

# Sequence and series continue...

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e.  $\hat{2}, \hat{3}, \hat{6}, \hat{18}, \overset{5^{th}}{108}, 1944 \dots$

$$u_n = u_{n-1} \times u_{n-2}$$

$$\left. \begin{matrix} u_1 = 2 \\ u_2 = 3 \end{matrix} \right\}$$

set  $n=5 \rightarrow$

$$u_5 = u_{5-1} \times u_{5-2}$$

$$= u_4 \times u_3$$

$$= 18 \times 6 = 108$$

f) 1, 2, 6, 24, - - -

$$\frac{1 \times 1}{1^{st}}, \frac{1 \times 2}{2^{nd}}, \frac{2 \times 3}{3^{rd}}, \frac{6 \times 4}{4^{th}}$$

(24)  $\times$  5 = 120

5<sup>th</sup>

$$u_n = u_{n-1} \times n$$

Series:

A series is created when the terms of a sequence are added together.

$$1 + 4 + 7 + 10 + 13 \leftarrow \text{series.}$$

5<sup>th</sup>.

$$u_n = \underline{\underline{3n-2}}$$

Sigma:  $\Sigma$  add the numbers

$$\overset{5}{\Sigma} (3n-2) = 1 + 4 + 7 + 10 + 13$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^5 (8n-2) = \underline{1+4} + \underline{7} + \underline{10} + \underline{13}$$

$$= 35$$

Ex #  $\sum_{n=1}^4 (-1)^n n^2 = \underline{\underline{10}}$

write series in sigma notation.

a)  $\underline{-3} + \underline{5} + \underline{13} + \underline{21} + \underline{29}$

general term:-  $8n-11$

$$\sum_{n=1}^5 8n-11$$

Arithmetic sequence (constant difference)

$u_1, u_1+d, u_1+d+d, u_1+d+d+d, \dots$

$\frac{u_1}{1^{st}}, \frac{u_1+d}{2^{nd}}, \frac{u_1+2d}{3^{rd}}, \frac{u_1+3d}{4^{th}}, \dots$

$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$

$u_{10} = u_1 + (10-1)d$

$u_{10} = u_1 + 9d$

Ex  $\underline{\underline{-7}}, -5, -3, \dots$  find  $u_{21}$

$$d = -5 - (-7) = 2$$

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_{21} &= u_1 + 20d \\ &= -7 + 20(2) \\ &= -7 + 40 = 33 \end{aligned}$$

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Ex Given an arithmetic sequence in which  $u_1 = 14$  and  $d = -3$ , find the value of  $n$  such that  $u_n = 2$

Sol<sup>n</sup>

$$u_1 = 14, \quad d = -3$$

$$u_n = 2$$

Since  $u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$

$$2 = 14 + (n-1)(-3)$$

$$2 = 14 + (-3n + 3)$$

$$2 = 14 - 3n + 3$$

$$3n = 17 - 2 = 15$$

$$\boxed{n = 5}$$

Ex Two terms in an arithmetic sequence are  $u_6 = 4$  &  $u_{11} = 34$ , Find  $u_{15}$

req.  $u_1, d$

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$u_6 = 4$$

$$u_1 + (6-1)d = 4$$

$$u_{11} = 34$$

$$u_1 + (11-1)d = 34$$

$$u_1 + (6-1)d = 4 \quad | \quad u_1 + (11-1)d = 34$$

$$u_1 + 5d = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad \quad u_1 + 10d = 34 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{(2)} - \text{(1)}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} u_1 + 10d = 34 \\ - u_1 + 5d = 4 \\ \hline 5d = 30 \end{array}$$

$$5d = 30$$

$$\boxed{d = 6}$$

plug it in (1)

$$u_1 + 5(6) = 4$$

$$u_1 = 4 - 30 = -26$$

$$\boxed{u_1 = -26}$$

$$\begin{aligned} u_{15} &= -26 + \frac{(15-1)(6)}{1} \\ &= -26 + 14 \times 6 \\ &= \underline{\underline{58}} \end{aligned}$$

Geometric sequence: constant ratio ( $r$ ).

$$u_1, \quad r \cdot u_1, \quad r \times r \times u_1, \quad \dots$$

1<sup>st</sup>
2<sup>nd</sup>
3<sup>rd</sup>

$$\boxed{u_n = u_1 r^{n-1}}$$

Ex

$$40, 20, 10, \dots \quad ; \quad u_{12}$$

$$\underline{\underline{u_1 = 40}}$$

$$r = \frac{20}{40} = \frac{10}{20} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$u_{12} = u_1 \cdot r^{12-1}$$

$$\underline{\underline{u_{12} = u_1 \cdot r^{11}}}$$

$$r = \frac{20}{40} = \frac{10}{20} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$u_{12}$$

$$u_{12} = 40 \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{11}$$

$$= 40 \times \frac{1}{2048}$$

$$u_{12} = \frac{5}{256}$$

Ex

87, 8.7, 0.87, ... ;  $u_6$

$$u_6 = 8.7 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.00087}} \quad \checkmark$$

Ex In a geometric sequence  $u_1 = 5$  &  $u_5 = 1280$ .  
The last term of the sequence is 20480.

Given that  $r$  is positive, find the number of terms in the sequence.

sol<sup>n</sup>

$$u_1 = 5, \quad r \text{ is positive.}$$

$$u_5 = 1280$$

$$\rightarrow u_1 \cdot r^{5-1} = 1280.$$

$$\xrightarrow[\text{plug } u_1=5]{\text{plug}} 5 \cdot r^4 = 1280$$

$$r^4 = \frac{1280}{5} = 256$$

For GP.

$$u_n = u_1 \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$r = 4$$

$$u_n = u_1 \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$20480 = 5 \times (4)^{n-1}$$

$$\underline{\underline{n=7}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{4096}} = 4^{(n-1)}$$

$$\underline{\underline{4^6}} = 4^{n-1}$$

$$6 = n-1$$

$$\underline{\underline{n=7}}$$

### Application:

Ex The value of a car depreciates at a rate of 19% each year. If you buy a new car today for \$33560, how much will it be worth after four years?

$$\text{Ans} = \underline{\underline{\$14446.48}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{19\%}}$$

$$r = \underline{\underline{81\%}} = \underline{\underline{0.81}}$$

$$u_n = u_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$\underline{\underline{u_5}} = \underline{\underline{u_1}} (\underline{\underline{0.81}})^{\underline{\underline{5-1}}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 98 + 99 + 100}}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 101 \\ 101 \\ 101, \dots \end{array} \right\}$$

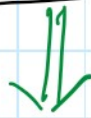
n there are 50 pairs

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

there are 50 pairs

$$\boxed{50} \times 101 = \underline{\underline{5050}}$$

General  $\rightarrow$   $S_n = \frac{n}{2} (u_1 + u_n)$



$$u_1, d$$

AP  
 $\downarrow$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (u_1 + u_1 + (n-1)d) \rightarrow u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$\boxed{S_n = \frac{n}{2} (2u_1 + (n-1)d)}$$

Sum of  $n$  terms of Arithmetic series.

$$u_1 = 5, \quad d = 2$$

$$n = 10$$

$$S_{10} = \frac{10}{2} (2 \times 5 + (10-1)2)$$
$$= 5 (10 + 18)$$

$$\boxed{S_{10} = 140}$$