

# 27 Lecture - MTH101

## Important Mcqs

**What is the symbol used to represent a sum in sigma notation?**

- A) ?
- B) ?
- C) ?
- D) ?

**Solution: B) ?**

**What is the purpose of using sigma notation?**

- A) To represent long sums of numbers in a more compact and convenient way
- B) To represent long products of numbers in a more compact and convenient way
- C) To represent long division of numbers in a more compact and convenient way
- D) To represent long subtraction of numbers in a more compact and convenient way

**Solution: A) To represent long sums of numbers in a more compact and convenient way**

**How is an arithmetic sequence represented in sigma notation?**

- A)  $\sum_{i=1}^n ar^i$
- B)  $\sum_{i=1}^n (a + (i-1)d)$
- C)  $\sum_{i=0}^n ar^i$
- D)  $\sum_{i=0}^n (a + (i-1)d)$

**Solution: B)  $\sum_{i=1}^n (a + (i-1)d)$**

**How is a geometric sequence represented in sigma notation?**

- A)  $\sum_{i=1}^n ar^i$
- B)  $\sum_{i=1}^n (a + (i-1)d)$

C)  $\sum_{i=0}^n ar^i$

D)  $\sum_{i=0}^n (a + (i-1)d)$

**Solution: C)  $\sum_{i=0}^n ar^i$**

**Can sigma notation be used to represent infinite series?**

A) Yes

B) No

**Solution: A) Yes**

**What is the formula for the sum of the first "n" terms of an arithmetic sequence?**

A)  $S_n = n/2(a + 1)$

B)  $S_n = n(a + 1)/2$

C)  $S_n = n(a + 1)$

D)  $S_n = (a + 1)/n$

**Solution: B)  $S_n = n(a + 1)/2$**

**What is the formula for the sum of the first "n" terms of a geometric sequence?**

A)  $S_n = n/2(a + 1)$

B)  $S_n = n(a + 1)/2$

C)  $S_n = a(1 - r^n)/(1 - r)$

D)  $S_n = a(1 + r^n)/(1 + r)$

**Solution: C)  $S_n = a(1 - r^n)/(1 - r)$**

**Which test can be used to determine the convergence or divergence of an infinite series?**

A) The limit comparison test

B) The integral test

C) The root test

D) All of the above

**Solution: D) All of the above**

**What is the difference between an arithmetic sequence and a geometric sequence?**

- A) In an arithmetic sequence, each term is the sum of the previous term and a constant; in a geometric sequence, each term is the product of the previous term and a constant.
- B) In an arithmetic sequence, each term is the product of the previous term and a constant; in a geometric sequence, each term is the sum of the previous term and a constant.
- C) In an arithmetic sequence, each term is the product of the previous term and a constant; in a geometric sequence, each term is the difference of the previous term and a constant.
- D) In an arithmetic sequence, each term is the difference of the previous term and a constant; in a geometric sequence, each term is the sum of the previous term and a constant.

**Solution: A) In an arithmetic sequence, each term is the sum of the previous term and a constant; in a geometric sequence, each**