

Chapter 1

Exercise 1A

1. The initial case, where $n = 1$,

$$1 = \frac{1}{2}(1)(1+1)$$

is true.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + k = \frac{1}{2}k(k+1)$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + k + (k+1) &= \frac{1}{2}k(k+1) + (k+1) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}k + 1\right)(k+1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(k+2)(k+1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(k+1)((k+1)+1) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

2. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 1(1+1) \\ &= 2 \\ \text{R.H.S.} &= \frac{1}{3}(1+1)(1+2) \\ &= 2 \\ &= \text{L.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + k(k+1) = \frac{k}{3}(k+1)(k+2)$$

Then for $n = k + 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 + \dots + k(k+1) + (k+1)(k+2) &= \frac{k}{3}(k+1)(k+2) + (k+1)(k+2) \\ &= \left(\frac{k}{3} + 1\right)(k+1)(k+2) \\ &= \frac{1}{3}(k+3)(k+1)(k+2) \\ &= \frac{k+1}{3}(k+2)(k+3) \\ &= \frac{k+1}{3}((k+1)+1)((k+1)+2) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

3. The initial case, where $n = 1$ is given:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^1) = 1$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^k) = kx^{k-1}$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx}(x^{k+1}) &= \frac{d}{dx}(xx^k) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(x)(x^k) + (x)\left(\frac{d}{dx}(x^k)\right) \\ &= x^k + x(kx^{k-1}) \\ &= x^k + kx^k \\ &= (k+1)x^k \\ &= (k+1)x^{(k+1)-1} \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

4. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$2 = 2^2 - 2$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$2 + 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^k = 2^{k+1} - 2$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 + 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^k + 2^{k+1} &= 2^{k+1} - 2 + 2^{k+1} \\ &= 2(2^{k+1}) - 2 \\ &= 2^{(k+1)+1} - 2 \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

5. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 1(1+1)^3 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S.} &= \frac{1^2}{4}(1+1)(1+2)^2 \\ &= 1 \\ &= \text{L.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + 4^3 + \dots + k^3 = \frac{k^2}{4}(k+1)^2$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + 4^3 + \dots + k^3 + (k+1)^3 &= \frac{k^2}{4}(k+1)^2 + (k+1)^3 \\ &= \frac{k^2}{4}(k+1)^2 + (k+1)^3 \\ &= \frac{k^2}{4}(k+1)^2 + (k+1)(k+1)^2 \\ &= \frac{k^2 + 4(k+1)}{4}(k+1)^2 \\ &= \frac{k^2 + 4k + 4}{4}(k+1)^2 \\ &= \frac{(k+2)^2}{4}(k+1)^2 \\ &= \frac{(k+1)^2}{4}(k+2)^2 \\ &= \frac{(k+1)^2}{4}((k+1)+1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

6. (a) For $n = 2$, $(2n - 1) = 4 - 1 = 3$ and $n^2 = 4$ hence

$$1 + 3 = 4$$

is consistent with the rule.

For $n = 3$, $(2n - 1) = 6 - 1 = 5$ and $n^2 = 9$ hence

$$1 + 3 + 5 = 9$$

is consistent with the rule.

Verify the other statements similarly.

- (b) The initial case, where $n = 1$: $2n - 1 = 1$ and

$$1 = 1^2$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + (2k - 1) = k^2$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + (2k - 1) + (2(k+1) - 1) &= k^2 + (2(k+1) - 1) \\ &= k^2 + 2k + 2 - 1 \\ &= k^2 + 2k + 1 \\ &= (k+1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

7. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{2-1}{2}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^k} = \frac{2^k - 1}{2^k}$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^k} + \frac{1}{2^{k+1}} &= \frac{2^k - 1}{2^k} + \frac{1}{2^{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{2(2^k - 1)}{2^{k+1}} + \frac{1}{2^{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{2(2^k - 1) + 1}{2^{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{2^{k+1} - 2 + 1}{2^{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{2^{k+1} - 1}{2^{k+1}} \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

8. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\frac{1}{1(1+1)} = \frac{1}{1+1}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$\frac{1}{1 \times 2} + \frac{1}{2 \times 3} + \frac{1}{3 \times 4} + \dots + \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{k}{k+1}$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1 \times 2} + \frac{1}{2 \times 3} + \dots + \frac{1}{k(k+1)} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} &= \frac{k}{k+1} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k(k+2)}{(k+1)(k+2)} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k(k+2) + 1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k^2 + 2k + 1}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{(k+1)^2}{(k+1)(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{k+1}{k+2} \\ &= \frac{k+1}{(k+1)+1} \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

9. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 1(1+2)(1+4) \\ &= 10 \\ \text{R.H.S.} &= \frac{1}{4}(1+1)(1+4)(1+5) \\ &= 10 \\ &= \text{L.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times 3 \times 5 + 2 \times 4 \times 6 + \dots + k(k+2)(k+4) \\ = \frac{k}{4}(k+1)(k+4)(k+5) \end{aligned}$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times 3 \times 5 + 2 \times 4 \times 6 + \dots \\ + k(k+2)(k+4) + (k+1)(k+3)(k+5) \\ = \frac{k}{4}(k+1)(k+4)(k+5) + (k+1)(k+3)(k+5) \\ = (k+1)(k+5) \left(\frac{k}{4}(k+4) + (k+3) \right) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}(k+5)(k(k+4) + 4(k+3)) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}((k+1)+4)(k^2+4k+4k+12) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}((k+1)+4)(k^2+8k+12) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}((k+1)+4)(k+2)(k+6) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}((k+1)+4)((k+1)+1)((k+1)+5) \\ = \frac{k+1}{4}((k+1)+1)((k+1)+4)((k+1)+5) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

10. The initial case, where $n = 1$: $(x - 1)$ is a factor of $x^1 - 1$ since $x - 1 = x^1 - 1$.

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$x^k - 1 = a(x - 1)$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} x^{k+1} - 1 &= x(x^k) - 1 \\ &= x(x^k - 1 + 1) - 1 \\ &= x(x^k - 1) + x - 1 \\ &= ax(x - 1) + (x - 1) \\ &= (ax + 1)(x - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

11. The initial case here is where $n = 7$, the first integer value satisfying $n > 6$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 7 \\ &= 5040 \\ \text{R.H.S.} &= 3^7 \\ &= 2187 \\ 5040 &> 2187 \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$; $k > 6$, i.e.

$$1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \dots \times k \geq 3^k$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \dots \times k(k+1) &\geq 3^k(k+1) \\ 3^k(k+1) &= 3^{k+1} \frac{k+1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

Now $k > 6$

$$k+1 > 7$$

$$\frac{k+1}{3} > 1$$

$$\therefore 3^k(k+1) > 3^{k+1}$$

$$\therefore 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \dots \times k(k+1) > 3^{k+1}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 7$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n > 6$. \square

12. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} 7^1 + 2 \times 13^1 &= 7 + 26 \\ &= 33 \\ &= 3 \times 11 \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$7^k + 2 \times 13^k = 3a, \quad a \in \mathbb{I}$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 7^{k+1} + 2 \times 13^{k+1} &= 7 \times 7^k + 13 \times 2 \times 13^k \\ &= 7 \times 7^k + (7+6) \times 2 \times 13^k \\ &= 7 \times 7^k + 7 \times 2 \times 13^k + 12 \times 13^k \\ &= 7(7^k + 2 \times 13^k) + 3(4 \times 13^k) \\ &= 7(3a) + 3(4 \times 13^k) \\ &= 3(7a + 4 \times 13^k) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

13. The initial case, where $n = 1$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L.H.S.} &= 2 \\ \text{R.H.S.} &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{1+1}2^1) \\ &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + 2) \\ &= 2 \\ &= \text{L.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

The statement is true for the initial case.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$2 - 4 + 8 - 16 + \dots + (-1)^{k+1}2^k = \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k)$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 - 4 + 8 - 16 + \dots + (-1)^{k+1}2^k + (-1)^{k+2}2^{k+1} \\ &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k) + (-1)^{k+2}2^{k+1} \\ &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k) + (-1)(-1)^{k+1}(2)2^k \\ &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k) - 2(-1)^{k+1}2^k \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2 \left(\frac{1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k}{3} - (-1)^{k+1}2^k \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k}{3} - \frac{3(-1)^{k+1}2^k}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 + (-1)^{k+1}2^k - 3(-1)^{k+1}2^k}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 - 2(-1)^{k+1}2^k}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 - (-1)^{k+1}2^{k+1}}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 + (-1)(-1)^{k+1}2^{k+1}}{3} \right) \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{1 + (-1)^{(k+1)+1}2^{k+1}}{3} \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{3}(1 + (-1)^{(k+1)+1}2^{k+1}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Hence since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square

Miscellaneous Exercise 1

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \quad (\text{a}) \quad (7 + 3i)(7 - 3i) &= 7^2 - (3i)^2 \\ &= 49 + 9 \\ &= 58 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{b}) \quad (5 + i)(5 - i) &= 5^2 - (i)^2 \\ &= 25 + 1 \\ &= 26 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{c}) \quad (3 + 2i)(2 - 3i) &= 6 - 9i + 4i - 6i^2 \\ &= 6 - 5i + 6 \\ &= 12 - 5i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{d}) \quad (1 - 5i)^2 &= 1 - 10i + 25i^2 \\ &= 1 - 10i - 25 \\ &= -24 - 10i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{e}) \quad \frac{3 - 2i}{2 + i} &= \frac{(3 - 2i)(2 - i)}{(2 + i)(2 - i)} \\ &= \frac{6 - 3i - 4i + 2i^2}{4 - i^2} \\ &= \frac{6 - 7i - 2}{4 + 1} \\ &= \frac{4 - 7i}{5} \\ &= 0.8 - 1.4i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{f}) \quad \frac{1 + 2i}{3 - 4i} &= \frac{(1 + 2i)(3 + 4i)}{(3 - 4i)(3 + 4i)} \\ &= \frac{3 + 4i + 6i + 8i^2}{9 - 16i^2} \\ &= \frac{3 + 10i - 8}{9 + 16} \\ &= \frac{-5 + 10i}{25} \\ &= \frac{-1 + 2i}{5} \\ &= -0.2 + 0.4i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2. \quad (\text{a}) \quad z + w &= 3 - 4i - 4 + 5i \\ &= -1 + i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{b}) \quad zw &= (3 - 4i)(-4 + 5i) \\ &= -12 + 15i + 16i - 20i^2 \\ &= -12 + 31i + 20 \\ &= 8 + 31i \end{aligned}$$

$$(\text{c}) \quad \bar{z} = 3 + 4i$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{d}) \quad z^2 &= (3 - 4i)^2 \\ &= 9 - 24i + 16i^2 \\ &= 9 - 24i - 16 \\ &= -7 - 24i \end{aligned}$$

$$(e) \quad \overline{z\bar{w}} = \overline{(8 + 31i)} \\ = 8 - 31i$$

$$(f) \quad \bar{z}\bar{w} = (3 + 4i)(-4 - 5i) \\ = -12 - 15i - 16i - 20i^2 \\ = -12 - 31i + 20 \\ = 8 - 31i$$

$$(g) \quad q = \operatorname{Re}(\bar{w}) + \operatorname{Im}(\bar{z})i \\ = \operatorname{Re}(-4 - 5i) + \operatorname{Im}(3 + 4i)i \\ = -4 + 4i$$

$$3. \quad (1 + i)^5 = 1 + 5(i) + 10(i^2) + 10(i^3) + 5(i^4) + i^5 \\ = 1 + 5i - 10 - 10i + 5 + i \\ = -4 - 4i$$

$$4. \quad (1 - 3i)^3 = 1^3 + 3(1^2)(-3i) + 3(1)(-3i)^2 + (-3i)^3 \\ = 1 - 9i + 27i^2 - 27i^3 \\ = 1 - 9i - 27 + 27i \\ = -26 + 18i$$

$$\therefore \operatorname{Im}(1 - 3i)^3 = 18$$

$$5. \quad (a) \quad 3 \times 2 = 6$$

$$(b) \quad \operatorname{Re}((3 - 2i)(2 + i)) = \operatorname{Re}(6 + 3i - 4i - 2i^2) \\ = \operatorname{Re}(6 + -i + 2) \\ = 8$$

6. No working required.

7. (a) No working required.

$$(b) \quad 6 \operatorname{cis} \frac{5\pi}{3} = 6 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{5\pi}{3} - 2\pi \right) \\ = 6 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{5\pi}{3} - \frac{6\pi}{3} \right) \\ = 6 \operatorname{cis} \left(-\frac{\pi}{3} \right)$$

8. (a) No working required

(b) No working required

$$(c) \quad zw = (8 \times 2) \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ = 16 \operatorname{cis} \frac{13\pi}{12} \\ = 16 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{13\pi}{12} - 2\pi \right) \\ = 16 \operatorname{cis} \left(-\frac{11\pi}{12} \right)$$

(d) Use the commutative property of multiplication and no working is needed.

$$(e) \quad iw = \left(\operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \left(2 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ = 2 \operatorname{cis} \frac{5\pi}{6}$$

$$(f) \quad iz = 8 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{3\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \\ = 8 \operatorname{cis} \frac{5\pi}{4} \\ = 8 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{5\pi}{4} - 2\pi \right) \\ = 8 \operatorname{cis} \left(-\frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$(g) \quad \frac{z}{w} = \frac{8}{2} \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ = 4 \operatorname{cis} \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

(h) No working required.

9. The initial case, where $n = 1$,

$$\text{L.H.S.} = 5(1 + 2^0) + 2 \\ = 12$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = 1(1 + 6) + 5(2^1 - 1) \\ = 7 + 5 \\ = 12 \\ = \text{L.H.S.}$$

is true.

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$, i.e.

$$12 + 19 + 31 + 53 + \dots + (5(1 + 2^{k-1}) + 2k) \\ = k(k + 6) + 5(2^k - 1)$$

Then for $n = k + 1$

$$12 + 19 + 31 + 53 + \dots + (5(1 + 2^{k-1}) + 2k) \\ + (5(1 + 2^k) + 2(k + 1)) \\ = k(k + 6) + 5(2^k - 1) + 5(1 + 2^k) + 2(k + 1) \\ = k(k + 6) + 5 \times 2^k - 5 + 5 + 5 \times 2^k + 2k + 2 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5 \times 2^k + 5 \times 2^k + 2k + 2 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5 \times 2 \times 2^k + 2k + 2 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5 \times 2^{k+1} + 2k + 2 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5 \times 2^{k+1} - 5 + 5 + 2k + 2 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5(2^{k+1} - 1) + 2k + 7 \\ = k(k + 6) + 5(2^{k+1} - 1) + (k + 6) + (k + 1) \\ = (k + 1)(k + 6) + 5(2^{k+1} - 1) + (k + 1) \\ = (k + 1)(k + 7) + 5(2^{k+1} - 1) \\ = (k + 1)((k + 1) + 6) + 5(2^{k+1} - 1)$$

Thus if the statement is true for $n = k$ it is also true for $n = k + 1$.

Since the statement is true for $n = 1$ it follows by induction that it is true for all integer $n \geq 1$. \square