

HW 5C: (HL) #2, 3, 5, 6b, 7, 9, 10c, 12  
 5C: (SL) #4, 5, 7, 9b, 10, 11c, 12c

2.) 5, 10, 20, 40, ...  $\frac{10}{5} = \frac{20}{10} = \frac{40}{20} = \boxed{2}$

b.)  $u_n = 5(2)^{n-1} \therefore u_{15} = 5(2)^{14} = \boxed{81,920}$

3.) a.) 12, -6, 3,  $-\frac{3}{2}$ , ...  $\frac{-6}{12} = \frac{3}{-6} = \frac{-\frac{3}{2}}{3} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{2}}$

b.)  $u_n = 12\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} \therefore u_{13} = 12\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{12} = 2^2 \cdot 3 \left(\frac{1}{2^{12}}\right) = \frac{3}{2^{10}} = \boxed{\frac{3}{1,024}}$

5.) a.) 8,  $4\sqrt{2}$ , 4,  $2\sqrt{2}$ , ...  $\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{8} = \frac{4}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

b.)  $u_n = 2^{\frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{2}n}$  - show...  $\hookrightarrow \frac{4 \cdot \sqrt{2}}{4\sqrt{2} \sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \checkmark$

start by plugging in  $u_1$  &  $r$  to general term form

$u_n = 8\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^{n-1}$   $\rightarrow$  rewrite 8 and  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  with common base 2

$\Rightarrow u_n = 2^3 \left(2^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right)^{n-1}$

$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{2^{\frac{1}{2}}}{2^1} = 2^{\frac{1}{2}-1} = 2^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

apply the power rule

$\Rightarrow u_n = 2^3 \cdot 2^{-\frac{1}{2}n + \frac{1}{2}}$

apply the product rule & combine like terms  $\Rightarrow u_n = 2^{3 - \frac{1}{2}n + \frac{1}{2}}$

$\Rightarrow \boxed{u_n = 2^{\frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{2}n}}$

$3 = \frac{6}{2} \therefore \frac{6}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{7}{2}$

6b.) 1000, 4k, k  $\Rightarrow \frac{4k}{1000} = \frac{k}{4k} \therefore 16k^2 = 1000k$

$\therefore 8k = 0 \neq 2k - 125 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 8k(2k - 125) = 0$

$\boxed{k=0}$

$2k = 125$

$\boxed{k = 125/2}$

1,000, 0, 0 is

not geometric

6e.)  $k, 12, \frac{k}{9} \therefore \frac{12}{k} = \frac{k}{12} \Rightarrow \frac{12}{k} = \frac{k}{108} \Rightarrow k^2 = 1296$

check:  $k=36 \rightarrow 36, 12, 4 \quad r = \frac{1}{3} \checkmark$   
 $k=-36 \rightarrow -36, 12, -4 \quad r = -\frac{1}{3} \checkmark$

$\therefore k = \pm 36$

6h.)  $k, k+8, 9k \therefore \frac{k+8}{k} = \frac{9k}{k+8} \Rightarrow (k+8)(k+8) = 9k^2$

$8k^2 - 16k - 64 = 0$

$8(k^2 - 2k - 8) = 0$

$8(k-4)(k+2) = 0$

$\therefore k = -2, 4$

~~$\begin{matrix} -8 \\ -4 \times 2 \\ -2 \end{matrix}$~~

$\Leftarrow k^2 + 16k + 64 = 9k^2$

check:  $k=-2 \Rightarrow -2, 6, -18 \quad r = -3 \checkmark$

$k=4 \Rightarrow 4, 12, 36 \quad r = 3 \checkmark$

7.)  $k-1, 6, 3k \therefore \frac{6}{k-1} = \frac{3k}{6} \Rightarrow 3k(k-1) = 36$

$\therefore k = -3, 4$

$3k^2 - 3k - 36 = 0$

$3(k^2 - k - 12) = 0$

$3(k-4)(k+3) = 0$

~~$\begin{matrix} -12 \\ -4 \times 3 \\ -1 \end{matrix}$~~

b.) When  $k=-3 \rightarrow -4, 6, -9 \neq r = \frac{-3}{2} \therefore -9 \cdot \frac{-3}{2} = \frac{27}{2}$

When  $k=4 \rightarrow 3, 6, 12 \neq r=2 \therefore 12 \cdot 2 = 24$

9.)  $u_3 = 80 \quad u_6 = 270 \therefore 80 = u_1 \cdot r^{3-1} \rightarrow u_1 r^2 = 80$

$270 = u_1 \cdot r^{6-1} \rightarrow u_1 r^5 = 270$

$\Rightarrow \frac{u_1 r^5}{u_1 r^2} = \frac{270}{80} \Rightarrow \sqrt[3]{r^3} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{27}{8}} \Rightarrow r = \frac{3}{2}$

$r = \frac{3}{2}$

$u_1 \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = 80$

$\therefore u_1 = \frac{320}{9}$

$u_1 \left(\frac{9}{4}\right) = 80 \Rightarrow u_1 = 80 \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)$

$\therefore u_n = \frac{320}{9} \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^{n-1}$

10c.) 12, 6, 3, 1.5, ... less than 0.0001

$$r = \frac{1}{2} \quad \therefore 12\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} < 0.0001$$

$$\therefore \boxed{n=18} \quad \frac{1}{2}^{n-1} < \left(\frac{0.0001}{12}\right) \rightarrow \log_{\frac{1}{2}}\left(\frac{0.0001}{12}\right) = n-1$$

check: when  $n=17 \rightarrow 12\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{16} = 1.831 \times 10^{-4} \rightarrow 16.9 = n-1$   
 $= 0.0001831 \rightarrow n = 17.9$

when  $n=18 \rightarrow 12\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{17} = 9.155 \times 10^{-5}$   
 $= 0.00009155 \checkmark$

12.)  $u_1, u_2$  - same for both sequences  
 $u_3$  - ratio 2:1

a.) arithmetic:  $u_1, u_1 + d, u_1 + 2d$

geometric:  $u_1, u_1 \cdot r, u_1 \cdot r^2$

set expressions for  $u_2$  equal to each other

$$\therefore u_1 + d = u_1 \cdot r$$

$$\rightarrow d = u_1 \cdot r - u_1$$

$$\boxed{d = u_1(r-1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{2u_1(10+7\sqrt{2})}{u_1(4+3\sqrt{2})} &= \frac{2(10+7\sqrt{2})(4-3\sqrt{2})}{(4+3\sqrt{2})(4-3\sqrt{2})} \\ &= \frac{2(40-30\sqrt{2}+28\sqrt{2}-42)}{16-18} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{2(-2-2\sqrt{2})}{-2} = 2+2\sqrt{2}$$

$\therefore$  the ratio of  $u_4$ 's is  $\boxed{2+2\sqrt{2}:1}$

$u_3$  has ratio 2:1  $\therefore u_1 r^2 = 2(u_1 + 2d)$

$$\rightarrow u_1 r^2 = 2u_1 + 4d \text{ substitute } u_1(r-1) \text{ for } d$$

$$\rightarrow u_1 r^2 = 2u_1 + 4u_1(r-1)$$

$$\rightarrow r^2 = 2 + 4(r-1) \rightarrow r^2 = 2 + 4r - 4$$

$$r^2 - 4r + (-2)^2 = -2 + 4$$

$\rightarrow r^2 = 4r - 2$  complete the square to solve...

$$\left(\frac{r-4}{2}\right)^2 = (-2)^2$$

$$(r-2)^2 = 2$$

$$r-2 = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$$\boxed{r = 2 \pm \sqrt{2}}$$

b.) when  $r = 2 + \sqrt{2}$ ,  $d = u_1(2 + \sqrt{2} - 1)$

arithmetic  $\rightarrow d = u_1(1 + \sqrt{2})$

$$\therefore u_4 = u_1 + 3u_1(1 + \sqrt{2})$$

$$= u_1(1 + 3(1 + \sqrt{2})) \rightarrow u_1(1 + 3 + 3\sqrt{2})$$

$$\rightarrow u_4 = u_1(4 + 3\sqrt{2})$$

geometric:  $u_4 = u_1(2 + \sqrt{2})^3 \Rightarrow u_1(2 + \sqrt{2})(2 + \sqrt{2})^2$

$$\Rightarrow u_1(2 + \sqrt{2})(6 + 4\sqrt{2})$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1(20 + 14\sqrt{2}) \text{ (go to the top of 12)}$$

$$(2 + \sqrt{2})(2 + \sqrt{2})$$

$$4 + 2\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{2} + 2 = 6 + 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (6 + 4\sqrt{2})(2 + \sqrt{2})$$

$$12 + 6\sqrt{2} + 8\sqrt{2} + 8 = 20 + 14\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_4 = 2u_1(10 + 7\sqrt{2})$$