

Exercise 4.4

Q1 RHS

(i) $1, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{27}, \dots$ $\frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{\frac{1}{9}}{\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{3}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$
 is Geometric $a=1$ $r=\frac{1}{3}$, $[\frac{1}{81}, \frac{1}{243}]$

(iv) $1, -1, 1, -1, \dots$ $\frac{-1}{1} = -1$ $\frac{1}{-1} = -1$
 is Geometric $a=1$ $r=-1$, $[1, -1]$

(v) a, a^2, a^3, a^4, \dots $\frac{a^2}{a} = a$ $\frac{a^3}{a^2} = a$
 is Geometric $a=a$ $r=a$, $[a^5, a^6]$

(viii) $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{12}, \frac{1}{36}, \dots$ $\frac{\frac{1}{6}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{1} = \frac{1}{3}$
 $\frac{1}{12} / \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{12} \times \frac{6}{1} = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\frac{1}{3} \neq \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow$ is not Geometric.

(x) $\frac{3}{4}, \frac{9}{2}, 27, 162, \dots$ $\frac{9/2}{3/4} = 9/2 \times \frac{4}{3} = 6$
 $\frac{27}{9/2} = 27 \times \frac{2}{9} = 6$
 is Geometric $a=\frac{3}{4}$ $r=6$ $[472, 5832]$

Q2 (i) $5, 10, \dots$ $a=5$ $r=2$
 $T_n = ar^{n-1}$
 $T_{11} = 5(2)^{10} = 5120$

(ii) $10, 25, \dots$ $a=10$ $r=\frac{25}{10}=2.5$
 $T_7 = 10(2.5)^6 = 2441.41$

$$(iii) \quad 1.1, 1.21, \dots \quad a = 1.1 \quad r = \frac{1.21}{1.1} = \frac{11}{10} = 1.1$$

$$T_8 = (1.1)(1.1)^7 = 2.14$$

$$(iv) \quad 24, -12, 6, \dots \quad a = 24 \quad r = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$T_{10} = 24\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^9 = -0.06875, \left(-\frac{3}{64}\right)$$

Q3 $T_2 = 12 \quad T_5 = 324$

$$ar^1 = 12 \quad ar^4 = 324$$

$$\frac{ar^4}{ar^1} = \frac{324}{12}$$

$$r^3 = 27$$

$$r = \sqrt[3]{27}$$

$$r = 3$$

Q4 $T_3 = 6 \quad T_8 = 1458$

$$ar^2 = 6 \quad ar^7 = 1458$$

$$\frac{ar^7}{ar^2} = \frac{1458}{6}$$

$$r^5 = 243$$

$$r = \sqrt[5]{243}$$

$$r = 3$$

Q5 $T_2 = 4$ $T_5 = -\frac{1}{16}$

$ar = 4$ $ar^4 = -\frac{1}{16}$

$$\frac{ar^4}{ar} = \frac{-\frac{1}{16}}{4}$$

$$r^3 = -\frac{1}{64}$$

$$r = \sqrt[3]{-\frac{1}{64}}$$

$r = -\frac{1}{4}$ $a(-\frac{1}{4}) = 4$ $a = -16$

First 5 Terms are: $-16, 4, -1, \frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{16}$

Q6 A is Geometric $r=3$.

B, C, D are not Geometric.

Q7 $n-2, n, n+3$.

$$\frac{n}{n-2} = \frac{n+3}{n}$$

$$n^2 = n^2 + 3n - 2n - 6$$

$$6 = n$$

First 4 Terms are: $1, 6, 9, \frac{27}{2}$
 $\begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{\times 3/2} & \xrightarrow{\times 3/2} \\ 1 & 6 & 9 & 27/2 \end{matrix}$

Q8

$$T_3 = -63$$

$$T_4 = 189$$

(i)

$$\frac{189}{-63} = -3$$

$$\underline{r = -3}$$

$$T_3 = -63 \Rightarrow$$

$$ar^2 = -63$$

$$a(-3)^2 = -63$$

$$a = -63/9$$

$$\underline{a = -7}$$

(ii)

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

$$T_n = -7(-3)^{n-1}$$

Q9

$$T_1 = 16$$

$$T_5 = 9$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 16$$

$$ar^4 = 9$$

$$16r^4 = 9$$

$$r^4 = 9/16$$

$$r = \sqrt[4]{9/16}$$

$$r = 0.866$$

$$T_7 = 16(0.866)^6$$

$$= 6.75$$

Q10 first 3 terms are $\frac{a}{r}, a, ar$

$$\frac{a}{r} \times a \times ar = 27$$

$$a^3 = 27$$

$$a = 3$$

$$\frac{a}{r} + a + ar = 13$$

$$\frac{3}{r} + 3 + 3r = 13$$

$$\frac{3}{r} + 3r - 10 = 0$$

$$3r^2 - 10r + 3 = 0$$

$$(3r - 1)(r - 3) = 0$$

$$3r = 1$$

$$r = \frac{1}{3} \quad r = 3$$

first 4 terms: $\frac{a}{r}, a, ar$

$$\frac{3}{\frac{1}{3}}, 3, 3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right), 3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2$$

$$9, 3, 1, \frac{1}{3}$$

OR

$$\frac{3}{3}, 3, 3(3), 3(3)^2$$

$$1, 3, 9, 27$$

Q11 $T_n = 3 \times 2^{n-1}$

$$\begin{aligned}T_1 &= 3 \times 2^{1-1} = 3 \\T_2 &= 3 \times 2^{2-1} = 6 \\T_3 &= 3 \times 2^{3-1} = 12 \\T_4 &= 3 \times 2^{4-1} = 24 \\T_5 &= 3 \times 2^{5-1} = 48\end{aligned}$$

Q12 $T_n = 8 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n$

$$\begin{aligned}T_1 &= 8 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^1 = 6 \\T_2 &= 8 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 = 9/2 \\T_3 &= 8 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^3 = 27/8 \\T_4 &= 8 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^4 = \cancel{8} \cdot 81/32\end{aligned}$$

Q13 $T_n = (-1)^{n+1} \times \frac{5}{2^{n-4}}$

$$\begin{aligned}T_1 &= (-1)^{1+1} \times \frac{5}{2^{1-4}} = (-1)^2 \times \frac{5}{2^{-3}} = 1 \times 40 = 40 \\T_2 &= (-1)^{2+1} \times \frac{5}{2^{2-4}} = (-1)^3 \times \frac{5}{2^{-2}} = -1 \times 20 = -20 \\T_3 &= (-1)^{3+1} \times \frac{5}{2^{3-4}} = (-1)^4 \times \frac{5}{2^{-1}} = 1 \times 10 = 10 \\T_4 &= (-1)^{4+1} \times \frac{5}{2^{4-4}} = (-1)^5 \times \frac{5}{2^0} = -1 \times 5 = -5\end{aligned}$$

Q14 (ii) $x+1, x+4, 3x+2$.

$$\frac{x+4}{x+1} = \frac{3x+2}{x+4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}(x+4)^2 &= (3x+2)(x+1) \\ x^2 + 8x + 16 &= 3x^2 + 5x + 2 \\ 2x^2 - 3x - 14 &= 0 \\ (2x - 7)(x + 2) &= 0 \\ 2x &= 7 \\ x &= 7/2 \quad x = -2.\end{aligned}$$

Seq is: $7/2 + 1, 7/2 + 4, 3(7/2) + 2$
 $= 4.5, 7.5, 12.5$

(OR)

$$\begin{aligned}-2+1, -2+4, 3(-2)+2 \\ -1, +2, -4,\end{aligned}$$

(iv) $x-6, 2x, x^2$

$$\frac{2x}{x-6} = \frac{x^2}{2x}$$

$$4x^2 = x^3 - 6x^2 \quad (\div x^2)$$

$$4 = x - 6$$

$$10 = x$$

Seq is: $4, 20, 100$

Q15

$$T_n = 2 \times 3^n$$

$$T_{n+1} = 2 \times 3^{n+1}$$

$$\frac{T_{n+1}}{T_n} = \frac{2 \times 3^n}{2 \times 3^{n+1}} = \frac{3^n}{3 \cdot 3^n} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$\frac{T_{n+1}}{T_n}$ is a constant \Rightarrow is Geometric.

Q16

$$T_n = 3 \times n^2$$

$$T_{n+1} = 3 \times (n+1)^2$$

$$\frac{T_{n+1}}{T_n} = \frac{3 \times (n+1)^2}{3 \times n^2} = \frac{n^2 + 2n + 1}{n^2} = 1 + \frac{2n}{n^2} + \frac{1}{n^2}$$
$$= 1 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{1}{n^2}$$

\Rightarrow NO is not Geometric $\frac{T_{n+1}}{T_n} \neq$ constant.

Q17 (i) 5, 15, 45 3645

$$a = 5 \quad r = 3. \quad T_n = 5 \times 3^{n-1}$$

$$3645 = 5 \times 3^{n-1}$$

$$729 = 3^{n-1}$$

$$729 = \frac{3^n}{3}$$

$$\frac{2187}{3} = 3^n$$

$$3^7 = 3^n$$

$$7 = n$$

or $\log 2187 = n \log 3$

$$\frac{\log 2187}{\log 3} = n$$

$$7 = n$$

Q17 (ii) $48, 6, \frac{3}{4}, \dots, \frac{3}{2048}$

$$a = 48 \quad r = \frac{6}{48} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$T_n = (48)\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{3}{2048} = (48)\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{3}{98304} = \left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^{n-1} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{1}{32768} = \left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{3}{98304} = 8^{1-n}$$

$$\frac{1}{8^5} = 8^{1-n}$$

$$\frac{3}{98304} = \frac{8^1}{8^n}$$

$$8^{-5} = 8^{1-n}$$

$$-5 = 1-n$$

$$n = 6$$

$$\frac{3}{786432} = 8^{-n}$$

$$\log \frac{3}{786432} = -n \log 8$$

$$\frac{\log \frac{3}{786432}}{\log 8} = -n$$

$$-6 = -n$$

$$6 = n$$

Q18 height $27m$ each bounces $\frac{2}{3}$ of height

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad 1^{\text{st}} \text{ bounce} &= 27 \times \frac{2}{3} = 18 \\ 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ " } &= 27 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} = 12 \\ 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ " } &= 27 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} = 8 \\ 4^{\text{th}} \text{ " } &= 27 \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} = \frac{16}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad T_n &= ar^{n-1} \\ &= 27 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{n-1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad T_{12} = 27 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^{12} = \frac{4096}{19683} = 0.21m.$$

Q19 $A = 4000(1.03)^t$

$$\text{(i)} \quad \text{€}4000$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad Y_{r1} &: 4000(1.03)^1 = 4120 \\ Y_{r2} &: 4000(1.03)^2 = 4243.60 \\ Y_{r3} &: 4000(1.03)^3 = 4370.91 \\ Y_{r4} &: 4000(1.03)^4 = 4502.04 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad Y_{r10} : 4000(1.03)^{10} = 5375.67$$

(iv) To Double \Rightarrow to get to 8000

$$\begin{aligned} 4000(1.03)^t &= 8000 \\ (1.03)^t &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} t \log(1.03) &= \log 2 \\ t &= \frac{\log 2}{\log 1.03} \end{aligned}$$

$$t = 23 \text{ yrs}$$

Q20

$$A = P(1+i)^t$$

Over 10 yrs $2500 = P$

$$A = 3047$$

$$3047 = 2500(1+i)^{10}$$

$$\frac{3047}{2500} = (1+i)^{10}$$

$$\sqrt[10]{1.2188} = 1+i$$

$$1.02998 = 1+i$$

$$0.02998 = i$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.998 = i$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\% = i$$