

#9. $1, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, -\frac{1}{32}, \dots$

$$r = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$a_n = 1 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} \Leftrightarrow y = ab$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^9 1 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$$

arithmetic

$$a_n = 10 + 5(n-1)$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{100} (10 + 5(n-1))$$

$$= \frac{(10 + 505)}{2} (100)$$

Summing Geometric Series

$$\sum_{i=1}^n a_1 r^{i-1} = a_1 + a_1 r + a_1 r^2 + \dots + a_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$S = a_1 + a_1 r + a_1 r^2 + \dots + a_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (1-r)S &= (1-r)[a_1 + a_1 r + a_1 r^2 + \dots + a_1 r^{n-1}] \\ &= (a_1 + a_1 r + a_1 r^2 + \dots + a_1 r^{n-1}) - a_1 r - a_1 r^2 - a_1 r^3 - \dots - a_1 r^n \\ &= a_1 - a_1 r^n = a_1(1-r^n) \end{aligned}$$

$$(1-r)S = a_1(1-r^n)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n a_i = S = \frac{a_1(1-r^n)}{1-r}$$

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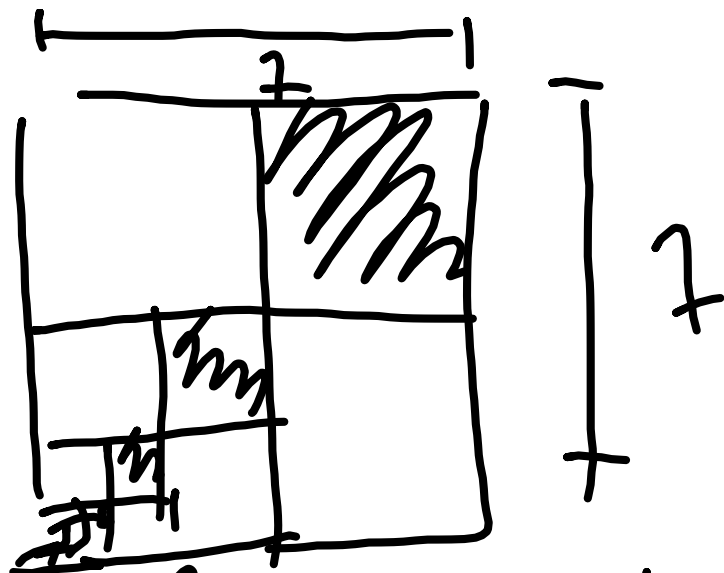
$$g_n = 2(3)^{n-1}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^4 g_k = \frac{2(1-3^4)}{1-3} = \frac{2(-80)}{-2} = 80$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4^B} \right)$$

as $B \rightarrow \infty$

$$S \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}$$



$$\frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{64} + \frac{1}{256} + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{4} \right)^{n-1}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^B \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{4} \right)^{k-1} = \frac{\frac{1}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4^B} \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4^B} \right)}{\frac{3}{4}} \cdot \frac{4}{3}$$

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$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{i-1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

general formula: $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_1 r^{i-1} = \frac{a_1}{1-r}$
 only work if $|r| < 1$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (2)^{k-1} = \frac{1}{1-2} = -1$$

$$= 1 + 2 + 4 + 8 + 16 + 32 + \dots$$

Converge
sums to
finite #

diverge
does not
sum to a finite
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Xeno's Paradox

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{i-1} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 1$$

□

$$0.\overline{9} \neq 1$$

$$\boxed{0.\overline{9} = 1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 0.\overline{9} &= .9 + .09 + .009 + \dots \\
 &= \frac{9}{10} + \frac{9}{100} + \frac{9}{1000} + \frac{9}{10,000} + \dots \\
 &= \frac{\frac{9}{10}}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} + \dots$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{25} + \frac{1}{36} + \dots$$