

$$56 \text{ b.) } 3x + 6x^3 + 12x^5 + 24x^7$$

$$r = 2x^2$$

$$a_1 = 3x$$

$$n = 4$$

$$S_4 = 3x \left( \frac{1 - (2x^2)^4}{1 - 2x^2} \right)$$

$$= 3x \left( \frac{1 - 16x^8}{1 - 2x^2} \right)$$

$$58.) a_n = 32 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$a_1 = 32$$

$$a_2 = 16$$

$$a_3 = 8$$

$$a_4 = 4$$

$$a_5 = 2$$

$$a_6 = 1$$

## 7.4: Find Sums of Infinite Geometric Series

$$S = \frac{a_1}{1-r}$$

$$|r| < 1$$

Finite Arithmetic Series:  $S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n)$  (convergent)

Finite Geometric Series:  $S_n = a_1 \left( \frac{1-r^n}{1-r} \right)$  (convergent)

Infinite Arithmetic Series:  
 $1 + 3 + 5 + 7 + \dots$  N/A (diverges)

Infinite Geometric Series:  
 $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots$   
geometric;  $r = \frac{1}{2}$   
 $S_n = \frac{a_1}{1-r}, |r| < 1$   
(converges)

Find the sum of the infinite geometric series, if it exists.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 8 \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{n-1} = 8 + \frac{8}{5} + \frac{8}{25} + \frac{8}{125} + \frac{8}{625} + \dots$$

$$|r| < 1$$

$$\left|\frac{1}{5}\right| < 1 \checkmark$$

$$S = \frac{8}{1 - \frac{1}{5}} = \frac{8}{\frac{4}{5}} = 10$$

$$S_2 = 9.6$$

$$S_3 = 9.92$$

$$S_4 = 9.98$$

$$S_5 = 9.996$$

Find the sum, if possible.

$$4 - 2 + 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \dots$$

geometric;  $r = -\frac{1}{2}$  Write the series in summation notation.

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{4}{1 - (-\frac{1}{2})} \\ &= \frac{4 \cdot 2}{2 \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2} = \frac{8}{2+1} \\ &= \frac{8}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \text{rule} \rightarrow a_n = a_1 (r)^{n-1}$$
$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 4 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1}$$

Find the sum if possible.

$$9 + 6 + 3 + 0 + -3 + \dots$$

not possible; arithmetic

Write the series in summation notation.

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} -3k + 12$$

Find the sum if possible.

$$3 + 0.3 + 0.03 + 0.003 + \dots$$

$$\text{geometric; } r = \frac{1}{10} \quad S = \frac{3}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} = \frac{3}{\frac{9}{10}} = \frac{10}{3} = 3\frac{1}{3}$$

Write the series in summation notation

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 3\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^{k-1} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 3\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^{-1} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 30\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^k$$



Write the sum in summation notation.

$$9 + 7 + 5 + \dots + -5$$

arithmetic  
 $d = -2$

$$\frac{-5 - 9}{-2} = n - 1$$
$$8 = n$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^8 -2k + 11$$

Solve for x.

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3 \left( \frac{x}{2} \right)^n = 7$$

$$\frac{a_1}{1-r} = S$$

$$7 = \frac{3 \cdot 2}{2 \cdot 1 - \frac{x \cdot 2}{2}}$$

$$7 = \frac{6}{2-x}$$

$$14 - 7x = 6$$

$$8 = 7x$$

$$x = \frac{8}{7}$$