# 1 Hello!

# 2 Sequences

Sequences are a collection of objects in some particular order.

#### 2.0.1 Notation

A sequence is written in the form  $t_1, t_2, \ldots, t_n$  where  $t_1, t_2,$  and  $t_n$  represent the first, second and nth terms of the sequence respectively.

## Example

Let us consider the sequence of odd numbers  $1, 3, 5, \ldots$ . We can then identify the terms as follows:

$t_1$	$t_2$	$t_3$	$t_4$	 $t_n$
1	3	5	7	 2n-1

### 2.1 Arithmetic Sequences

Arithmetic sequences are sequences where each term differs by the same amount.

#### 2.1.1 Recursive Formula of an Arithmetic Sequence

### 2.1.2 General Formula of an Arithmetic Sequence

The general formula of an arithmetic sequence can be represented as

$$t_n = t_1 + (n-1)d$$

where

- $\bullet$  *n* is the term number, and
- *d* is the common difference.