

“Expanding” this sum by using Properties (1) and (2),

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

Solving this expression for $\sum_{i=1}^m i^2$,

$$\sum_{i=1}^m i^2 = \frac{1}{3} \left((m+1)^3 - 1 - 3 \sum_{i=1}^m i - \sum_{i=1}^m 1 \right).$$

Expanding $(m+1)^3$ and using (4) and (5), which we proved in the first two examples,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^m i^2 &= \frac{1}{3} \left(m^3 + 3m^2 + 3m - \frac{3}{2}m(m+1) - m \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{6} (2m^3 + 3m^2 + m). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\sum_{i=1}^m i^2 = \frac{m(2m^2 + 3m + 1)}{6} = \frac{m(m+1)(2m+1)}{6}.$$

This is (6).



Exercises 5.1

Exercises 1–14: Rewrite using summation notation. Factor out any common factors.

- $1 + 1/2 + 1/3 + \cdots + 1/10$
- $1 + 1/2^1 + 1/2^2 + \cdots + 1/2^{10}$
- $-\ln(1/1) - \ln(1/2) - \cdots - \ln(1/100)$
- $-e^{1+1/1} - e^{1+1/2} - \cdots - e^{1+1/10000}$
- $1^2 + 2^2 + \cdots + 10^2$
- $1^{1/1} + 2^{1/2} + \cdots + 7^{1/7}$
- $2/3 + 2/4 + 2/5 + \cdots + 2/35$
- $7/13 + 8/13 + 9/13 + \cdots + 27/13$
- $\sqrt{h^2(1/19)} + \sqrt{h^2(2/19)} + \cdots + \sqrt{h^2(21/19)}$
- $\sqrt{3/h^2} + \sqrt{4/h^2} + \cdots + \sqrt{37/h^2}$
- $\pi^{1+1} + \pi^{1+2} + \pi^{1+3} + \cdots + \pi^{1+21}$
- $0.01 \cdot \ln(1) + 0.01 \cdot \ln(2) + \cdots + 0.01 \cdot \ln(50)$
- $1/2 + 2/3 + 3/4 + \cdots + 15/16$
- $x^1 + x^2 + \cdots + x^n$

Exercises 15–26: Expand each sum and evaluate. For example, $\sum_{i=1}^4 i^3 = 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + 4^3 = 100$.

- $\sum_{i=1}^5 i^2$
- $\sum_{i=1}^3 i^4$
- $\sum_{i=1}^6 (i^2 + 1)$
- $\sum_{i=1}^3 (2i^2 - 5i + 1)$
- $\sum_{j=1}^2 \sqrt{j+1}$
- $\sum_{j=1}^4 \sqrt{3j-2}$
- $\sum_{k=0}^5 \sin(k/10)$
- $\sum_{k=0}^5 \cos(k/10)$

23. $\sum_{i=0}^5 1/(2i + 1)$

24. $\sum_{i=0}^5 (3i - 5)/3$

25. $\sum_{j=1}^3 j^0$

26. $\sum_{j=1}^3 1$

Exercises 27–40: Evaluate each sum. Use (4)–(8) as needed.

27. $\sum_{j=1}^{25} j^2$

28. $\sum_{j=1}^{25} 3j^3$

29. $\sum_{j=1}^{10} j(j + 1)$

30. $\sum_{j=1}^{10} 2j(j - 1)$

31. $\sum_{j=1}^m j(2j + 3)$

32. $\sum_{j=1}^m j(3j - 1)$

33. $\sum_{j=1}^m 5j(3 - j^2)$

34. $\sum_{j=1}^m 3j(2 - j^2)$

35. $\sum_{j=1}^m j^2 + j + 1$

36. $\sum_{j=1}^m j^2 - j + 1$

37. $\sum_{j=1}^m j(7j + 3)^2$

38. $\sum_{j=1}^m j(2j - 1)^2$

39. $\sum_{j=3}^m (2j + 1)^4$

40. $\sum_{j=3}^m (3j + 5)^4$

Exercises 41–44: Use mathematical induction to prove that each formula holds for $m = 1, 2, \dots$. Proving a statement S_m by mathematical induction has two parts: (1) Show that S_1 is true; (2) show that, for any $k \geq 1$, if statement S_k is true, then so is S_{k+1} . Note that (1) and (2) together show that S_2 is true; applying (2) again shows that S_3 is true; and so on. A brief discussion of mathematical induction is given in the Appendix.

41. $\sum_{i=1}^m i = \frac{m(m + 1)}{2}$

42. $\sum_{i=1}^m i^2 = \frac{m(m + 1)(2m + 1)}{6}$

43. $\sum_{i=1}^m i^3 = \frac{m^2(m + 1)^2}{4}$

44. $\sum_{i=1}^m i^4 = \frac{m(m + 1)(2m + 1)(3m^2 + 3m - 1)}{30}$

45. Use the distributive property $a(b + c) = ab + ac$ in showing that (2) holds.

46. Prove that (3) holds using the following outline: First show that $|a + b| \leq |a| + |b|$ by considering cases $a, b \geq 0$; $a \geq 0, b < 0$; $a < 0, b \geq 0$; and $a < 0, b < 0$. Next, show that $|a + b + c| \leq |a| + |b| + |c|$, etc. *Hint:* Let $b + c = B$.

47. Show that the identity

$$\sin \alpha \sin \beta = \frac{\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\alpha + \beta)}{2}$$

holds by adding together expressions for $\cos(\alpha - \beta)$ and $\cos(\alpha + \beta)$.

48. Use the product-to-sum identity in Exercise 47 in proving (9), which is: for $m = 1, 2, \dots$ and $1/2x \neq 0, \pm\pi, \pm 2\pi, \dots$,

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \sin(ix) = \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{2}mx) \sin(\frac{1}{2}(m + 1)x)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)}.$$

Multiply both sides of this equation by $\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)$ and apply the product-to-difference identity to show that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^m \sin(ix) \sin(\frac{1}{2}x) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m (\cos(\frac{1}{2}(2i - 1)x) \\ &\quad - \cos(\frac{1}{2}(2i + 1)x)). \end{aligned}$$

Expand this sum and notice that because the terms adjacent to the + signs add to 0, the sum “telescopes” to two terms:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m (\cos(\frac{1}{2}(2i - 1)x) - \cos(\frac{1}{2}(2i + 1)x)) \\ = \frac{1}{2} (\cos(\frac{1}{2}x) - \cos(\frac{1}{2}(2m + 1)x)). \end{aligned}$$

Apply the product-to-difference identity again.

49. Show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \cos(ix) = \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{2}mx) \cos(\frac{1}{2}(m + 1)x)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)}.$$

Hint: Use the (other) product-to-sum identity

$$\sin \alpha \cos \beta = \frac{\sin(\alpha + \beta) + \sin(\alpha - \beta)}{2}$$

and adapt the outline in Exercise 48.