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## Today's Learning Goal(s):

By the end of the class, I will be able to:

- a) calculate the sum of the terms of a geometric series.

Last day's work: pp. 452-453 # (1 - 7) ace, 11, 13 [15, 16]

- p. 452 4. i) Determine whether each series is arithmetic.  
 ii) If the series is arithmetic, calculate the sum of the first 25 terms.
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|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| a) $-5 + 1 + 7 + 13 + \dots$   | d) $18 + 22 + 26 + 30 + \dots$ |
| b) $2 + 10 + 50 + 250 + \dots$ | e) $31 + 22 + 13 + 4 + \dots$  |
| c) $1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots$     | f) $1 - 3 + 5 - 7 + \dots$     |

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } d_1 &= 1 - (-5) & d_2 &= 7 - 1 \\ &= 6 & &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  a. series

$$a = -5$$

$$d = 6$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$S_{25} = \frac{25}{2} [2(-5) + (24)(6)]$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} [-10 + 144]$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} [134]$$

$$= 25 [67]$$

$$= 1675$$

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13. Sara is training to run a marathon. The first week she runs 5 km each day. The **T** next week, she runs 7 km each day. During each successive week, each day she runs 2 km farther than she ran the days of the previous week. If she runs for five days each week, what total distance will Sara run in a 10 week training session?

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 W1 & W2 & W3 \\
 5 \times 5 & 7 \times 5 & 9 \times 5 \\
 = 25 & = 35 & = 45
 \end{array}
 \quad \therefore 25 + 35 + 45 + \dots$$

a. series  $S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 a = 25 \\
 d = 10 \\
 n = 10
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{l}
 S_{10} = \frac{10}{2} [2(25) + 9(10)] \\
 = 5 [50 + 90] \\
 = 5 [140] \\
 = 700 \text{ km}
 \end{array}$$

**Review:**

Sequence: An ordered set of numbers separated by commas .

Each individual number is called a TERM.

The terms are  $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4, \dots, t_n$

Arithmetic Sequence: has a common **difference** between the terms.

In an arithmetic sequence, the first term is  $a$  and the common difference is  $d$

$t_1 = a$ , and the terms are  $a, a+d, a+2d, a+3d, \dots$

The general term is  $t_n = a + (n - 1)d$

Geometric Sequence: has a common **ratio** between the terms.

In a geometric sequence, the first term is  $a$  and the common ratio is  $r$

$t_1 = a$ , and the terms are  $a, ar, ar^2, ar^3, \dots$

The general term is  $t_n = ar^{n-1}$

Series: An ordered set of numbers separated by addition and/or subtraction signs .

Each individual number is called a TERM.

But now we have:  $t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4 + \dots + t_n$

$$S_1 = t_1 (= a)$$

$$S_2 = t_1 + t_2$$

$$S_3 = t_1 + t_2 + t_3$$

$$S_n = t_1 + t_2 + t_3 + t_4 + \dots + t_n$$

An **Arithmetic Series** is the **sum** of the terms of an arithmetic sequence.

The Arithmetic Series Formula:

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d] \quad \text{or} \quad S_n = \frac{n}{2}[t_1 + t_n]$$

where  $n$  is the term's position number,

$a = t_1$ ,

$d$  is the common difference, and

$t_n$  = last term

## 7.6 Geometric Series

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A **Geometric Series** is the sum of the terms of a geometric sequence.

Ex.1 Your grandma agrees to give you 1 cent on Dec.1, 2 cents on Dec.2, 4 cents on December 3, etc. until Christmas Day.

What will be your total sum?

$$t_n = ar^{n-1}$$

$$t_{25} = (1)(2)^{25-1} = 2^{24}$$

$$2^{24} \cdot 2^1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{25} &= 1 + 2 + 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^{23} + 2^{24} \quad \text{①} \\
 \text{② } \text{☞ (multiply by "r")} \quad 2S_{25} &= 2 + 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^{23} + 2^{24} + 2^{25} \\
 \text{③ } \text{☞ (subtract up)} \quad \hline
 \text{④ } \text{☞ } 2S_{25} - S_{25} &= 2^{25} - 1 \quad \text{☞} \\
 \text{⑤ } \text{☞ } S_{25} &= 2^{25} - 1 \\
 &= 33554431 \text{ cents} \quad \text{☞ ⑥} \\
 &= \$335\,544.31 \\
 &\text{☞ Thank you grandma!}
 \end{aligned}$$

In general:

$$\begin{array}{l}
 S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-3} + ar^{n-2} + ar^{n-1} \quad \text{①} \\
 \text{②} \quad rS_n = \quad \quad \quad ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-2} + ar^{n-1} + ar^n \\
 \text{③} \quad S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-3} + ar^{n-2} + ar^{n-1} \\
 \text{④} \quad \text{(subtract)} \quad \quad \quad \underline{rS_n - S_n = ar^n - a} \quad \text{⑤} \\
 \text{⑥} \quad \text{(factor both sides)} \quad (r-1)S_n = a(r^n - 1) \quad \text{⑥}
 \end{array}$$

The Geometric Series Formula:

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

where  $n$  is the term's position number,

$a = t_1$ , and

$r$  is the common ratio

Ex.2 Find  $S_{10}$  for  $5 + 15 + 45 + \dots$ 

g-series  $r_1 = \frac{15}{5} = 3$   $r_2 = \frac{45}{15} = 3$

$a = 5$

$r = 3$

$n = 10$

$t_n = ar^{n-1}$

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

$$S_{10} = \frac{5(3^{10} - 1)}{3 - 1}$$

$$= \frac{5(3^{10} - 1)}{2}$$

$$= 147\,620$$

$S_{10} = 147\,620$

Ex.3 Find the sum of:  $3 - 6 + 12 - 24 + \dots + 768$ g-series

$a = 3$

$r = -2$

$n = ?$

$t_n = ar^{n-1}$

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

$t_n = 768$

$3 + (-6) + (12) + (-24) + \dots + 768$

$r_1 = \frac{-6}{3} = -2$ 
 $r_2 = \frac{12}{-6} = -2$

We need to find  $n$  (first)

$768 = ar^{n-1}$

$768 = 3(-2)^{n-1}$

$\frac{768}{3} = (-2)^{n-1}$

$256 = (-2)^{n-1}$

try

$256 = 2^8$

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$\therefore y = 8$

$y = n - 1$

$8 = n - 1$

$n = 9$

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

$$= \frac{3((-2)^9 - 1)}{-2 - 1}$$

$$S_9 = \frac{3((-2)^9 - 1)}{-3}$$

$$= 513$$

$n = 9 \quad S_9 = 513$

**Are there any Homework Questions you would like to see on the board?**

Last day's work: pp. 452-453 #(1 – 7)ace, 11, 13 [15,16]

Today's Homework Practice includes:

pp. 459-461 #(1 – 6)ace, 9, 11, 13 [16,18]