

→ A progression in which the difference between its consecutive terms is constant or common, called AP. Example. ↓ by sonu sir

① 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, → Common diff = $d = 1$

② 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, → Common diff = $d = 2$

③ 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, → Common diff = $d = 2$

④ -1, -5, -9, -13, → Common diff = $d = -4$

⑤ $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, $\frac{3}{2}$, 2, → Common diff = $d = \frac{1}{2}$

* How to check the given terms are in AP or not in AP?

→ For terms → $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4, t_5, \dots$

if $t_2 - t_1 = t_3 - t_2 = t_4 - t_3 = \text{constant}$

then $t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4, t_5, \dots$ are in AP.

* How to write an AP? by sonu sir

→ If For an AP → First term = a .

Common difference = d

then AP = $a, (a+d), (a+2d), (a+3d), \dots$

* General term of An AP → [n^{th} term of an AP = last term]

If For an AP → 1st term = a
 $c.d = d$

How many terms = Number of term = n

→

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

Here nth term = T_n = also called last term = l

$$T_n = l$$

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

It Apply when last term given and we have to find no. of terms (n)

$$n-1 = \frac{l-a}{d}$$

$$n = \frac{l-a}{d} + 1$$

$$n = \frac{l-a+d}{d}$$

→ When last term given then Apply this formula

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→ To find "n" (No. of terms)

Note → Write all this formula from 1st Page and 2nd Page. See and write the Solved Example with formula.

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* For an AP → ~~the~~ nth term from end or

Last term l → $a, (a+d), (a+2d), \dots, d$

From end → 1st term = $a' = l$

Common diff = $-(T_2 - T_1) = -d$

$$T_n = l - (n-1)d \rightarrow T_n = l - (n-1)d$$

Solu Q. Is $2, \frac{5}{2}, 3, \frac{7}{2}, \dots$ are in AP?

Here $a_2 - a_1 = \frac{5}{2} - 2 = \frac{5-4}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

$a_3 - a_2 = 3 - \frac{5}{2} = \frac{6-5}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

$a_4 - a_3 = \frac{7}{2} - 3 = \frac{7-6}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore a_2 - a_1 = a_3 - a_2 = a_4 - a_3 = \dots$ Constant = $\frac{1}{2}$

Yes. $2, \frac{5}{2}, 3, \frac{7}{2}, \dots$ are in AP.

Q. Write first four terms of the AP if $a=4$ and $d=-3$.

Solu $\therefore a=4, d=-3$

\therefore AP $\rightarrow a, (a+d), (a+2d), (a+3d), \dots$

$= 4, (4-3), (4+2(-3)), (4+3(-3)), \dots$

$= 4, 1, (4-6), (4-9), \dots$

$= 4, 1, -2, -5, \dots$

Q. Find the 8th term of the AP whose 1st term is 7 and c.d is 3.

Q (3) From Question $\rightarrow a=7, c-d=d=3$

8th term $= a_8 = a + (8-1)d$

$= 7 + 7 \times 3 = 7 + 21$

$a_8 = 28$

Note. Re-solve All solved Examples \uparrow
May be ask in Exam.

Q. Find the 20th term from the last term of AP 3, 8, 13, ..., 253

Soln. AP \rightarrow 3, 8, 13, ..., 253

Here, $a = 3$, $d = t_2 - t_1$
 $d = 8 - 3$
 $d = 5$

last term = $l = 253$

\therefore from end (last) term, t_n formula is

$\therefore t_n = l - (n-1)d$

A/w 20th term $\rightarrow n = 20$

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$\therefore t_{20} = 253 - (20-1) \times 5$
 $= 253 - 19 \times 5$

$t_{20} = 253 - 95$

$t_{20} = 158$ A

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Q. Find the 12th term from the end of the AP. -2, -4, -6, ..., -100.

From Question

Soln

$a = -2$

$l = -100$

$n = 12$

$d = t_2 - t_1 = -4 - (-2)$

$d = -4 + 2 \Rightarrow d = -2$

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\therefore from end $\rightarrow t_n = l - (n-1)d$

$t_{12} = -100 - (12-1) \times (-2)$

$t_{12} = -100 - 11 \times (-2) = -100 + 22$

$t_{12} = -78$

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Solu

Q. If For an AP its 4th term is 13 and 10th term is 25
Find its 17th term.

Let First term = a

Common diff = d

A/q 4th term = 13

$$T_4 = 13$$

$$a + (4-1)d = 13$$

$$\boxed{a + 3d = 13} \text{ --- (i)}$$

And 10th term = 25

$$T_{10} = 25$$

$$a + (10-1)d = 25$$

$$\boxed{a + 9d = 25} \text{ --- (ii)}$$

Now from eqs (i) and (ii)

$$\begin{array}{r} a + 9d = 25 \\ - \quad a + 3d = 13 \\ \hline 6d = 12 \end{array}$$

$$d = \frac{12}{6}$$

$$\boxed{d = 2}$$

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From eq (i)

$$a + 3d = 13$$

$$a + 3 \times 2 = 13$$

$$a + 6 = 13$$

$$a = 13 - 6$$

$$\boxed{a = 7}$$

(iii) 17th term = $T_{17} = a + (17-1)d$

$$= 7 + 16 \times 2$$

$$= 7 + 32$$

$$\boxed{T_{17} = 39}$$

Q Find the 31st term of an AP
Whose 11th term is 38 and
6th term is 73. (by sonu sir)

Soln Let 1st term = a

Common diff. = C. d = d

A/c 11th term = 38

$$t_{11} = 38$$

$$\therefore t_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$\therefore a + (11-1)d = 38$$

$$a + 10d = 38 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

A/c 6th term = 73

$$t_6 = 73$$

$$a + (6-1)d = 73$$

$$a + 5d = 73 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Now From eqn (i) and (ii)

$$a + 10d = 38$$

$$- a + 5d = 73$$

$$\hline 5d = -35$$

$$d = \frac{-35}{5}$$

$$d = -7$$

From eqn (i)

$$a + 10d = 38$$

$$a + 10 \times (-7) = 38$$

$$a - 70 = 38$$

$$a = 38 + 70$$

$$a = 108 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Now A/c 31st term is

$$t_{31} = a + (31-1)d$$

$$t_{31} = 108 + 30 \times (-7)$$

$$t_{31} = 108 - 210$$

$$t_{31} = -102$$

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10 AP
Q (1)

How many terms are there in the AP \rightarrow
 $7, 11, 15, \dots, 139$?

Soln AP $\rightarrow 7, 11, 15, \dots, 139$

Here First term = $a = 7$

$$c-d = d = t_2 - t_1 = 11 - 7$$

$$d = 4$$

last term = 139

$$l = 139$$

Let n th term = $t_n = l$

$$\therefore a + (n-1)d = 139$$

$$7 + (n-1) \times 4 = 139$$

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$$\Rightarrow (n-1) \times 4 = 139 - 7$$

$$\Rightarrow (n-1) \times 4 = 132$$

$$\Rightarrow n-1 = \frac{132}{4} = 33$$

$$\Rightarrow n = 33 + 1$$

$$n = 34$$

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Property \rightarrow

If three terms t_1, t_2, t_3 are in

By. Given AP. Then Use \rightarrow

$$t_2 - t_1 = t_3 - t_2$$

$$2 \cdot t_2 = t_1 + t_3$$

It is
Use to Find
Un-known
element

Q(2) Find the value of 'x' for which $(5x+2)$, $(4x-1)$ and $(x+2)$ are in AP.

Soln A/Q $t_1 = \text{First term} = (5x+2)$

$t_2 = \text{2nd term} = (4x-1)$

$t_3 = \text{3rd term} = (x+2)$

$\therefore t_1, t_2, t_3$ are in AP.

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$\therefore 2t_2 = t_1 + t_3$

$\rightarrow 2 \times (4x-1) = 5x+2 + x+2$

$\rightarrow 8x-2 = 6x+4$

$\rightarrow 8x-6x = 4+2$

$\rightarrow 2x = 6$

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

$x = 3$

Note
Re-solve all this examples

Q If the n^{th} term of an AP. is $(4n-10)$,
Find its (i) First term (ii) C.d. (iii) 16th term.

Soln A/Q $\therefore n^{\text{th}}$ term = $4n-10$

$\therefore t_n = (4n-10)$

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(i) For 1st term \Rightarrow put, $n=1 \rightarrow t_1 = 4 \times 1 - 10 = 4 - 10$

$t_1 = -6$

(ii) For 2nd term \rightarrow put $\rightarrow n=2 \rightarrow t_2 = 4 \times 2 - 10 = 8 - 10 = -2$

$t_2 = -2$

(iii) First term = $t_1 = a = -6$ | (ii) C.d = $d = t_2 - t_1 = -2 - (-6) = -2 + 6 = 4$

Q 6, 10, 14, 18, ... 174? Find the no. of terms in this AP.

Here $a = 6$, $c - d = d = d_2 - d_1$

$$d = 10 - 6$$

$$d = 4$$

Solution

Let Last term = $l = t_n = 174$

$$\therefore a + (n-1)d = 174 \quad (\because t_n = a + (n-1)d)$$

$$6 + (n-1) \times 4 = 174$$

$$6 + 4n - 4 = 174$$

$$2 + 4n = 174$$

$$4n = 174 - 2$$

$$4n = 172$$

$$n = \frac{172}{4}$$

$$n = 43$$

$$n = 43 \text{ terms}$$

2nd Method

$$n = \frac{l - a + d}{d}$$

$$n = \frac{174 - 6 + 4}{4}$$

$$= \frac{172}{4} = \frac{204}{4}$$

$$n = 34$$

Solution

Formula Method

$$\therefore n = \frac{l - a + d}{d} = \frac{174 - 6 + 4}{4}$$

$$n = \frac{172}{4} \Rightarrow n = 34$$

$$\therefore \text{no. of terms} = n = 34$$

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Solve these questions

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Q. ⑧ Which term of the AP $5, 9, 13, 17, \dots$ is 81?

Q. ⑨ The 6th term of an AP is -10 and 10th term is -26 . Find the 15th term of the AP. [Ans. 20]
[Ans. -46]

Q. ⑩ If the 8th term of an AP is 31 and 15th term is 16 more than the 11th term. Find AP. [Ans. 3, 7, 11, 15, ...]

Q. ⑪ Find the value of 'x' for which $(5x+2), (4x-1)$ and $(x+2)$ are in AP. [Ans. $x=3$] by Sonu sir

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