

Topic :-SEQUENCES AND SERIES

1 (a)

Given, $S_{\infty} = \frac{4}{3}$ and $a = \frac{3}{4}$

Let r be the common ratio.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{a}{1-r} &= \frac{4}{3} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{4}{3} - \frac{4}{3}r &= \frac{3}{4} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{16-9}{12} &= \frac{4}{3}r \\ \Rightarrow \frac{7}{12} &= \frac{4}{3}r \\ \Rightarrow r &= \frac{7}{16}\end{aligned}$$

2 (d)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}\log_{10}\{98 + \sqrt{(x-6)^2}\} &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow 98 + |x-6| &= 10^2 \\ \Rightarrow |x-6| &= 2 \Rightarrow x-6 = \pm 2 \Rightarrow x = 8, 4\end{aligned}$$

3 (a)

We have,

$$\begin{aligned}a &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n}{(2n-1)!} \\ \Rightarrow a &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n-1+1}{(2n-1)!} \\ \Rightarrow a &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{(2n-2)!} + \frac{1}{(2n-1)!} \right\} \\ \Rightarrow a &= \left(1 + \frac{1}{1!}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{2!}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{5!} + \frac{1}{4!} + \dots\right) = e\end{aligned}$$

and,

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E

$$\begin{aligned}
 b &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n}{(2n+1)!} \\
 \Rightarrow b &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2n+1-1}{(2n+1)!} \\
 \Rightarrow b &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{(2n)!} - \frac{1}{(2n+1)!} \right\} \\
 \Rightarrow b &= \left(\frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{5!} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{6!} - \frac{1}{7!} \right) + \dots = e^{-1} \\
 \therefore ab &= e \cdot e^{-1} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

4 **(a)**

Let

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_n &= 1 + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{7}{4} + \frac{15}{8} + \frac{31}{16} + \dots \text{to } n \text{ terms} \\
 \Rightarrow S_n &= 1 + \frac{2^2-1}{2} + \frac{2^3-1}{2^2} + \frac{2^4-1}{2^3} + \frac{2^5-1}{2^4} + \dots + \frac{2^n-1}{2^{n-1}} \\
 \Rightarrow S_n &= (2-1) + \left(2-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(2-\frac{1}{2^2}\right) + \left(2-\frac{1}{2^3}\right) + \left(2-\frac{1}{2^4}\right) + \dots + \left(2-\frac{1}{2^{n-1}}\right) \\
 \Rightarrow S_n &= 2n - \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}\right) \\
 \Rightarrow S_n &= 2n - \left(\frac{1 - \frac{1}{2^n}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} \right) = 2(n-1) + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

5 **(b)**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Since, } x &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \cos^{2n} \phi \\
 &= 1 + \cos^2 \phi + \cos^4 \phi + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 - \cos^2 \phi} = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \phi} \quad [\because |\cos x| < 1]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } y = \frac{1}{1 - \sin^2 \phi} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \phi}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{and } z &= \frac{1}{1 - \sin^2 \phi \cos^2 \phi} \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{y}} = \frac{xy}{xy - 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow xyz = xy + z$$

6 **(d)**

$$\text{Since, } a + 23d = 100 \dots (i)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore S_{47} &= \frac{47}{2} [2a + 46d] = 47[a + 23d] \\
 &= 47 \times 100 = 4700 \quad [\text{from Eq. (i)}]
 \end{aligned}$$

587 **(b)**

Since, a, b, c, d, e, f are six A.M.'s. between 2 and 12

$$\therefore a + b + c + d + e + f = \frac{6}{2}(a + f) = \frac{6}{2}(2 + 12) = 42$$

8 (a)

We have,

$$x = \log_2 3 \text{ and } y = \log_{1/2} 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \log_2 3 \text{ and } y = \log_2^{-1} 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \log_2 3 \text{ and } y = -\log_2 5$$

$$\Rightarrow x > 0 \text{ and } y < 0 \Rightarrow x > y$$

10 (b)

If $2^2 < x < 2^3$, then $2 < \log_2 x < 3$

$$\therefore 2 < \log_2 7 < 3 \quad [\because 2^2 < 7 < 2^3]$$

Let $\log_2 7$ be a rational number equal to $\frac{m}{n}$, where $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \neq 0$. Then,

$$7 = 2^{m/n} \Rightarrow 7^n = 2^m$$

This is not possible as LHS is an odd natural number and RHS is an even natural number

11 (d)

We have,

$$4^{\log_9 3} + 9^{\log_2 4} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4^{\log_3 2} + 9^{\log_2 2} = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4^{1/2} + 9^2 = 10^{\log_x 83}$$

$$\Rightarrow 83 = 10^{\log_x 83} \Rightarrow \log_{10} 83 = \log_x 83 \Rightarrow x = 10$$

12 (c)

Since, the given series $\log_a x, \log_b x, \log_c x$ be in HP.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\log x}{\log a}, \frac{\log x}{\log b}, \frac{\log x}{\log c} \text{ are in HP.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\log a}{\log x}, \frac{\log b}{\log x}, \frac{\log c}{\log x} \text{ are in AP.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_x a, \log_x b, \log_x c \text{ are in AP.}$$

$$\therefore a, b, c \text{ are in GP.}$$

14 (c)

$$\text{Since, } a + ar = a(1 + r) = 12 \dots (i)$$

$$\text{and } ar^2 + ar^3 = ar^2(1 + r) = 48 \dots (ii)$$

From Eqs. (i) and (ii),

$$r^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow r = -2$$

(Since, the series is alternately sign, so we take negative values).

On putting the value of r in Eq. (i), we get $a = -12$

15 (a)

We have,

$$2\left\{\frac{m-n}{m+n} + \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{m-n}{m+n}\right)^3 + \frac{1}{5}\left(\frac{m-n}{m+n}\right)^5 + \dots\right\}$$

$$= \log \left(\frac{1 + \frac{m-n}{m+n}}{1 - \frac{m-n}{m+n}} \right) = \log \left(\frac{m}{n} \right)$$

16 (c)

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^n (k^2 + 2k) &= \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^n k \\ &= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} + \frac{2n(n+1)}{2} \\ &= \frac{n(n+1)(2n+7)}{6} \end{aligned}$$

17 (a)

Let a be the first term and d be the common difference of the A.P. Then, it is given that

$$x = \frac{p}{2} [2a + (p-1)d],$$

$$y = \frac{q}{2} [2a + (q-1)d],$$

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

$$\therefore \frac{2x}{p} = 2a + (p-1)d \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\frac{2y}{q} = 2a + (q-1)d \quad \dots(ii)$$

$$\frac{2z}{r} = 2a + (r-1)d \quad \dots(iii)$$

Multiplying (i), (ii), and (iii) by $(q-r)$, $(r-p)$ and $(p-q)$ respectively and adding, we get

$$\frac{2x}{p}(q-r) + \frac{2y}{q}(r-p) + \frac{2z}{r}(p-q) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{p}(q-r) + \frac{y}{q}(r-p) + \frac{z}{r}(p-q) = 0$$

18 (b)

It is given that

$$1, \log_9(3^{1-x} + 2), \log_3(4 \cdot 3^x - 1) \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\Rightarrow (3^{1-x} + 2)^{1/2}, 3, (4 \times 3^x - 1) \text{ are in G.P}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^{1-x} + 2 = 3(4 \cdot 3^x - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 + 2 \cdot 3^x = 12(3^x)^2 - 3(3^x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 12(3^x)^2 - 5(3^x) - 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4 \cdot 3^x - 3)(3 \cdot 3^x + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^x = \frac{3}{4} \quad [\because 3 \cdot 3^x + 1 \neq 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \log_3 \left(\frac{3}{4} \right) \Rightarrow x = \log_3 3 - \log_3 4 = 1 - \log_3 4$$

19 (c)

Given that, AM = 8, GM = 5, if α, β are the roots of quadratic equation, then the required quadratic equation is

$$x^2 - x(\alpha + \beta) + \alpha\beta = 0 \quad \dots(i)$$

$$\text{Here, AM} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = 8 \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta = 16$$

$$\text{And GM} = \sqrt{\alpha\beta} = 5 \Rightarrow \alpha\beta = 25$$

From Eq. (i)

$$x^2 - 16x + 25 = 0$$

20 (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } S_n &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{8}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3n-1} + \sqrt{3n+2}} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5}}{-3} + \frac{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{8}}{-3} + \dots + \frac{\sqrt{3n-1} - \sqrt{3n+2}}{-3} \\ &= -\frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3n+2}) = \frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{3n+2} - \sqrt{2}) \end{aligned}$$

ANSWER-KEY										
Q.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A.	A	D	A	A	B	D	B	A	C	B
Q.	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
A.	D	C	D	C	A	C	A	B	C	A

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