



Geometric Progressions Ex 20.3 Q 4

$$5 + 55 + 555 + \dots n \text{ terms}$$

Taking 5 common from each term.

$$5[1 + 11 + 111 + \dots n \text{ terms}]$$

Dividing and multiplying by 9

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{5}{9}[9 + 99 + 999 + \dots n \text{ terms}] \\ &= \frac{5}{9}[(10 - 1) + (10^2 - 1) + (10^3 - 1) + \dots n \text{ terms}] \\ &= \frac{5}{9}[(10 + 10^2 + 10^3 + \dots n \text{ terms}) - n] \text{ this is G.P.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } S_n &= \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1} \\ a &= 10, r = 10, n = n \\ &= \frac{5}{9} \left[\frac{10(10^n - 1)}{10 - 1} - n \right] \\ &= \frac{5}{9 \times 9} (10^{n+1} - 10 - 9n) \\ &= \frac{5}{81} (10^{n+1} - 9n - 10) \end{aligned}$$

Now we have

$$\begin{aligned} 7 + 77 + 777 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms} &= 7[1 + 11 + 111 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms}] \\ &= \frac{7}{9}[9 + 99 + 999 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms}] \\ &= \frac{7}{9}[(10 - 1) + (10^2 - 1) + (10^3 - 1) + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms}] \\ &= \frac{7}{9}[10 + 10^2 + 10^3 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms}] - \frac{7}{9}(1 + 1 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms}) \\ &= \frac{7}{9} \cdot \frac{10(10^n - 1)}{10 - 1} - \frac{7n}{9} \\ &= \frac{7}{81}(10^{n+1} - 9n - 10) \end{aligned}$$

$$9 + 99 + 999 + \dots n \text{ term}$$

This can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} &= (10 - 1) + (100 - 1) + (1000 - 1) + \dots n \text{ term} \\ &= (10 + 10^2 + 10^3 + \dots n \text{ term}) - n \\ \Rightarrow S_n &= \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}, a = 10, r = 10, n = n \\ &= \frac{10(10^n - 1)}{10 - 1} - n \\ &= \frac{10}{9}(10^n - 1) - n \\ &= \frac{1}{9}[10^{n+1} - 10 - 9n] \\ &= \frac{1}{9}[10^{n+1} - 9n - 10] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& 0.5 + 0.55 + 0.555 + \&.. \text{ to } n \\
& = 5 \times 0.1 + 5 \times 0.11 + 5 \times 0.111 + \dots \\
& = \frac{5}{9} \left\{ \frac{9}{10} + \frac{99}{100} + \frac{999}{1000} + \dots + - \right\} \\
& = \frac{5}{9} \left(\left(1 - \frac{1}{10}\right) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{100}\right) + \dots + \right) \\
& = \frac{5}{9} \left\{ n - \left(\frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{10^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{10^n} \right) \right\} \\
& = \frac{5}{9} \left[n - \frac{1}{10} \frac{\left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right\}}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{10} \right)} \right] \\
& = \frac{5}{9} \left[n - \frac{1}{9} \left(1 - \frac{1}{10^n} \right) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& 0.6 + 0.66 + 0.666 + \&.. \text{ to } n \\
& = 6 \times 0.1 + 6 \times 0.11 + 6 \times 0.111 + \dots \\
& = \frac{6}{9} \left\{ \frac{9}{10} + \frac{99}{100} + \frac{999}{1000} + \dots + - \right\} \\
& = \frac{6}{9} \left(\left(1 - \frac{1}{10}\right) + \left(1 - \frac{1}{100}\right) + \dots + \right) \\
& = \frac{6}{9} \left\{ n - \left(\frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{10^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{10^n} \right) \right\} \\
& = \frac{6}{9} \left[n - \frac{1}{10} \frac{\left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right\}}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{10} \right)} \right] \\
& = \frac{6}{9} \left[n - \frac{1}{9} \left(1 - \frac{1}{10^n} \right) \right]
\end{aligned}$$

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