



Geometric Progressions Ex 20.3 Q 2

$$\begin{aligned}
 &0.15 + 0.015 + 0.0015 + \dots \text{upto 8 terms} \\
 &= 15(0.1 + 0.01 + 0.001 + \dots \text{upto 8 terms}) \\
 &= 15\left(\frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{100} + \dots\right) \\
 &r = \frac{1}{10}, a = \frac{1}{10} \\
 &Sum = 15 \left( \frac{\frac{1}{10} \left(1 - \frac{1}{10^8}\right)}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} \right) \\
 &= \frac{5}{3} \left(1 - \frac{1}{10^8}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Here the first term of the series is  $a = \sqrt{2}$  and the common ratio is  $r = \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2}$

Thus the sum of the G.P up to 8<sup>th</sup> terms is:

$$S_8 = \frac{a(1-r^8)}{1-r} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^8\right)}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 2\sqrt{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{256}\right) = \frac{255\sqrt{2}}{128}$$

$\frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{4} + \dots$  to 5 terms.

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= \frac{2}{9}, \quad r = \frac{-1}{\frac{3}{2}} = \frac{-1}{3} \times \frac{9}{2} = \frac{-3}{2}, \quad n = 5 \\
 S_5 &= a \frac{(1-r^5)}{1-r} \\
 &= \frac{2}{9} \frac{\left(1 - \left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)^5\right)}{1 - \left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)} \\
 &= \frac{2}{9} \frac{\left(1 + \frac{243}{32}\right)}{1 + \frac{3}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{2}{9} \frac{(275)}{32} \times \frac{2}{5} \\
 &= \frac{55}{72}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& (x+y) + (x^2+xy+y^2) + (x^3+x^2y+xy^2+y^3) + \dots \\
&= \frac{1}{x-y} \left\{ (x^2-y^2) + (x^3-y^3) + \dots \text{to } \infty \right\} \dots \left[ \because \frac{x^n-y^n}{x-y} = x^{n-1} + x^{n-2}y + \dots + y^{n-1} \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{x-y} \left\{ (x^2+x^3+\dots \text{to } \infty) - (y^2+y^3+\dots \text{to } \infty) \right\} \\
&= \frac{1}{x-y} \left\{ \frac{x^2}{1-x} - \frac{y^2}{1-y} \right\} \\
&= \frac{1}{x-y} \left\{ \frac{x^2 - x^2y - y^2 + xy^2}{(1-x)(1-y)} \right\} \\
&= \frac{x+y-xy}{(1-x)(1-y)}
\end{aligned}$$

The series can be written as:

$$3 \left( \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5^3} + \frac{1}{5^5} + \dots \text{ } n \text{ terms} \right) + 4 \left( \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{5^4} + \frac{1}{5^6} + \dots \text{ } n \text{ terms} \right)$$

For the first part  $a = \frac{1}{5}$  and the common ratio  $r = \frac{1}{5^2} = \frac{1}{25}$

Thus the sum is:

$$\begin{aligned}
3 \left( \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5^3} + \frac{1}{5^5} + \dots \text{ } n \text{ terms} \right) &= 3 \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{5} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{1}{25} \right)^n \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{25}} \\
&= \frac{5}{8} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{5^{2n}} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

For the second part  $a = \frac{1}{25}$  and common ratio  $r = \frac{1}{25}$  then

$$\begin{aligned}
4 \left( \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{5^4} + \frac{1}{5^6} + \dots \text{ } n \text{ terms} \right) &= 4 \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{25} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{1}{25} \right)^n \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{25}} \\
&= \frac{1}{6} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{5^{2n}} \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Thus the sum is:

$$\frac{3}{5} + \frac{4}{5^2} + \frac{3}{5^3} + \dots \text{ } 2n \text{ terms} = \frac{5}{8} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{5^{2n}} \right) + \frac{1}{6} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{5^{2n}} \right)$$

$$\frac{a}{1+i} + \frac{a}{(1+i)^2} + \frac{a}{(1+i)^3} + \dots + \frac{a}{(1+i)^n}$$

$$a = \frac{a}{1+i}, \quad r = \frac{\frac{a}{(1+i)^2}}{\frac{a}{1+i}} = \frac{1}{1+i}$$

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

$$= \frac{a}{1+i} \frac{\left( 1 - \left( \frac{1}{1+i} \right)^n \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{1+i}}$$

$$= \frac{a}{1+i} \times \frac{1+i}{(-i)} \left( 1 - (1+i)^n \right)$$

$$= -ai \left( 1 - (1+i)^n \right)$$

Re writing the sequence and sum we get,

$$\text{Sum} = 1 - a + a^2 - a^3 + a^4 - a^5 + \dots$$

Here,  $r = -a$  and first term  $= 1$

$$\text{Sum} = \frac{[1 - (-a)^n]}{1 + a}$$

Here the first term of the G.P is  $a = x^3$  and the common ratio is  $r = \frac{x^5}{x^3} = x^2$

Thus the sum of the G.P is:

$$x^3 + x^5 + x^7 + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms} = \frac{x^3((x^2)^n - 1)}{x^2 - 1} = \frac{x^3(x^{2n} - 1)}{x^2 - 1}$$

Here the first term of the G.P is  $a = \sqrt{7}$  and the common ratio is  $r = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{\sqrt{7}} = \sqrt{3}$

Thus the sum of the G.P is:

$$\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{21} + 3\sqrt{7} + \dots \text{ to } n \text{ terms} = \frac{\sqrt{7}((\sqrt{3})^n - 1)}{\sqrt{3} - 1} = \frac{\sqrt{7}(3^{\frac{n}{2}} - 1)}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$$

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