

Given the rational function

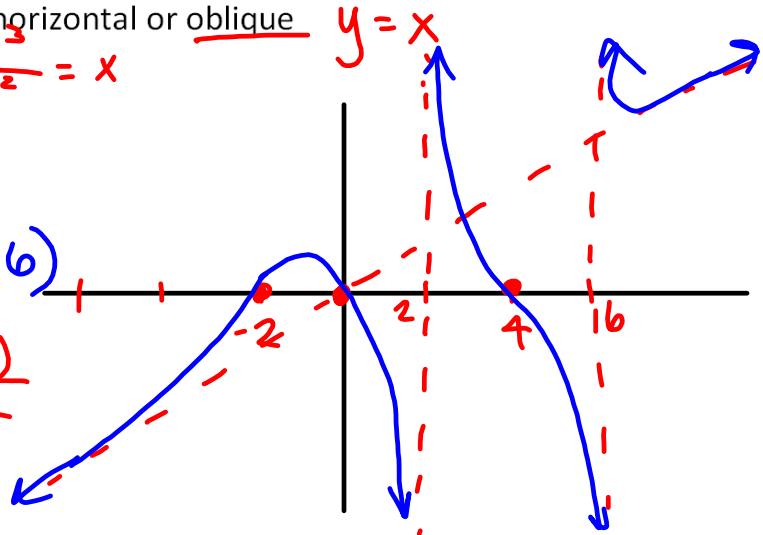
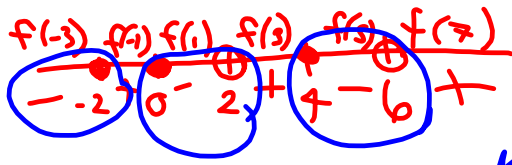
$$f(x) = \frac{x(x-4)(x+2)}{(x-2)(x-6)}$$

[Review](#)Determine the zeros of the function.  $0, 4, -2$ Determine the y-intercept of the function.  $(0, 0)$ Determine the equations of any vertical asymptotes of the function.  $x=2, x=6$ Determine the equations of any horizontal or oblique asymptotes of the function.  $y=x$ 

Graph the function.

$$\text{Solve } \frac{x(x-4)(x+2)}{(x-2)(x-6)} \leq 0$$

$$(-\infty, -2] \cup [0, 2) \cup [4, 6)$$



## 10.1 Sequences and Series

$$8. a_n = (-1)^{n-1} (3n-5)$$

$$a_1 = (-1)^{1-1} (3 \cdot 1 - 5) = \boxed{-2}$$

$$a_2 = (-1)^{2-1} (3 \cdot 2 - 5) = \boxed{-1}$$

$$a_3 = (-1)^{3-1} (3 \cdot 3 - 5) = \boxed{4}$$

$$a_4 = (-1)^{4-1} (3 \cdot 4 - 5) = \boxed{-7}$$

$$a_5 = (-1)^{5-1} (3 \cdot 5 - 5) = \boxed{10}$$

alternating  
sequence

$$(-1)^n$$

$$a_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \rightarrow e$$

what is the  $n^{\text{th}}$  term?

$$26. \quad \underset{n=1}{-2}, \underset{n=2}{3}, \underset{n=3}{8}, \underset{n=4}{13}, \underset{n=5}{18}, \dots$$

$$a_n = 5n - 7$$

$$\{5n\} = 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, \dots$$

$$32. \quad \underset{n=1}{\ln e^2}, \underset{n=2}{\ln e^3}, \underset{n=3}{\ln e^4}, \underset{n=4}{\ln e^5}, \dots$$

$$a_n = \boxed{\ln e^{n+1}} = \boxed{n+1}$$

write sigma notation.  $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i$

$$56. \quad 7 + 14 + 21 + 28 + 35 + \dots$$

$7 \cdot 1 \quad 7 \cdot 2 \quad 7 \cdot 3 \quad 7 \cdot 4 \quad 7 \cdot 5$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} 7i = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 7n$$

$a_n = 7n$

$$x+2, x+3, x+4, x+5, \dots$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} x + (i+1)$$

$$60. \quad \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{1}{5^2}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^5 \frac{1}{i^2}$$

$$62. \quad 9 - 16 + 25 + \dots + (-1)^{n+1} n^2$$

$$= \sum_{i=3}^n (-1)^{i+1} i^2$$

64.

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2^2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3^2} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 4^2} + \frac{1}{4 \cdot 5^2} + \dots$$

$i=1$                    $i=2$                    $i=3$                    $i=4$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i \cdot (i+1)^2}$$

Arithmetic Sequences/Series:

**Definition:** A sequence is arithmetic if there exists a number  $d$ , called the common difference, such that  $a_{n+1} = a_n + d$  for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The nth term of an arithmetic sequence is given by  $a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

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Geometric Sequences/Series:

**Definition:** A sequence is geometric if there is a number  $r$ , called the common ratio, such that  $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = r$ , or  $a_{n+1} = a_n r$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The nth term of a geometric sequence is given by  $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ , for any integer  $n \geq 1$ .

The sum of the first n terms of a geometric sequence is given by  $S_n = \frac{a_1(1-r^n)}{1-r}$ , for any  $r \neq 1$ .

When  $|r| < 1$ , the limit or sum of an infinite geometric series is given by  $S_\infty = \frac{a_1}{1-r}$

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$$-8, -5, -2, 1, 4, \dots$$

common difference : 3

$$n^{\text{th}} \text{ term: } a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$a_n = -8 + (n-1) \cdot 3 = -8 + 3n - 3$$

$$a_n = 3n - 11$$

12<sup>th</sup> term :

$$a_{12} = 3(12) - 11 = 36 - 11 = 25$$

$$7, 4, 1, \dots$$

find the 17<sup>th</sup> term.

$$d = -3$$

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d = 7 + (n-1)(-3)$$

$$a_{17} = 7 + (17-1)(-3)$$

$$= 7 + 16(-3)$$

$$= 7 - 48$$

$$= -41$$

The sum of an arithmetic sequence is called an arithmetic series.

The sum of the first  $n$  terms is

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$$

$$11 + 7 + 3 + \dots$$

$$S_{14} = \frac{14}{2} (11 + (-41))$$

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$a_{14} = 11 + (14-1)(-4) = 11 + 13(-4) = 11 - 52 = -41$$

$$= 7(-30)$$

$$= \boxed{-210}$$

$$34. \sum_{k=5}^{20} 8k = 8 \cdot 5 + 8 \cdot 6 + \dots + 8 \cdot 20$$

↑  
1<sup>st</sup>  
term

↑  
20-5  
+ 1<sup>st</sup>  
term

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 i = 1 + 2 + 3$$

↑  
3-1 + 1<sup>st</sup> term

16<sup>th</sup>  
term

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n)$$

$$S_{16} = \frac{16}{2} (40 + 160) = 8(200) = \boxed{1600}$$

HW #9 (due Mon, Oct 20)

solve systems of equations in 2 and 3 variables using a matrix to get a single, integer solution:

- 8.1 #17, 19, 21 (but solve using a matrix)
- 8.3 #27, 31
- 8.2 #3\*, 7, 9 (but solve using a matrix) \*eq 3 should read:  $2x+y+z=-3$

HW #10 (due Fri, Oct 24)

- 10.1 #7, 9, 23-31 odd, #59, 63, 67
- 10.2 #9, 15, 19, 21, 25, 29, 35, 37
- 10.3 #15, 19, 21, 25, 35, 37, 43, 45, 49, 57
- 10.7 #1, 7, 21, 27, 31-39 odd

Due Mon, Oct 27

- Final Exam Practice Problems

Quiz #5 on Matrices, Sequences, Series - Friday 10/24

Final Exam - 9:00am, Friday 10/31