

★ ULTIMATE MATHEMATICS ★

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Chapter: SEQUENCE & SERIES

Class No: 5

Q_{no} 1 → Find the natural number 'a' for which

$$\sum_{k=1}^n f(a+k) = 16(2^n - 1), \text{ where the function } f \text{ satisfies}$$

$$f(x+y) = f(x) \cdot f(y) \text{ and given } f(1) = 2$$

Solution Given $\sum_{k=1}^n f(a+k) = 16(2^n - 1)$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^n f(a) \cdot f(k) = 16(2^n - 1)$$

(Imp) $\Rightarrow f(a) \sum_{k=1}^n f(k) = 16(2^n - 1)$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) \{ f(1) + f(2) + f(3) + \dots + n \text{th term} \} = 16(2^n - 1)$$

$$f(2) = f(1+1) = f(1) \cdot f(1) = 2 \cdot 2 = 2^2$$

$$f(3) = f(1+2) = f(1) \cdot f(2) = 2 \cdot 2^2 = 2^3$$

∴ Equation becomes

$$f(a) [2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + n \text{th term}] = 16(2^n - 1)$$

← Gp: $a=2, n=2 \rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) \cdot 2 \left(\frac{2^n - 1}{2 - 1} \right) = 16(2^n - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) \cdot 2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow f(a) = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^a = 2^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{a=3}}$$

Ques 2 → Find the minimum value of the expression $3^x + 3^{1-x}$

Soln

$$\boxed{A.M \geq G.M}$$

$$\frac{a+b}{2} \geq \sqrt{ab}$$

here $a = 3^x$ & $b = 3^{1-x}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3^x + 3^{1-x}}{2} \geq \sqrt{3^x \cdot 3^{1-x}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3^x + 3^{1-x}}{2} \geq \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^x + 3^{1-x} \geq 2\sqrt{3}$$

Min value $3^x + 3^{1-x} = 2\sqrt{3}$ Ans

Ques 3 → Find the 10th common term between the series
 $3+7+11+\dots$ and $1+6+11+\dots$

Sol 1st series $3+7+(11)+15+19+23+27+(31)+35+39+43+47+(51)+55+\dots$

2nd series : $1+6+(11)+16+21+26+(31)+36+41+46+(51)+56+\dots$

Sequence of common terms

11, 31, 51, \dots

It is also in AP with $a=11$ & $d=20$
 we have to find 10th term of this sequence

$$a_{10} = a + 9d = 11 + 180 = 191$$
 Ans

Sequence Sum (class no-5)

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Method II ① $3 + 7 + (11) + \dots$

② $1 + 6 + (11) + \dots$

$$L.C.M \text{ of } 4 \text{ \& } 5 = 20$$

$$d = 20; a = 11$$

$$a_{10} = a + 9d = 11 + 180 = 191 \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

Q. 4 In a G.P of +ve terms, if any term is equal to the sum of the next two terms.

Then show that common ratio of the G.P is $2 \sin(18^\circ)$

Sol. Given $a_n = a_{n+1} + a_{n+2}$

$$\Rightarrow ar^{n-1} = ar^n + ar^{n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow r^{n-1} = r^n + r^{n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{r^{n-1}} = \cancel{r^{n-1}} (r + r^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = r + r^2$$

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

Quadratic formula

$$r = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1+4}}{2}$$

$$r = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$r = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \quad (\times) \quad (\text{Rejected})$$

$$r = \frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{2} \Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{\sqrt{5} - 1}{4} \right) \times 2 = 2 \sin(18^\circ) \quad \underline{\underline{Ans}}$$

Sequence series (class no. 5)

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Qn. 5 \rightarrow If a, b, c, d, p are real numbers such that

$$(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)p^2 - 2(ab + bc + cd)p + (b^2 + c^2 + d^2) \leq 0$$

then show that a, b, c, d are in G.P.

Soln Given $(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)p^2 - 2(ab + bc + cd)p + (b^2 + c^2 + d^2) \leq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{a^2 p^2} + \underline{b^2 p^2} + \underline{c^2 p^2} - \underline{2abp} - \underline{2bcp} - \underline{2cdp} + \underline{b^2 + c^2 + d^2} \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (ap - b)^2 + (bp - c)^2 + (cp - d)^2 \leq 0$$

But sum of squares can never be -ve

$$\Rightarrow (ap - b)^2 + (bp - c)^2 + (cp - d)^2 = 0$$

this is possible only when

$$ap - b = 0 \quad ; \quad bp - c = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad cp - d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{b}{a} \quad ; \quad p = \frac{c}{b} \quad \& \quad p = \frac{d}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{a} = \frac{c}{b} = \frac{d}{c}$$

$$\Rightarrow a, b, c, d \text{ are in G.P.}$$

Qn. 6 \rightarrow If A & G be A.M & G.M b/w two positive numbers, then prove that the

numbers are $A \pm \sqrt{(A+G)(A-G)}$

Soln = let the two numbers are a & b

Sequence Series (class No: 5)

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$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{a+b}{2} \quad \& \quad G = \sqrt{ab}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b = 2A \quad \& \quad ab = G^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{b = 2A - a}$$

$$\Rightarrow a(2A - a) = G^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2Aa - a^2 = G^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - 2Aa + G^2 = 0$$

By Quadratic Formula

$$a = \frac{2A \pm \sqrt{4A^2 - 4G^2}}{2}$$

$$a = \frac{2A \pm 2\sqrt{(A+G)(A-G)}}{2}$$

$$a = A \pm \sqrt{(A+G)(A-G)}$$

Similarly

$$b = A \pm \sqrt{(A+G)(A-G)}$$

\therefore the numbers are $A \pm \sqrt{(A+G)(A-G)}$ Ans

Qn 7 \rightarrow If p^{th} , q^{th} and r^{th} terms of an AP and GP are both a , b and c respectively. Show that

$$a^{b-c} \cdot b^{c-a} \cdot c^{a-b} = 1$$

Soln

(GP)

$$a_p = a$$

$$\Rightarrow A R^{p-1} = a$$

$$a_q = b$$

$$A R^{q-1} = b$$

$$a_r = c$$

$$A R^{r-1} = c$$

(AP)

$$a_p = a$$

$$A + (p-1)d = a$$

$$a_q = b$$

$$A + (q-1)d = b$$

$$a_r = c$$

$$A + (r-1)d = c$$

$$\text{Ans } a^{b-c} \cdot b^{c-a} \cdot c^{a-b}$$

$$= (A R^{p-1})^{d(q-1)} \cdot (A R^{q-1})^{d(1-p)} \cdot (A R^{1-1})^{d(p-q)}$$

$$= (A)^{d(q-1)} \cdot R^{d(p-1)(q-1)} \cdot A^{d(1-p)} \cdot R^{d(q-1)(1-p)} \cdot$$

$$A^{d(p-q)} \cdot R^{d(1-1)(p-q)}$$

$$= A^{d(q-1 + 1-p + p-q)} \cdot R^{d(pq - 1 - q + 1 - p + p - q)}$$

$$= A^0 \cdot R^0 = 1 \times 1 = 1 \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$

QNS 8 → If $\phi_1, \phi_2, \phi_3, \dots, \phi_n$ are in AP with common difference 'd' show that

$$\sec \phi_1 \cdot \sec \phi_2 + \sec \phi_2 \cdot \sec \phi_3 + \dots + \sec \phi_{n-1} \cdot \sec \phi_n = \frac{\tan \phi_n - \tan \phi_1}{\sin d}$$

Soln Ans

$$\frac{1}{\cos \phi_1 \cdot \cos \phi_2} + \frac{1}{\cos \phi_2 \cdot \cos \phi_3} + \dots + \frac{1}{\cos \phi_{n-1} \cdot \cos \phi_n}$$

M.E.D by $\sin d$

$$\frac{1}{\sin d} \left[\frac{\sin d}{\cos \phi_1 \cdot \cos \phi_2} + \frac{\sin d}{\cos \phi_2 \cdot \cos \phi_3} + \dots + \frac{\sin d}{\cos \phi_{n-1} \cdot \cos \phi_n} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sin d} \left[\frac{\sin(\phi_2 - \phi_1)}{\cos \phi_1 \cdot \cos \phi_2} + \frac{\sin(\phi_3 - \phi_2)}{\cos \phi_2 \cdot \cos \phi_3} + \dots + \frac{\sin(\phi_n - \phi_{n-1})}{\cos \phi_{n-1} \cdot \cos \phi_n} \right]$$

Sequence Series (Class No-5)

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INFINITE G.P

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

$$|r| < 1$$

Qn. 9 → Find the sum of the Infinite G.P
6, 1.2, .24, -----

Sol. here $a = 6$

$$r = \frac{1.2}{6} = 0.2$$

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{6}{1-0.2} = \frac{6}{0.8} = \frac{60}{8} = 7.5 \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$

Qn. 10 Show $3^{1/2} \times 3^{1/4} \times 3^{1/8} \times \dots = 3$

Sol. Ans $3^{1/2 + 1/4 + 1/8 + \dots \infty}$

$$\text{here } a = 1/2 ; r = 1/2$$

$$= 3^{\frac{1/2}{1-1/2}}$$

$$= 3^{1/2 / 1/2} = 3^1 = 3 \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$

Qn. 11 → Let $x = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots \infty$ where $|a| < 1$
 $y = 1 + b + b^2 + \dots \infty$ and $|b| < 1$

Show that $1 + ab + a^2b^2 + \dots \infty = \frac{xy}{x+y-1}$

Sol. $x = 1 + a + a^2 + \dots \infty \Rightarrow$ G.P 1^{st} term = 1
Common Ratio = a

$y = 1 + b + b^2 + \dots \infty \Rightarrow$ G.P 1^{st} term = 1

Common Ratio = b

$$y = \frac{1}{1-b}$$

$$\underline{h_n} = 1 + ab + a^2b^2 + \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{G.P} \quad 1^{st} \text{ term} = 1$$

$$\text{Ratio} = ab$$

$$\underline{h_n} = \frac{1}{1-ab}$$

$$\underline{R_n} = \frac{xy}{x+y-1}$$

put value of x & y

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{1}{1-a}\right)\left(\frac{1}{1-b}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{1-a}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{1-b}\right) - 1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-b + 1-a - 1(1-a)(1-b)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-b + 1-a - 1 + b + a - ab}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-ab}$$

$$= \underline{h_n} \quad \underline{\text{Proved}}$$

Q \underline{n} $\underline{12}$ + The sum of an Infinite G.P is 8 and its second term is 2. Find the 1 st term

Sol \underline{n}

$$\underline{G.P} \quad \boxed{\frac{a}{1-r} = 8}$$

$$\underline{G.P} \quad \boxed{a_1 = 2} \Rightarrow a = \frac{2}{r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{1-a} = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{1-\frac{2}{r}} = 8 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{a=4} \text{ Any}$$

Worksheet
No: 3 Chapter: Sequence - Series
(Class 10: 5)

Qn: 1 The lengths of three unequal edges of a rectangular solid block are in G.P. The volume of the block is 216 cm^3 and the total surface area is 252 cm^2 . Then length of the longest edge is

(A) 12 cm (B) 6 cm (C) 18 cm (D) 3 cm Ans: (A)

Qn: 2 → Find the minimum value of $4^x + 4^{1-x}$ Ans = 4

Qn: 3 → If 1 is in A.P. ; $S_n = 2n^2$ and $S_m = 2m^2$
Find S_2 Ans = 2^3

Qn: 4 → If $x, 2y, 3z$ are in A.P. and x, y, z are in G.P.
Find the common ratio Ans = $\frac{1}{3}$

Qn: 5 → If $\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3, \dots, \theta_n$ are in A.P. whose common difference is 'd', then show that
 $\sec \theta_1 \cdot \sec \theta_2 + \sec \theta_2 \cdot \sec \theta_3 + \dots + \sec \theta_{n-1} \cdot \sec \theta_n = \frac{\tan \theta_n - \tan \theta_1}{\sin d}$

Qn: 6 → Let S be the sum, P be the product and R be the sum of the reciprocals of 3 terms of a G.P. Then find $P^2 R^3 : S^3$ Ans = 1:1

Qn: 7 → If a, b, c, d are in G.P., prove that
 $a^2 - b^2, b^2 - c^2, c^2 - d^2$ are also in G.P.

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Qn. 8 → The product of three numbers in A.P is 224 and the largest number is 7 times the smallest. Find the numbers

Ans 2, 8, 14

Qn. 9 → If there are $(2n+1)$ terms in an A.P, then prove that the ratio of the sum of odd terms and the sum of even terms is $(n+1):n$

Qn. 10 → The p th term of an A.P is 'a' and q th term is 'b'. Prove that the sum of its $(p+q)$ terms is $\frac{p+q}{2} \left[a+b + \frac{a-b}{p-q} \right]$

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