

Geometric Series.

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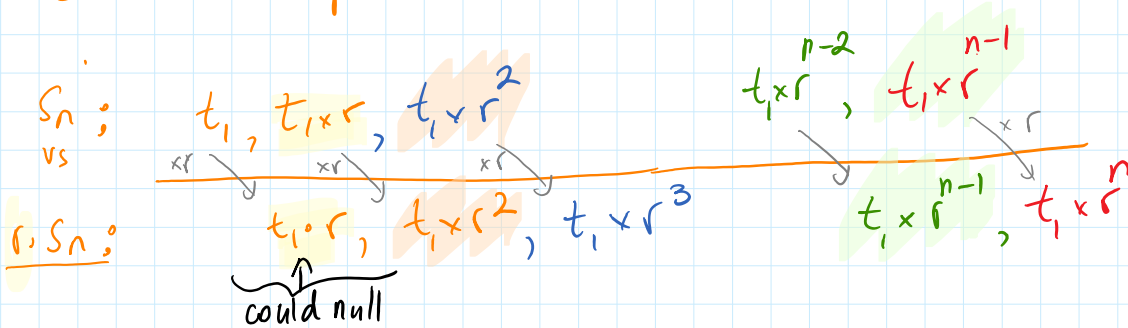
$$S_n = \frac{t_1(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}; r \neq 1$$

Proof:

$$t_1, t_2, t_3, \dots, t_n$$

$$S_n: t_1, t_1 \times r, t_1 \times r^2, \dots, t_1 \times r^{n-1}$$

Element lineup:



What can we do with this line up.

Each could null the other if subtraction happened except 1st & last which r unpaired.

$$r \cdot S_n - S_n = t_1 \times r^n - t_1 \quad \leftarrow \text{the rest nulled.}$$

\Downarrow

$$S_n(r-1) = t_1(r^n - 1)$$

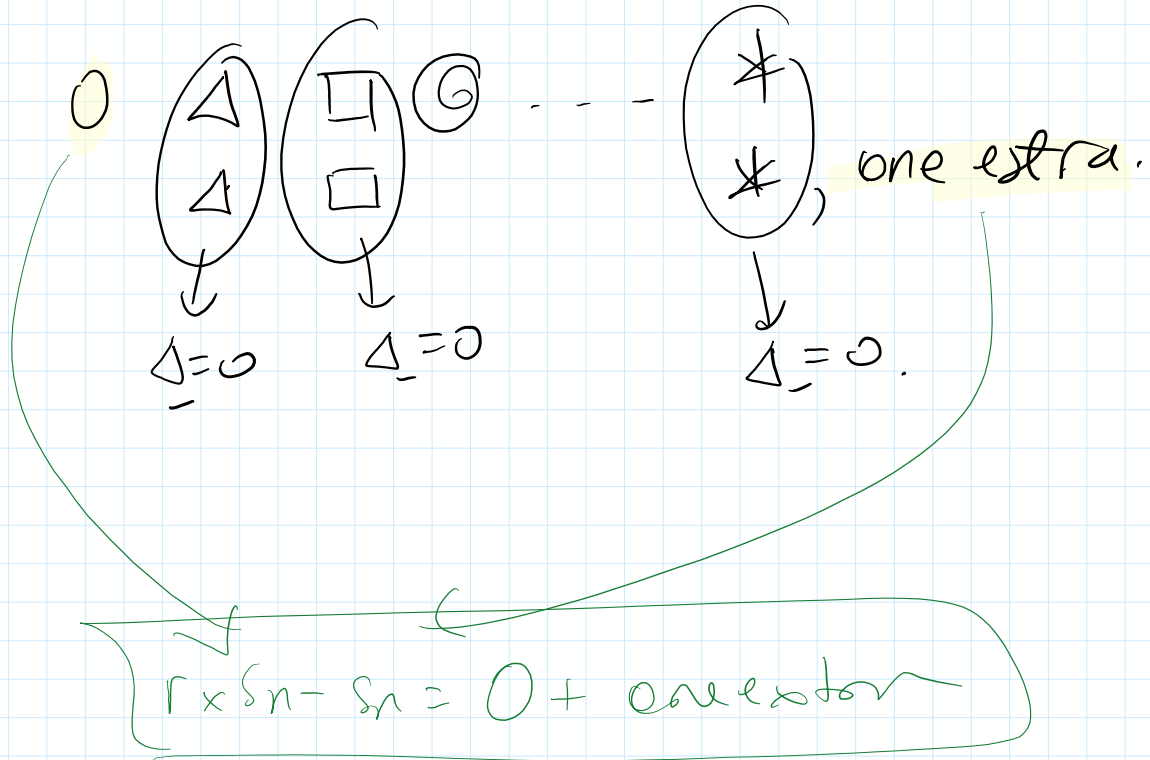
$$S_n = \frac{t_1(r^n - 1)}{r - 1} \quad \text{must: } r \neq 1$$

$S_n = ?$ $0 \triangle \square \odot \dots \ast$

$$S_n - S_n \rightarrow \text{stupid } \equiv 0.$$

$$0 \times r = \Delta \rightarrow \text{good to go.}$$

$r \neq S_n$



solve for S_n .

Arith. Series



Two papers

