

Q 7. Which term of AP 15, 30, 45, 60 ... is 300?  
Hence, find the sum of all the terms of the AP.

$$a = 15$$
$$d = 30 - 15 = 15$$

$$a_n = 300$$
$$a + (n-1)d = 300$$
$$15 + (n-1)15 = 300$$
$$15(n-1) = 285$$
$$n-1 = 19$$
$$n = 20$$

$$a_{20} = 300$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a + a_n)$$

$$S_{20} = \frac{20}{2} (15 + 300)$$
$$= 10 \times 315 = 3150$$

$$\text{Sum of AP} = 3150$$

Q8 The  $n$ th term of an AP is given by the relation  $a_n = 6(7-n)$ . Find

- i) its first term and common difference
- ii) sum of its first 25 terms.

$$a_n = 6(7-n)$$

$$a_1 = 6(7-1) \\ = 36$$

$$a_2 = 6(7-2) \\ = 6 \times 5 \\ = 30$$

$$d = a_2 - a_1 \\ = -36 + 30$$

$$d = -6$$

$$a = 36$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} [2(36) + (25-1)(-6)]$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} [72 - 144]$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} \times \frac{108}{-2} = -2700$$

$$= \frac{25}{2} \times (-72)^{36}$$

$$= 25 \times (-36)$$

$$= -900$$

Sum of 25 terms of AP = -900

- 89 i) Write the  $n$ th term of an AP consisting of all whole numbers which are divisible by 3 and 7.
- ii) How many of these are two digit numbers? Write them
- iii) Find the sum of first 10 term of this AP

whole numbers which are divisible by 3 and 7 are 21, 42, 63, ...

$$a = 21$$

$$d = 42 - 21$$

$$= 21$$

$$a_n = a + (n - 1)d$$

$$a_n = 21 + (n - 1)21$$

$$a_n = 21 + 21n - 21$$

$$= 21n$$

i)  $a_n = 21n$

AP  $\Rightarrow$  21, 42, 63, 84, 105

$$a_n < 100$$

$$21 + (n - 1)21 < 100$$

$$21n < 100$$

$$n < 100$$

$$\overline{21}$$

$$n < 4.76$$

ii) ∴ 4 2 digit numbers are: 21, 42, 63, 84

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [a + a_n]$$

$$S_n = \frac{10}{2} [a + a_{10}]$$

$$= 5 [21 + 21 + (10 - 1)d]$$

$$= 5 [42 + 9 \times 21]$$

$$= 5 [42 + 189]$$

$$= 5 \times 231$$

$$= 1155$$

iii) Sum of first 10 terms of AP: 1155

Q10. The 5th term and 9th term of an AP are 4 and -12 respectively. Find.

- i) the first term
- ii) common difference
- iii) sum of 16 terms of the AP

$$a_5 = 4$$

$$a_9 = -12$$

$$a_5 = a + 4d = 4 \quad \text{--- a)}$$

$$a_9 = a + 8d = -12 \quad \text{--- b)}$$

on subtracting Eq.(a) from Eq.(b)  
we get:

$$4d = -16$$

$$d = -4$$

$$a + 4(-4) = 4$$

$$a = 4 + 16 = 20$$

- i) First term = 20
- ii) Common difference = -4
- iii) Sum of 16 terms of AP