



Arithmetic Progressions Ex 9.3 Q39

Answer :

Let a be the first term and d be the common difference.

We know that, n^{th} term $= a_n = a + (n - 1)d$

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}a_{19} &= 3a_6 \\ \Rightarrow a + (19 - 1)d &= 3(a + (6 - 1)d) \\ \Rightarrow a + 18d &= 3a + 15d \\ \Rightarrow 18d - 15d &= 3a - a \\ \Rightarrow 3d &= 2a \\ \Rightarrow a &= \frac{3}{2}d \quad \dots (1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Also, } a_9 &= 19 \\ \Rightarrow a + (9 - 1)d &= 19 \\ \Rightarrow a + 8d &= 19 \quad \dots (2)\end{aligned}$$

On substituting the values of (1) in (2), we get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{3}{2}d + 8d &= 19 \\ \Rightarrow 3d + 16d &= 19 \times 2 \\ \Rightarrow 19d &= 38 \\ \Rightarrow d &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow a &= \frac{3}{2} \times 2 \quad [\text{From (1)}] \\ \Rightarrow a &= 3\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the A.P. is 3, 5, 7, 9,

Arithmetic Progressions Ex 9.3 Q40

Answer :

Let a be the first term and d be the common difference.

We know that, n^{th} term $= a_n = a + (n - 1)d$

According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}a_9 &= 6a_2 \\ \Rightarrow a + (9 - 1)d &= 6(a + (2 - 1)d) \\ \Rightarrow a + 8d &= 6a + 6d \\ \Rightarrow 8d - 6d &= 6a - a \\ \Rightarrow 2d &= 5a \\ \Rightarrow a &= \frac{2}{5}d \quad \dots (1)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Also, } a_5 &= 22 \\ \Rightarrow a + (5 - 1)d &= 22 \\ \Rightarrow a + 4d &= 22 \quad \dots (2)\end{aligned}$$

On substituting the values of (1) in (2), we get

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{2}{5}d + 4d &= 22 \\ \Rightarrow 2d + 20d &= 22 \times 5 \\ \Rightarrow 22d &= 110 \\ \Rightarrow d &= 5 \\ \Rightarrow a &= \frac{2}{5} \times 5 \quad [\text{From (1)}] \\ \Rightarrow a &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Thus, the A.P. is 2, 7, 12, 17,

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According to the question,

$$\begin{aligned}a_{24} &= 2a_{10} \\ \Rightarrow a + (24 - 1)d &= 2(a + (10 - 1)d) \\ \Rightarrow a + 23d &= 2a + 18d \\ \Rightarrow 23d - 18d &= 2a - a \\ \Rightarrow 5d &= a \\ \Rightarrow a &= 5d \quad \dots (1)\end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned}a_{72} &= a + (72 - 1)d \\ &= 5d + 71d && \text{[From (1)]} \\ &= 76d && \dots (2)\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}a_{15} &= a + (15 - 1)d \\ &= 5d + 14d && \text{[From (1)]} \\ &= 19d && \dots (3)\end{aligned}$$

On comparing (2) and (3), we get

$$\begin{aligned}76d &= 4 \times 19d \\ \Rightarrow a_{72} &= 4 \times a_{15}\end{aligned}$$

Thus, 72nd term of the given A.P. is 4 times its 15th term.

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