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Tasks


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## Name:

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## Vectors - the basics:

A vector has magnitude (how long it is) and direction.

Column Vector: $\binom{x}{y}$ where $x$ is movement right or left and $y$ is movement up or down. Right and up are taken to be positive.


Vectors represent a movement
We write $\binom{x}{y}$ to indicate the change in $x$ and change in $y$.

Note we put the numbers vertically. Do NOT write ( $\frac{4}{1}$ ); there is no line and vectors are very different to fractions!

You may have seen vectors briefly before if you have done transformations; we can use them to describe the movement of a shape in a translation.

## Writing Vectors

You are used to variables representing numbers in maths. They can also represent vectors!


What can you say about how we use variables for vertices (points) vs variables for vectors?
We use capital letters for vertices and lower case letters for vectors.

There's 3 ways in which can represent the vector from point $X$ to $Z$ :

1. $\boldsymbol{a}$ (in bold)
2. $\underline{a}$ (with an 'underbar')
3. $\overrightarrow{X Z}$

## Vectors - the basics:

Note: Note that vector letters are bold but scalars are not.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \overrightarrow{X Z}=\boldsymbol{a}=\binom{2}{5} \\
& \overrightarrow{Z Y}=\boldsymbol{b}=\binom{5}{3} \\
& \overrightarrow{X Y}=\binom{7}{8}
\end{aligned}
$$

What do you notice about the numbers in $\binom{7}{8}$ when compared to $\binom{2}{5}$ and $\binom{5}{3}$ ? Ne have simply added the $x$ values and $y$ values to describe the combined movement i.e.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& a+b=\binom{2}{5}+\binom{5}{3}=\binom{7}{8} \\
& \overrightarrow{X Z}+\overrightarrow{Z Y}=\overrightarrow{X Y}
\end{aligned}
$$

Important Note: The point is that we can use any route to get from the start to finish, and the


Route 1: We go from $X$ to $Y$ via $Z$. $\overline{X Z}=\binom{2}{5}+\binom{5}{3}=\binom{7}{8}$
Route 2: Use the direct line from $X$ to $Y:\binom{7}{8}$

We can 'scale' a vector by multiplying it by a normal number,
aptly known as a scalar.

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { If } \boldsymbol{a}=\binom{4}{3} \text {, then } \\
& \qquad 2 \boldsymbol{a}=2\binom{4}{3}=\binom{8}{6}
\end{aligned}
$$

What is the same about $\boldsymbol{a}$ and $2 \boldsymbol{a}$ and what is different?

## Same:

Same direction / Parallel

## Different:

The length of the vector, known as the magnitude, is longer.


## Vectors - the basics:



> If $\overrightarrow{O A}=\boldsymbol{a}, \overrightarrow{A B}=\boldsymbol{b}$ and $\overrightarrow{X B}=2 \boldsymbol{c}$, then find the following in terms of $a, b$ and $c$ :

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \overrightarrow{O B}= \\
& \overrightarrow{O Y}= \\
& \overrightarrow{A X}= \\
& \overrightarrow{X O}= \\
& \overrightarrow{Y X}=
\end{aligned}
$$

Note: Since $b+a$ would end up at the same finish point, we can see $\boldsymbol{b}+\boldsymbol{a}=$ $\boldsymbol{a}+\boldsymbol{b}$ (i.e. vector addition, like normal addition, is 'commutative')

Note: Since $-\binom{x}{y}=\binom{-x}{-y}$,
subtracting a vector goes in the opposite direction.

## Example

## Your Turn

## ABCD is a parallelogram

Express $\overrightarrow{D B}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{x}$ and $\boldsymbol{y}$.


ABCD is a parallelogram.
Express $\overrightarrow{C A}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{x}$ and $\boldsymbol{y}$.


## Example

473a: Determine a vector between two points using an appropriate path.

Express $\overrightarrow{A C}$ in terms of $\mathbf{p}$ and $\mathbf{q}$.


Express $\overrightarrow{C A}$ in terms of $\mathbf{p}$ and $\mathbf{q}$.


## Example

473a: Determine a vector between two points using an appropriate path.

Express $\overrightarrow{C F}$ in terms of $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{r}$


473a: Determine a vector between two points using an appropriate path.

Express $\overrightarrow{A E}$ in terms of $\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}$ and $\mathbf{r}$.


## Example

473b: Determine a vector involving a midpoint.

The point $M$ is the midpoint of $B C$.
Express $\overrightarrow{A M}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$.


The point $X$ is the midpoint of $A B$.
Express $\overrightarrow{C X}$ in terms of $\mathbf{p}$ and $\mathbf{q}$.


## Example

## Your Turn

$A B C D$ is a trapezium.
$M$ is the midpoint of $A D$.
Find $\overrightarrow{M A}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{x}$ and $\boldsymbol{y}$.

$A B C D$ is a rectangle.
M is the midpoint of $A D$.
Find $\overrightarrow{M A}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{x}$ and $\boldsymbol{y}$.


## Your Turn

473b: Determine a vector involving a midpoint.

The point $M$ is the midpoint of $F A$.
Express $\overrightarrow{A M}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}$ and $\mathbf{c}$.


The point $M$ is the midpoint of $A B$.
Express $\overrightarrow{F M}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}$ and $\mathbf{c}$.


## The 'Two Parter' Exam Question

Many exams questions follow a two-part format:
a) Find a relatively easy vector using skills from Lesson 1.
b) Find a harder vector that uses a fraction of your vector from part (a).
Your Turn

## Example


$P Q R S$ is a parallelogram.
$N$ is the point on $S Q$ such that $S N: N Q=3: 2$
$\overrightarrow{P Q}=\mathbf{a} \quad \overrightarrow{P S}=\mathbf{b}$
(a) Write down, in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$, an expression for $\overrightarrow{S Q}$.
(b) Express $\overrightarrow{N R}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$.

## Your Turn



Diagram NOT accurately drawn
$O A B$ is a triangle.
$\overrightarrow{O A}=\mathbf{a}$
$\overrightarrow{O B}=\mathbf{b}$
(a) Find $\overrightarrow{A B}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$.
$P$ is the point on $A B$ such that $A P: P B=3: 1$
(b) Find $\overrightarrow{O P}$ in terms of $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$. Give your answer in its simplest form.

## Example


$X$ is a point on $A B$ such that $A X: X B=3: 1 . M$ is the midpoint of $B C$.
Show that $\overrightarrow{X M}$ is parallel to $\overrightarrow{O C}$.

## Your Turn

## Your Turn


a) Find $\overrightarrow{A B}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{a}$ and $\boldsymbol{b}$.
b) $P$ is the point on $A B$ such that $A P: P B=2: 3$.
Show that $\overrightarrow{O P}$ is parallel to the vector $\boldsymbol{a}+\boldsymbol{b}$.
$\overrightarrow{A E}=3 \boldsymbol{a}-2 \boldsymbol{b}, \overrightarrow{D C}=2 \boldsymbol{a}+4 \boldsymbol{b}$,
$E$ and $B$ are the midpoints of $A D$ and $A C$.
Is $\overrightarrow{E B}$ parallel to $\overrightarrow{D C}$ ?


## Proving Three Points form a Straight Line

Points $A, B$ and $C$ form a straight line if:

## $\overrightarrow{A B}$ and $\overrightarrow{B C}$ are parallel (and $B$ is a common point).

Alternatively, we could show $\overrightarrow{A B}$ and $\overrightarrow{A C}$ are parallel. This tends to be easier.


## Example



$$
\overrightarrow{A N}=2 \boldsymbol{b}, \quad \overrightarrow{N P}=\boldsymbol{b}
$$

$B$ is the midpoint of $A C . M$ is the midpoint of $P B$.
a) Find $\overrightarrow{P B}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{a}$ and $\boldsymbol{b}$.
b) Show that NMC is a straight line.

## Your Turn


$\overrightarrow{O A}=a$ and $\overrightarrow{O B}=b$
$D$ is the point such that $\overrightarrow{A C}=\overrightarrow{C D}$
The point $N$ divides $A B$ in the ratio 2: 1 .
(a) Write an expression for $\overrightarrow{O N}$ in terms of $\boldsymbol{a}$ and $\boldsymbol{b}$.
(b) Prove that $O N D$ is a straight line.

## Vector Proofs

if two vectors are parallel
(or are sections of the same line)
if two vectors are parallel
(or sections of the same line)


## Example

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$M=$ midpoint of $A B$


## Your Turn

## $M=$ midpoint of $A B$



## Example

 work out the ratio AP : PB

## Equation of a circle



The equation of this circle is:

$$
x^{2}+y^{2}=25
$$

## Proof



How could we show how $r, x$ and $y$ are related? (Draw a right-angled triangle inside your circle, with one vertex at the origin and another at the circumference)
$x^{2}+y^{2}=r^{2}$

The equation of a circle with centre at the origin and radius $r$ is:
$x^{2}+y^{2}=r^{2}$

## Example

## Your Turn

## 446a: Appreciate that a point on the

 circumference of a circle satisfies its equation.Determine which of the following points lies on the circle with the equation $x^{2}+y^{2}=98$
( $-6,7$ )
○ $(-7,7)$
( $-7,6$ )

Determine which of the following points lies on the circle with the equation $x^{2}+y^{2}=58$.

O $(7,3)$
○ $(8,3)$
○ $(7,4)$

## Example

## Your Turn

446b: Plot the graph of a circle centred at the origin.

Draw the graph of $x^{2}+y^{2}=100$


Draw the graph of $x^{2}+y^{2}=16$


KS446 c, d, g and h - Fill in the blanks

| \# | Equation | Radius (simplified exact <br> form) | Circumference <br> (exact) | Area (exact) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=9$ |  |  |  |
| 2 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=9^{2}$ |  |  |  |
| 3 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=144$ |  |  |  |
| 4 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=14$ |  |  |  |
| 5 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=180$ |  |  |  |
| 6 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=r^{2}$ |  |  |  |
| 7 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ | 8 |  |  |
| 8 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ | $\sqrt{11}$ |  |  |
| 9 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ | $2 \sqrt{3}$ |  |  |
| 10 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ | $a$ |  |  |
| 10 |  |  |  |  |

KS446 c, d, g and h - Fill in the blanks

| \# | Equation | Radius (simplified exact form) | Circumference (exact) | Area (exact) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  | $10 \pi$ |  |
| 12 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  | $28 \pi$ |  |
| 13 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  | $100 \pi$ |  |
| 14 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  | $\pi$ |  |
| 15 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  | $k \pi$ |  |
| 16 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  |  | $49 \pi$ |
| 17 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  |  | $100 \pi$ |
| 18 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  |  | $400 \pi$ |
| 19 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  |  | $50 \pi$ |
| 20 | $x^{2}+y^{2}=$ |  |  | $k^{2} \pi$ |

Fill in the Gaps

| Equation | Radius | Area | Point 1 | Point 2 | Where is $(3,7) ?$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $x^{2}+y^{2}=25$ |  |  | $(3, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 0)$ | Outside |
| $x^{2}+y^{2}=50$ |  |  | $(-5, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 7)$ |  |
| $x^{2}+y^{2}=65$ |  |  | $(1, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 7)$ |  |
|  | 15 |  | $(9, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 0)$ |  |
|  | $5 \sqrt{5}$ |  | $(-5, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 11)$ |  |
|  |  | $130 \pi$ | $(-7, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 11)$ |  |
|  |  | 2042 | $(19, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, 11)$ |  |
|  |  |  | $(-4, \ldots)$ | $(8,11)$ |  |
|  |  |  | $(1, \ldots)$ | $(-7,11)$ |  |
|  |  |  | $(-7, \ldots)$ | $(\ldots, \sqrt{22})$ | On the circle |

## Example

## Your Turn

446f: Determine the equation of a circle centred at the origin, using a point given on the circumference.

The point $(-2,-7)$ lies on a circle centered on the origin.


Find an equation for this circle.

The point $(6,-6)$ lies on a circle centered on the origin.


Find an equation for this circle.

## Example

446i: Determine an area or perimeter of a portion of an annulus, given the equations of the circles centred at the origin.

The annulus below is formed of two circles centred on the origin.

The equations of the circles are:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& x^{2}+y^{2}=16 \\
& x^{2}+y^{2}=4
\end{aligned}
$$



Calculate the perimeter of the shaded shape.
Give your answer correct to 2 decimal places.

## Your Turn

The annulus below is formed of two circles centred on the origin.

The equations of the circles are:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& x^{2}+y^{2}=25 \\
& x^{2}+y^{2}=4
\end{aligned}
$$



Calculate the perimeter of the shaded shape. Give your answer correct to 2 decimal places.

## Tangent to Circles

As always, to get an equation of a line we need:

- A point (we have that!)
- The gradient.

There's only ONE thing you need to remember for this topic, related to finding the gradient of the tangent:

The tangent is perpendicular to the radius.


| Gradient of line | Gradient of perpendicular line |
| :---: | :--- |
| 3 |  |
| -4 |  |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ |  |
| $-\frac{3}{4}$ |  |

Equations of Tangents to Circles

| Question | Radius |  | Gradient of <br> radius at <br> point |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Example: Find the equation of the <br> tangent to $x^{2}+y^{2}=25$ at $(4,3)$ <br> tangent at <br> point | Equation of tangent at point |  |  |


| Question | Radius | Sketch | Gradient of radius at point | Gradient of tangent at point | Equation of tangent at point |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4. Find the equation of the tangent to $x^{2}+y^{2}-20=0$ at $(-4,-2)$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Find the equation of the tangent to $x^{2}+y^{2}=13$ at the point on the circumference with $x$-coordinate 3 and a negative $y$-coordinate |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Find the equation of the tangent to the circle with centre $(0,0)$ and diameter $\sqrt{32}$ at the point $(2,2)$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Find the equation of the tangent to $x^{2}+y^{2}=25$ at the point $(5,0)$ |  |  |  |  |  |

## Example

447a: Determine the equation of a tangent to a circle centred at the origin.

The diagram shows the circle with equation $x^{2}+y^{2}=157$


A tangent to the circle is drawn at point $P$ with coordinates $(-11,6)$

Find an equation of the tangent at $P$.

## Your Turn

The diagram shows the circle with equation $x^{2}+y^{2}=41$


A tangent to the circle is drawn at point $A$ with coordinates $(4,5)$

Find an equation of the tangent at $A$.

## Example

447b: Determine the $x$-intercept or $y$ intercept of a tangent to a circle centred at the origin.

The diagram shows a circle with centre $(0,0)$ and a tangent at the point $M(-6,9)$


The tangent to the circle at $M$ intersects the $y$-axis at point $N$.

Work out the $y$-coordinate of $N$.

## Your Turn

A circle has equation $x^{2}+y^{2}=52$
$A$ is the point on the circle with coordinates $(-4,-6)$


The tangent to the circle at $A$ intersects the $x$-axis at point $B$.

Work out the $x$-coordinate of $B$.

## Example

447c: Determine the area of a triangle formed by a tangent to a circle centred at the origin.

The diagram shows a circle with centre $(0,0)$ and a tangent at the point $A(7,-11)$


The tangent to the circle at $A$ intersects the $y$-axis at point $B$.

Work out the area of triangle $O A B$.

## Your Turn

The diagram shows a circle with centre $(0,0)$ and a tangent at the point $A(8,9)$


The tangent to the circle at $A$ intersects the $y$-axis at point $B$.

Work out the area of triangle $O A B$.

Non-Linear Simultaneous Equations

Example
Solve the following pair of simultaneous equations:

$$
\begin{gathered}
x y=2 \\
y=x+1
\end{gathered}
$$

Solve the following pair of simultaneous equations:

$$
\begin{gathered}
x y=2 \\
y=x-1
\end{gathered}
$$

## Example

## Your Turn

420a: Solve non-linear simultan where $y$ is the subject of both equation to be solved.

Solve the following simultaneous equations.
$\left\{y=x^{2}+3 x-28\right.$
$y=2 x+2$

Solve the following simultaneous equations.
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}y=x^{2}+10 x+21 \\ y=x+3\end{array}\right.$
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}y=x+3\end{array}\right.$

## Example

## Your Turn

420c: Solve non-linear simultaneous equations/systems of equations with one equation given in the form
$x^{2}+y^{2}=a$ and the other where $x$ or $y$ is the subject.

Solve the following simultaneous equations.
$\{y=x+4$
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}x^{2}+y^{2}=58\end{array}\right.$

Solve the following simultaneous equations.
$\left\{\begin{array}{l}y=2 x+1 \\ x^{2}+y^{2}=2\end{array}\right.$

## Example

## Your Turn

420d: Solve simultaneous equations/systems of equations given in the form $a x+b y=c$ and $x^{2}+y^{2}=d$

Solve the following simultaneous equations.
$\{5 x+5 y=2$
$\left\{x^{2}+y^{2}=4\right.$

Solve the following simultaneous equations.

$$
\left\{\begin{array}{l}
3 x+y=3 \\
x^{2}+y^{2}=1
\end{array}\right.
$$

Graphical Simultaneous Equations

## Your Turn

Solve:
$y=2 x+5$
$y=-2 x-1$


Solve:
$y=2 x-3$
$y=-2 x+5$


## Example

Solve, using a graphical approach, the simultaneous equations:
$2 x-y=8$
$x-y=1$


## Your Turn

Solve, using a graphical approach, the simultaneous equations:
$-2 x+y=1$
$x+y=10$


## Example

Solve:
$y=2 x+5$
$y=x^{2}+5 x+1$


## Your Turn

Solve:
$y=2 x-3$
$y=x^{2}+x-5$


Algebraic Proof

## KEY SKILLS WHICH YOU NEED FOR THIS TOPIC

454a: Identify expressions that represent a multiple of an integer.
$m$ and $n$ are integers.
Select the expressions that represent a multiple of 3 .
$\square 6 n+1$
$\square 3 m^{2}-6$
$\square 9 m+15$
$\square 9 n^{2}-3$
$\square 5(7 n-3)-3$
$\square 3(10 n-8)+9$

## 454b: Identify expressions that

 represent odd/even integers.$m$ and $n$ are integers.
Select the expressions that represent even numbers for all $m$ or $n$.
$\square 5 n-5$
$\square 9 m-1$
$\square 3 m+8$
$\square 10 m+12$
$\square 2 m-19$
$\square 20(6 n+6)-3$

454c: Use expressions for consecutive integers.

A number is given as $-2 n-9$ where $n$ is an integer.
Write down the expression for the next consecutive integer.

454d: Use expressions for consecutive odd/even integers.

YOU NEED TO GO THROUGH ALL OF THESE

454e: Use expressions for different odd/even integers, not necessarily consecutive.

Given that $m$ and $n$ are integers.
Select the expressions that represent two consecutive even numbers.
$\square 2 m$ and $2 n$
$\square 2 n-2$ and $2 n$
$\square 2 m+1$ and $2 n-1$
$\square 2 m$ and $2 n-1$
$\square 2 m$ and $2 n+5$
$\square 2 m-2$ and $2 n+2$

## Example

## Your Turn

Prove that $4 n-3+2 n-9$ is a multiple of 3 for all real integers $n$

Prove that $4 n-3+10 n-11$ is a multiple of 7 for all real integers $n$

## Example

Prove that the sum of five consecutive integers is a multiple of 5 .

Prove that the sum of three consecutive integers is a multiple of 3 .

## Example

## Your Turn

Prove that the product of two odd numbers is an odd number.

Prove that the product of two even numbers is an even number.

## Example

Your Turn

Prove algebraically that $(2 n+1)^{2}-(2 n+1)$ is an even number

## Your Turn

Prove that $(n-1)^{2}+n^{2}+(n+1)^{2}$ is two more than a multiple of 3 for all positive integer values of $n$

Prove that $(n+1)^{2}-n^{2}$ is one more than a multiple of 2 for all positive integer values of $n$

## Example

## Your Turn

Prove that $(2 n+3)^{2}-(2 n-3)^{2}$ is a multiple of 8 for all positive integer values of $n$

Prove that $(3 n+2)^{2}-(3 n-2)^{2}$ is a multiple of 8 for all positive integer values of $n$

Example
Prove algebraically that the difference between two different odd numbers is an even number.

Your Turn

Prove algebraically that the difference between two different even numbers is an even number.

## Example

Your Turn

Prove that the product of four consecutive integers is always a multiple of 8

Prove that the product of three consecutive integers is always a multiple of 6

## Example

Prove that, for all positive values of $n, \frac{(n+3)^{2}-(n-2)^{2}}{2 n^{2}+n}=\frac{a}{b}$ where $a$ and $b$ are integers or variables.

Prove that, for all positive values of $n, \frac{(n+2)^{2}-(n+1)^{2}}{2 n^{2}+3 n}=\frac{a}{b}$ and find the integers $a$ and $b$

455a: Equate coefficients to determine constants in an identity.

Given that
$4 a x+5 b+x+x \equiv 18 x-25$
Find the values of $a$ and $b$.

Given that

$$
3 p x+1 q-7 x \equiv-4 x+2
$$

Find the values of $p$ and $q$.

## Example

## Your Turn

455b: Equate coefficients to determine constants in an identity requiring two single bracket expansions.

Given that
$5(4 q x+p)+3(3 q x-p) \equiv 29 x+12$
Find the values of $p$ and $q$.

Given that

$$
3(a x+2 b)+3(2 a x+b) \equiv-54 x+54
$$

Find the values of $a$ and $b$.

## Example

## Your Turn

455d: Equate coefficients to determine constants in an identity, involving a combination of single and double bracket expansions.

Given that

$$
y^{2}+c y+9=(y+d)^{2}+2 y
$$

where $c$ and $d$ are positive integers, find the value of $c$ and the value of $d$.

Given that

$$
(2 x+e)^{2}-4 x=4 x^{2}+f x+49
$$

where $e$ and $f$ are positive integers, find the value of $e$ and the value of $f$.

## Geometric Sequences

A geometric sequence, also known as a geometric progression, is a sequence of numbers where each term after the first is found by multiplying the previous one by a fixed, non-zero number called the common ratio.
nth term of Geometric Sequences
$a \times r^{n-1}$
$a=$ first term
$r=$ common ratio

Write down the first term and common
ratio of the following geometric
sequences:
a) $4,12,36,108$
b) $4,-12,36,-108$
c) $108,36,12,4$
d) $\sqrt{7}, 7,7 \sqrt{7}, 49$

Write down the first term and common ratio of the following geometric sequences:
a) $5,20,80,320$
b) $5,-20,80,-320$
c) $320,80,20,5$
d) $\sqrt{3}, 3,3 \sqrt{3}, 9$

## Example

Generate the first 5 terms of the following geometric sequences:
a) $3^{n-1}$
b) $4 \times 3^{n-1}$

Generate the first 5 terms of the following geometric sequences:
a) $4^{n-1}$
b) $5 \times 4^{n-1}$

Geometric Sequences

| (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Find the next two terms in the sequence $7,14,28,56, \ldots$ | Find the next two terms in the sequence $40,20,10,5, \ldots$. | Find the first four terms of the sequence with first term 2 and common ratio 3 | Find the first term and common ratio for the sequence: $3,15,75,375, \ldots$ |
| (e) | (f) | (g) | (h) |
| Find the first term and common ratio for the sequence: $160,80,40,20, \ldots$ | Find the next two terms in the sequence $2,-4,8,-16, \ldots$. | Find the first four terms of the sequence with first term 120 and common ratio 0.5 | Find the first term and common ratio for the sequence: $4,-8,16,-32, \ldots$ |
| (i) | (j) | (k) | (1) |
| Find the first four terms of the sequence with first term 5 and common ratio -2 | Find the first four terms of the sequence with nth term $6 \times 3^{n-1}$ | Find the nth term of the sequence with first term 10 and common ratio 4 | Find the nth term of the sequence with first term 250 and common ratio 0.2 |
| (m) | ( n ) | (p) |  |
| Find the first four terms of the sequence with nth term $400 \times\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ | Find the nth term of the sequence with first term 8 and common ratio -5 | A tree starts with four branches. Every month each branch splits into two. How many branches will the tree have after 5 months? Find a formula for the number of branches $b$ after $n$ months. |  |

## Quadratic Sequences

A quadratic sequence is a sequence of numbers where the second difference is constant.
The $n^{\text {th }}$ term of a quadratic sequence has the form $a n^{2}+b n+c$ where $a, b$ and $c$ are numbers and $a \neq 0$

## Example

Generate the first 5 terms of the following quadratic sequence:
a) $n^{2}-5$
b) $3 n^{2}-5$
c) $3 n^{2}+2 n-5$

Generate the first 5 terms of the following quadratic sequence:
a) $n^{2}+5$
b) $3 n^{2}+5$
c) $3 n^{2}-2 n+5$

The nth term method

| Sequence | 5 | 8 | 13 | 20 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Difference | 3 |  | 5 |  |
| Second Difference |  | 2 | 2 |  |
| $1 n^{2}$ | 1 | 4 | 9 | 16 |
| Sequence minus $n^{2}$ | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Linear nth term | +4 |  |  |  |
| Quadratic nth term | $n^{2}+4$ |  |  |  |


| Sequence | 12 | 15 |  | 20 | 27 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Difference | 3 | 3 | 5 |  | 7 |
| Second Difference |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\square n^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sequence minus $\boldsymbol{n}^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Linear nth term |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quadratic nth term |  |  |  |  |  |


| Sequence | 0 | 3 | 8 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Difference |  |  |  |  |
| Second Difference |  |  |  |  |
| $\square n^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Sequence minus $\boldsymbol{n}^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Linear nth term |  |  |  |  |
| Quadratic nth term |  |  |  |  |


| Sequence | -1 | 5 | 15 | 29 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Difference |  |  |  |  |
| Second Difference |  |  |  |  |
| $\square n^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Sequence minus $n^{2}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Linear $n$th term |  |  |  |  |
| Quadratic nth term |  |  |  |  |



| Sequence | 2 |  | 7 |  | 14 | 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First <br> Difference | 5 |  | 7 |  | 9 |  |
| Second <br> Difference |  | 2 | 2 |  |  |  |
| 1 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 16 |  |  |
| 1 | $n^{2}$ | 1 | 3 | 5 | 7 |  |
| Sequence <br> minus $\boldsymbol{n}^{2}$ | 16 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Linear nth <br> term | $2 n-1$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quadratic <br> nth term | $n^{2}+2 n-1$ |  |  |  |  |  |


| Sequence | 7 |  | 14 | 25 | 40 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| First <br> Difference |  |  |  |  |  |  |



| Sequence | 6 |  | 8 |  | 12 | 18 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First <br> Difference |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Sequence | 2.5 |  | 8 |  | 14.5 | 22 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First <br> Difference |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Sequence | 3 |  | 3 |  | 1 | -3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First <br> Difference |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Example

Find the nth term of the following quadratic sequence:
a) $4,7,12,19,28, \ldots$
b) $4,16,36,64,100, \ldots$

Find the nth term of the following quadratic sequence:
a) $-2,1,6,13,22, \ldots$
b) $0.5,2,4.5,8,12.5$, ..

## Why is ' $a$ ' half the second difference?

Consider the general quadratic sequence $a n^{2}+b n+c$

- We substitute $n=1$ to get the first term:

$$
a(1)^{2}+b(1)+c=a+b+c
$$

- We substitute $n=2$ to get the first term:

$$
a(2)^{2}+b(2)+c=4 a+2 b+c
$$

- We substitute $n=3$ to get the first term:

$$
a(3)^{2}+b(3)+c=9 a+3 b+c
$$

- We substitute $n=4$ to get the first term:

$$
a(4)^{2}+b(4)+c=16 a+4 b+c
$$



- $a$ is half the second difference.
- $c$ is the zeroth term.
- $b$ can be found by substitution.


## Example

Your Turn

Find the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term of the following sequence:
$6,9,14,21,30$

## Example

## Your Turn

Find the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term of the following sequence:
$8,17,32,53,80$

## Example

## Your Turn

Find the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term of the following sequence:
$0,11,28,51,80$
Find the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term of the following sequence:
$6,13,26,45,70$

