150 = \frac{a \left(\frac{81-1}{81} \right)}{\left(\frac{3-1}{3} \right)}$$

$$= a \cdot \frac{80}{81} \cdot \frac{40}{27} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{150 \cdot 27}{40} = \frac{405}{4}$$

$$S_n = a \left(\frac{1-r^n}{1-r} \right)$$

What if $|r| < 1$

$$\Rightarrow |r|^n \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

n tends to infinity

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n &= \frac{a}{1-r} \left[1 - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} r^n \right] \\ &= \frac{a}{1-r} (1-0) \\ &\Downarrow \\ S &= \frac{a}{1-r} \end{aligned}$$

Example

$$5 + 1 + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{25} + \dots$$

$\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{5}$

∴ This is an Infinite G-Series

with $r = \frac{1}{5} < 1$

$$S = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{5}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)} = \frac{25}{4} \\ = 6.25$$

Ex. 2

vulgar fraction $\rightarrow (p/q)$

$$p, q \in \mathbb{Z},$$

$$q \neq 0.$$

Express $1.2222\ldots$

OR $1.2\dot{2}$ OR $1.\overline{22}$

as a vulgar fraction.

$$1.2222\ldots = 1 + 0.2 + 0.02 + 0.002 + \dots$$

$$= 1 + \left(\frac{a}{1-r}\right) \quad \text{where } a=0.2 \quad r=\frac{1}{10}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{\left(\frac{2}{10}\right)}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} = 1 + \frac{2}{9} = \frac{11}{9}$$

$$1 \cdot \overline{123} = 1 \cdot 123123123123 \dots$$

0.001 0.001
↓ ↓
 $1 + 0.123 + \frac{0.000123}{123} + 0.000000$

$$= 1 + \left(\frac{a}{1-r} \right) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{where } a = 0.123 \\ r = 0.001 \end{matrix}$$

$$= 1 + \left(\frac{123/1000}{1 - 1/1000} \right)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{123}{999} = \frac{1122}{999}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k \text{ or } \sum_{i=1}^n i \text{ or } \sum n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\sum n^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]^2 \\ \Rightarrow &= [\sum n]^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Sum} = \sum n^{\text{th term}}$$

$$1 + (1+2) + (1+2+3) + \dots$$

The diagram shows the sequence 1, 2, 3, ... with arrows pointing from each term to its value. The first term is labeled "1st term". The second term is labeled "2nd term" and is enclosed in parentheses with a wavy line above it. The third term is labeled "3rd term" and is also enclosed in parentheses with a wavy line above it.

$$\text{Sum} = \sum n^{\text{th term}}$$

$$= \sum (1+2+3+\dots+n)$$

$$= \sum (\Sigma n)$$

$$= \sum \left[\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\sum n^2 + \sum n \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)}{12} \left[(2n+1) + 3 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+4)}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{6}$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{r}{(r+1)!}$$
$$= \sum_{r=1}^n \left[\frac{1}{r!} - \frac{1}{(r+1)!} \right]$$