

ASSIGNMENT CLASS XI
MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION

Using the principle of mathematical induction, for all $n \in N$, prove that:

(i) $1+4+7+\dots+(3n-2) = \frac{1}{2}n(3n-1)$ (ii) $\frac{1}{1.3} + \frac{1}{3.5} + \frac{1}{5.7} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \frac{n}{2n+1}$

(iii) $1.3+2.4+3.5+\dots+n(n+2) = \frac{1}{6}n(n+1)(2n+7)$ (iv) $3^{2n}+7$ is divisible by 8

(v) $4^n + 15n - 1$ is divisible by 9 (vi) $x^n - y^n$ is divisible by $x - y$

(vii) $10^n + 3.4^{n+2} + 5$ is divisible by 9 (viii) $\frac{n^5}{5} + \frac{n^3}{3} + \frac{7n}{15}$ is a natural number

(ix) $4+8+12+\dots+4n = 2n(n+1)$ (x) $5^{2n} - 1$ is divisible by 24

(xi) $n^2 + n$ is even natural number. (xii) $n(n+1)(2n+1)$ is divisible by 6.

(xiii) $S_n = n^3 + 3n^2 + 5n + 3$ is divisible by 3. (xiv) $7^n - 3^n$ is divisible by 4.

(xv) Sum of the cubes of three consecutive natural numbers is divisible by 9.

(xvi) $\frac{1}{3.7} + \frac{1}{7.11} + \frac{1}{11.15} + \dots + \frac{1}{(4n-1)(4n+3)} = \frac{n}{3(4n+3)}$

(xvii) $7+77+777+\underbrace{777\dots7}_{n \text{ times}} = \frac{7}{81}(10^{n+1} - 9n - 10)$

(xviii) $a+(a+d)+(a+2d)+\dots+(a+(n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(2a+(n-1)d)$