

1. Expand this series and find the sum:  $\sum_{n=3}^6(10 - n)$

2.. The population of a town is increasing by 10% every year. There are 8000 residents of this town currently.

a. Use this information to project this town's population in 5 years. Show your methods.

b. Write a function rule that models this situation.

c. Write a recursive definition for the revenue from the performances. Then find a general formula for the  $t_n$  in terms of  $n$ , and use the general formula to find the 10<sup>th</sup> term.

d. How does the general formula compare with the function rule you found in part b?

3. A submarine is using fuel as it travels underwater. The amount of fuel in its storage tank is 80% of the prior day's amount. If the submarine has 4000 gallons of fuel, then how much fuel will be in the fuel tank after one week? Justify your answer.

4. Derive a general formula for the sum of any geometric series of  $n$  terms with first term  $t_1$  and common ratio  $r$ .

5. Consider the following geometric series:

$$3 + 9 + 27 + 81 + 243 + 729$$

a. Using the general formula you derived in the previous problem, find the sum for this geometric series.

b. Express this geometric series in sigma notation from  $n = 1$  to  $n = 6$ .

c. Verify the sum of the series using sigma notation.