

I. Write an explicit formula for the n^{th} term of the sequence. (Assume that n begins with 1.)

1. $1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{24}, \frac{1}{120}$	2. $1, 2, \frac{2^2}{2}, \frac{2^3}{6}, \frac{2^4}{24}$	3. $2, 1, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{5}{7}, \frac{2}{3}$ Hint... rewrite the fractions.
4. $a_1 = 25$ and $a_{n+1} = a_n - 5$	5. $a_1 = 6$ and $a_{n+1} = a_n + 2$	6. $a_1 = 6$ and $a_{n+1} = \frac{1}{3}a_n$

II. Write the first five terms of the sequence. (Assume that n begins with 0.)

7. $a_n = \frac{3^n}{n!}$	8. $a_n = \frac{1}{(n+1)!}$	9. $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$
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III. Simplify the factorial expression.

10. $\frac{5!}{8!}$	11. $\frac{212!}{209!}$	12. $\frac{115!}{116!}$
13. $\frac{(n+1)!}{n!}$	14. $\frac{(n+1)!}{(n+3)!}$	15. $\frac{(n+4)!}{(n+2)!}$

IV. Find the sum WITHOUT the calculator.

16. $\sum_{i=1}^5 (2i+1)$	17. $\sum_{k=1}^4 10$
18. $\sum_{j=0}^4 j^2$	19. $\sum_{k=5}^6 (2k-4)$

V. Find the sum WITH the calculator. Write down what you type into the calculator, please.

20. $\sum_{i=1}^6 (24-3i)$	21. $\sum_{j=1}^{10} \left(\frac{3}{j+1} \right)$
22. $\sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{(-1)^k}{k+1}$	23. $\sum_{k=0}^4 \frac{(-1)^k}{k!}$

VI. Rewrite the sum using sigma notation.

24. $\frac{1}{3(1)} + \frac{1}{3(2)} + \frac{1}{3(3)} + \dots + \frac{1}{3(9)}$	25. $\frac{5}{1+1} + \frac{5}{1+2} + \frac{5}{1+3} + \dots + \frac{5}{1+15}$
26. $3-9+27-81+243-729$	27. $1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{8} + \dots - \frac{1}{128}$
28. $\left[2\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) + 3 \right] + \left[2\left(\frac{2}{8}\right) + 3 \right] + \dots + \left[2\left(\frac{8}{8}\right) + 3 \right]$	29. $\left[1 - \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^2 \right] + \left[1 - \left(\frac{2}{6}\right)^2 \right] + \dots + \left[1 - \left(\frac{7}{6}\right)^2 \right]$

