

$$an^2 + bn + c$$

Find the following:

- Identify whether the sequence is arithmetic, geometric, or neither.
- If arithmetic or geometric, identify the common difference or common ratio.
- If arithmetic or geometric, write a recursive rule.
- Write an explicit rule.
- Find a_{13} .

1.) $5, 2, -1, -4, -7, \dots$

- a) arithmetic
- b) $cd = -3$
- c) $a_n = a_{n-1} - 3$
- d) $a_n = 5 - 3(n-1)$
- e) $a_{13} = -31$

2.) $5, -15, 45, -135, \dots$

- a) geometric
- b) $cr = -3$
- c) $a_n = -3(a_{n-1})$
- d) $a_n = 5(-3)^{n-1}$
- e) $a_{13} = 2657205$

2.) $1, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{27}, \frac{1}{64}, \frac{1}{125}, \dots$ Neither

$$a_n = \frac{1}{n^3}$$

$$a_{13} = \frac{1}{13^3} = \frac{1}{2197}$$

4.) $1, 8, 17, 28, 41, \dots$
 $+7 \quad +9 \quad +11 \quad +13$

a) Quadratic - Neither

$$\begin{aligned} a + b + c &= 1 \\ 4a + 2b + c &= 8 \\ 9a + 3b + c &= 17 \end{aligned}$$

$$a_n = n^2 + 4n - 4$$

$$a_{13} = 217$$

4.) Find the sum of the first 55 terms for the series: $4 + 11 + 18 + 25 + \dots$

$$S = \frac{55(4 + 7n - 3)}{2}$$

$$a_n = 4 + 7(n-1)$$

$$a_n = 4 + 7n - 7$$

$$a_n = 7n - 3$$

$$S_{55} = 10615$$

5.) For the given series, $105 + 111 + 117 + \dots$, find which term gives the sum of 6336.

$$6336 = \frac{n(105 + bn + 99)}{2}$$

$$12672 = 204n + bn^2 \quad a_n = 105 + b(n-1)$$

$$bn^2 + 204n - 12672 = 0$$

$$a_n = 105 + bn - b$$

$$a_n = bn + 99$$

$$n = 32$$

Find n if you know that $S_n = 59046$ in the series $6 + 18 + 54 + 162 + \dots$ $a_n = 6(3)^{n-1}$

$$59046 = \frac{6(1-3^n)}{1-3}$$

$$-118092 = 6(1-3^n)$$

$$\frac{-118092}{-6} = \frac{1-3^n}{-1}$$

$$-19682 = -3^n$$

$$-19683 = -3^n$$

$$\log_3 19683 = n$$

$$n = 9$$

7.) Find: $\sum_{n=1}^8 (-2n^2 + 7n)$

$$5 + 6 + 3 + \overset{-4}{\cancel{0}} + -15 + -30 + -49 + -72$$

$$1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 6 \quad 7$$

$$\text{Result: } -156$$

8.) Write the following in summation notation: $5 + 10 + 15 + 20 + \dots + 60$.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{12} 5i$$

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

$$5 + 5n - 5$$

$$a_n = 5n$$

9.) Determine if the sequence converges or diverges. If converges, state the limit.

a.) $\{2n-3\}$ Diverges

b.) $\left\{ \frac{5n^2+1}{2n^2-3} \right\}$ Converges $\frac{5}{2}$

c.) $\{3^n\}$ Diverges

d.) $a_n = \left\{ \frac{9n}{14n^2} \right\}$ Converges 0

10.) A runner begins training by running 3 miles one week. The second week she runs a total of 5 miles. The third week she runs 7 miles. Assume this pattern continues.

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

a.) How far will she run in the tenth week?

$$21 \text{ miles}$$

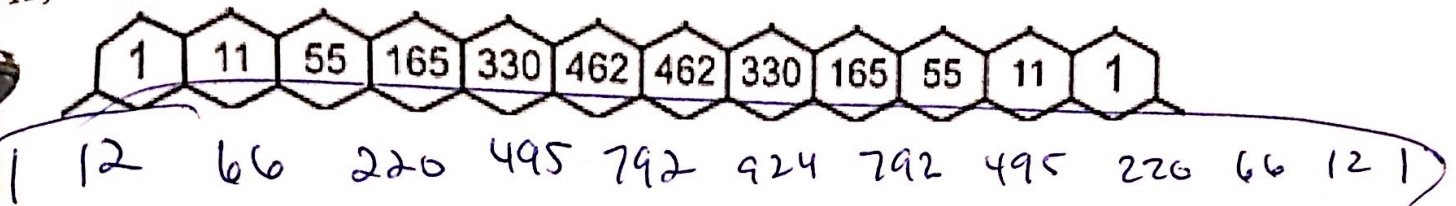
b.) At the end of the tenth week, what will be the total distance she has run since she started training?

$$S_{10} = \frac{10(3+21)}{2} = 120 \text{ miles}$$

c.) Express the total distance with summation notation.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{10} 2n+1$$

11.) Use patterns in Pascal's Triangle to complete the next row.



12.) Evaluate the expression by hand (using the formula - show all work): $\binom{18}{7}$

$$\frac{18!}{7! 11!} = 31824$$

13.) Find the coefficient of x^3y^2 term in the expansion of $(2x-y)^5$.

$$10a^3b^2$$

$$10(2x)^3(-y)^2 = 80x^3y^2$$

14.) Fully expand and simplify the binomial: $(2x+y)^6$.

$$1(2x)^6 + 6(2x)^5(y) + 15(2x)^4(y^2) + 20(2x)^3y^3 + 15(2x)^2y^4 + 6(2x)y^5 + y^6$$

$$64x^6 + 192x^5y + 240x^4y^2 + 160x^3y^3 + 60x^2y^4 + 12xy^5 + y^6$$

15.) Find the fifth term (simplified) in: $(3x-2y)^7$.

$$35(3x)^3(-2y)^4$$

$$35 \cdot 27x^3 \cdot 16y^4 = 15120x^3y^4$$