

8.2 Answers to 8.1 Homework (Revision)

GCSE Mathematics Iteration

Answer 1

$$U_1 = 124, \quad U_{n+1} = \frac{U_n + 5}{3}$$

U_1	U_2	U_3	U_4	U_5	U_6
124	43	16	7	4	3

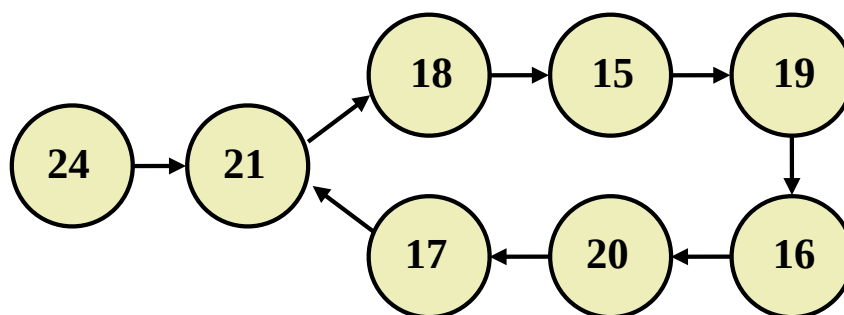
[7 marks]

Answer 2

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{(i)} & 4 \times \left(\frac{3}{4} + 1 \right) \\ & = 3 + 4 \\ & = 7 \\ \text{(ii)} & \left(5 + \frac{3}{7} \right) \times 7 \\ & = 35 + 3 \\ & = 38 \end{array}$$

[4 marks]

Answer 3



[8 marks]

Answer 4

$$\text{(i)} \quad \left(4 + \frac{1}{6} \right) \times 6 = 24 + 1 = 25$$

[2 marks]

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \frac{\left(3 + \frac{2}{7} \right)}{4} \times \frac{7}{7} = \frac{21 + 2}{28} = \frac{23}{28}$$

[2 marks]

Answer 5

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{16} \quad A_{n+1} = \frac{4}{3} A_n$$

$$A_2 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{16} = \frac{1}{12}$$

$$A_3 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{12} = \frac{1}{9}$$

$$A_4 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{1}{9} = \frac{4}{27}$$

$$A_5 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{4}{27} = \frac{16}{81}$$

$$A_6 = \frac{4}{3} \times \frac{16}{81} = \frac{64}{243}$$

A_1	A_2	A_3	A_4	A_5	A_6
$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{12}$	$\frac{1}{9}$	$\frac{4}{27}$	$\frac{16}{81}$	$\frac{64}{243}$

[7 marks]

Answer 6

$$(i) \quad \frac{\left(\frac{3}{8} + 2\right)}{5} \times \frac{8}{8} = \frac{3 + 16}{40} = \frac{19}{40}$$

[2 marks]

$$(ii) \quad \frac{\left(5 + \frac{7}{4}\right)}{11} \times \frac{4}{4} = \frac{20 + 7}{44} = \frac{27}{44}$$

[2 marks]

$$(iii) \quad \frac{\left(4 + \frac{2}{3}\right)}{5} \times \frac{3}{3} = \frac{12 + 2}{15} = \frac{14}{15}$$

[2 marks]

Answer 7

$$(i) \quad \frac{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)}{3} \times \frac{2}{2} = \frac{2 - 1}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

[2 marks]

$$(ii) \quad B_1 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad B_{n+1} = \frac{1 - B_n}{3}$$

$$B_2 = \frac{1}{6} \text{ (from part (i))}$$

$$B_3 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{1}{6}\right)}{3} \times \frac{6}{6} = \frac{6 - 1}{18} = \frac{5}{18}$$

$$B_4 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{5}{18}\right)}{3} \times \frac{18}{18} = \frac{18 - 5}{54} = \frac{13}{54}$$

$$B_5 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{13}{54}\right)}{3} \times \frac{54}{54} = \frac{54 - 13}{162} = \frac{41}{162}$$

$$B_6 = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{41}{162}\right)}{3} \times \frac{162}{162} = \frac{162 - 41}{486} = \frac{121}{486}$$

B_1	B_2	B_3	B_4	B_5	B_6
$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{5}{18}$	$\frac{13}{54}$	$\frac{41}{162}$	$\frac{121}{486}$

[7 marks]

Answer 8

$$(i) \quad \frac{1}{\left(\frac{5}{3} + 4\right)} \times \frac{3}{3} = \frac{3}{5 + 12} = \frac{3}{17}$$

[2 marks]

$$(ii) \quad \frac{5}{\left(\frac{7}{8} + 2\right)} \times \frac{8}{8} = \frac{40}{7 + 16} = \frac{40}{23}$$

[2 marks]

$$(iii) \quad \frac{9}{\left(\frac{7}{5} - 1\right)} \times \frac{5}{5} = \frac{45}{7 - 5} = \frac{45}{2}$$

[2 marks]

Answer 9

$$(i) \quad \frac{2}{\left(3 + \frac{2}{3}\right)} \times \frac{3}{3} = \frac{6}{9 + 2} = \frac{6}{11}$$

[2 marks]

$$(ii) \quad Z_1 = 0, \quad Z_{n+1} = \frac{2}{3 + Z_n}$$

$$Z_2 = \frac{2}{3 + 0} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$Z_3 = \frac{6}{11} \quad (\text{from part (i)})$$

$$Z_4 = \frac{2}{\left(3 + \frac{6}{11}\right)} \times \frac{11}{11} = \frac{22}{33 + 6} = \frac{22}{39}$$

$$Z_5 = \frac{2}{\left(3 + \frac{22}{39}\right)} \times \frac{39}{39} = \frac{78}{117 + 22} = \frac{78}{139}$$

$$Z_6 = \frac{2}{\left(3 + \frac{78}{139}\right)} \times \frac{139}{139} = \frac{278}{417 + 78} = \frac{278}{495}$$

Z_1	Z_2	Z_3	Z_4	Z_5	Z_6
0	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{6}{11}$	$\frac{22}{39}$	$\frac{78}{139}$	$\frac{278}{495}$

[7 marks]