

Section 10.2

$$\begin{aligned}
 3.) \quad S_n &= 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{8} + (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \\
 &= 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \dots + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} \\
 &= \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{(n-1)+1}}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n}{3/2} \rightarrow
 \end{aligned}$$

$$S_n = \frac{2}{3} \left(1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n\right); \text{ then sum of series is}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{3} \left(1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n\right) = \frac{2}{3} (1 - 0) = \frac{2}{3}$$

5.) (HINT: Use partial fractions)

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)} = \frac{A}{n+1} + \frac{B}{n+2} \rightarrow A(n+2) + B(n+1) = 1$$

$$\text{Let } n = -2: -B = 1 \rightarrow B = -1$$

$$\text{Let } n = -1: A = 1; \text{ then partial sum}$$

$$S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)} = \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{k+1} + \frac{-1}{k+2} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5}\right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1}\right) \\
 &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2}\right) \rightarrow
 \end{aligned}$$

$$S_n = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n+2}; \text{ then sum of series is}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n+2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} - 0 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 7.) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{4^n} &= 1 + \frac{-1}{4} + \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{-1}{4^3} + \frac{1}{4^4} + \frac{-1}{4^5} + \dots \\
 &= 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)^3 + \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)^4 + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)} = \frac{1}{5/4} = \frac{4}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 8.) \quad \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4^n} &= \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{1}{4^3} + \frac{1}{4^4} + \frac{1}{4^5} + \dots \\
 &= \frac{1}{4^2} \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^3 + \dots \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{16} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)} = \frac{1}{16} \cdot \frac{4}{3} = \frac{1}{12}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 12.) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{5}{2^n} - \frac{1}{3^n} \right) &= 5 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n} \\
 &= 5 \left(1 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \dots \right) - \left(1 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^2 + \dots \right) \\
 &= 5 \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} - \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)} \\
 &= 5 \cdot (2) - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{17}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 14.) \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2^{n+1}}{5^n} \right) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \cdot \frac{2^n}{5^n} \\
 &= 2 \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{2}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 + \dots \right] \\
 &= 2 \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{2}{5}} = 2 \cdot \frac{5}{3} = \frac{10}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

16.) $r = -3 \leq -1$, so series diverges

17.) $r = \frac{1}{8}$, $-1 < r < 1$, so series converges

18.) $r = -\frac{2}{3}$, $-1 < r < 1$, so series converges

20.) $0.234234234\dots$

$$= \frac{234}{1000} + \frac{234}{1,000,000} + \frac{234}{1,000,000,000} + \dots$$

$$= 234 \left(\frac{1}{10^3} + \frac{1}{10^6} + \frac{1}{10^9} + \frac{1}{10^{12}} + \dots \right)$$

$$= (234) \left(\frac{1}{10^3} \right) \cdot \left[1 + \frac{1}{10^3} + \frac{1}{10^6} + \frac{1}{10^9} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{234}{1000} \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{1000} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{1000} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{1000} \right)^3 + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{234}{1000} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{1000}} = \frac{234}{999} = \frac{26}{111}$$

21.) $0.7777\dots$

$$= \frac{7}{10} + \frac{7}{100} + \frac{7}{1000} + \frac{7}{10,000} + \dots$$

$$= \frac{7}{10} \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{10} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{10} \right)^3 + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{10}} = \frac{7}{10} \cdot \frac{10}{9} = \frac{7}{9}$$

$$28.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n(n+1)}{(n+2)(n+3)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2+n}{n^2+5n+6} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{n^2}}{\frac{1}{n^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \frac{1}{n}}{1 + \frac{5}{n} + \frac{6}{n^2}} = \frac{1+0}{1+0+0} = 1 \neq 0,$$

so series diverges

$$30.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^2+3} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{n^2}}{\frac{1}{n^2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n}}{1 + \frac{3}{n^2}} = \frac{0}{1+0} = 0$$

so n th-term test is inconclusive

$$31.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos \frac{1}{n} = \cos 0 = 1 \neq 0,$$

so series diverges

$$32.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^n}{e^n+1} \stackrel{\text{"}\infty\text{"}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^n}{e^n+1} \stackrel{\text{"}\infty\text{"}}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^n}{e^n} = 1 \neq 0$$

so series diverges.

$$33.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln \frac{1}{n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\ln 1 - \ln n)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-\ln n) = -\infty \neq 0,$$

so series diverges

$$34.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \cos n\pi \text{ DNE so } \neq 0$$

since $\cos 2n\pi$: $\cos \pi, \cos 2\pi, \cos 3\pi, \dots$

$\rightarrow -1, 1, -1, 1, -1, 1, \dots$; so

series diverges

$$35.) S_n = (1 - \frac{1}{2}) + (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}) + (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}) + \dots \\ + (\frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n}) + (\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1}), \text{ i.e.,}$$

$$S_n = 1 - \frac{1}{n+1} ; \text{ then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \frac{1}{n+1})$$

= 1 - (0) = 1, so series converges with sum of 1

$$39.) S_n = (\arccos \frac{1}{2} - \arccos \frac{1}{3}) \\ + (\arccos \frac{1}{3} - \arccos \frac{1}{4}) + (\arccos \frac{1}{4} - \arccos \frac{1}{5}) + \dots \\ + (\arccos \frac{1}{n} - \arccos \frac{1}{n+1}) + (\arccos \frac{1}{n+1} - \arccos \frac{1}{n+2}), \text{ i.e.,}$$

$$S_n = \arccos \frac{1}{2} - \arccos \frac{1}{n+2} = \frac{\pi}{3} - \arccos \frac{1}{n+2} ;$$

$$\text{then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\frac{\pi}{3} - \arccos \frac{1}{n+2})$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} - \arccos 0 = \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{2\pi}{6} - \frac{3\pi}{6} = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$

so series converges with sum of $-\frac{\pi}{6}$.

$$40.) S_n = (\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{4}) + (\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{5}) + (\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6}) + \dots \\ + (\sqrt{n+3} - \sqrt{n+2}) + (\sqrt{n+4} - \sqrt{n+3}), \text{ i.e.,}$$

$$S_n = \sqrt{n+4} - \sqrt{4} = \sqrt{n+4} - 2 ; \text{ then}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{n+4} - 2) = \infty - 2 = \infty,$$

so series diverges

42.) (HINT: Use partial fractions)

$$\frac{6}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \frac{A}{2n-1} + \frac{B}{2n+1}$$

$$= \frac{A(2n+1) + B(2n-1)}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} \rightarrow$$

$$A(2n+1) + B(2n-1) = 6 ;$$

$$\text{Let } x = \frac{1}{2} : 2A = 6 \rightarrow A = 3$$

$$\text{Let } x = -\frac{1}{2} : -2B = 6 \rightarrow B = -3 ; \text{ then}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{2n-1} + \frac{-3}{2n+1} \right) ;$$

$$S_1 = 3 + (-1) = 2 ,$$

$$S_2 = (3 + \cancel{(-1)}) + (\cancel{1} + (-\frac{3}{5})) = 3 - \frac{3}{5} ,$$

$$S_3 = (3 + \cancel{(-1)}) + (\cancel{1} + \cancel{(-\frac{3}{5})}) + (\frac{3}{5} + \cancel{(-\frac{3}{7})}) = 3 - \frac{3}{7} ,$$

$$S_4 = (3 + \cancel{(-1)}) + (\cancel{1} + \cancel{(-\frac{3}{5})}) + (\cancel{\frac{3}{5}} + \cancel{(-\frac{3}{7})}) + (\frac{3}{7} + \cancel{(-\frac{3}{9})}) = 3 - \frac{3}{9} ,$$

⋮

$$S_n = 3 - \frac{3}{2n+1} ; \text{ and by sequence of partial sums series converges since}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(3 - \frac{3}{2n+1} \right) = 3 - 0 = 3$$

$$45.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right) ;$$

$$S_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} ,$$

$$S_2 = (1 - \cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}) + (\cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} ,$$

$$S_3 = (1 - \cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}) + (\cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} - \cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}) + (\cancel{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}}) = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} ,$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dots \\ S_n &= 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} ; \text{ and by sequence} \\ &\text{of partial sums series } \underline{\text{converges}} \text{ since} \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1}} \right) \\ &= 1 - 0 = 1 . \end{aligned}$$

$$50.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\sqrt{2})^n ; \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{2})^n = \infty \neq 0$$

so series diverges by n th-term test.

$$\begin{aligned} 51.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \cdot \frac{3}{2^n} &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \cdot (-1) \cdot \frac{3}{2^n} \\ &= -3 \cdot \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^n \text{ so series } \underline{\text{converges}} \end{aligned}$$

by geometric series test since $r = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $-1 < r < 1$ with value

$$\begin{aligned} -3 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^n &= -3 \cdot \left[\left(\frac{-1}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^3 + \dots \right] \\ &= (-3) \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right) \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)^3 + \dots \right] \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{-1}{2} \right)} = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{3} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$52.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \cdot n ; \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (-1)^{n+1} \cdot n \neq 0$$

so series diverges by n th-term test.

$$54.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\cos 2n\pi}{5^n} = \frac{\cos 0}{1} + \frac{\cos 2\pi}{5} + \frac{\cos 4\pi}{5^2} + \dots$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{5^2} - \frac{1}{5^3} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) + \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)^2 + \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)^3 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - (-1/5)} = \frac{5}{6} \text{ so series converges}$$

by geometric series test since $r = -1/5$ and $-1 < r < 1$

$$59.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^n - 1}{3^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n \right] \text{ (converges)}$$

(geo. series)

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n = \frac{1}{1 - 2/3} - \frac{1}{1 - 1/3} = 3 - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$60.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^n ; \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{(-1)}{n}\right)^n = e^{-1} \neq 0 \text{ so}$$

series diverges by n th-term test

$$62.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{n!} = \frac{1}{1} + \frac{2 \cdot 2}{2 \cdot 1} + \frac{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}{3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} + \frac{4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} + \dots$$

$$> 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots \text{ so series}$$

diverges by comparison to a divergent series

$$64.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2^n + 4^n}{3^n + 4^n} \cdot \frac{1/4^n}{1/4^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n + 1}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n + 1} = \frac{0+1}{0+1} = 1 \neq 0$$

so $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + 4^n}{3^n + 4^n}$ diverges by n th-term test

$$65.) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \ln \left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\ln n - \ln(n+1));$$

$$S_1 = \ln 1 - \ln 2 = -\ln 2$$

$$S_2 = (\ln 1 - \ln 2) + (\ln 2 - \ln 3) = -\ln 3,$$

$$S_3 = (\ln 1 - \ln 2) + (\ln 2 - \ln 3) + (\ln 3 - \ln 4)$$

$$= -\ln 4,$$

⋮

$S_n = -\ln(n+1)$; and by sequence of partial sums series diverges since

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \ln \left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} -\ln(n+1) = -\infty$$

$$67.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{e}{\pi} \right)^n = 1 + \left(\frac{e}{\pi} \right) + \left(\frac{e}{\pi} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{e}{\pi} \right)^3 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{e}{\pi} \right)} = \frac{\pi}{\pi - e} \quad \text{so series}$$

converges by geometric series test since $r = \frac{e}{\pi}$ and $-1 < r < 1$.

$$83.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^n \text{ and } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^n \text{ both converge}$$

$$\text{BUT } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^n}{\left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{2} \right)^n \text{ diverges}$$

$$84.) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^n = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} = 2 \text{ and}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n = \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{3}{2}, \text{ BUT}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^n = \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{6}} = \frac{1}{\frac{5}{6}}$$

$$= \frac{6}{5} \neq (2)\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) = 3.$$

85.) SEE examples in problem 84.)

$$\text{Then } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n = \frac{1}{1-\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}} = 3 \neq \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$

86.) If $\sum a_n$ converges and $a_n > 0$,
then $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$. Thus,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{a_n} = \frac{1}{0^+} = +\infty \neq 0 \text{ so}$$

$\sum \frac{1}{a_n}$ diverges by the n th-term test.

87.) If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \infty$ and $\sum_{n=1}^k b_n = b_1 + b_2 + \dots + b_k = L$

then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \pm \sum_{n=1}^k b_n = \infty \pm L = \infty$, so new series still diverges

88.) If $\sum a_n = L$ and $\sum b_n = \infty$, then
 $\sum (a_n + b_n) = \infty$ (diverges); if
 $\sum (a_n + b_n) = M$ (finite), then

$$\begin{aligned}\sum b_n &= \sum [(a_n + b_n) - a_n] \\ &= \sum (a_n + b_n) - \sum a_n = M - L \text{ (finite)}\end{aligned}$$

would be a contradiction

89.) a.) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2r^{n-1} = 2(1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots)$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{1}{1-r} = 5 \rightarrow \frac{2}{5} = 1-r \rightarrow$$

$$r = 1 - \frac{2}{5} = \frac{3}{5} \rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2\left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^{n-1}$$

90.) $1 + e^b + e^{2b} + e^{3b} + \dots = 9 \rightarrow$

$$1 + (e^b) + (e^b)^2 + (e^b)^3 + \dots = 9 \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{1-e^b} = 9 \rightarrow \frac{1}{9} = 1-e^b \rightarrow$$

$$e^b = \frac{8}{9} \rightarrow b = \ln\left(\frac{8}{9}\right).$$

$$91.) \quad 1 + 2r + r^2 + 2r^3 + r^4 + 2r^5 + \dots$$

$$= 1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + r^4 + r^5 +$$

$$+ r + r^3 + r^5 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-r} + r(1 + r^2 + r^4 + r^6 + \dots)$$

for $-1 < r < 1$

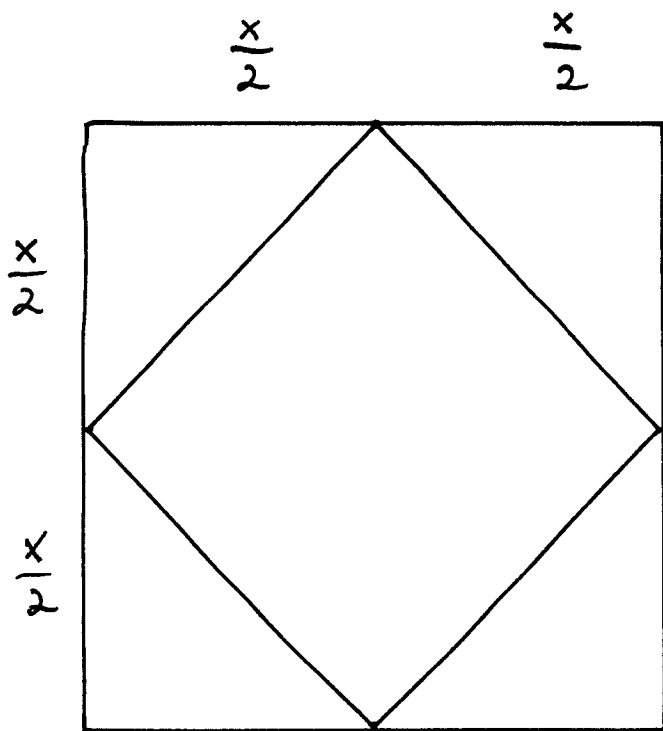
$$= \frac{1}{1-r} + r(1 + (r^2) + (r^2)^2 + (r^2)^3 + \dots)$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-r} + r \cdot \frac{1}{1-r^2} \quad \text{for } -1 < r < 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-r} \cdot \frac{1+r}{1+r} + \frac{r}{1-r^2}$$

$$= \frac{1+r}{1-r^2} + \frac{r}{1-r^2} = \frac{1+2r}{1-r^2} \quad \text{for } -1 < r < 1$$

92.)



assume big square is x by x , then area of inscribed square is

$$\text{Area} = x^2 - 4 \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} x^2 ;$$

inscribed square is $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x$ by $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} x ;$

then sum of areas of all squares
is

$$\begin{aligned} S &= (2)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot 2\right)^2 + \left(\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 \cdot 2\right)^2 \\ &\quad + \left(\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^3 \cdot 2\right)^2 + \left(\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^4 \cdot 2\right)^2 + \dots \\ &= 4 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 \cdot (4) + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^4 \cdot (4) + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^6 \cdot (4) + \dots \\ &= 4 \cdot \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots\right] \\ &= 4 \cdot \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \dots\right] \\ &= 4 \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = 8 \text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$