

17.  $r = \frac{20}{25} = 0.8 < 1$ .  $S = \frac{25}{1-0.8} = 125$

18.  $r = \frac{18}{15} > 1$ . Thus, no sum exists.

19.  $r = -\frac{2}{3}$ .  $\left| -\frac{2}{3} \right| < 1$ .  $S = -\frac{\frac{2}{3}}{1 - (-\frac{2}{3})} = -\frac{2}{5}$

20.  $r = 0.22 < 1$ .  $a_1 = 4(0.22) = 0.88$ .

$$S = \frac{0.88}{1 - 0.22} = \frac{44}{39}$$

21. Base Case:  $4 = 4(1) = 2(1)(1 + 1) = 4$

22. Assume this is true for a natural number  $k$ . Thus:

$$4 + 8 + \dots + 4k = 2k(k + 1)$$

23. Look at  $n = k + 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} &4 + \dots + 4k + 4(k + 1) \\ &= 2k(k + 1) + 4(k + 1) \\ &= 2k^2 + 2k + 4k + 4 \\ &= 2k^2 + 6k + 4 \\ &= (k + 1)(2k + 4) \\ &= 2(k + 1)(k + 2) \end{aligned}$$

24a. Once the ball initially hits the ground, it rises (60%) (5) = 3 ft. Since it goes up and down, it is 2(3) feet. This is  $a_1$ . The ratio is 0.6. Thus, the series is:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2(3)(0.6)^{k-1}$$

b. This is an infinite geometric series with  $r = 0.6$  and  $a_1 = 6$ .  $S = \frac{6}{1 - 0.6} = \frac{1}{0.4} = 15$  ft.

## STUDY GUIDE: REVIEW

1. arithmetic sequence; geometric sequence.
2. diverges; converges.
3. explicit formula; recursive formula
4. infinite sequence; finite sequence
5. iteration

### 9-1 INTRODUCTION TO SEQUENCES

6.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4

7.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	$\frac{1}{2}$	2	$\frac{9}{2}$	8	$\frac{25}{2}$

8.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	1	$-\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{9}{4}$	$-\frac{27}{8}$	$\frac{81}{16}$

9.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	55	53	51	49	47

10.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	200	40	8	$\frac{8}{5}$	$\frac{8}{25}$

11.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	-3	10	-29	88	-263

12. Differences: -4, -4, -4, -4. So, the sequence is arithmetic, with  $a_1 = -4$  and  $d = -4$ . So, the rule is  $a_n = -4 - 4(n - 1) = -4 - 4n + 4 = -4n$ .

13. Ratios: 4, 4, 4, 4. So, the sequence is geometric, with  $a_1 = 5$  and  $r = 4$ . So, the rule is  $a_n = 5(4)^{n-1}$

14. Differences: 5, 5, 5, 5. So, the sequence is arithmetic, with  $a_1 = -24$  and  $d = 5$ . So, the rule is  $a_n = -24 + 5(n - 1) = -24 + 5n - 5 = -29 + 5n$ .

15. Ratios:  $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}$ . So, the sequence is geometric, with  $a_1 = 27$ ,  $r = \frac{2}{3}$ . So, the rule is  $a_n = 27\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n-1}$

16. After the first bounce, the ball will rebound to  $(70\% \times 3) = 2.1$  ft. This is  $a_1$  in the sequence, and  $r = 0.7$ . So,  $a_n = 2.1(0.7)^{n-1}$ .  
 $a_4 = 2.1(0.7)^3 = 0.72$  ft.  
 $a_9 = 2.1(0.7)^8 = 0.12$  ft.

## 9-2 SERIES AND SUMMATION NOTATION

17.  $1^2(-1)^1 + 2^2(-1)^2 + 3^2(-1)^3 + 4^2(-1)^4$   
 $= -1 + 4 - 9 + 16 = 10$

18.  $(0.5(1) + 4) + (0.5(2) + 4) + (0.5(3) + 4)$   
 $+ (0.5(4) + 4) + (0.5(5) + 4)$   
 $= 4.5 + 5 + 5.5 + 6 + 6.5 = 27.5$

19.  $(-1)^{1-1}(2(1) - 1) + (-1)^{2-1}(2(2) - 1)$   
 $+ (-1)^{3-1}(2(3) - 1) + (-1)^{4-1}(2(4) - 1)$   
 $+ (-1)^{5-1}(2(5) - 1)$   
 $= 1 - 3 + 5 - 7 + 9 = 5$

20.  $\frac{5(1)}{(1)^2} + \frac{5(2)}{(2)^2} + \frac{5(3)}{(3)^2} + \frac{5(4)}{(4)^2}$   
 $= 5 + \frac{10}{4} + \frac{15}{9} + \frac{20}{16} = 10\frac{5}{12}$

21.  $8(-5) = -40$

22.  $\frac{10(10 + 1)(2(10) + 1)}{6} = \frac{10(11)(21)}{6} = \frac{2310}{6} = 385$

23.  $\frac{12(12 + 1)}{2} = \frac{12(13)}{2} = 78$

24. We can model this with the formula  $\$1150(12n)$  where  $n$  is the number of years. So:  
 $a_2 = 1150(12(2)) = \$27,600$ .  
 $a_{15} = 1150(12(15)) = \$207,000$ .

## 9-3 ARITHMETIC SEQUENCES AND SERIES

25.  $d = 19 - 23 = -4$ .  
 $a_{11} = 23 - 4(11 - 1) = 23 - 40 = -17$

26.  $d = \frac{3}{5} - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$   
 $a_{11} = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{2}{5}(11 - 1) = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{20}{5} = \frac{21}{5}$

27.  $d = -8.4 - (-9.2) = 0.8$   
 $a_{11} = -9.2 + 0.8(11 - 1) = -1.2$

28.  $d = 5 - 1.5 = 3.5$ .  
 $a_3 = 1.5 = a_1 + 3.5(3 - 1)$ . So,  $a_1 = -5.5$

$$a_{11} = -5.5 + 3.5(11 - 1) = -5.5 + 35 = 29.5.$$

29.  $2d = 21 - 47 = -26$ . So,  $d = -13$ .

$$a_6 = 47 = a_1 - 13(6 - 1). \text{ So, } a_1 = 112.$$

$$a_{11} = 112 - 13(11 - 1) = 112 - 130 = -18.$$

30.  $4d = 13 - (-7) = 20$ . So,  $d = 5$ .

$$a_5 = -7 = a_1 + 5(5 - 1). \text{ So, } a_1 = -27.$$

$$a_{11} = -27 + 5(11 - 1) = -27 + 50 = 23.$$

31.  $a_1 = -1$ .  $a_{18} = -1 - 4(18 - 1) = -69$ .

$$S_{18} = 18 \left( \frac{a_1 + a_{18}}{2} \right) = 18 \frac{-1 - 69}{2} = -630$$

32.  $a_1 = \frac{1}{3}$ .  $a_{12} = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{6}(12 - 1) = -\frac{3}{2}$ .

$$S_{12} = 12 \left( \frac{a_1 + a_{12}}{2} \right) = 12 \frac{\frac{1}{3} - \frac{3}{2}}{2} = -7$$

33.  $a_1 = -14 + 3(1) = -11$ .  $a_{15} = -14 + 3(15) = 31$ .

$$S_{15} = 15 \left( \frac{a_1 + a_{15}}{2} \right) = 15 \left( \frac{-11 + 31}{2} \right) = 150$$

34.  $a_1 = \frac{3}{2}(1) + 10 = 11\frac{1}{2}$ .  $a_{15} = \frac{3}{2}(15) + 10 = 32\frac{1}{2}$ .

$$S_{15} = 15 \left( \frac{a_1 + a_{15}}{2} \right) = 15 \left( \frac{11.5 + 32.5}{2} \right) = 330$$

35. 50, 58, 66...  $a_1 = 50$ .  $d = 8$ .

$$a_{52} = 50 + 8(52 - 1) = 458. \text{ Kelly would not have enough to be able to buy the bicycle.}$$

#### 9-4 GEOMETRIC SEQUENCES AND SERIES

36.  $a_1 = 40$ .  $r = 0.1$ .  $a_8 = 40(0.1)^{8-1} = 0.000004$ .

37.  $a_1 = \frac{1}{18}$ .  $r = 3$ .  $a_8 = \frac{1}{18}(3)^{8-1} = 121.5$

38.  $a_1 = -16$ .  $r = 0.5$ .  $a_8 = -16(0.5)^{8-1} = -\frac{1}{8}$ .

39.  $a_1 = -6$ .  $r = -2$ .  $a_8 = -6(-2)^{8-1} = 768$

40.  $r = \frac{96}{24} = 4$ .

$$a_3 = 24 = a_1(4)^{3-1}. \text{ So, } a_1 = 1.5.$$

$$a_9 = 1.5(4)^{9-1} = 98,304.$$

41.  $r = -2$ .

$$a_9 = \frac{2}{3}(-2)^{9-1} = \frac{512}{3}$$

42.  $-4 = -1r^{6-4}$ . So,  $r^2 = 4$ .  $r = \pm 2$ .

$$\text{If } r = 2: a_4 = -1 = a_1(2)^{4-1}. a_1 = -\frac{1}{8}.$$

$$a_9 = -\frac{1}{8}(2)^{9-1} = -32.$$

$$\text{If } r = -2: a_4 = -1 = a_1(-2)^{4-1}. a_1 = \frac{1}{8}.$$

$$a_9 = \frac{1}{8}(2)^{9-1} = 32.$$

$$\text{Thus, } a_9 = \pm 32.$$

43.  $500 = 4r^{6-3}$ . So,  $r^3 = 125$ .  $r = 5$ .

$$a_3 = 4 = a_1(5)^{3-1}. \text{ So, } a_1 = \frac{4}{25}.$$

$$a_9 = \frac{4}{25}(5)^{9-1} = 62,500.$$

44.  $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{10 \cdot 2.5} = \sqrt{25} = 5$ .

45.  $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \cdot 8} = \sqrt{4} = 2$ .

46.  $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{3} \sqrt{3}}{96} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{576}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{24}$ .

47.  $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{\frac{5}{12} \cdot \frac{125}{108}} = \sqrt{\frac{625}{1296}} = \frac{25}{36}$

48.  $r = 1/3$ .  $a_1 = 1$ .

$$S_5 = 1 \left( \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^5}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} \right) = \frac{121}{81}$$

49.  $r = -10$ .  $a_1 = -\frac{4}{5}$

$$S_6 = -\frac{4}{5} \left( \frac{1 - (-10)^6}{1 - (-10)} \right) = 72,727.2$$

50.  $r = 4$ .  $a_1 = 1$ .

$$S_8 = 1 \left( \frac{1 - 4^8}{1 - 4} \right) = 21,845$$

51.  $r = 5$ .  $a_1 = -2$ .

$$S_7 = -2 \left( \frac{1 - 5^7}{1 - 5} \right) = -39,062$$

52.  $r = -\frac{1}{2}$ .  $a_1 = 60$ .

$$S_6 = 60 \left( \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} \right) = 39.375$$

53.  $r = -\frac{1}{2}$ .  $a_1 = 18$ .

$$S_5 = 18 \left( \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^5}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} \right) = 34.875$$

54.  $a_1 = 9000$ .  $r = 0.65$ .

$$a_5 = 9000(0.65)^5 = \$1044.26$$

55a.  $a_1 = 650 \times 12 = 7800$ .  $r = 1.06$

$$a_5 = 7800(1.06)^{5-1} = \$9847.32$$

b.  $S_5 = 7800 \left( \frac{1 - (1.06)^5}{1 - 1.06} \right) = \$43,969.32$

#### 9-5 MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION AND INFINITE GEOMETRIC SERIES

56.  $r = \frac{900}{-2700} = -\frac{1}{3}$ .  $\left| -\frac{1}{3} \right| < 1$ . So, a sum exists.

$$S = \frac{-2700}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)} = -\frac{2700}{\frac{4}{3}} = -2025.$$

57.  $r = \frac{-0.12}{-1.2} = 0.1 < 1$ . So, a sum exists.

$$S = \frac{-1.2}{1 - 0.1} = \frac{-1.2}{0.9} = -1.\bar{3}$$

58.  $r = \frac{-42}{-49} = \frac{6}{7} < 1$ . So, a sum exists.

$$S = \frac{-49}{1 - \frac{6}{7}} = \frac{-49}{\frac{1}{7}} = -343.$$

59.  $r = \frac{4}{5} = \frac{1}{5} < 1$ . So, a sum exists.

$$S = \frac{4}{1 - \frac{1}{5}} = \frac{4}{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{20}{4} = 5$$

60.  $r = \frac{1}{3} < 1$ .  $a_1 = \frac{9}{3^1} = 3$ .

$$S = \frac{3}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{3}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{9}{2} = 4.5$$

61.  $r = \frac{3}{5} < 1$ .  $a_1 = -7\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) = -\frac{21}{5}$ .

$$S = \frac{-\frac{21}{5}}{1 - \frac{3}{5}} = \frac{-\frac{21}{5}}{\frac{2}{5}} = -\frac{21}{2} = -10.5$$

62.  $a_1 = (-1)^2\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) = \frac{1}{8}$ .  $r = -\frac{1}{8}$ .  $\left|-\frac{1}{8}\right| < 1$

$$S = \frac{\frac{1}{8}}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{8}\right)} = \frac{\frac{1}{8}}{\frac{9}{8}} = \frac{1}{9}$$

63.  $r = \frac{4}{3} > 1$ . So, no sum exists.

64. Base Case: Prove it is true for  $n = 1$ .

$$2^1 = 2^{1+1} - 2 = 2.$$

Thus, it is true for the base case.

Assume it is true for a natural number  $k$ .

$$\text{Thus, } 2 + 4 + \dots + 2^k = 2^{k+1} - 2.$$

Look at  $n = k + 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 2 + 4 + \dots + 2^k + 2^{k+1} \\ = 2^{k+1} - 2 + 2^{k+1} \quad (\text{By Step 2}) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2(2^{k+1}) - 2$$

$$= 2^{k+2} - 2$$

$$= 2^{(k+1)+1} - 2.$$

Thus, by induction,  $2 + \dots + 2^n = 2^{n+1} - 2$

65. Base Case: Prove true for  $n = 1$

$$5^{1-1} = \frac{5^1 - 1}{4} = 1.$$

Thus, it is true for the base case.

Assume it is true for a natural number  $k$ .

$$\text{Thus, } 1 + 5 + \dots + 5^{k-1} = \frac{5^k - 1}{4}$$

Look at  $n = k + 1$ .

$$1 + \dots + 5^{k-1} + 5^{k+1-1}$$

$$= \frac{5^k - 1}{4} + 5^k$$

$$= \frac{5^k - 1}{4} + \frac{4(5)^k}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5^k + 4(5)^k - 1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{(4 + 1)5^k - 1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5(5)^k - 1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5^{k+1} - 1}{4}$$

Thus, by induction,  $1 + 5 + \dots + 5^{n-1} = \frac{5^n - 1}{4}$

66. Base Case: Prove it is true for  $n = 1$ .

$$\frac{1}{4(1^2) - 1} = \frac{1}{2(1) + 1} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Thus, it is true for the base case.

Assume it is true for a natural number  $k$ .

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1} = \frac{k}{2k + 1}$$

Look at  $n = k + 1$ .

$$\frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1} + \frac{1}{4(k + 1)^2 - 1}$$

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

$$= \frac{k}{2k + 1} + \frac{1}{4k^2 + 8k + 3}$$

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

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

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

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

$$= \frac{k + 1}{2k + 3}$$

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

Thus, by induction  $\frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{4n^2 - 1} = \frac{n}{2n + 1}$

67a.  $a_1 = 9$ .  $r = 0.85$ . Thus,  $S = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 9(0.85)^{k-1}$

b.  $0.85 < 1$ . Thus, this is an infinite converging geometric series. So:

$$S = \frac{a_1}{1 - r} = \frac{9}{1 - 0.85} = \frac{9}{0.15} = 60 \text{ ft.}$$

## CHAPTER TEST

1.

$n$	$n^2 - 4$	$a_n$
1	$(1)^2 - 4$	-3
2	$(2)^2 - 4$	0
3	$(3)^2 - 4$	5
4	$(4)^2 - 4$	12
5	$(5)^2 - 4$	21

2.

$n$	$\frac{1}{2}a_{n-1} - 8$	$a_n$
1	Given	48
2	$24 - 8$	16
3	$8 - 8$	0
4	$0 - 8$	-8