

Adjusted for inflation, the average annual return of the S&P 500 for the last 86 years is 7.7%.

If you could invest \$100 into the S&P 500 right now and leave it there for ~~50~~ years, should you do it? ⁴⁰

$$U_n = u_1 r^{(n-1)} \quad \$3,789$$

\$1,804

Today's learning objective:

By the end of class, I will be able to solve arithmetic sequences and series problems.

Today's language objective:

Arithmetic vs Geometric

$d =$

Sequence vs Series

I will utilize this vocabulary in cooperative groups.

1.1

The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence

The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$$

1.) In an arithmetic sequence, $u_1 = 2$ and $u_3 = 8$. non-calc

(a) Find d .

$$8 = 2 + (3-1)d; 6 = 2d; d = 3$$

(b) Find u_{20} .

$$u_{20} = 2 + (20-1)(3) = 59$$

(c) Find S_{20} .

$$S_{20} = 20/2(2*2 + (20-1)3) = 610$$

(Total 6 mark

calc

2.) In an arithmetic sequence $u_1 = 7$, $u_{20} = 64$ and $u_n = 3709$. $64 = 7 + (20-1)d; 57 = 19d$

(a) Find the value of the common difference.

$$d = 3$$

(b) Find the value of n .

1.1

The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$3709 = 7 + (n-1)3$$

$$3702 = 3n - 3$$

The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$$

$$3705 = 3n; n = 1,235$$

(Total 5 mark

3.) Consider the arithmetic sequence 3, 9, 15, ..., 1353.

(a) Write down the common difference. $d = 6$ ^{calc}

(b) Find the number of terms in the sequence. $1353 = 3 + (n-1)6$

$$1350 = 6n - 6$$

(c) Find the sum of the sequence.

$$1356 = 6n; n = 226$$

(Total 6 marks)

$$S_{226} = 226/2(2 \cdot 3 + (226-1)6) = 153,22$$

4.) An arithmetic sequence, u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots , has $d = 11$ and $u_{27} = 263$. ^{calc}

(a) Find u_1 .

$$263 = u_1 + (27-1)11; 263 = u_1 + 286$$

(b) (i) Given that $u_n = 516$, find the value of n .

$$u_1 = -23$$

(ii) For this value of n , find S_n .

$$516 = -23 + (n-1)11$$

1.1

The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

(Total 6 marks)

The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$$

$$539 = 11n - 11$$

$$550 = 11n; n = 50$$

$$S = 50/2(-23 + 516) = 12,325$$

44.) ~~\$1000~~ ^{5,500} is invested at the beginning of each year for ~~10~~ ³⁰ 50 years.

The rate of interest is fixed at 7.5% per annum. Interest is compounded annually.

Calculate, giving your answers to the nearest dollar

(a) how much the first \$1000 is worth at the end of the ten years

~~\$1,917~~

(b) the total value of the investments at the end of the ten years.

\$14,147
x .15

The n^{th} term of a geometric sequence

$$u_n = u_1 r^{n-1}$$

The sum of n terms of a finite geometric sequence

$$S_n = \frac{u_1(r^n - 1)}{r - 1} = \frac{u_1(1 - r^n)}{1 - r}, r \neq 1$$

The sum of an infinite geometric sequence

$$S_\infty = \frac{u_1}{1 - r}, |r| < 1$$

\$1.25 mm
.22

\$1.03 mm

$$2 \tan^2 x + \frac{3}{\cos x} = 0$$

$$1 + \tan^2 x = \sec^2 x$$

~~$$\cos x = 2$$~~

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2 \tan^2 x + 3 \sec x = 0$$

$$0 < x < 2\pi \quad 2(\sec^2 x - 1) + 3 \sec x = 0 \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\cos x} = -2 \\ \sec x = \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\cos x = \frac{-1}{2}$$

$$2 \sec^2 x + 3 \sec x - 2$$

$$\sec x = -2$$

$$2x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} 2x & -1 \\ x & 2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2 \sec x = 1 \\ \sec x = \frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

$$x = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

$-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

6.) The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence is given by $u_n = 5 + 2n$. **calc**

(a) Write down the common difference.

$u_1 = 7; u_2 = 9; d = 2$ (1)

(b) (i) Given that the n^{th} term of this sequence is 115, find the value of n .

(ii) For this value of n , find the sum of the sequence.

$115 = 7 + (n-1)2$

(5)
(Total 6 marks)

$108 = 2n - 2; n = 55; S_{55} = 55/2(7+115) = 3,355$

7.) In an arithmetic series, the first term is -7 and the sum of the first 20 terms is 620. **calc**

(a) Find the common difference. $620 = 20/2(2 \cdot -7 + (20-1)d)$ (3)

$620 = 10(-14 + 19d)$

(b) Find the value of the 78th term.

$62 = -14 + 19d$ (2)

(Total 5 marks)

$76 = 19d; d = 4$

$u_{78} = -7 + (78-1)4 = 301$

term of an
arithmetic sequence

$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$

sum of n terms of an
arithmetic sequence

$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$

10.) In an arithmetic sequence, $S_{40} = 1900$ and $u_{40} = 106$. Find the value of u_1 and of d .

$$106 = u_1 + (40-1)d; \quad 106 = -11 + 39d \quad (\text{Total 6 marks})$$

$$106 = u_1 + 39d \quad 117 = 39d; d=3 \quad \text{calc}$$

$$1900 = 40/2 (u_1 + 106)$$

$$1900 = 20u_1 + 2120; -220 = 20u_1; u_1 = -11$$

11.) Consider the arithmetic sequence 2, 5, 8, 11,

(a) Find u_{101} . $d = 3; u_{101} = 2 + (101-1)3; u_{101} = 302$ (3)

(b) Find the value of n so that $u_n = 152$.

$$152 = 2 + (n-1)3 \quad (3)$$

$$150 = 3n - 3 \quad (\text{Total 6 marks})$$

$$153 = 3n; n = 51 \quad \text{calc}$$

1.1	The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence	$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$
	The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$

14.) In an arithmetic sequence $u_{21} = -37$ and $u_4 = -3$.

(a) Find $d = -2$

(i) the common difference;

(ii) the first term. $u_1 = 3$

(b) Find S_{10} .

$$S_{10} = 10/2(2 \cdot 3 + (10-1) \cdot -2)$$

$$S_{10} = 5(6 - 18)$$

$$S_{10} = -60$$

(Total 7 m)

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The n^{th} term of an arithmetic sequence

The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence

$$u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$$

20.) (a) Write down the first three terms of the sequence $u_n = 3n$, for $n \geq 1$.

(1)

(b) Find

(i) $\sum_{n=1}^{20} 3n$;

(ii) $\sum_{n=21}^{100} 3n$.

(5)

(Total 6 marks)

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	The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n - 1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$

27.) Let S_n be the sum of the first n terms of an arithmetic sequence, whose first three terms are u_1 , u_2 and u_3 . It is known that $S_1 = 7$, and $S_2 = 18$.

- (a) Write down u_1 .
- (b) Calculate the common difference of the sequence.
- (c) Calculate u_4 .

31.) Gwendolyn added the multiples of 3, from 3 to 3750 and found that

$$3 + 6 + 9 + \dots + 3750 = s.$$

Calculate s .

$$u_n = 3750 = 3 + 3(n-1)$$

$$3750 = 3n$$

$$1250 = n$$

$$S_{1250} = 625(3 + 3750)$$

$$625(3753)$$

$$S_{1250} = 2,345,625$$

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	The sum of n terms of an arithmetic sequence	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(u_1 + u_n)$

