

KHAN GLOBAL STUDIES

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Defence (Mathematics)

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Sequence and Series short note

AP is a sequence whose terms increase or decreased by a fixed number

$a \rightarrow$ first term

$d \rightarrow$ common difference

AP : $a, a + d, a + 2d, a + 3d, \dots$

- n th term of AP - $T_n = a + (n - 1)d$

Where $d = T_n - T_{n-1}, n \geq 2$

- Sum of first n terms

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

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a + l), \text{ where } l \rightarrow \text{last term}$$

- $T_n = S_n - S_{n-1}, n \geq 2$

Series : In a sequence, the sum of the directed terms is called a series.

Ex- 1, 2, 3, 4.... Sequence then

$1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots$ is called a series

$T_1, T_2, T_3, \dots, T_n \rightarrow$ sequence.

then $S_n = T_1 + T_2 + \dots + T_n$

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

Finite Series : A series having finite no of terms is called a finite series.

Ex- $1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + 10$

Infinite Series : A series having an infinite number of terms is called an infinite series

$1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n$

Note :

1. If $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_{n-1}, a_n \rightarrow$ AP
 $a_1 + k, a_2 + k, a_3 + k, \dots, a_{n-1} + k, a_n + k \rightarrow$ AP
 $a_1 - k, a_2 - k, a_3 - k, \dots, a_{n-1} - k, a_n - k \rightarrow$ AP
 $ka_1, ka_2, ka_3, \dots, ka_{n-1}, ka_n \rightarrow$ AP
 $\frac{a_1}{k}, \frac{a_2}{k}, \dots, \frac{a_{n-1}}{k}, \frac{a_n}{k} \rightarrow$ AP
 $(k \neq 0)$

2. $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \rightarrow$ AP (1st)
 $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \rightarrow$ AP (2nd)

Then,

$a_1 + b_1, a_2 + b_2, \dots, (a_n + b_n) \rightarrow$ AP

3. When sum of Numbers of given

3 terms $a - d, a, a + d$

4 terms $a - 3d, a - d, a + d, a + 3d$

5 terms $a - 2d, a - d, a, a + d, a + 2d$

4. If $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}, a_n$ are in AP then

$a_1 + a_n = a_2 + a_{n-1} = a_3 + a_{n-2} = \dots$

5. If sum of first n terms of an AP is of the form $An^2 + Bn$ ie, a Quadratic expression in n then common difference is twice the coefficient of n^2 ie $2A$.

6. If $T_n = An + B$ (linear in n) then $d = A$

7. In AP if $T_p = q$ and $T_q = p$ then $T_r = p + q - r$

8. Common difference of an AP may be positive, zero, negative or imaginary

9. Constant AP : $d = 0$

10. Increasing AP : $d > 0$

11. Decreasing AP : $d < 0$

12. n th term from end (In case of AP)

$T'_n = l - (n - 1)d$, where $l =$ last term

13. a, b, c are in AP then $2b = a + c$

14. First negative term = largest negative term.

15. If ratio of the sums of n terms of two AP's is given by

$$\frac{S_n}{S'_n} = \frac{Pn+Q}{Rn+S} \quad (P, R \neq 0)$$

$$\text{then } \frac{t_n}{t'_n} = \frac{P(2n-1)+Q}{R(2n-1)+S}$$

$$\frac{d}{d'} = \frac{P}{R}$$

where

$t_n, S_n, d \rightarrow$ are n th term, sum of first n terms and common difference of first AP respectively

$t'_n, S'_n, d' \rightarrow$ For 2nd AP

16. In case of two AP

$$\frac{t_n}{t'_n} = \frac{Pn+Q}{Rn+S}$$

$$\text{Then } \frac{S_n}{S'_n} = \frac{P\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)+Q}{R\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)+S}$$

GP (Geometric Progression)

GP is a sequence of non zero numbers whose succeeding terms is equal to the preceding terms multiplied by a constant

$T_1, T_2, T_3, \dots, T_{n-1}, T_n \rightarrow GP$

If $\frac{T_2}{T_1} = \frac{T_3}{T_2} = \dots = \frac{T_n}{T_{n-1}} = r$

$r \rightarrow$ common ratio

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

$T_n = ar^{n-1} \rightarrow$ nth term

$S_n =$ Sum of first n terms

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

- If $r = 1$

Then all terms are same

- Infinite GP

When $|r| < 1$ ie $-1 < r < 1$

$S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r}; |r| < 1$

- In GP neither $a = 0$ nor $r = 0$
- r may be positive, negative or Imaginary
- Constant GP $r = 1$

Increasing GP / Decreasing GP

1. If $a > 0$

(1) $r > 1 \rightarrow$ Increasing GP

(2) $0 < r < 1 \rightarrow$ Decreasing GP

2. If $a < 0$

(1) $r > 1 \rightarrow$ Decreasing GP

(2) $0 < r < 1 \rightarrow$ Increasing GP

- a, b, c are in GP and $a > 0, b > 0, c > 0$ then $\log a, \log b, \log c$ are in AP converse also holds.

- If $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n$ are in GP then $\frac{1}{a_1}, \frac{1}{a_2}, \dots, \frac{1}{a_n}$ are also in GP

- If a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n are in GP then

(a) $a_n, a_{n-1}, \dots, a_2, a_1$ are also in GP

(b) $a_1^n, a_2^n, a_3^n, \dots$ are also in GP ($n \in \mathbb{Q}$)

- If a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n and b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n are two GP's then

(a) $a_1 b_1, a_2 b_2, \dots, a_n b_n$ are also in GP

(b) $\frac{a_1}{b_1}, \frac{a_2}{b_2}, \dots, \frac{a_n}{b_n}$ are also in GP

- If a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n are in GP then

$a_1 a_n = a_2 a_{n-1} = a_3 a_{n-2} = \dots$

- When product is given (GP)

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

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

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

Harmonic Progression

A harmonic progression (HP) is a sequence if the reciprocals of its terms are in AP

a_1, a_2, \dots are in HP if and only if $\frac{1}{a_1},$

$\frac{1}{a_2}, \dots, \frac{1}{a_n}$ are in AP

- No term of HP can be zero

- If a, b, c are in HP then

$\frac{1}{a}, \frac{1}{b}, \frac{1}{c}$ are in AP

$\frac{2}{b} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c} \Rightarrow b = \frac{2ac}{a+c}$

- nth term of HP

let a be the first term and d be the common difference of

An AP $\Rightarrow T_n = a + (n-1)d$ (AP)

Then nth term of HP

$= \frac{1}{a+(n-1)d}$

- Arithmetic Mean

If three terms are in AP then the middle term is called the AM between the other two

So if a, b, c are in AP then b is AM of a and c

- Single a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n AM of n positive numbers

Let are n positive numbers then AM of these numbers are

$A = \frac{a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n}{n}$

Ex AM of $5a, 3b$ and $9c$ is $\frac{5a+3b+9c}{3}$

- n AM's b/w two Nos a and b

$a, \frac{a_1}{n \text{ AM's}}, \dots, \frac{a_n}{n \text{ AM's}}, b \rightarrow$ AP

$A_1 = T_2 = a + d$

$A_2 = T_3 = a + 2d$

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$A_n = T_{n+1} = a + nd$

Where $d = \frac{b-a}{n+1}$

$n \rightarrow$ no of AM's

- $A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_n = \sum_{r=1}^n A_r$
 $= \frac{n(a+b)}{2}$

Geometric Mean

- Single GM of n positive numbers

GM of n positive numbers

a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be

$$G = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

- If $a > 0, b > 0$ then $G = (ab)^{\frac{1}{2}}$
- If $a < 0, b < 0$ then $G = -(ab)^{\frac{1}{2}}$
- If $a > 0$ and $b < 0$ or $a < 0$ and $b > 0$ then $GM \rightarrow DNE$
- If a, b, c are in GP then b is GM b/w a and c

n geometric mean b/w two numbers

$a, \underbrace{G_1, G_2, \dots, G_n}_{n \text{ GM's}}, b \rightarrow GP$

$$G_1 = T_2 = ar$$

$$G_2 = T_3 = ar^2$$

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$$G_n = T_{n+1} = ar^n$$

Where

$$r = \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)^{\frac{1}{n+1}}$$

$n \rightarrow$ no of GM's

- $G_1 \cdot G_2 \dots G_n = \prod_{r=1}^n G_r = (\sqrt{ab})^n$
 $n \rightarrow$ no of GM's
- a and b are the roots of equation $x^2 - 2Ax + G^2 = 0$

Where

$A = AM$ b/w a and b

$G = GM$ b/w a and b

- a and b are given by

$$A \pm \sqrt{A^2 - G^2}$$

Harmonic Mean

If a, b, c are in HP then

$b = HM$ b/w a and c

$$b = \frac{2ac}{a+c}$$

Single HM of n positive numbers

HM of n positive numbers

$a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n$

$$H = \frac{n}{\left(\frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{a_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{a_n}\right)}$$

- 2, 3, 6 are in HP (Let)

Relation b/w A, G, H

- (1) If A, G, H are respectively AM, GM, HM between two positive number a and b then

$$(1) G^2 = AH$$

$$(2) A \geq G \geq H$$

$$(3) A = G = H \Rightarrow a = b$$

Arithmetico -Geometric Series

$a, a + d, a + 2d, \dots, a + (n - 1)d \rightarrow AP$

$1, r, r^2, r^3, \dots, r^{n-1} \rightarrow GP$

$a, (a + d)r, (a + 2d)r^2, \dots, [a + (n - 1)d]r^{n-1} \rightarrow AGP$

If $|r| < 1$ and $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\text{Then } S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r} + \frac{dr}{(1-r)^2}$$

Summation

$$(a) \sum_{r=1}^n (a_r + b_r) = \sum_{r=1}^n a_r \pm \sum_{r=1}^n b_r$$

$$(b) \sum_{r=1}^n k a_r = k \sum_{r=1}^n a_r$$

$$(c) \sum_{r=1}^n k = nk, k = \text{constant}$$

Results

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

$$(b) \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 = \frac{1}{6}n(n+1)(2n+1)$$

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

$$(d) \sum_{r=1}^n r^4 = \frac{n}{30}(n+1)(2n+1)(3n^2 + 3n - 1)$$

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

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

- If r th term of any series is given $\rightarrow T_r$ then $S_n = \sum_{r=1}^n T_r$
- If $pT_p = qT_q$ of an AP then $T_{p+q} = 0$
- If $S_p = q$ and $S_q = p$ for an AP Then $S_{p+q} = -(p+q)$
- In case of HP $T_m = n$ and $T_n = m$ Then $T_r = \frac{mn}{r}$
- $1^2 - 2^2 + 3^2 - 4^2 + 5^2 - \dots =$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{n(n+1)}{2}, n \text{ odd} \\ -\frac{n(n+1)}{2}, n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$