

## 4. Sequences and series

( $\rightarrow$ ) Means step continued on new line.

For example:

$$\text{ii) } i \frac{(4 + 3i)}{(1 - i)} = \frac{4i + 3i^2}{1 - i} \times \frac{1 + i}{1 + i}$$

$$\text{ii) } i \frac{(4 + 3i)}{(1 - i)} =$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{4i + 3i^2}{1 - i} \times \frac{1 + i}{1 + i}$$

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Exercise: 4.1

1. Verify whether the following sequences are G.P. If so, write tn.

i) 2, 6, 18, 54, ....

Solution:

$$\text{Here } t_1 = 2,$$

$$t_2 = 6,$$

$$t_3 = 18,$$

$$t_4 = 54, \dots$$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{6}{2} = 3$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{18}{6} = 3$$

$$\frac{t_4}{t_3} = \frac{54}{18} = 3$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{t_4}{t_3}$$
$$\rightarrow = \dots 3 = r$$

Which is constant.

Given sequence is a G.P

$$t_n = a.r^{n-1}$$

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

$$a = t_1 = 2$$

$$\text{and } r = 3$$

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

ii) 1, -5, 25, -125, .....

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } t_1 = 1,$$

$$t_2 = 5,$$

$$t_3 = 25,$$

$$t_4 = -125, \dots$$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{-5}{1} = -5$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{25}{-5} = -5$$

$$\frac{t_4}{t_3} = \frac{-125}{25} = -5$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2}$$

$$= \frac{t_4}{t_3} = -5 = r$$

Which is constant.

Given sequence is a G.P

$$t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$= 1(-5)^{n-1}$$

$$t_n = (-5)^{n-1}$$

$$\text{iii) } \sqrt{5}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{5\sqrt{5}}, \frac{1}{25\sqrt{5}}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } t_1 = \sqrt{5},$$

$$t_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}},$$

$$t_3 = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{5}},$$

$$t_4 = \frac{1}{25\sqrt{5}}, \dots$$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{1/\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{1/5\sqrt{5}}{1/\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\frac{t_4}{t_3} = \frac{1/25\sqrt{5}}{1/5\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{t_4}{t_3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} = r$$

Which is constant.

Given sequence is a G.P

$$t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$= \sqrt{5} \left(\frac{1}{5}\right) \dots (a = t_1$$

$$\rightarrow = \sqrt{5} \text{ and } r = \frac{1}{5})$$

$$= 5^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{5^{n-1}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5^{n-\frac{3}{2}}} = 5^{\frac{3}{2}-n}$$

$$t_n = 5^{\frac{3}{2}-n}$$

iv) 3, 4, 5, 6, ....

**Solution:**

Here,  $t_1 = 3$ ,

$t_2 = 4$ ,

$t_3 = 5$ ,

$t_4 = 6$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{t_2}{t_1} \neq \frac{t_3}{t_2}$$

Given sequence is not in G.P

v) 7, 14, 21, 28, ...

**Solution:**

Here,  $t_1 = 7$ ,

$t_2 = 14$ ,

$t_3 = 21$ ,

$t_4 = 28, \dots$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{14}{7}$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{21}{14}$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{t_2}{t_1} \neq \frac{t_3}{t_2}$$

Given sequences is not in G.P

**2) For the G.P**

**i) If  $r = \frac{1}{3}$ ,**

**$a = 9$ , Find  $t_7$**

**Solution:**

Here,  $r = \frac{1}{3}$ ,

$a = 9$ , Find  $t_7$

We have,

$$t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$T_7 = 9 \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^6$$

$$= 9 \times \frac{1}{729} = \frac{1}{81}$$

$$t_7 = \frac{1}{81}$$

ii) If  $a = \frac{7}{243}$ ,  $r = \frac{1}{3}$ , find  $t_3$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } a = \frac{7}{243}$$

$$r = \frac{1}{3}$$

find  $t_3 = ?$

We have,  $t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$

$$t_3 = \left(\frac{7}{243}\right) \times \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{7}{243} \times \frac{1}{9}$$

$$t_3 = \frac{7}{2187}$$

iii) If  $a = 7$ ,

and  $r = -3$ ,

**Find  $t_6$ .**

**Solution:** Here,

$$a=7, r=-3, t_6 = ?$$

$$t_6 = (7) (-3)^{6-1}$$

$$= (7) (-3)^5$$

$$= 7 \times (-243)$$

$$t_6 = -1701$$

Thus,  $t_6 = -1701$

iv) If  $a = \frac{2}{3}$ ,

$t_6 = 162$ , find  $r$

Solution:

Here,  $a = \frac{2}{3}$ ,

$$t_6 = 162,$$

We have

$$t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$t_6 = a \cdot r^5$$

$$162 = \frac{2}{3} \times r^5$$

$$r^5 = \frac{162 \times 3}{2}$$

$$= 243$$

$$= 3^5$$

$$r = 3$$

3) Which term of the G.P 5,25,

**125, 625, ... Is  $5^{10}$ ?**

Solution:

Here,  $a = 5$ ,

$$r = \frac{25}{5} = 5$$

and  $t_n = 5^{10}$

We have

$$t_n = a \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$5^{10} = 5 \times 5^{n-1}$$

$$5^{10} = 5^n$$

$$N = 10$$

Hence, tenth term of the

G.P is  $5^{10}$

4) For what values of  $x$ , the term

$$\frac{4}{3}, x, \frac{4}{27}$$

are in G.P.?

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } t_1 = \frac{4}{3},$$

$$t_2 = x$$

$$, t_3 = \frac{4}{27}$$

As these terms are in G.P

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2}$$

$$\text{i. e. } t_2^2 = t_1 \times t_3$$

$$x^2 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{4}{27}$$

$$= \frac{16}{81}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{4}{9}$$

5) if for a sequences,

$$t_n = \frac{5^{n-3}}{2^{n-3}},$$

show that the sequence is a G.P Find its first term and the common ratio.

**Solution:**

$$t_n = \frac{5^{n-3}}{2^{n-3}}$$

$$t_{n+1} = \frac{5^{n+1-3}}{2^{n+1-3}}$$

$$= \frac{5^{n-2}}{2^{n-2}}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{t_{n+1}}{t_n}$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{5^{n-2}}{2^{n-2}} \div \frac{5^{n-3}}{2^{n-3}}$$

$$= \frac{5^{n-2}}{2^{n-2}} \times \frac{2^{n-3}}{5^{n-3}}$$

$$= \frac{5^{n-2-n+3}}{2^{n-2-n+3}}$$

$$= \frac{5}{2} \text{ which is constant, for all } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

The given sequences is a G.P. with

$$r = \frac{5}{2} \text{ and } a = t_1$$

$$= \frac{5^{1-3}}{2^{1-3}}$$

$$= \frac{5^{-2}}{3^{-2}}$$

$$= \frac{4}{25}$$

6) Find three numbers in G.P such that their sum is 21 and sum of their squares is 189.

**Solution:**

Let the three numbers in G.P be.

$$\frac{a}{r}, a, ar.$$

From the first condition, their sum is 21.

$$\frac{a}{r} + a + ar = 21$$

$$a \left( \frac{1}{r} + 1 + r \right) = 21 \dots (1)$$

From the second condition, sum of their squares is 189

$$\frac{a^2}{r^2} + a^2 + a^2 r^2 = 189$$

$$a^2 \left( \frac{1}{r^2} + 1 + r^2 \right)$$

$$= 189 \quad (2) \text{ On squaring equation (1), we get}$$

$$a^2 \left( \frac{1}{r^2} + 1 + r^2 + \frac{2}{r} + 2 + 2r \right)$$

$$= 441$$

$$\text{i. e. } a^2 \left( \frac{1}{r^2} + 1 + r^2 \right) +$$

$$\rightarrow 2a \left[ a \left( \frac{1}{r} + 1 + r \right) \right]$$

$$= 441$$

From equation 1 and 2

$$189 + 2a \times 21 = 441$$

$$42a = 441 - 189$$

$$42a = 252$$

$$a = \frac{252}{42}$$

$$a = 6$$

From 1,

$$6 \left( \frac{1}{r} + 1 + r \right) = 21$$

$$\text{i. e. } 2 \left( \frac{1 + r + r^2}{r} \right) = 7$$

$$2 + 2r + 2r^2 = 7r$$

$$2r^2 - 5r + 2 = 0$$

$$2r^2 - 4r - 1r + 2 = 0$$

$$2r(r-2) - 1(r-2) = 0$$

$$(r-2)(2r-1) = 0$$

$$r-2 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2r-1 = 0$$

$$r = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad r = \frac{1}{2}$$

For  $a = 6$  and  $r = 2$  the three numbers are 3, 6, 12

For  $a = 6$  and  $r = \frac{1}{2}$ ,

the three numbers are 12, 6, 3

**7) Find four numbers in G.P such that sum of the middle two numbers is  $\frac{10}{3}$  and their product is 1**

**Solution:**

Let the four numbers in G.P be

$$\frac{a}{r^3}, \frac{a}{r}, ar, ar^3$$

From the first condition:

Sum of middle two numbers

$$\text{is } \frac{10}{3}$$

$$\frac{a}{r} + ar = \frac{10}{3} \dots (1)$$

From the second condition their product is 1

$$\frac{a}{r^3} \times \frac{a}{r} \times ar \times ar^3 = 1$$

$$a^4 = 1$$

$$= a = 1 \dots \dots \dots a > 0$$

From equation (1)

$$\frac{1}{r} + r = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$\frac{1+r^2}{r} = \frac{10}{3}$$

$$3 + 3r^2 = 10r$$

$$3r^2 - 10r + 3 = 0$$

$$3r^2 - 9r - 1r + 3 = 0$$

$$3r(r-3) - 1(r-3) = 0$$

$$(r-3)(3r-1) = 0$$

$$r-3 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 3r-1 = 0$$

$$r = 3 \quad \text{or} \quad r = \frac{1}{3}$$

For  $a=1$  and  $r=3$  the four numbers are

$$\frac{1}{27}, \frac{1}{3}, 3, 27.$$

$$\text{For } a = 1 \text{ and } r = \frac{1}{3},$$

then four numbers are

$$27, 3, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{27}$$

**8) Find five numbers in G.P such that their products is 1024 and fifth term is square of the third term**

**Solution:**

Let the five numbers in G.P be,

$$\frac{a}{r^2}, \frac{a}{r}, a, ar, ar^2$$

From the first condition their products is 1024

$$\frac{a}{r^2} \times \frac{a}{r} \times a \times ar$$

$$\rightarrow \times ar^2 = 1024$$

$$a^5 = 4^5 = a = 4$$

From the second condition,

Fifth term is square of the third term.

$$ar^2 = a^2$$

$$r^2 = a$$

$$r^2 = 4$$

$$r = \pm 2$$

For  $a = 4$  and  $r = 2$

The five numbers are 1, 2, 3, 4, 8, 16.

For  $a = 4$ , and  $r = -2$ ,

The five numbers are 1, -2, 4, -8, 16.

**9) The fifth term of a G.P is x , eighth term of the G.P is y, and eleventh term of the G.P is z. Verify whether  $y^2 = x \cdot z$ .**

**Solution:**

Given  $t_5 = x$ ,  $t_8 = y$  and  $t_{11} = z$

$$ar^4 = x \quad ar^7 = y$$

$$\rightarrow \text{and } ar^{10} = z$$

$$\text{Now, } x \cdot z = (ar^4)(ar^{10})$$

$$= a^2 r^{14}$$

$$= (ar^7)^2$$

$$= y^2$$

$$\text{Hence, } y^2 = x \cdot z$$

10) If  $p, q, r, s$  are in G.P show that  $p + q, q+r, r+s$  are also in G.P

**Solution:**

Given  $p, q, r, s$  are in G.P

$$\frac{q}{p} = \frac{r}{q} = \frac{s}{r} = k(\text{say})$$

$$q = pk$$

$$r = qk = pk^2$$

$$s = rk = pk^3$$

$$t_1 = p + q$$

$$= p + pk$$

$$= p(1+k)$$

$$t_2 = q + r$$

$$\rightarrow = pk + pk^2$$

$$\rightarrow = pk(1+k)$$

$$t_3 = r + s$$

$$\rightarrow = pk^2 + pk^3$$

$$\rightarrow = pk^2(1+k)$$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{pk(1+k)}{p(1+k)} = k$$

$$\frac{t_3}{t_2} = \frac{pk^2(1+k)}{pk(1+k)} = k$$

$$\frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{t_3}{t_2}$$

$$\frac{q+r}{p+q} = \frac{r+s}{q+r}$$

$P + q, q + r, r + s$  are in G.P

### Exercise 4.2

**1) For the following G.P . s, Find  $S_n$ .**

i) 3, 6, 12, 24.

**Solution:**

Here,  $a = 3$   $r = 2$

$$S_n = a \left( \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} \right) \quad r > 1$$

$$S_n = 3 \left( \frac{2^n - 1}{2 - 1} \right)$$

$$S_n = 3(2^n - 1)$$

ii)  $p, q, \frac{q^2}{p}, \frac{q^3}{p^2}, \dots$

**Solution:**

Here,  $a = p,$

$$r = \frac{q}{p}$$

Case (i):  $r = \frac{q}{p} > 1$

$\rightarrow = i.e. q > p$

$$\text{Then, } S_n = a \left( \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{p \left( \frac{q}{p} \right)^{n-1}}{\left( \frac{q}{p} - 1 \right)}$$

$$S_n = \frac{p^2}{q-p} \left[ \left( \frac{q}{p} \right)^n - 1 \right]$$

$$\text{Case ii) } r = \frac{q}{p} < 1$$

$$= \text{i.e. } q > p$$

$$\text{Then } S_n = \frac{p^2}{p-q} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{q}{p} \right)^n \right]$$

2) For a G.P if

$$\text{i) } a = 2, r = -\frac{2}{3}$$

We have,

$$S_n = a \left( \frac{1 - r^n}{1 - r} \right)$$

$r < 1$

$$S_6 = 2 \times \left[ \frac{1 - \left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^6}{1 + \frac{2}{3}} \right]$$

$$= 2 \times \left[ \frac{1 - \frac{64}{729}}{\frac{5}{3}} \right]$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{729 - 64}{729}$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{665}{243}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 133}{243}$$

$$= S_6 = \frac{266}{243}$$

**ii)  $S_5 = 1023$ ,**

**$r = 4$ , Find  $a$**

**Solution:**

Here,  $S_5 = 1023$ ,

$r = 4$   $a = ?$

$$a \left( \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} \right) = S_n \quad r > 1$$

$$a \left( \frac{r^5 - 1}{r - 1} \right) = 1023$$

$$a \left( \frac{4^5 - 1}{4 - 1} \right) = 1023$$

$$a \left( \frac{1024 - 1}{3} \right) = 1023$$

$$a \left( \frac{1023}{3} \right) = 1023$$

$a = 3$

**3) For a G.P if**

**i)  $a = 2$**

**$r = 3$**

**$S_n = 242$   $n = ?$**

**Solution:**

Here

$$a = 2,$$

$$r = 3$$

$$S_n = 242$$

$$n = ?$$

$$a \left( \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} \right) = S_n \quad r > 1 \Rightarrow 2 \left( \frac{3^n - 1}{3 - 1} \right) = 242$$

$$3^n - 1 = 242$$

$$3^n = 243 = 3^5$$

$$n = 5$$

ii) Sum of first 3 term is 125 and sum of next 3 terms is 27 find the values of r

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } S_3 = 125$$

$$\text{i.e. } t_1 + t_2 + t_3 = 125$$

$$\text{and } t_4 + t_5 + t_6 = 27$$

$$S_6 = 125 + 27 = 152$$

$$\frac{S_6}{S_3} = \frac{152}{125}$$

$$125 \times S_6 = 152 \times S_3$$

$$125 \times a \left( \frac{r^6 - 1}{r - 1} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow = 152 \times a \left( \frac{r^3 - 1}{r - 1} \right)$$

$$125 \times (r^3 - 1)(r^3 + 1)$$

$$\rightarrow = 152 \times (r^3 - 1)$$

$$125(r^3 + 1) = 152$$

$$125r^3 + 125 = 152$$

$$125r^3 + 125 = 152$$

$$125r^3 = 152 - 125 = 27$$

$$R^3 = \frac{27}{125} = \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)^3$$

$$r = \frac{3}{5}$$

4) For a G.P

i) If  $t_3 = 20$ ,

$t_6 = 160$  Find  $S_7$

Solution:

Here,  $t_3 = 20$

$t_6 = 160$   $S_7 = ?$

$$\frac{t_6}{t_3} = \frac{160}{20}$$

$$\frac{a.r^5}{a.r^2} = 8$$

$$r^3 = 2^3$$

$$r = 2$$

Also,  $t_3 = 20$

$$a.r^2 = 20$$

$$a \times 4 = 20$$

$$a = 5$$

Now,

$$S_7 = a \left( \frac{r^7 - 1}{r - 1} \right) \quad r > 1$$

$$S_7 = 5 \left( \frac{2^7 - 1}{2 - 1} \right)$$

$$= 5 \times (128 - 1)$$

$$= 5 \times 127$$

$$= 5 \times (128 - 1) = 5 \times 127$$

$$S_7 = 635$$

ii) if  $t_4 = 16$ ,  $t_9 = 512$ ,

**find  $S_{10}$ ?**

**Solution:**

Here,  $t_4 = 16$ ,

$t_9 = 512$   $S_{10}$ ?

$$\frac{t_9}{t_4} = \frac{512}{16}$$

$$\frac{a.r^8}{a.r^3} = 32$$

$$r^5 = 2^5$$

$$r = 2$$

$$\text{Also, } t_4 = 16$$

$$a.r^3 = 16$$

$$a \times (2)^3 = 16$$

$$8a = 16$$

$$a = 2$$

$$\text{Now, } S_{10} = a \left( \frac{r^{10} - 1}{r - 1} \right)$$

$r > 1$

$$S_{10} = 2 \left( \frac{2^{10} - 1}{2 - 1} \right)$$

$$= 2 \times (1024 - 1)$$

$$= 2 \times 1023 = 2046$$

$$S_{10} = 2043$$

**5) Find the sum to n terms:**

i)  $3 + 33 + 333 + 3333 + \dots$

**Solution:**

$$S_n = 3 + 33 +$$

333 + .....upto n term

= 3 [ 1+ 11+ 111 + .... Upto n term

$$= \frac{3}{9} [ 9 + 99 +$$

→ 999 + .... Upto n term

$$= \frac{1}{3} [ (10 - 1) + (10^2 - 1)$$

→ + (10^3 - 1) + ...

→ + (10^n - 1)]

$$= \frac{1}{3} [ (10 + 10^2 +$$

→ 10^3 + ... + 10^n)

→ - (1 + 1 + 1 ... upto n term)

Clearly 1st bracketed term are in G.P with a = r = 10

$$S_n = \frac{1}{3} \left[ 10 \times \left( \frac{10^n - 1}{10 - 1} \right) - n \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{10}{9} \times (10^n - 1) - n \right]$$

$$S_n =$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{27} [10 (10^n - 1) - 9n]$$

ii) 8+ 88+ 888+ 8888+ ...

**Solution:** let

$$S_n = 8 + 88 + 888$$

→ + ... Upto n terms

$$= 8 [ 1 + 11 + 111 + \dots \text{ upto } n \text{ term} ]$$

$$= \frac{8}{9} [ 9 + 99 + 999$$

→ + ... Upto n term ]

$$= \frac{8}{9} [ (10 - 1) + (10^2$$

→ - 1) + (10<sup>3</sup> - 1)

→ + ... + (10<sup>n</sup> - 1)]

$$= \frac{8}{9} [ (10 + 10^2 + 10^3$$

→ + ... + 10<sup>n</sup>) -

→ (1 + 1 + 1 ... upto n term)]

Clearly first bracketed terms are in a G.P with  $a = r = 10$

$$S_n = \frac{8}{9} \left[ 10 \times \left( \frac{10^n - 1}{10 - 1} \right) - n \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{8}{9} \left[ \frac{10}{9} \times (10^n - 1) - n \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{8}{81} [10 (10^n - 1) - 9n]$$

6) Find the sum to n term:

i)  $0.4 + 0.44 + 0.444 + \dots$

**Solution:** Let

$$S_n = 0.4 + 0.44 +$$

→ 0.444 + ... Upto n term

$$= 4 [ 0.1 + 0.11 + 0.111 + \dots \text{Upto n term} ]$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} [ 0.9 + 0.99 + 0.999$$

→ + ... Upto n term ]

$$= \frac{4}{9} [(1 - 0.1) + (1 - 0.11) +$$

→ (1 - 0.111) + ... upto n term ]

$$= \frac{4}{9} [ (1 + 1 + 1 + \dots$$

Upto n term) - (0.1 + 0.01 + 0.001 + ... upto n term) ]

Clearly the term in the second bracket are in a G.P with  $a = 0.1$  and  $r = 0.1$

$$S_n = \frac{4}{9} \left[ n - 0.1 \left( \frac{1 - (0.1)^n}{1 - 0.1} \right) \right]$$

$$S_n =$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{4}{9} \left[ n - \frac{1}{9} (1 - (0.1)^n) \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{4}{81} \left[ 9n - (1 - \frac{1}{10^n}) \right]$$

ii) 0.7 + 0.77 + 0.777 + ...

**Solution:** Let

$$S_n = 0.7 + 0.77 + 0.777 +$$

... Upto n term

$$= 7[0.1 + 0.11 + 0.111 + \dots \text{upto n term}]$$

$$= \frac{7}{9} [0.9 + 0.99 + 0.999 +$$

... Upto n term]

$$= \frac{7}{9} [(1 - 0.1) + (1 - 0.01)$$

→  $+(1 - 0.001) +$

... Upto n term]

$$= \frac{7}{9} [(1 + 1 + 1 +$$

..... upto n term) - (0.1 + 0.11 + 0.001... upto n term)]

Clearly the term in the second bracket are in a G.P with  $a = 0.1$   $r = 0.1$

$$S_n = \frac{7}{9} [n - 0.1 \left( \frac{1 - (0.1)^n}{1 - 0.1} \right)]$$

$$S_n = \frac{7}{9} [n - \frac{1}{9} (1 - (0.1)^n)]$$

$$S_n = \frac{7}{81} [9n - (1 - \frac{1}{10^n})]$$

7) Find the sum to n terms of the sequences.

i) 0.5, 0.05, 0.005, .....

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } S_n = 0.5 + 0.05 + 0.005$$

→  $+ \dots$  upto n terms

$$= \frac{5}{10} + \frac{5}{10^2} + \frac{5}{10^3}$$

→  $+ \dots + \frac{5}{10^n}$

$$= 5 \left[ \frac{1}{10} + \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^2 + \right.$$

$$\left. \rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^3 + \dots + \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right]$$

Clearly the term in bracket are in G.P with

$$\rightarrow a = r = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$S_n = 5 \times \frac{1}{10} \left[ \frac{1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{5}{10} \times \frac{10}{9} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{5}{9} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right]$$

ii) 0.2, 0.02, 0.002, .....

**Solution:**

$$\text{let } S_n = 0.2 + 0.02$$

+ 0.002 + .....upto n terms

$$= \left[ 2 \frac{1}{10} + \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^3 \right.$$

$$\left. \rightarrow + \dots + \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n \right]$$

Clearly the term in bracket are in G.P

$$\text{with } a = r = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$S_n = 2 \times \frac{1}{10} \left[ \frac{1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} \right] =$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{2}{10} \times \frac{10}{9} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right) n \right]$$

$$S_n = \frac{2}{9} \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{1}{10} \right) n \right]$$

8) For a sequences,if

$$S_n = (3^n - 1)$$

find the  $n^{th}$  term,

hence show that the sequences.

Solution:

We have,

$$S_n = 2(3^n - 1)$$

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

$$\text{Now, } t_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$$

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

$$= 2[3^n - 1 - 3^{n-1} + 1]$$

$$= 2[3^n - 3 - 3^{n-1}]$$

$$= 2 \times 3^{n-1} [3 - 1]$$

$$t_n = 4 \times 3^{n-1}$$

$$t_{n+1} = 4 \times 3^n$$

$$\frac{t_{n+1}}{t_n} = \frac{4 \times 3^n}{4 \times 3^{n-1}}$$

$$= 3 = \text{Constant for all } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

Hence, Given sequences is a G.P with  $a = 4$   $r = 3$

9) If  $s, p, r$  are the sum , product and sum of the reciprocals of  $n$  terms of a G.P

respectively then verify that

$$\left[ \frac{S}{R} \right]^N = P^2$$

**Solution:**

Let the n terms of the G.P be

$$a, ar, ar^2, \dots, r^{n-1}$$

$$S_n = a + ar + ar^2$$

$$\rightarrow + \dots + ar^{n-1}$$

$$= \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{(r - 1)} \dots \dots (1)$$

Now,

$$P = a \times ar$$

$$\rightarrow \times ar^2 \times ar^3$$

$$\rightarrow \times \dots \times ar^{n-1}$$

$$= (a \times a \times a \dots n \text{ times}) (r$$

$$\rightarrow \times r^2 \times r^3 \times \dots \times r^{n-1})$$

$$= (a^n) (r)^{1+2+3+\dots+(n-1)}$$

$$= (a^n) \cdot (r)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} \dots (2)$$

$$\text{and } R = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{ar} + \frac{1}{ar^2} +$$

$$\rightarrow \dots + \frac{1}{ar^{n-1}}$$

This is G.P. where the first term

is  $\frac{1}{a}$  and

→ the common ratio is  $\frac{1}{r}$

$$R = \frac{\frac{1}{a} \left[ \frac{1}{r} \right]^{n-1}}{\frac{1}{r}}$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{\frac{1}{a} \left( \frac{1-r^n}{r^n} \right)}{\frac{1-r}{r}}$$

$$= \frac{1-r^n}{a \cdot r^n} \times \frac{r}{1-r}$$

$$= \frac{1-r^n}{a \cdot r^{n-1} (1-r)}$$

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{a \cdot r^{n-1} (1-r)}{1-r^n} \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

Now, LHS. =  $P^2$

$$= \left[ (a^n) \cdot (r)^{\frac{(n-1)n}{2}} \right]^2$$

$$= a^{2n} \cdot r^{(n-1)n} \dots (4)$$

$$\text{And } \frac{s}{r} = \frac{a \cdot (r^{n-1})}{r-1}$$

$$\rightarrow \times \frac{a \cdot r^{n-1} (1-r)}{(1-r^n)}$$

From 1 and 3

$$= \frac{a \cdot (r^n - 1)}{r-1} \times$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{a \cdot r^{n-1}(r-1)}{(r^n-1)}$$

$$= a^2 \cdot r^{(n-1)n} \dots (5)$$

From 4 and 5

LHS = RHS

$$P^2 = \left[ \frac{S}{R} \right] N$$

**10) If  $S_n, S_{2n}, S_{3n}$**

are the sum of  $n, 2n, 3n$  Term f a G.P respectively then verify that

$$S_n (S_{3n} - S_{2n})$$

$$\rightarrow = (S_{2n} - S_n)^2.$$

**Solution:**

Let  $a$  be the first term and  $r$  be the common ratio of the G.P

Then the G.P is

$a, ar, ar^2, \dots \dots Ar^n, \dots \dots$

Now sum of first  $n$  term of the G.p

$$S_n = \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1}$$

Sum of the first  $2n$  terms of the G.P

$$S_{2n} = \frac{a(r^{2n}-1)}{r-1}$$

Sum of the first  $3n$  term of the G.P

$$S_{3n} = \frac{a(r^{3n}-1)}{r-1}$$

$$S_{3n} - S_{2n}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{a(r^{3n}-1)}{r-1} - \frac{a(r^{2n}-1)}{r-1} \\
&= \frac{a}{r-1} (r^{3n} - 1 - r^{2n} + 1) \\
&= \frac{a}{r-1} (r^{3n} - r^{2n}) \\
&= \frac{a}{r-1} \times r^{2n} (r^n - 1)
\end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{LHS.} &= S_n (S_{3n} - S_{2n}) \\
&= \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1} \times \frac{a(r^{2n}-1)}{r-1} \\
&= \frac{a^2 \cdot r^{2n} (r^n - 1)^2}{(r-1)^2} \\
&= \frac{a^2}{(r-1)^2} \cdot r^{2n} (r^n - 1)^2 \\
&\dots\dots\dots (1)
\end{aligned}$$

Also,  $S_{2n} - S_n =$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\rightarrow \frac{a(r^{2n}-1)}{r-1} - \frac{a(r^n-1)}{r-1} \\
&= \frac{a(r^{2n} - 1) - a(r^n - 1)}{r-1} \\
&= \frac{a}{r-1} (r^{2n} - 1 - r^n + 1) \\
&= \frac{a}{r-1} (r^{2n} - r^n) \\
S_{2n} - S_n &= \frac{a}{r-1} r^n (r^n - 1)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= (S_{2n} - S_n)^2 \\ &= \left[ \frac{a}{r-1} \cdot r^{2n} (r^n - 1) \right]^2 \\ &= \frac{a^2}{(r-1)^2} \cdot r^{2n} (r^n - 1)^2 \\ &\dots\dots\dots (2) \end{aligned}$$

From 1 and 2 LHS = RHS

$$\begin{aligned} &S_n(S_{3n} - S_{2n}) \\ &\rightarrow = (S_{2n} - S_n)^2 \end{aligned}$$

### Exercise. 4.3

1. Determine whether the sum to infinity of the following G.P exist if exist find them.

i)  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, \dots\dots$

**Solution:**

Here,

$$a = t_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

and

$$r = \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{1/4}{1/2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Clearly,  $|r| < 1$ , the sum to infinity of the G.P exists.

Sum to infinity

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{1/2}{1/2} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the sum to infinity of the G.P is 1.

$$\text{ii) } 2, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{8}{9}, \frac{16}{27}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Here, } a = t_1 = 2$$

and

$$r = \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}}{2}$$
$$= \frac{2}{3}$$

Clearly,  $|r| < 1$

The sum to infinity of the G.P exists.

Sum to infinity,

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

$$= \frac{2}{1-\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\frac{3-2}{3}}$$

$$= 2 \times 3 = 6$$

Thus, the sum to infinity of the G.P is 6

$$\text{iii) } -3, 1, \frac{-1}{3},$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{9}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

Here

$$a = -3 = t_1 \text{ and}$$

$$r = \frac{t_2}{t_1} = \frac{1}{-3}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3}$$

Clearly,  $|r| < 1$

The sum to infinity of the G.P exist

Sum to infinity

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

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

$$= \frac{-3}{1 + \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{-3}{\frac{4}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{-9}{4}$$

Thus the sum to infinity of the

$$\text{G.P is } \frac{-9}{4}$$

$$\text{iv) } \frac{1}{5}, \frac{-2}{5}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{-8}{5}, \frac{16}{5},$$

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } a = t_1 = \frac{1}{5}$$

and

$$r = \frac{t_2}{t_1}$$
$$= \frac{-\frac{2}{5}}{\frac{1}{5}} = -2$$

$$|r| = 2$$

$$\sqrt{|r|} < 1$$

The sum to infinity of the G.P does not exist

**2) Express the following recurring decimals a rational number.**

**i) 0.32**

Solution:  $0.32 = 0.32 + 0.0032 + 0.000032 + \dots$

Here, the term form a G.P.

With  $a = 0.32$

$$\text{And } r = \frac{0.0032}{0.32} = 0.01$$

$$= \frac{1}{100}$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{100} < 1$$

The sum to the infinity of the G.P exist and

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

$$= \frac{0.32}{1-0.01}$$

$$= \frac{0.3232}{0.9999}$$

$$\text{Thus } 0.32 = \frac{32}{99}$$

ii) 3.5

$$\text{Solution: } 3.5 = 3 + 0.5 + 0.05 + 0.005 + \dots$$

Here, the term after the first term form a

G.P with  $a = 0.5$  and

$$r = \frac{0.05}{0.5} = 0.1$$

$$= \frac{1}{10}$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{10} < 1$$

The sum to the infinity of the G.P exists and

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

$$= \frac{0.5}{1-0.1}$$

$$= \frac{0.5}{0.9}$$

$$= \frac{5}{9}$$

$$3.5 = 3 + \frac{5}{9}$$

$$= \frac{27+5}{9}$$

$$= \frac{32}{9}$$

$$\text{Thus, } 3.5 = \frac{32}{9}$$

iii) 4.18

**Solution:**  $4.18 = 4 + 0.18 + 0.0018 + 0.000018 + \dots$

Here, the term after the first term form a G.P

With  $a = 0.18$

$$\text{And } r = \frac{0.0018}{0.18}$$

$$= 0.01 = \frac{1}{100}$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{100} < 1$$

The sum to the infinity of the G.P exist and

$$= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{0.18}{1-0.01}$$

$$= \frac{0.18}{0.99} = \frac{2}{11}$$

$$4.18 = 4 + \frac{2}{11}$$

$$= \frac{44+2}{11} + \frac{46}{11}$$

$$\text{Thus, } 4.18 = \frac{46}{11}$$

iv) 0.345

**Solution:**  $0.345 = 0.3 + 0.045 + 0.00045 + 0.0000045 + \dots$

Here, the term after the first term form a G.P

With  $a = 0.045$

$$R = \frac{0.00045}{0.045} = 0.01$$

$$= \frac{1}{100}$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{100} < 1$$

The sum to the infinity of the G.P exists and

$$= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{0.045}{1-0.01}$$

$$= \frac{0.045}{0.99} + \frac{4.5}{90}$$

$$\underline{\quad} \quad 0.345 = \frac{3}{10} + \frac{4.5}{99}$$

$$= \frac{3}{10} + \frac{45}{990}$$

$$= \frac{267 + 45}{990}$$

$$= \frac{342}{990} = \frac{19}{55}$$

$$\underline{\quad} \quad \text{Thus, } 0.345 = \frac{19}{55}$$

v) 3.456

**Solution:**  $3.456 = 3.4 + 0.056 + 0.00056 + 0.0000056 + \dots$

Here, the term after the first term form a G.P.

With  $a = 0.056$

$$\text{And } r = \frac{0.00056}{0.056}$$

$$= 0.01 = \frac{1}{100}$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{100} < 1$$

The sum to the infinity to the G.P exists and

$$= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{0.056}{1-0.01}$$

$$= \frac{0.056}{0.99} = \frac{5.6}{99}$$

$$\underline{\quad} 3.456 = 3.4 + \frac{5.6}{99}$$

$$= \frac{34}{10} + \frac{56}{990}$$

$$= \frac{3366 + 56}{990}$$

$$= \frac{3422}{990}$$

$$= \frac{1711}{495}$$

$$\text{Thus, } 3.456 = \frac{1711}{495}$$

3) If the common ratio a G.P. is

is  $\frac{2}{3}$  and sum of

its terms to infinity is 12. Find the first terms.

**Solution:**

Here,  $r = \frac{2}{3}$

and sum to infinity = 12

$$\frac{a}{1-r} = 12$$

$$A = 12(1-r)$$

$$= 12\left(1 - \frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$= 12\left(\frac{3-2}{3}\right)$$

The first term = 4.

4) If the first term of the G.P is 16 and its sum to infinity is

$$\frac{176}{5}$$

find the common ratio.

**Solution:**

Here,  $a = 16$  and sum to

$$\text{infinity is } \frac{176}{5}$$

$$\text{i. e. } \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{176}{5}$$

$$5a = 176(1-r)$$

$$5 \times 16 = 176(1-r)$$

$$\frac{80}{176} = 1 - r$$

$$\frac{5}{11} = 1 - r$$

$$r = 1 - \frac{5}{11}$$

$$r = \frac{6}{11}$$

5) The sum of the terms of an infinity G.P is 5 and the sum of the squares of those terms is 15 find the G.P

**Solution:**

Here, the sum of an infinity G.P is 5

$$\frac{a}{1-r} = 5$$

Also, the sum of the squares of these terms is 15.

$$\frac{a^2}{1-r^2} = 15$$

$$\frac{a}{1-r} \times \frac{a}{1+r} = 15$$

$$5 \times \frac{a}{1+r} = 15$$

$$\frac{a}{1+r} = 3 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

From 1  $a = 5(1-r) = 5-5r$

From 2  $a = 3(1+r) = 3+3r$

$$5-5r = 3+3r$$

$$-8r = -2$$

$$r = \frac{1}{4}$$

From 1  $a = 5 - \frac{5}{4}$

$$= \frac{20-5}{4}$$

$$= \frac{15}{4}$$

Required terms of G.P is given by  
 $a, ar, ar^2, ar^3, \dots$

i. e.  $\frac{15}{4}, \frac{15}{16}, \frac{15}{64}, \dots$

#### Exercise 4.4

1. verify whether the following sequences are H.P.

$$\text{i) } \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \dots$$

**Solution:** Given sequences

$$\text{is } \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \dots$$

The reciprocals of the number are 3, 5, 7, 9, .....

These numbers are in A.P with  $a = 3$  and  $d = 5 - 3 = 7 - 5 = 9 - 7 = 2$

The sequences

$$\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \dots$$

Is a H.P.

$$\text{ii) } \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{12}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

Given sequences is

$$\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{12}, \dots$$

The reciprocals of the number are 3, 6, 9, 12,.....

These numbers are in A.P with  $a = 3$  and  $d = 6 - 3 = 9 - 6 = 12 - 9 = 3$

The sequences

$$\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{12}, \dots$$

Is a H.P.

$$\text{iii) } \frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{11}, \frac{1}{13}, \frac{1}{15}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

Given sequences is

$$\frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{11}, \frac{1}{13}, \frac{1}{15}, \dots$$

The reciprocals of the number are

$$7, 9, 11, 13, 15, \dots$$

These numbers are in A.P with  $a=7$  and  $d=9-7=11-9=13-11=15-13=2$

The sequences

$$\frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{11}, \frac{1}{13}, \frac{1}{15}, \dots$$

..... is a H.P

2) Find the  $n$ th terms and hence find the 8th terms of the following H.P

i)  $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{11}, \dots$

**solution:**

Given sequences is in H.P

2, 5, 8, 11, .....are in A.P with  $a = 2$  and  $d = 3$

$$t_n = a + (n - 1)d = 2 + (n - 1)3$$

$$= 2 + 3n - 3 = 3n - 1$$

$n$  th terms of

$$\text{H.P} = \frac{1}{3n - 1}$$

8 th terms of

$$\begin{aligned} \text{H.P} &= \frac{1}{3 \times 8 - 1} \\ &= \frac{1}{24 - 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{23}$$

The 8th terms of the

$$\rightarrow \text{H.P is } \frac{1}{23}.$$

$$\text{ii) } \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{10}, \dots$$

Solution: Given sequences is in H.P

4, 6, 8, 10,..... are in A.P with  $a = 4$  and  $d = 2$ .

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

$$\rightarrow = 4 + (n - 1)2$$

$$= 4 + 2n - 2 = 2n + 2$$

N th terms of H.P.

$$\rightarrow = \frac{1}{2n + 2}$$

8th terms of H.P

$$= \frac{1}{2(8) + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{16 + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{18}$$

The 8th terms of the

$$\rightarrow \text{H.P is } \frac{1}{18}.$$

$$\text{iii) } \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{10}, \frac{1}{15}, \frac{1}{20}, \dots$$

**Solution:**

Given sequences is in H.P

5, 10, 15, 20,... are in A.P with  $a = 5$  and  $d = 5$

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

$$\rightarrow = 5 + (n - 1)5$$

$$= 5 + 5n - 5 = 5n$$

Nth terms of

$$\rightarrow \text{H.P} = \frac{1}{5n}$$

8th terms of

$$\rightarrow \text{H.P} = \frac{1}{5 \times 8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{40}$$

The 8th terms of the

$$\rightarrow \text{H.P is } \frac{1}{40}.$$

**3) Find A.M of two positive numbers whose G.M and H.M are 4 and  $\frac{16}{5}$  respectively.**

**Solution:**

Here,  $G = 4$  and

$$H = \frac{16}{5}$$

We have  $G^2 = AH$

$$16 = A \times \frac{16}{5}$$

$$A = 5$$

#### 4) Find H.M of two positive numbers

Whose A. M and

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } A = \frac{15}{2}$$

$$\text{And } G = 6$$

We have  $G^2 = AH$

$$36 = \frac{15}{2} \times H$$

$$H = \frac{2 \times 36}{5}$$

$$H = \frac{24}{5}$$

#### 5) Find G.M of two positive numbers whose A.M and H.M are 75 and 48.

Solution:

$$\text{Here, } A = 75 \text{ and } H = 48$$

We have  $G^2 = AH$

$$G^2 = 75 \times 48$$

$$G^2 = 3600$$

$$G = 60$$

#### 6) Insert two numbers

→ between  $\frac{1}{7}$  and  $\frac{1}{13}$

so that the resulting sequences is a H.P

**Solution:**

Let the required number

→ be  $\frac{1}{H_1}$  and  $\frac{1}{H_2}$ .

$\frac{1}{7}, \frac{1}{H_1}, \frac{1}{H_2}, \frac{1}{13}$  are in H.P

7, H1, H2, 13, and  $t_4 = 13$

Here,  $a = 7$  and  $t_4 = 13$

$$a + 3d = 13$$

$$7 + 3d = 13$$

$$3d = 13 - 7 = 6$$

$$d = 2$$

$$H_1 = t_2 = a + b = 7 + 2 = 9$$

$$H_2 = t_3 = a + 2b = 7 + 4 = 11$$

Hence required numbers are

**7) Insert two numbers between 1 and -27 so that the resulting sequences is a G.P**

**Solution:**

let required numbers be G1 and G2.

1, G1, G2, -27 are in G.P

Here,  $a = 1$  and  $t_4 = -27$

$$a \cdot r^3 = -27$$

$$r^3 = (-3)^3$$

$$r = -3$$

$$G_1 = T_2 = a.r = -3$$

$$G_2 = T_3 = a.r = (-3)^2 = 9$$

Hence, the required numbers are -3 and 9.

**8) Find two numbers whose A.M exceed their**

**G.M by  $\frac{1}{2}$  and their**

**$\rightarrow$  H.M by  $\frac{25}{26}$ .**

Solution:

Let a and b be the required numbers.

$$\text{Then } A = \frac{a+b}{2} G$$

$$\rightarrow = \sqrt{ab} \quad H = \frac{2ab}{a+b}$$

From the given condition,

$$A - G = \frac{1}{2} \dots (1)$$

$$A - H = \frac{25}{26} \dots (2)$$

Multiplying equation (2) by A

$$A^2 - AH = \frac{25}{26} A$$

$$A^2 - G^2 = \frac{25}{26} A$$

$$(A - G)(A + G) = \frac{25}{26}A$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(A - G) = \frac{25}{26}A \dots \text{From 1)}$$

$$A + G = \frac{25}{13}A$$

$$G = \frac{12}{13}A \dots (3)$$

From (1)

$$A - \frac{12}{13}A = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$A = \frac{13}{2} \text{ and}$$

$$G = \frac{12}{13} \times \frac{13}{2}$$

$$= 6 \dots\dots\dots \text{from (3)}$$

$$\text{Now, } A = \frac{a + b}{2} = \frac{13}{2}$$

$$\text{and } G = \sqrt{ab} = 6$$

$$a + b = 13 \text{ and } ab = 36$$

$$a(13-a) = 36$$

$$13a - a^2 = 36$$

$$a^2 - 13a + 36 = 0$$

$$(a-9)(a-4) = 0$$

$$a = 9 \text{ or } a = 4$$

$$b = 4 \text{ or } b = 9$$

Hence the required number are 4 and 9.

9) Find two number whose A.M exceeds G.M by 7

and their H. M by  $\frac{63}{5}$ .

Solution:

Let a and b be the required numbers.

$$\text{Then } A = \frac{a+b}{2},$$

$$G = \sqrt{ab},$$

$$H = \frac{2ab}{a+b}$$

From the given condition:

$$A - G = 7 \dots\dots (1)$$

$$A - H = \frac{63}{5} \dots (2)$$

Multiplying equation (2) by A

$$A^2 - AH = \frac{63}{5} A$$

$$A^2 - G^2 = \frac{63}{5} A$$

$$(A - G)(A + G) = \frac{63}{5} A$$

$$7(A + G) = \frac{63}{5} A$$

..... From (1)

$$5(A+G) = 9A$$

$$5A + 5G = 9A$$

$$5G = 4A$$

$$G = \frac{4}{5} A \dots (3)$$

From (1)

$$A - \frac{4}{5}A = 7$$

$$5A - 4A = 35$$

$$A = 35$$

And

$$G = \frac{4}{5} \times 35 = 28$$

..... From (3)

$$\text{Now, } A = \frac{a+b}{2} = 35$$

$$\text{and } G = \sqrt{ab} = 28$$

$$a + b = 70 \text{ and } ab = 784$$

$$a(70-a) = 784$$

$$70a - a^2 = 784$$

$$a^2 - 70a + 784 = 0$$

$$(a-56)(a-14) = 0$$

$$a = 56 \text{ or } a = 14$$

$$b = 14 \text{ or } b = 56$$

Hence the required numbers are 14 and 56.

### Exercise: 4.5

1) Find the sum

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (r+1)(2r-)$$

**Solution:**

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (r+1)(2r-)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (2r^2 + 2r - r - 1)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (2r^2 + r - 1)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 +$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^n r - \sum_{r=1}^n 1$$

$$= 2 \times \left[ \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} - n$$

$$= n \left[ \frac{(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow + \frac{(n+1)}{2} - 1 ]$$

$$= \frac{n}{6} [2(2n^2 + 2n + n +$$

$$\rightarrow 1) + 3n + 3 - 6]$$

$$= \frac{n}{6} [2(2n^2 + 3n + 1)$$

$$\rightarrow + 3n - 3]$$

$$= \frac{n}{6}(4n^2 + 6n +$$

$$\rightarrow 2 + 3n - 3)$$

$$= \frac{n}{6}(4n^2 + 9n - 1)$$

**2) Find  $\sum_{r=1}^n(3r^2 - 2r + 1)$**

**Solution:**

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (3r^2 - 2r + 1)$$

$$= 3 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 - 2 \sum_{r=1}^n r + \sum_{r=1}^n 1$$

$$= 3 \times \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow - \frac{2(n+1)n}{2} + n$$

$$= n \left[ \frac{(n+1)(2n+1)}{2} \right.$$

$$\left. \rightarrow - \frac{2n+2}{2} + 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[ \frac{2n^2 + 2n + n + 1 - 2n - 2 + 2}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{2}(2n^2 + n + 1)$$

**3) Find  $\sum_{r=1}^n(1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + r)$**

**Solution:**

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + r)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n \left[ \frac{r(r+1)}{2} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{r+1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \sum_{r=1}^n \sum_{r=1}^n 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + n \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{4} (n + 1 + 2)$$

$$= \frac{n(n+3)}{4}$$

4) Find  $\sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{1^3 + 2^3 + \dots + r^3}{r(r+1)} \right)$

Solution:

$$\sum_{r=1}^n \left( \frac{1^3 + 2^3 + \dots + r^3}{r(r+1)} \right)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n \left[ \frac{\frac{r^2(r+1)^2}{4}}{r(r+1)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{r=1}^n (r^2 + r)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 + \sum_{r=1}^n r \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \left] \right.$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)}{2 \times 4} \left[ \frac{2n+1}{3} + 1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)}{8} \times \frac{(2n+1+3)}{3}$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)}{8} \times \frac{2n(n+2)}{3}$$

$$= \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{12}$$

5) Find the sum  $5 \times 7 + 9 \times 11 \times 13 \times 15 + \dots$  Upto  $n$  term

**Solution:**

Here, the term of 1st part are 5, 9, 13....

And the term of 2nd parts are 7, 11, 15....

These parts are in A.P

$n$ th terms of 1st part =  $5 + (n-1)4 = 4n + 1$

$n$ th terms of 2nd parts =  $7 + (n-1)4 = 4n + 3$

$$S_n = \sum_{r=1}^n tr$$

$$\rightarrow = \sum_{r=1}^n (4r + 1)(4r + 3)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (16r^2 + 16r + 3)$$

$$= 16 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2$$

$$\rightarrow + 16 \sum_{r=1}^n r + \sum_{r=1}^n 3$$

$$= 16 \times \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$\rightarrow + 16 \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2} + 3n$$

$$= n \left[ \frac{8(n+1)(2n+1)}{3} + \right.$$

$$\left. \rightarrow 8(n+1) + 3 \right]$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} [8(2n^2 + 3n + 1)$$

$$\rightarrow + (8n + 11 \times 3)]$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} [16n^2 + 48n + 41]$$

**6) Find the sum  $2^2 + 4^2 +$**

**$\rightarrow 6^2 + 8^2 + \dots$  Upto n term.**

**Solution:** Sum of  $2^2 + 4^2$

**$\rightarrow + 6^2 + 8^2 + \dots$  Upto n term.**

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (2r)2$$

$$= 4 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{2n(n+1)(2n+1)}{3}$$

**7) Find  $(70^2 - 69^2) +$**

**$\rightarrow (68^2 - 67^2) + (66^2 -$**

$$\rightarrow 65^2) + \dots + (2^2 - 1^2)$$

**Solution:**  $(70^2 - 69^2) +$

$$\rightarrow (68^2 - 67^2) + (66^2 - 65^2)$$

$$\rightarrow + \dots + (2^2 - 1^2)$$

$$= (70^2 + 68^2 + 66^2 +$$

$$\rightarrow \dots + 2^2) - (69^2 + 67^2$$

$$\rightarrow + 65^2 + \dots + 1^2)$$

$$= (2^2 + 4^2 + 6^2 + \dots$$

$$\rightarrow + 70^2) - (1^2 + 3^2 +$$

$$\rightarrow 5^2 + \dots + 69^2)$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{35} (2r)^2 -$$

$$\rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^{35} (2r-1)^2$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{35} [(2r)^2 - (2r-1)^2]$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^{35} (4r^2 - 4r^2 + 4r - 1)$$

$$= 4 \sum_{r=1}^{35} r - \sum_{r=1}^{35} 1$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{35 \times 36}{2} - 36$$

$$= 35 (72 - 1)$$

$$= 35 \times 71$$

$$= 2485$$

8) Find the sum  $1 \times 3 \times 5 + 3 \times 5 \times 7 + 5 \times 7 \times 9 + \dots + (2n - 1)(2n + 1)(2n + 3)$

**Solution:**  $1 \times 3 \times 5 + 3 \times 5 \times 7 + 5 \times 7 \times 9 + \dots + (2n - 1)(2n + 1)(2n + 3)$

Here,  $t_n = (2n - 1)$

$\rightarrow (2n + 1)(2n + 3)$

$S_n = \sum_{r=1}^n t_r =$

$\rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^n (2n - 1)$

$\rightarrow (2r + 1)(2r + 3)$

$= \sum_{r=1}^n (4r^2 - 1)(2r + 3)$

$= \sum_{r=1}^n 8r^3 - 12r^2 - 2r - 3$

$= 8 \sum_{r=1}^n r^3$

$\rightarrow + 12 \sum_{r=1}^n r - 2$

$\rightarrow \sum_{r=1}^n -3 \sum_{r=1}^n (1)$

$= 8 \times \frac{n^2(n + 1)2}{4} +$

$\rightarrow 12 \times \frac{n(n + 1)(2n + 1)}{6} -$

$\rightarrow 2 \times \frac{n(n + 1)}{2} - 3n$

$= 2n^2(n + 1)^2 +$

$\rightarrow 2n(n + 1)(2n + 1)$

$\rightarrow - n(n + 1) - 3n$

$$= n(n+1) [2n(n+1) + 2(2n+1) - 1] - 3n$$

$$= n(n+1) [2n^2 + 2n$$

$$\rightarrow +4n^2 + 2 - 1] - 3n$$

$$= n(n+1) (6n^2 +$$

$$\rightarrow 2n + 1) - 3n$$

$$= n[(n+1)(6n^2$$

$$\rightarrow +2n + 1) - 3]$$

$$= n[6n^3 + 2n^2 + n +$$

$$\rightarrow 6n^2 + 2n + 1 - 3]$$

$$= n(6n^3 + 8n^2 + 3n - 2)$$

9) If  $\frac{1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + 4 \times 5 \dots \text{upto } n \text{ term}}{1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots \text{upto } n \text{ term}} = \frac{100}{3}$ , find n.

**Solution:**

$$\frac{1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + 4 \times 5 \dots \text{upto } n \text{ term}}{1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots \text{upto } n \text{ term}} = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$\frac{\sum_{r=1}^n r(r+1)}{\sum_{r=1}^n r} = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$\frac{\sum_{r=1}^n r(r^2+1)}{\sum_{r=1}^n r} = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n r^2 + \sum_{r=1}^n r$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{100}{3} \sum_{r=1}^n r$$

$$\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{100}{3} \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2} \left[ \frac{2n+1}{3} + 1 \right] =$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{100}{3} \times \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$
$$\frac{2n+1+3}{3} = \frac{100}{3}$$

$$2n + 4 = 100$$

$$2n = 96$$

$$n = 48$$

### 10) If $S_1, S_2$ and $S_3$

are the sums of first  $n$  natural numbers their squares and their cubes respectively then show that

$$9S_2^2 = S_3 (1 + 8S_1)$$

**Solution:**

$S_1$  is the sum of First  $n$  natural numbers.

$$S_1 = \frac{n}{2} (n + 1) \dots (1)$$

$$S_2 = \frac{n}{6} (n + 1)$$

$$\rightarrow (2n + 1) \dots (2)$$

$S_3$  is the sum

of cubes of first  $n$  natural numbers.

$$S_3 = \frac{n^2}{4} (n + 1)^2 \dots (3)$$

Now, L.H.S

$$= 9(S_2)^2$$

$$= 9 \times \frac{n^2}{36} (n+1)^2$$

$$\rightarrow (2n+1)^2 \dots \text{From (2)}$$

$$= \frac{n^2}{36} (n+1)^2 [1+8$$

$$\rightarrow \times \frac{n}{2} (n+1)]$$

from (1) and (3)

$$= \frac{n^2}{4} (n+1)^2 [1$$

$$\rightarrow +4n(n+1)]$$

$$= \frac{n^2}{4} (n+1)^2 (4n^2$$

$$\rightarrow +4n+1)$$

$$= \frac{n^2}{4} (n+1)^2 (2n$$

$$\rightarrow +1)^2 \dots \dots \dots (5)$$

From 4,5,  $9(S_2)^2$

$$\rightarrow = S_3 (1+8S_1).$$