

Mathematics in the Modern World

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Course syllabus:

Prelim

- Mathematics in our World (Patterns and Sequence)
- Mathematical Language and Symbols (Language of Math, Language of Functions, Language of Sets, Unary and Binary Operations, Logic)
- Problem Solving and Reasoning

Midterm

- Mathematics as a Tool - Data Gathering
- Measures of Central Tendency
- Measures of Variability
- Measures of Position
- Correlation
- Hypothesis Testing

Finals

- Right Triangle Trigonometry
- Codes (Cryptography)
- Tautologies and Fallacies
- Nature of Financial Management

Prelim

L-2 - Patterns

- Visible regularity in world or man-made design.

G. H. Hardy

- British mathematician.
- Characterized mathematics as the study of patterns.

Logic Patterns

- Deals with characteristics of similar attribute with the following various:
 - objects (eg: shapes)
 - order (eg: placement)
 - sequence (eg: array)

Geometric Patterns

- Deals with a motif or design typically repeating like a wallpaper that depicts the following:
 - shapes,
 - lines,
 - polygons,
 - * circles.

Word Patterns

- Deals with metrical patterns of poems and syntactic patterns of how we make:
 - noun plurality,
 - past tense of verbs,
 - also supports mathematics,
 - also supports natural language understanding.
- Examples:
 - Letter jumbling (cryptography)
 - * Encryption: making the message not readable but keeps the meaning.
 - * Decryption: process of finding the meaning of the encrypted message.
 - Word associations

Number Patterns

- Deals with prediction of the next term in a sequence.
- Leads directly to the concept of functions in mathematics.
 - **Functions** are formal descriptions of the relationships among different quantities

L-2-A Fibonacci Sequence

Leonardo of Pisa

- Also known as:
 - **Leonardo Bigollo Pisano** (*Leonardo, traveller of Pisa*),
 - Leonardo Bonacci,
 - Leonardo Fibonacci.
- European Mathematician.
 - Italian, from the Republic of Pisa.
- **Date** lived: *1175-1250*
- **Discovered** the Fibonacci Sequence from:
 - how fast **rabbits breed** *under ideal circumstances*.

Fibonacci Sequence

- Series of numbers where **the next term is found by adding the two previous terms**

1 st - term	2 nd - term	3 rd - term	4 th - term	5 th - term	6 th - term	7 th - term	8 th - term	9 th - term	10 th - term
1	1	2	3	5	8	13	21	34	55

11 st - term	12 nd - term	13 rd - term	14 th - term	15 th - term	16 th - term	17 th - term	18 th - term	19 th - term	20 th - term
89	144	233	377	610	987	1,597	2,584	4,181	6,765

21 st - term	22 nd - term	23 rd - term	24 th - term	25 th - term	26 th - term	27 th - term	28 th - term	29 th - term	30 th - term
10,946	17,711	28,657	46,368	75,025	121,393	196,418	317,811	514,229	832,040

31 st term	32 nd term	33 rd term	34 th term	35 th term
1,346,269	1,346,269	3,524,578	5,702,887	9,227,465

36 th term	37 th term	38 th term	39 th term	40 th term
14,930,352	24,157,817	39,088,169	63,245,986	102,334,155

41 st term	42 nd term	43 rd term	44 th term	45 th term
165,580,141	267,914,296	433,494,437	701,408,733	1,134,903,170

46 th term	47 th term	48 th term	49 th term	50 th term
1,836,311,903	2,971,215,073	4,807,526,976	7,778,742,049	12,586,269,025

Fibonacci Rule

$$x_n = x_{n-1} + x_{n-2}$$

Where:

x_n is the term number “n”

x_{n-1} is the previous term “n-1”

x_{n-2} is the previous 2 terms “n-2”

L-2-B Lucas Number

1 st - term	2 nd - term	3 rd - term	4 th - term	5 th - term	6 th - term	7 th - term	8 th - term	9 th - term	10 th - term
2	1	3	4	7	11	18	29	76	123

11 st - term	12 nd - term	13 rd - term	14 th - term	15 th - term	16 th - term	17 th - term	18 th - term	19 th - term	20 th - term
199	322	521	843	1,364	2,207	3,571	5,778	9,349	15,127

21 st - term	22 nd - term	23 rd - term	24 th - term	25 th - term	26 th - term	27 th - term	28 th - term	29 th - term	30 th - term
24,476	39,603	64,079	103,682	167,761	271,443	439,204	710,647	1,149,851	1,860,498

31 st term	32 nd term	33 rd term	34 th term	35 th term
3,010,349	4,870,847	7,881,196	12,752,043	20,633,239

36 th term	37 th term	38 th term	39 th term	40 th term
33,385,282	54,018,521	87,403,803	141,422,324	228,826,127

41 st term	42 nd term	43 rd term	44 th term	45 th term
370,248,451	599,074,578	969,323,029	1,568,397,607	2,537,720,636

46 th term	47 th term	48 th term	49 th term	50 th term
4,106,118,243	6,643,838,879	10,749,957,122	17,393,796,001	28,143,753,123

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There are three parts to this solution.

1. write the equations to solve the problem in R-readable strings.
2. loop over the list and `eval(parse())` the equation strings
3. wrap strings in `$$ $$` with `cat(paste0())`

Chunks should be set to `echo=FALSE` and `results="asis"`. You may need to suppress some function output with `invisible()`.