NCERT Discrete 11.9.3 -26

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Question: Insert two numbers between 3 and 81 so that the resulting sequence is G.P.

Solution:

 n^{th} term of a GP is $ar^n u(n)$.

Parameter	Sub-question	Description	Value
$x_i(0)$	$x_1(0)$	1 st term of 1 st A.P.	63
	$x_{2}(0)$	1 st term of 2 nd A.P.	3
d_i	d_1	Common difference of 1 st A.P.	2
	d_2	Common difference of 2 nd A.P.	7

TABLE I INPUT VALUES

1) given,

$$a = 3 \tag{1}$$

$$ar^3 = 81 \tag{2}$$

$$\implies r = 3$$
 (3)

:. Required numbers are 9 and 27.

2)

$$x(n) = ar^n u(n) \tag{4}$$

$$X(z) = \frac{a}{1 - rz^{-1}} \quad |z| > |r| \tag{5}$$

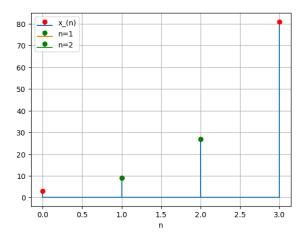


Fig. 1. Graph of x(n)