

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (A)

5, -15, 45, -135, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

2, -4, 8, -16, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 2(-2)^{n-1}$$

-1, 3, -9, 27, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

-2, 10, -50, 250, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -2(-5)^{n-1}$$

-10, 20, -40, 80, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -10(-2)^{n-1}$$

-9, -18, -36, -72, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -9(2)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (B)

4, 8, 16, 32, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 4(2)^{n-1}$$

1, -2, 4, -8, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (-2)^{n-1}$$

-6, 30, -150, 750, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -6(-5)^{n-1}$$

9, 18, 36, 72, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 9(2)^{n-1}$$

4, -20, 100, -500, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 4(-5)^{n-1}$$

2, 4, 8, 16, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 2(2)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (C)

3, 6, 12, 24, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 3(2)^{n-1}$$

8, 16, 32, 64, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 8(2)^{n-1}$$

-4, -8, -16, -32, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -4(2)^{n-1}$$

-4, -16, -64, -256, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -4(4)^{n-1}$$

4, 16, 64, 256, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 4(4)^{n-1}$$

-5, -10, -20, -40, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -5(2)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (D)

–3, 6, –12, 24, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -3(-2)^{n-1}$$

10, 20, 40, 80, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 10(2)^{n-1}$$

–10, 20, –40, 80, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -10(-2)^{n-1}$$

–4, –20, –100, –500, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -4(5)^{n-1}$$

5, –10, 20, –40, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 5(-2)^{n-1}$$

8, 16, 32, 64, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 8(2)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (E)

−8, −16, −32, −64, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -8(2)^{n-1}$$

3, 15, 75, 375, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

−6, 18, −54, 162, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -6(-3)^{n-1}$$

9, 36, 144, 576, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 9(4)^{n-1}$$

−9, 27, −81, 243, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -9(-3)^{n-1}$$

8, 24, 72, 216, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (F)

1, 2, 4, 8, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (2)^{n-1}$$

-9, 27, -81, 243, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -9(-3)^{n-1}$$

6, 12, 24, 48, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 6(2)^{n-1}$$

-2, -4, -8, -16, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -2(2)^{n-1}$$

-8, 24, -72, 216, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

-3, -12, -48, -192, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -3(4)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (G)

$-2, -10, -50, -250, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -2(5)^{n-1}$$

$1, 2, 4, 8, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (2)^{n-1}$$

$-8, 40, -200, 1000, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

$-2, -8, -32, -128, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -2(4)^{n-1}$$

$6, -30, 150, -750, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 6(-5)^{n-1}$$

$-4, -20, -100, -500, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -4(5)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (H)

$-7, -14, -28, -56, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -7(2)^{n-1}$$

$5, 25, 125, 625, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

$1, 2, 4, 8, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (2)^{n-1}$$

$1, -2, 4, -8, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (-2)^{n-1}$$

$-1, -2, -4, -8, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -(2)^{n-1}$$

$1, -3, 9, -27, \dots$ Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

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

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (I)

–3, 12, –48, 192, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -3(-4)^{n-1}$$

–9, –18, –36, –72, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -9(2)^{n-1}$$

–5, 20, –80, 320, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -5(-4)^{n-1}$$

–7, 28, –112, 448, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -7(-4)^{n-1}$$

–1, –4, –16, –64, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -(4)^{n-1}$$

5, 10, 20, 40, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 5(2)^{n-1}$$

Solutions – Geometric Sequences (J)

5, 10, 20, 40, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 5(2)^{n-1}$$

3, 6, 12, 24, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = 3(2)^{n-1}$$

-4, -8, -16, -32, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -4(2)^{n-1}$$

1, 2, 4, 8, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (2)^{n-1}$$

-9, -18, -36, -72, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = -9(2)^{n-1}$$

1, 2, 4, 8, Find a formula for the n^{th} term.

$$a_n = (2)^{n-1}$$