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Math 11 Pre-Calculus LG 2 Ver B

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1. Write the first 4 terms of the geometric sequence where $t_1 = 5$ and $r = -3$. (2 marks)

2. If the geometric sequence has $t_1 = -4$ and $r = -3$, determine t_5 . (1 mark)

3. The number of insects in a population increases 25% each day. If there are 1500 insects now, how many days will it take before there are at least 50 000? (2 marks)

4. The population of Cherryville was 1 500 in 2006. In 2015, the population was 4 200. Determine the value of the growth rate (as an annual percentage, to two decimal places) from 2006 to 2015. (2 marks)

5. Determine the sum of the first 12 terms of the geometric series: $30 - 15 + 7.5 + \dots$ (2 marks)

6. Find the sum of the following geometric series: $243 - 81 + 27 + \dots - \frac{1}{9}$. (2 marks)

7. A website experienced 40 unique visitors on its first day. Each day, the number of unique visitors increased by 25%. How many total unique visitors would have visited the site after 10 days? (2 marks)

8. Determine the sum of each infinite geometric series, if it exists. (1 mark each)

a) $t_1 = 8$ and $r = \frac{1}{4}$

b) $12 - 18 + 27 + \dots$

9. The first term of an infinite geometric series is 12 and the sum is 60. Determine the common ratio. (2 marks)

10. An oil well produces 100 000 barrels of oil per year. If production drops by 8% per year, estimate the total production before the well runs dry. (3 marks)