

**EXERCISE - 1 [A]**

1. (a)  
 $\Rightarrow 5t_5 = 8t_8$   
 $\Rightarrow 5(a + 4d) = 8(a + 7d)$   
 $\Rightarrow 3a = -36d$   
 $\Rightarrow d = -\frac{1}{12}a$

Now,  $T_{13} = a + 12d$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 12\left(-\frac{1}{12}a\right) = 0$

2. (c)  
 $\Rightarrow T_7 = a + 6d$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 6d + 34 \dots\dots\dots(1)$   
 $\Rightarrow T_{13} = a + 12d$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 12d = 64 \dots\dots\dots(2)$   
 Solving (1) and (2)  
 $\Rightarrow a = 4$  and  $d = 5$   
 $\Rightarrow \therefore T_{18} = a + 17d$   
 $\Rightarrow 4 + 17 \times 5 = 89$

3. (b)  
 $\Rightarrow T_7 = a + 6d$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 6d = 40$   
 $\Rightarrow a = 40 - 6d$   
 $\Rightarrow S_{13} = \frac{13}{2}[2a + 12d]$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{13}{2}[2(40 - 6d) + 12d]$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{13}{2}[80] = 13 \times 40 = 520$

4. (a)  
 $\Rightarrow S_{40} = \frac{40}{2}[2a + 39d]$   
 $\Rightarrow 20[2(2) + 39(4)] = 3200$

5. (c)  
 Let the terms of A. P are  $(a - d), a, (a + d)$   
 Now,  $(a - d) + (a + d) = 12$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 2a &= 12 \\ \Rightarrow a &= 6 \\ \Rightarrow \text{and}(a-d)a &= 24 \\ \Rightarrow (6-d) &= 6 = 24 \\ \Rightarrow d &= 2 \\ \Rightarrow \therefore \text{first term } a-d &= 6-2 = 4 \end{aligned}$$

6. (c)

$$\Rightarrow S_{2m} = \frac{2n}{2} [2(2) + (2n-1)(3)] = n[a + 6n] \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2(57) + (n-1)(2)] = n[56 + n] \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

Solving (1) and (2)

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 6n = 56 + n$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 11$$

7. (a)

$$\Rightarrow S_{10} = 4S_5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10}{2} [2a + 9d] = 4 \times \frac{5}{2} [2a + 4d]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = d$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{d} = \frac{1}{2}$$

8. (a)

$$\Rightarrow Sp = \frac{p}{2} [2a + (p-1)d] = x \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow Sq = \frac{q}{2} [2a + (q-1)d] = y \quad \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow Sr = \frac{r}{2} [2a + (r-1)d] = z \quad \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

Now substituting value from (1), (2), (3) in

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

$$\Rightarrow 2[2a - (p-1)d](q-r) + 2[2a - (q-1)d](r-p) + 2[2a - (r-1)d](p-q) = 0$$

9. (a)

Odd two digit number will be 11, 13, 15, .....99 – total 45 numbers

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{45}{2} [2(11) + (45-1)2]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{45}{2} [22 + 88] = 2475$$

10. (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow S &= \frac{1}{1+\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{7}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2n}+\sqrt{2n+1}} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{5}}{2} + \dots + \frac{\sqrt{2n+1}-\sqrt{2n}}{2} \\ &\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2n+1}-1) \end{aligned}$$

11. (d)

$\Rightarrow a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n+1}$  are in A. P.

Let  $a_1 = a$  and common difference be  $d$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then, } & \frac{1}{a_1 a_2} + \frac{1}{a_2 a_3} + \dots + \frac{1}{a_n a_{n+1}} \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{1}{a(a+d)} + \frac{1}{(a+d)(a+2d)} + \dots + \frac{1}{(a+nd)(a+(n-1)d)} \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{1}{d} \left[ \frac{d}{a(a+d)} + \frac{d}{(a+d)(a+2d)} + \dots + \frac{d}{(a+nd)(a+(n-1)d)} \right] \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{1}{d} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{d} - \frac{1}{a+d} \right) + \left( \frac{1}{a+d} - \frac{1}{a+2d} \right) + \dots + \left( \frac{1}{a+(n-1)d} - \frac{1}{a+nd} \right) \right] \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{1}{d} \left[ \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{a+nd} \right] \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{1}{d} \left[ \frac{a+nd-a}{a(a+nd)} \right] \\ & \Rightarrow \frac{n}{a_1 a_{n+1}} \end{aligned}$$

12. (d)

Let first be  $a$  and common difference be  $d$ .

$$a_1 + a_5 + a_{10} + a_{15} + a_{20} + a_{24} = 225$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a + 23d = 75$$

$$\text{Now, } S_{24} = \frac{24}{2} [2a + 23d] = 12 [75] = 900$$

13. (a)

$a, b, c$  are in A. P.

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ab+cb}{2abc} = \frac{1}{ac}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{ab} + \frac{1}{bc}}{2} = \frac{1}{ac}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \frac{1}{bc}, \frac{1}{ca}, \frac{1}{ab} \text{ are in A. P.}$$

14. (b)

$$\Rightarrow \log 2 \log(2^n - 1), \log(2^n + 3) \text{ are in A.P.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \log(2^n - 1) = \frac{\log 2 + \log 2^n + 3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \log(2^n - 1) = \log(2 \times (2^n + 3))$$

$$\Rightarrow \log(2^n - 1)^2 = \log(2^{n+1} + 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow (2^n - 1)^2 = 2^{n+1} + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{2n} + 1 - 2^{n+1} = 2^{n+1} + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{2n} - 4 \cdot 2^n - 5 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } 2^n = t$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 - 4t - 5 = 0$$

$$(t-5)(t+1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 5 \quad \text{or} \quad t = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^n = 5 \quad \text{or} \quad 2^n = -1 \text{ (not possible)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log_2 5 = n$$

15. (c)

$$x, |x+1|, |x-1| = \text{A.P}$$

$$\text{For } x < -1$$

$$\Rightarrow x, -x-1, -x+1 = \text{A.P}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore -x-1-x = -2x-1$$

$$\Rightarrow -x+1+x+1 = 2$$

$$\text{From (1) and (2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x-1 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x = 3x = \frac{-3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore S_{20} = \frac{20}{2} \left[ 2 \left( \frac{-3}{2} \right) + (19)2 \right] = 350$$

16. (b)

$$\Rightarrow a = 2n - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{a+1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+3+5+\dots+p) + (1+3+5+\dots+q) = (1+3+5+\dots+r)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{p+1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{q+1}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{r+1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (p+1)^2 + (q+1)^2 = (r+1)^2$$

P > hence smallest pythagorean to put will be 6, 8, 10.

Therefore p = 7, q = 5, r = 9

Least value p + q + r = 21

17. (b)

Let first term of G.P. be A and common ratio be R.

$$\Rightarrow T_p = AR^{p-1} = a$$

$$\Rightarrow T_q = AR^{q-1} = b$$

$$\Rightarrow T_r = AR^{r-1} = c$$

$$\text{Now, } a^{q-r} \cdot b^{r-p} \cdot c^{p-q} = \left(AR^{(p-1)(q-r)}\right) \cdot \left(AR^{(q-1)(r-1)}\right) \cdot \left(AR^{(r-1)(p-q)}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow A^0 R^0 = 1$$

18. (c)

Let the first term of G.P. be  $\frac{a}{r^2}, \frac{1}{r}, a, ar, ar^2$

If third term is 4

$$\Rightarrow a = 4$$

$$\therefore \text{their product} = (a)^5 = (4)^5$$

19. (d)

$\Rightarrow x, 2x+2, 3x+3$  are in G.P.

$$\text{then } (2x+2)^2 = x(3x+3)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4x^2 + 4 + 8x = 3x^2 + 3x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 5x + 4 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+1)(x+4) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -4 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -1$$

if  $x = -1$  then term will be -1, 0, 0 Not possible

if  $x = -4$

Then term will be -4, -6, -8

$$\Rightarrow a = -4$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-6}{-4} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow T_4 = ar^3 = -4 \times \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^3 = -4 \times \frac{27}{8} = -13.5$$

20. (b)

$a = x$  let common ratio be  $r$ .

$$\Rightarrow S_{\infty} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{1-r} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{5-x}{5}$$

Or  $r \in (-1,1)$  for an infinite G. P.

$$\Rightarrow -1 < \frac{5-x}{5} < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 > x > 0$$

**21. (a)**  
A, b, c are in A.P.

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \frac{a+c}{2} = b \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{and } c - b = b - a \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

and  $b - a, c - b$  are in G. P.

$$\text{then } (c - b)^2 = a(b - a)$$

from (2)

$$\Rightarrow (b - a)^2 = a(b - a)$$

$$\Rightarrow b - a = a \quad \dots\dots(3)$$

From (3)

$$\Rightarrow b = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{a} = 2$$

From (3)

$$\Rightarrow b = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+c}{2} = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{c}{a} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore a : b : c = 1 : 2 : 3$$

**22. (b)**  
Let  $S = 3 + 33 + 333 + \dots\dots 33\dots 33$

$$\Rightarrow S = 3(1 + 11 + 111 + \dots\dots + 111\dots 111)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(1 + (10+1) + (10^2 + 10+1) + \dots\dots + (10^n + 10^{a-1} + 10^{a-2} + \dots\dots + 10+1))$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(n + 10(n-1) + 10^2(n-2) + \dots\dots 10^n) \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{Let } S^1 = n + 10(n-1) + 10^2(n-2) + \dots\dots + 10^n \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10S^1 = 10n + 10^2(n-1) + \dots\dots 210^n + 10^{n+1} \quad \dots\dots(3)$$

$$(2) - (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow -9S^1 &= n - 10 - 10^2 - 10^3 \dots 10^{n+1} \\ \Rightarrow n - (10 + 10^2 + 10^3 + \dots + 10^n + 10^{n+1}) \\ \Rightarrow n - \frac{10(10^n - 1)}{10 - 1} &= n - \frac{10^{n+1} - 10}{9} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{9n - 10^{n+1} + 10}{9} \\ \Rightarrow S^1 &= \frac{10^{n+1} - 10 - 9n}{81} \\ \Rightarrow \therefore \text{From (1)} \\ \Rightarrow S &= \frac{10^{n+1} - 10 - 9n}{27} \end{aligned}$$

**23. (b)**  
 1234, 2345, 3456 .....

$$d = 1111$$

$$T_n = 1234 + (n - 1)1111$$

$$= 123 + 1111n$$

**24. (a)**

$$a = 2 + d$$

$$b = 2 + 2d$$

$$c = (2 + 2d)d$$

$$2(a + d)d \cdot d = 160$$

$$\Rightarrow d \cdot d(1 + d) = 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 5$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 4$$

$$a = 6, b = 10$$

$$c = 40$$

$$a + b + c = 56$$

**25. (a)**

$$T_6 = 8T_3$$

$$\Rightarrow ar^5 = 8ar^2$$

$$\Rightarrow r^3 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 2$$

$$T_7 + t_8 = 192$$

$$\Rightarrow ar^6 + ar^7 = 192$$

$$\Rightarrow a(64 + 128) = 192$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 1 \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

$$T_5 + T_6 + \dots T_{11} = \frac{2^4(2^7 - 1)}{2 - 1} = 2032$$

$$T_6 + T_9 = 2^5 + 2^8 = 288$$

26. (c)

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin^{2n} \theta = \frac{1}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos^{2n} \phi = \frac{1}{1 - \cos^2 \phi} \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{\sin^2 \phi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos^n(\theta + \phi) \cos^n(\theta - \phi) = \frac{1}{1 - \cos(\theta + \phi) \cos(\theta - \phi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = \frac{1}{1 - \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \phi}$$

Now,  $z = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}}$  or  $z(xy - y + x) = xy$

$$\Rightarrow xyz - xy = yz - zx$$

27. (b)

Let  $x = \sqrt{2} + 1$

$$\Rightarrow y = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \sqrt{2} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{y} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + 1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + 1} \times \frac{\sqrt{2} - 1}{\sqrt{2} - 1} = \frac{\sqrt{2} - 1}{1} = \frac{y}{z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore x, y, z \text{ are in G. P.}$$

28. (d)

$$\Rightarrow (a) \frac{1}{b-a} + \frac{1}{b-c} = \frac{1}{b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b(b-c) + b(b-a)}{b(b-a)(b-c)} = (b-a)(b-c)$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + bc + b^2 - ab$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + ac - ab - bc$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = ac$$

a, b, c are in G.P.

but a, b, c are in H. P. so not correct

(b) as a, b, c, are in H. P.

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

But  $b = \frac{2ac}{a+c}$  is given so not correct

$$\Rightarrow (c) \frac{b+a}{b-a} + \frac{b+c}{b-c} = 1$$



$$\Rightarrow (b+a)(b-c) + (b+c)(b-a) = (b-a)(b-c)$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + bc + ab + ac + b^2 - ab + bc - ac$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 - bc - ab + ac$$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 + bc + ab = 3ac$$

No result

$\therefore$  Answer is none.

29. (c)

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

$$\text{Now, } \frac{b+a}{b-a} + \frac{b+c}{b-c} = \frac{\frac{b}{a}+1}{\frac{b}{a}-1} + \frac{\frac{b}{c}+1}{\frac{b}{c}-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{2c}{a+c}+1}{\frac{2c}{a+c}-1} + \frac{\frac{2a}{a+c}+1}{\frac{2a}{a+c}-1} = \frac{3c+a}{c-a} + \frac{3a+c}{c-a} = 2$$

30. (a)

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{2ab}{a+b}, x = \frac{2ay}{a+y}, z = \frac{2by}{b+y}$$

$$\text{or } y = \frac{2ab}{a+b}, x = \frac{4ab}{a+3b}, z = \frac{4ab}{3a+b}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} = \frac{a+b}{2ab} + \frac{a+3b}{4ab} + \frac{3a+b}{4ab}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} = \frac{10}{9}$$

31. (c)

$\Rightarrow a, b, c$  are in H. P.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{c} = \frac{2}{b} \text{ and } \frac{1}{c} = \frac{2}{b} - \frac{1}{a}$$

$$\text{Now, } \left(\frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} - \frac{1}{a}\right) \left(\frac{1}{c} + \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{b}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{b} + \frac{2}{b} - \frac{1}{a} - \frac{1}{a}\right) \left(\frac{2}{b} - \frac{1}{b}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{2}{a}\right) \left(\frac{1}{b}\right) = \frac{3}{b^2} - \frac{2}{ab}$$

32. (c)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b}, \frac{b}{c}, \frac{c}{a} = \text{H.P.}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b}{c} = \frac{2 \frac{c}{b}}{\frac{a^2 + c^2}{ab}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 b + b^2 c = 2ac^2$$

33. (c)  
 $\Rightarrow a, b, c = \text{G.P.}$

$$\Rightarrow b^2 = ac$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{\log_a^x} + \frac{1}{\log_b^x} = \log_x^a + \log_x^b = \log_x^{ab} = \log_x^{b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \log_x^b = 2 \frac{1}{\log_b^x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \log_a^x, \log_b^x, \log_c^x = \text{H.P}$$

34. (b)

$$\text{Let } a = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{b} - d} \text{ and } c = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{b} + d}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{b}{1 - bd} \text{ and } c = \frac{b}{1 + bd}$$

$$\text{Now, } \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1 - bd}{b} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1 + bd}{b} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ hence } b = 12$$

$$\text{Now, } a + b + c = 37$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{12}{1 - 12d} + 12 + \frac{12}{1 + 12d} = 37$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{24}{1 - 144d^2} = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{1}{60}. \text{ Hence numbers are } 15, 12, 10$$

35. (a)

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{19-3}{3+1} = \frac{16}{4} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow A_1 = a + d = 3 + 4 = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow A_2 = a + 2d = 11$$

$$\Rightarrow A_3 = a + 3d = 15$$

**36. (b)**

A, b, c, d, e, f i.e. A. M. 's between 2 and 12

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{b-a}{n+1} = \frac{12-2}{6+1} = \frac{10}{7}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \frac{8}{2}[2a + 7d] = 4[4 + 10] = 56$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore a + b + c + d + e + f = 200 - a - b$$

$$\Rightarrow 56 - 2 - 12 = 42$$

**37. (b)**

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

$$\Rightarrow n = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{64}{1}\right)^{\frac{1}{n+1}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow G_1 = ar = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow G_2 = ar^2 = 16$$

**38. (b)**

$$\Rightarrow G.M = 3^{\frac{n+1}{2}}$$

**39. (a)**

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+b}{2} = \frac{2ab}{a+b}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b$$

**40. (a)**

$$\Rightarrow A_2 + A_2 = a + b, G_1 G_2 = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{H_1} + \frac{1}{H_2} = \frac{a+b}{ab}$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore \frac{H_1 + H_2}{H_1 H_2} = \frac{a+b}{ab} = \frac{A_1 + A_2}{G_1 G_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{G_1 G_2}{H_1 H_2} = \frac{A_1 + A_2}{H_1 + H_2}$$

41. (d)  
Let the two number be a and b, then

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2ab}{a+b} = \frac{12}{13} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{2\sqrt{ab}}{a+b} = \frac{12}{13} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{(a+b)^2 - (2\sqrt{ab})^2}{a+b} = \frac{5}{13} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a-b}{a+b} = \frac{5}{13} \\ \Rightarrow & 13a - 13b - 5a + 5b \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a}{b} = \frac{9}{4} \end{aligned}$$

42. (c)
- $$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \frac{a+b}{2} - \sqrt{ab} = 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a}{b} = \frac{4}{1} = a = 4b. \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{4b+b}{2} - \sqrt{4b^2} = 2 \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{5}{2}b - 2b = 2 \\ \Rightarrow & b = 4 \text{ and } a = 16 \end{aligned}$$

43. (c)
- $$\begin{aligned} & \frac{a+b}{2ab} = \frac{m}{n} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{(a+b)^2}{4ab} = \frac{m}{n} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{(a+b)^2}{(a+b)^2 - 4ab} = \frac{m}{m-n} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a+b}{a-b} = \frac{\sqrt{m}}{\sqrt{m-n}} \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{a}{b} = \frac{\sqrt{m} + \sqrt{m-n}}{\sqrt{m} - \sqrt{m-n}} \end{aligned}$$

44. (c)

$$x = \frac{\log 3}{\log 5} + \frac{\log 5}{\log 7} + \frac{\log 7}{\log 9}$$

$$\frac{x}{3} \geq \left( \frac{\log 3}{\log 5} \cdot \frac{\log 5}{\log 7} \cdot \frac{\log 7}{2\log 3} \right)$$

(By  $A_m \geq a_m$ )

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{3} \geq \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \geq \frac{3}{3\sqrt{2}}$$

45. (a)

$$A_1 = G_1 = H_1 = A$$

$$A_{3n-1} = G_{2n-1} = H_{2n-1} = 8$$

$$\text{So, } A_n = \frac{A+B}{2}, G_n = \sqrt{AB}, H_n = \frac{2AB}{A+B}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{b^2 = ac}$$

46. (d)

If A. M. are inserted between two given number then product of rth A.M. from being and rth H.M. form and is equal to the product of these numbers.

$$\text{Hence, } a_4 \times h_7 = 2 \times 3 \text{ i.e. } 6$$

47. (b)

$$\Rightarrow a_1 + a_{2n} = a_2 + a_{2n-1} = a_3 + a_{2n-2} = a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow g_1 g_{2n} = g_2 g_{2n-1} = g_3 g_{2n-2} = \dots = ab$$

$$\text{Hence, } \frac{a_1 + a_{2n}}{g_1 g_{2n}} + \frac{a_2 + a_{2n-1}}{g_2 g_{2n-1}} + \frac{a_3 + a_{2n-2}}{g_3 g_{2n-2}} + \dots = n \frac{a+b}{ab}$$

$$\text{But } \frac{2ab}{a+b} = h, \text{ therefore } \frac{a_1 + a_{2n}}{g_1 g_{2n}} + \frac{a_2 + a_{2n-1}}{g_2 g_{2n-1}} + \frac{a_3 + a_{2n-2}}{g_3 g_{2n-2}} + \dots = \frac{2n}{h}$$

48. (b)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+b}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2ab}{a+b} = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ab = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow ab = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$$

49. (b)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pm\sqrt{\frac{c}{a}}}{\pm\sqrt{\frac{n}{1}}} = \pm\sqrt{\frac{cn}{an}}$$

50. (b)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{xy-x^2} + \frac{1}{xy-y^2} = \frac{1}{x(y-x)} - \frac{1}{y(y-x)}$$

$$\frac{y-x}{(y-x)xy} = \frac{1}{xy} = \frac{1}{G^2}$$

51. (b)

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{b-a}{n+1} = \frac{38-2}{n+1} = \frac{36}{n+1}$$

If n A. M. are inserted between 2 and 38 then total numbers of terms A. P. is n + 2

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

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n+2}{2} \left[ 2(2) + (n+1) \frac{36}{n+1} \right] = 200$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n+2}{2} [4 + 36] = 200$$

$$\Rightarrow n+2 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 8$$

52. (b)

$$\text{Let } S = 1 + 2.2 + 3.2^2 + 4.2^3 + \dots + 100.2^{99} \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2S = 2 + 2.2 + 3.2^2 + \dots + 99.2^{99} + 100.2^{100} \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

$$(1) - (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow -1S = 1 + 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{99} - 100.2^{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \frac{(2^{100} - 1)}{2 - 1} - 100.2^{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^{1000} - 1 - 100.2^{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = 99.2^{100} + 1$$

53. (c)

$$\Rightarrow a^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + 4^3 + \dots + 15^3 \text{ is}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = \left( \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{15(15+1)}{2} \right)^2 = (120)^2 = 14400$$

54. (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (1^2 - t_1) + (2^2 - t_2) + \dots + (n^2 - t_n) &= \frac{1}{3}n(n^2 - 1) \\ \Rightarrow 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 - (t_1 + t_2 + \dots + t_n) &= \frac{1}{3}n(n^2 - 1) \\ \Rightarrow \frac{n(n+1)}{2} & \\ \Rightarrow t_n &= n \end{aligned}$$

55. (d)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3 \times 7} + \frac{1}{7 \times 11} + \frac{1}{11 \times 15} + \dots \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{7} \right] + \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{11} \right] + \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{11} - \frac{1}{15} \right] \\ \Rightarrow = \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{\infty} \right] = \frac{1}{12} \end{aligned}$$

56. (b)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1.2} + \frac{1}{2.3} + \frac{1}{3.4} + \dots \\ \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots = 1 \end{aligned}$$

57. (a)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow S &= \frac{(1+2+3+\dots+n)^2 - (1^2+2^2+3^2+\dots+n^2)}{2} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{8} - \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{12} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{n(n+1)(n-1)(3n+1)}{24} \end{aligned}$$

58. (b)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{1}{3^3} + \dots \infty = \frac{1}{2} \\ \text{Hence } y &= (0.64)^{\log_{0.25}^{0.5}} \\ \Rightarrow y &= (0.64)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0.8 \end{aligned}$$

59. (a)

$$\begin{aligned} S &= 1.3^2 + 2.5^2 3.7^2 + \dots \\ \Rightarrow T_n &= n.(2n+1)^2 \\ \Rightarrow T_n &= 4n^3 + 4n^2 + n \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_n \sum 4n^3 + 4n^2 + n$$

$$\Rightarrow 4\left(n \frac{n+1}{2}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}\right) + \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \Rightarrow 188090$$

60. (b)

$$\text{Let } S = 1 + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{5}{2^2} + \frac{7}{2^3} + \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}S = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2^2} + \frac{5}{2^3} + \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

(1) - (2)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}S = 1 + \frac{2}{2} + \frac{2}{2^2} + \frac{2}{2^3} + \dots \dots \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots \dots \dots\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + 2\left(\frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}}\right) = 1 + 2 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow S = 6$$



**EXERCISE - 1 [B]**

1. (b)  
 $-4, -1, +2, +5 + \dots$   
 Is an A.P. with  
 First term  $a = -4$   
 And common difference  $d = 3$   
 Therefore  
 $T_n = a + (n-1)d$   
 $\Rightarrow T_{10} = -4 + (10-1) \cdot 3$   
 $\Rightarrow T_{10} = 23$
2. (a)  
 First term  $a = 2$   
 Common difference  $d = 4$   
 $n = 40$   
 $S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$   
 $S_{40} = \frac{40}{2} [4 + (40-1)4]$   
 $= 1600$
3. (d)  
 $4, 9, 14, \dots, 104$   
 First term  $a = 4$   
 Common difference  $d = 5$   
 $n^{\text{th}}$  term is  $T_n = 104$   
 $T_n = a + (n-1)d$   
 $\Rightarrow 104 = 4 + (n-1)5$   
 $\Rightarrow n = 21$   
 Therefore, middle term will be  $11^{\text{th}}$  term  
 $T_{11} = 4 + (11-1)5$   
 $= 54$
4. (b)  
 $T_9 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a + (9-1)d = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a = -8d$   
 Now,  
 $T_{29} / T_{19} = \frac{a + (29-1)d}{a + (19-1)d} = \frac{a + 28d}{a + 18d} = \frac{8d + 28d}{-8d + 18d} = \frac{2}{1}$   
 $T_{29} : T_{19} = 2 : 1$

5. (b)  
 Number lying between 10 and 200 are the numbers which are multiple of 7  
 14, 21, 28, ....., 196  
 $a = 14$   
 $d = 7$   
 $T_n = 196$   
 $T_n = a + (n-1)d$   
 $\Rightarrow 196 = 14 + (n-1)7$   
 $\Rightarrow n = 27$   
 $S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$   
 $= \frac{27}{2} [2 \cdot 14 + (27-1)7]$   
 $= 2835$

6. (b)  
 Let first term = a  
 Common difference = d  
 Then, A.P. be  
 $a, (a + d), (a + 2d), (a + 3d), \dots$   
 $T_4 = a + 3d$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 3d + 3a$   
 $\Rightarrow a = \frac{3}{2}d \quad \dots\dots(1)$   
 $T_7 - 2(T_3) = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow a + 6d - 2(a + 2d) = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow 2d - a = 1$   
 Substituting value of a from (1)  
 $2d - \frac{3}{2}d = 1$   
 $\Rightarrow d = 2$

7. (a)  
 Let the term of A.P. is a  
 And common difference is d  
 So,  
 $T_p = a + (p-1)d = A$   
 $T_Q = a + (Q-1)d = B$   
 $T_r = a + (r-1)d = C$   
 Therefore,  
 $A(Q-r) + B(r-p) + C(p-Q)$

$$= a(a + (p-1)d)(Q-r) + (a + (Q-1)d)(a + (r-1)d)(p-Q)$$

$$= 0$$

8. (b)

$$\frac{S_n}{S_n} = \left(\frac{n}{2}\right)(2a + (n-1)d) / \left(\frac{n}{2}\right)(2a' + (n-1)d')$$

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

$$\frac{2a + (n-1)d}{2a + (n-1)d'} = \frac{3n + 8}{7n + 15}$$

Let, substituting  $n = 23$

$$\frac{2a + (23-1)d}{2a + (23-1)d'} = \frac{3 \cdot 23 + 8}{7 \cdot 23 + 15}$$

$$\frac{a + 11d}{a + 11d'} = \frac{77}{176}$$

$$T_{12} / T_{12}' = 7 / 16$$

9. (b)

$$S_n : n / 2(2a + (n-1)d) = 2n^2 + 5n$$

$$S_1 : \frac{1}{2}(2a) = 2 + 5 = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 7$$

$$S_2 : (14 + d) = 18$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 4$$

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d = 7 + (n-1)4 = 4n + 3$$

10. (b)

Let the three terms of A.P. are  $a - d, a, a + d$

Sum of first terms

$$a - d + a + a + d = 3a = 51$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 17$$

Product of first and third term

$$(a - d)(a + d) = a^2 - d^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 17^2 - d^2 = 273$$

$$\Rightarrow d^2 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 4$$

So, third term

$$a + d = 17 + 4 = 21$$

11. (b)

Let the four terms of A.P. are

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

Then,

$$a - 3d + a - d + a + d + a + 3d = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a = 20$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 = 5$$

$$\frac{(a - 3d)(a + 3d)}{(a - d)(a + d)} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3(a^2 - 9d^2)}{(a - d)(a + d)} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(a^2 - 9d^2) = 2(a^2 - d^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 - 25d^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 5d$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 1$$

Smallest term

$$a - 3d = 5 - 3 = 2$$

**12. (a)**

Let the three numbers are

$$a - d, a, a + d$$

$$(a - d)(a + d) = 5a$$

$$\Rightarrow (a^2 - d^2) = 5a \quad \dots\dots (1)$$

$$a + a + d = 8(a - d)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a = 9d$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a = 3d \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2), we get

$$a = 9, d = 6$$

So, the numbers are 3, 9, 15.

**13. (c)**

Sum of interior angles of an  $n$  = gon =  $(n - 2) \times 180^\circ$

Sum of  $n$  terms of A.P.  $(a = 120^\circ, d = 5^\circ) = \frac{n}{2} \{2 \times 120^\circ + (n - 1) \times 5^\circ\}$ .

$$\text{Hence } \frac{n}{2} \{2 \times 120^\circ + (n - 1) \times 5^\circ\} = (n - 2) \times 180^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 - 25 + 144 = 0 \Rightarrow n = 9 \text{ or } 16.$$

But for  $n = 16$ , greatest angle exceeds  $180^\circ$  hence only 9 is correct.

**14. (b)**

Common difference of the two A.P.s are 4 & 5, hence common difference of A.P. formed by common terms will be 20. Also the first common term is 21. Now

$$S = 100(2 \times 21 \times 20) = 402200.$$

15. (c)  
 $m^{\text{th}}$  term of first series =  $2m + 61$ ,  $m^{\text{th}}$  term of second series =  $7m - 4$ .  $7m - 4 = 2m + 61 \Rightarrow m = 13$ .
16. (c)  
 $d_1 = 3$  &  $d_2 = 2 \Rightarrow d(\text{common terms}) = 6$   
 First common term = 5  
 Hence common term are 5, 11, 17, ...  
 Now general term =  $6n - 1$ .  
 $60^{\text{th}}$  term of first A.P. = 179  
 $50^{\text{th}}$  term of second A.P. = 101  
 Comparing  $6n - 1$  with 101 gives  $n = 17$
17. (a)  
 $a + e = b + d = 2c \Rightarrow a - 4b + 6c - 4d + 2 = 0$ .
18. (b)  
 Given  $11 + 11 + d + 11 + 2d + 11 + 3d = 56$  &  
 $11 + (n - 4)d + 11 + (n - 3)d + 11 + (n - 2)d + 11 + (n - 1)d = 12$   
 $\Rightarrow d = 2$  &  $(2n - 5)d = 34$  or  $n = 11$ .
19. (c)  
 $\frac{2n}{2} \{2 \times 2 + (2n - 1) \times 3\} = \frac{n}{2} \{2 \times 57 + (n - 1) \times 2\} \Rightarrow n = 11$ .
20. (c)  
 $(a + 6d) - (a + d) = 20 \Rightarrow d = 4$  &  $a + 2d = 9 \Rightarrow a = 1$ .  
 Now  $n^{\text{th}}$  term =  $4n - 3 = 2001 \Rightarrow n = 501$ .
21. (a)  
 $(1 + 3 + 5 + \dots p \text{ terms}) + (1 + 3 + 5 + \dots q \text{ terms}) = (1 + 3 + 5 + \dots r \text{ terms}) \Rightarrow p^2 + q^2 = r^2$   
 Now smallest pythagorian triplet will be 3, 4, 5, hence least value of  $p + q + r = 12$ .
22. (b)  
 As  $a, x, y, z, b$  are in A.P. therefore  $x + z = a + b$  &  $y = \frac{a + b}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow x + y + z = \frac{3}{2}(a + b)$ . Hence  $a + b = 10$
23. (a)  
 Let the number be  $a - d, a, a + d$ .  
 Now  $a - d + a + a + d = 15 \Rightarrow a = 5$   
 As given  $a - d + 1, a + 4, a + d + 19$  are in G.P. hence  
 $(a + 4)^2 = (a - d + 1)(a + d + 19) \Rightarrow 81 = 16 = (6 - d)(24 + d) \Rightarrow d = 3$ .

Numbers are 2, 5, 8.

24. (b)

Let the first term is a

Common difference is d

Then,

$$T_2 = a$$

$$T_3 = a + d$$

$$T_6 = a + 4d$$

$T_2, T_3$  and  $T_6$  are in G.P., Then

$$(a + d)^2 = a(a + 4d)$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2 + 2ad + d^2 = a^2 + 4ad$$

$$\Rightarrow d^2 = 2ad$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2a$$

Common ratio

$$T_3/T_2 = (3a/a) = 3$$

25. (a)

18, -12, 8, ..... - is in G.P.

Common ratio

$$r = \frac{-12}{18} = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$T_r = ar^a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{512}{729} = 18 \left( -\frac{2}{3} \right)^n$$

$$\Rightarrow n - 1 = 8$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 9$$

26. (c)

Let the first term of G.P. is a

And the common ratio is r

Then, the five consecutive terms of G.P. are

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

$$\Rightarrow a = 4$$

Then,

$$\frac{a}{r^2} * \frac{a}{r} * a * ar * ar^2 = a^5 = 4^5$$

27. (c)

Let the first term of G.P. is a

And the common ratio is r

Then,

$$T_3 = ar^2 = 15 \quad (1)$$

$$T_7 = ar^6 = 135 \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2), we get

$$r^4 = 9$$

$$a = 5$$

Therefore,

$$T_5 = ar^4 = 5 \cdot 9 = 45$$

**28. (b)**  
 $1, x^2, 6 - x^2$  are in G.P. then

$$\frac{x^2}{1} = \frac{6 - x^2}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 = 6 - x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 + x^2 - 6 = 0$$

**29. (a)**  
 $1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{3^3} + \dots$  are in G.P.

With common ratio  $-\frac{1}{3}$

Then, the sum infinite G.P. is

$$S_n = \frac{a}{a - r} = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{3}\right)} = \frac{3}{4}$$

**30. (b)**  
 $1 + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{4}{x^3} + \frac{8}{x^3} + \dots$

Sum of infinite term is finite when common ratio is less than 1

$$\text{i.e. } \left| \frac{2}{x} \right| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |x| > 2$$

**31. (b)**  
 $96 + 48 + 24 + 12 + \dots + \frac{3}{16}$

Then, the common ratio  $\frac{48}{96} = \frac{1}{2}$

$$T_n = ar^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{16} = 96 \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2^{n-6}} = \frac{3}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 10$$

32. (c)

$$3 + 3a + 3a^2 + \dots = \frac{45}{8} \quad \text{is a G.P.}$$

$$S_n = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3}{1-a} = \frac{45}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 24 = 45(1-a)$$

$$\Rightarrow 45a = 45 - 24 = \frac{21}{45} = \frac{7}{15}$$

33. (c)

Let the number be  $a, ar, ar^2$

Then,

$$a + ar + ar^2 = 155$$

$$\Rightarrow a(1 + r + r^2) = 155 \quad (1)$$

And,

$$ar^2 - a = 120$$

$$\Rightarrow a(r^2 - 1) = 120 \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2), we get

$$r = 5 \text{ and } a = 5$$

34. (d)

Let the numbers be  $a, ar, ar^2$

Then there sum

$$a + ar + ar^2 = 14 \quad (1)$$

And sum of their square

$$a^2 + a^2r^2 + a^2r^4 = 84 \quad (2)$$

Squaring (1) and subtracting (2), we get

$$(a + ar + ar^2)^2 - a^2 + a^2r^2 + a^2r^4 = 196 - 84$$

$$\Rightarrow 2ar(a + ar + ar^2) = 12$$

$$\Rightarrow ar = 4$$

Substituting this in (1) and solving, we get

$$r = 2 \text{ and } a = 2$$

Therefore three numbers are 2, 4, 8

35. (b)

Let the four terms be  $a, ar, ar^2, ar^3$



Then,

$$a + ar^2 = 40$$

$$\Rightarrow a(1+r^2) = 40$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+r^2) = \frac{40}{a} \quad (1)$$

And

$$ar + Ar^2 = 80$$

$$\Rightarrow ar(1+r^2) = 80$$

From (1)

$$ar\left(\frac{40}{a}\right) = 80$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 2 \text{ and } a = 8$$

**36. (b)**

a, b, c are in G.P.

Let the common ratio is r

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{b}{a} = \frac{c}{b} = r$$

Then, for  $a^{-1}, b^{-1}, c^{-1}$

$$\frac{b^{-1}}{a^{-1}} = \frac{a}{b} = \frac{1}{r} \text{ and } \frac{c^{-1}}{b^{-1}} = \frac{b}{c} = \frac{1}{r}$$

Therefore,  $a^{-1}, b^{-1}, c^{-1}$  are also in G.P.

**37. (a)**

$$\text{Given } a \times ar \times ar^2 = 216 \text{ \& } a \times ar + ar \times ar^2 + ar^2 \times a = 126.$$

$$\text{Or } (ar)^3 = 216 \text{ \& } a^2r(1+r+r^2) = 126.$$

$$\Rightarrow 2r^2 - 5r + 2 = 0. \text{ hence } r = \frac{1}{2} \text{ \& } a = 12.$$

$$\text{Now } a = 12, b = 6, c = 3.$$

**38. (a)**

$$x = \log_{0.4} \left( \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{3^3} + \dots \infty \text{ terms} \right) \Rightarrow c = \log_{0.4} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Hence } (0.16)^x = (0.16)^{-\log_{0.4} 2} = 2^{-\log_{0.4} 0.16}$$

$$\text{Therefore } (0.16)^x = 2^{-2} = \frac{1}{4}.$$

**39. (c)**

$$t_n = 3 \times 2^{n-1}. \text{ Now } 12288 = 3 \times 2^{12}.$$

$$\text{Hence } m = 13.$$

40. (a)

$$S_{10} = \frac{a(r^{10} - 1)}{r - 1} \text{ \& } S_5 = \frac{a(r^5 - 1)}{r - 1}. \text{ Now } \frac{S_{10}}{S_5} = 244 \Rightarrow \frac{r^{10} - 1}{r^5 - 1} = 244 \text{ or } r = 3.$$

41. (a)

Let the first term a and common ratio be b, then

$$x = ab^{p-1}, y = ab^{q-1}, z = ab^{r-1} \Rightarrow \frac{y}{x} = b^{q-p}, \frac{z}{y} = b^{r-q}, \frac{x}{z} = b^{p-r}$$

$$\text{Now } x^{q-r} y^{r-p} z^{p-q} = \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^r \left(\frac{z}{y}\right)^p \left(\frac{x}{z}\right)^q = b^{r(q-p) + p(r-p) + q(p-r)}$$

$$\text{Or } x^{q-r} y^{r-p} z^{p-q} = b^0 = 1.$$

42. (b)

$$9^{1/3} \cdot 9^{1/9} \cdot 9^{1/27} \dots \infty \text{ terms} = 9^{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{27} + \dots \infty \text{ terms}}$$

$$= 9^{\frac{1/3}{1 - 1/3}} = 9^{1/2} = 3.$$

43. (d)

$$x = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots \infty \text{ terms} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Now } x^{\log_b a} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\log_{\sqrt{5}} 0.2} = 4.$$

44. (c)

Given  $a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^9 = S_1$  &  $ar^{10} + ar^{11} + ar^{12} + \dots ar^{19} = S_2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a(1-r^{10})}{1-r} = S_1 \text{ \& } \frac{ar^{10}(1-r^{10})}{1-r} = S_2$$

$$\text{Or } \frac{S_2}{S_1} = r^{10}.$$

45. (b)

P, , r are in A.P.

$$\Rightarrow Q, -p = r - p \quad (1)$$

$$T_p = ar^{(p-1)}$$

$$T_Q = ar^{(Q-1)}$$

$$Tr = ar^{(r-1)}$$

$$\frac{ar^{Q-1}}{ar^{p-1}} = r^{Q-p}$$

And

$$\frac{ar^{r-1}}{ar^{Q-1}} = r^{r-Q}$$

From (1) we get

Common ratio is same

Then  $T_p, T_Q, T_r$  are in G.P.

46. (c)

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

$$\Rightarrow n(a + (m-1)d) = 1 \quad (1)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow m(a + (n-1)d) = 1 \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2)

$$n(a + (m-1)d) = m(a + (n-1)d)$$

$$na + (m-1)nd = ma + m(n-1)d$$

$$(n-m)a = (n-m)d$$

$$a = d$$

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

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{mn}$$

$$T_r = \frac{1}{a + (r-1)d} = \frac{1}{a + (r-1)a} = \frac{mn}{r}$$

47. (d)

First term is 1

$n$  A.M.'s are inserted between the 1 and 51 then it become a A.P. of  $n+2$  terms

Let the common difference is  $d$

Then,

4<sup>th</sup> A.M. will be the 5<sup>th</sup> term of the A.P.

And 7<sup>th</sup> A.M. will be the 8<sup>th</sup> term of the A.P.

$$T_5 = 1 + (5-1)d = 1 + 4d$$

$$T_8 = 1 + (8-1)d = 1 + 7d$$

$$\frac{1+4d}{1+7d} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2$$

$$\text{So, } T_{(n+2)} = 1 + (n+2-1)d = 51$$

$$\Rightarrow (n+1)2 = 50$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 24$$

48. (b)  
 $x, y, z$  are in A.P.  
 $a$  is the A.M. of  $x$  and  $y$   
 $\Rightarrow a = \frac{x+y}{2}$  (1)  
 $b$  is the A.M. of  $y$  and  $z$   
 $\Rightarrow b = \frac{y+z}{2}$  (2)  
 Adding (1) and (2)  
 $\frac{a+b}{2} = y$

49. (b)  
 Let the common difference is  $d$   
 Then,  
 $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3} + d, \frac{1}{4} + 2d, \frac{1}{24}$  are in A.P.  
 $d = \frac{1}{24} - \frac{1}{3} = -\frac{7}{24}$   
 $\Rightarrow d = -\frac{7}{24}$   
 $A_1 = \frac{1}{3} + \left(\frac{-7}{24}\right) = \frac{17}{24}$   
 $A_2 = \frac{1}{3} + 2\left(\frac{-7}{24}\right) = \frac{5}{36}$

50. (c)  
 H.M. between  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{b}{a}$  is  

$$H = \frac{2\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)\left(\frac{b}{a}\right)}{\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)} = \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}$$

51. (b)  
 $\frac{2}{3}, a, b, c, d, \frac{2}{13}$  are in H.P.  
 Then,  
 $\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{a}, \frac{1}{b}, \frac{1}{c}, \frac{1}{d}, \frac{13}{2}$  are in A.P.  
 So, then Second H.M is the second A.M and it will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> term of the A.P.

$$T_6 = \frac{3}{2} + (6-1)d = \frac{13}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 1$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{1}{b} = \frac{3}{2} + (3-1)d$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{2}{7}$$

52. (b)

Let the one number be  $a$  the other number will be  $4a$

Then,

$$AM + 2 = GM$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a + 4a}{2} + 2 = \sqrt{a \cdot 4a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5a}{2} + 2 = 2a$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 4$$

53. (c)

Let the two numbers is  $a, b$

Then,

$$\frac{a + b}{2} = 34 \quad (1)$$

And,

$$16^2 = ab \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2)

$$a = 4, b = 64$$

54. (c)

Let the two numbers is  $a, b$

$$\frac{a + b}{2} = A$$

$$ab = G^2$$

$$\frac{2ab}{a + b} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 8 \left( \frac{a + b}{2} \right) = 2ab$$

$$\Rightarrow 4(A) = G^2$$

$$2A + G^2 = 27$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 4.5 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow ab = 18 \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2) we get

$$a = 6$$

$$b = 3$$

55. (c)  
Let the two numbers is a, b  
Then,  
 $\frac{a+b}{2} = x$   $ab = y$   
 $\frac{2ab}{a+b} = z$   
So,  $z < y < x$

56. (a)  
Let the two numbers is a, b  
 $AM = GM + 5$   
 $\frac{a+b}{2} = \sqrt{ab} + 5$  (1)  
 $GM = HM + 4$   
 $\sqrt{ab} = \frac{2ab}{a+b} + 4$  (2)  
From (1), subtracting the value of  $\sqrt{ab}$   
 $\frac{a+b}{2} = \frac{2ab}{a+b} + 4$  (3)  
From (1)  
 $ab = \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - 5\right)^2$  (4)  
Subtracting value of ab from (4) in (3) we get  
 $\frac{a+b}{2} - 5 = \frac{2}{a+b} \left(\frac{a+b}{2} - 5\right)^2 + 4$   
Solving this we get  
 $a = 10$   
 $b = 40$

57. (c)  
Let the sum is S  
 $S = 1 + 3x + 5x^2 + 7x^3 + \dots$  (1)  
 $xS = x + 3x^2 + 5x^3 + \dots$  (2)  
(1) - (2)  
 $(1-x)S = 1 + 2x + 2x^2 + 2x^3$   
 $(1-x)S = 1 + 2(x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots)$   
 $(1-x)S = 1 + 2\left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)$

$$S = \frac{1+x}{(1-x)^2}$$

58. (d)

$$S = 1 + 2\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) + 3\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + \dots \quad (1)$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)S = \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right) + 2\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + 3\left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^3 + \dots \quad (2)$$

(1) - (2)

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

$$\frac{1}{n}S = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{n}} = \frac{n}{n-1}$$

$$S = \frac{n^2}{n-1}$$

59. (b)

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^3 = \left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2}\right)^2 = \left(\sum_{k=1}^n k\right)^2$$

60. (b)

$$S = (1 + 3 + 5 + \dots 20 \text{ terms}) + (2 + 4 + 8 + \dots 20 \text{ terms})$$

$$\Rightarrow S = 20^2 + \frac{2(2^{20} - 1)}{2 - 1} \text{ or } 398 + 2^{21}$$

**EXERCISE - 1 [C]**

1. (6534)

All number divisible by 6 are 6, 12, 18, ..., 198

$$\text{Sum} = \frac{33(6+198)}{2} = 3366$$

$$\text{Now sum of all the even numbers less than } 200 = \frac{99(2+198)}{2} = 9900$$

Hence required Sum = 9900 – 3366 = 6534.

2. (10)

$$S = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{7}{8} + \frac{15}{16} + \dots n \text{ terms} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + 1 - \frac{1}{4} + 1 - \frac{1}{8} + 1 - \frac{1}{16} + \dots n \text{ terms}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = n - \left( \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots n \text{ terms} \right) \text{ Or } S = n - \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2^n} \right)}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = n - 1 + 2^{-n}.$$

As given  $S = 9 + 2^{-10}$  hence  $n = 10$ .

3. (64)

$$S = 1 + n + n^2 + \dots + n^{127} = \frac{n^{128} - 1}{n - 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow S = (n^2 + 1)(n^4 + 1)(n^8 + 1)(n^{16} + 1)(n^{32} + 1)(n^{64} + 1)$$

Hence  $n^m + 1$  will divides  $s$  for  $n = 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64$ .

4. (11)

$$S = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots \infty \text{ terms} = 2 \text{ \& } S_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots n \text{ terms} = 2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2^n} \right)$$

$$\text{Now } 2 - 2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2^n} \right) < \frac{1}{1000} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2^n} < \frac{1}{2000} \text{ or } 2^n > 2000.$$

Hence  $\geq 11$ .

5. (900)

In first rebound ball will travel  $2 \times 100 \times \frac{4}{5}$ , in second rebound ball will travel  $2 \times 100 \times \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^2$ , in second

rebound will travel  $2 \times 100 \times \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^3$ , and so on infinitely.

$$\text{Hence total distance travelled} = 100 + 200 \times \left( \frac{4}{5} + \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^3 + \dots \infty \text{ terms} \right) = 900 \text{ mts.}$$



6. (2)

As given  $a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{2n-1} = 3(a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{2n-2})$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a(1-r^{2n})}{1-r} = 3 \frac{a(1-r^{2n})}{1-r^2} \Rightarrow r = 2.$$

7. (16)

$$(1+r)(1+r^2)(1+r^4)(1+r^8) = \frac{1-r^{16}}{1-r} \Rightarrow n = 16.$$

8. (6)

Sum of n terms after first n terms =  $S_{2n} - s_n = 2S_n \Rightarrow S_{2n} \Rightarrow S_n = 3S_n$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2n}{2} \{2a + (2n-1)d\} = 3 \times \frac{n}{3} \{2a + (n-1)d\}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = (n+1) \frac{d}{2}.$$

$$\text{Now } \frac{S_{3n}}{S_n} = \frac{\frac{3n}{2} \{2a + (3n-1)d\}}{\frac{n}{2} \{2a + (n-1)d\}} \Rightarrow \frac{S_{3n}}{S_n} = \frac{3\{(n+1)d + (3n-1)d\}}{\{(n+1)d + (n-1)d\}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{S_{3n}}{S_n} = 6.$$

9. (1600)

For integral roots discriminant must be a perfect square, hence  $9 + 4a_i = k^2$ .

The values of  $a_i$  for which it's a perfect square are 4, 10, 18, 28, 40, ..., 270.

Now Let

$$S_n = 4 + 10 + 18 + 28 + \dots + t_n$$

$$S_n = 4 + 10 + 18 + \dots + t_{n-1} + t_n$$

$$0 = 4 + 6 + 8 + 10 + \dots n \text{ terms} - t_n$$

$$\Rightarrow t_n = \frac{n(n+3)}{2}. \text{ Also 270 is 15}^{\text{th}} \text{ term.}$$

$$\text{Now } S_{15} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{r=1}^{15} r^2 + \frac{3}{2} \sum_{r=1}^{15} r \text{ or } S_{15} = \frac{15 \times 16 \times 31}{12} + \frac{3 \times 15 \times 16}{4} = 1600$$

10. (8)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^{k+2}}{3^k} = 2^2 \times \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k \Rightarrow s = 4 \times \left(\frac{\frac{2}{3}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}}\right) = 8.$$

11. (14)  
 $\frac{a+b}{2} + \frac{2ab}{a+b} = 25$  &  $ab = 144 \Rightarrow (a+b)^2 - 50(a+b) + 576 = 0$ . Hence  $a+b = 18$  or  $32$ .

12. (2)  
 Let  $b = ar$  &  $c = ar^2$ ,  $2p = a + ar$ ,  $2q = ar + ar^2 \Rightarrow 2p = a(1+r)$ ,  $2q = ar(1+r)$   
 $\frac{a}{p} + \frac{c}{q} = \frac{2}{1+r} + \frac{2ar^2}{ar(1+r)} \Rightarrow \frac{a}{p} + \frac{c}{q} = 2$ .

13. (188090)  
 $S = 13^2 + 2.5^2 + 3.7^2 + \dots \Rightarrow t_n = n(2n+1)^2$   
 $S_{20} = \sum_{r=1}^{20} (4r^3 + 4r^2 + r) \Rightarrow S_{20} = 4 \times \frac{20^2 \times 21^2}{4} + 4 \times \frac{20 \times 21 \times 41}{6} + \frac{20 \times 21}{2}$   
 Hence  $S_{20} = 188090$ .

14. (1)  
 Given  $t_n = \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \Rightarrow t_n = \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1}$   
 Hence  $S = \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{r} - \frac{1}{r+1} \right) = 1$

15. (100)  
 $S_n = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + 15 + 21 + \dots + t_n$   
 $S_n = 1 + 3 + 6 + 10 + 15 + \dots + t_{n-1} + t_n$   
 $0 = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + \dots + n \text{ terms} - t_n$   
 $\Rightarrow t_n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$  Now  $t_n = 5050$  gives  $n = 100$ .

**PYQ : JEE Main**

1. (d)
2. (c)
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  - 65. (2223)
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  - 67. (12)
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  - 71. (27560)

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- 73. (10620)
- 74. (120)
- 75. (286)
- 76. (1100)
- 77. (276)