

Find the 5th term in the expansion of $(7n^2 - 3n^5)^{27}$.

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NOTES: Your coefficient may use the operations +, -, × and positive exponents only.
All exponents must be simplified and all signs must be explicit (at the front).

$${}_{27}C_4 (7n^2)^{27-4} (-3n^5)^4 = {}_{27}C_4 (7n^2)^{23} (-3n^5)^4$$

$$= \frac{27!}{4!23!} 7^{23} n^{46} (-3)^4 n^{20}$$

① POINT EACH

★ SUBTRACT ① POINT IF YOUR ANSWER IS NEGATIVE

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} &= \frac{27 \cdot 26 \cdot 25 \cdot 24 \cdot \cancel{23!}}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 \cdot \cancel{23!}} 7^{23} 3^4 n^{66} \\ &= \boxed{27 \cdot 26 \cdot 25 \cdot 7^{23} \cdot 3^4 n^{66}} \end{aligned} \right.$$

Use the entries of Pascal's Triangle to expand and simplify $(9t - 10z)^5$.

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You must show the intermediate step in the expansion to get full credit.

$$1(9t)^5(-10z)^0 + 5(9t)^4(-10z)^1 + 10(9t)^3(-10z)^2 + 10(9t)^2(-10z)^3$$

$$+ 5(9t)^1(-10z)^4 + 1(9t)^0(-10z)^5$$

$$= \boxed{9^5 t^5} - \boxed{5 \cdot 9^4 \cdot 10 t^4 z} + \boxed{10 \cdot 9^3 \cdot 10^2 t^3 z^2} - \boxed{10 \cdot 9^2 \cdot 10^3 t^2 z^3}$$

$$+ \boxed{5 \cdot 9 \cdot 10^4 t z^4} - \boxed{10^5 z^5}$$

① ② POINT EACH ★ SUBTRACT ① POINT IF YOUR NEGATIVES IN THE FINAL ANSWER ARE INSIDE ()'S

Find the rational number representation of the repeating decimal $0.6\overline{54}$.

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NOTES: Only the 54 is repeated.
You must use only techniques from sections 9.2-9.5.

$$\boxed{0.6 + 0.054 + 0.00054 + 0.0000054 + \dots} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \frac{6}{10} + \frac{\frac{54}{1000}}{1 - \frac{1}{100}} \quad \textcircled{1\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} + \frac{\frac{54}{1000}}{\frac{99}{100}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{5} + \frac{\frac{3}{55}}{\frac{99}{100}} \quad \textcircled{1\frac{1}{2}} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \frac{33 + 3}{55} = \frac{36}{55} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

AJ and BJ both have sequences where the third term is 81, and the sixth term is -24.

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[a] If AJ's sequence is geometric, find the first term of AJ's sequence.

$$\begin{aligned} a_3 &= a, r^2 = 81 \rightarrow a, r^5 = -24 \xrightarrow{\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{a, r^5}{a, r^2} = \frac{-24}{81} \rightarrow r^3 = -\frac{8}{27} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}} r = -\frac{2}{3} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{\frac{1}{2}}} \\ a_1 \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 &= 81 \rightarrow \frac{4}{9}a = 81 \rightarrow a = \frac{729}{4} \end{aligned}$$

[b] If BJ's sequence is arithmetic, find the sum of the first 11 terms of BJ's sequence.

$$\begin{aligned} a_3 &= a_1 + 2d = 81 \quad a_1 + 2(-35) = 81 \\ a_6 &= a_1 + 5d = -24 \quad a_1 = 151 \\ -3d &= 105 \quad d = -35 \\ S_{11} &= \frac{11}{2}(2(151) + (11-1)(-35)) \\ &= \frac{11}{2}(302 - 350) = \frac{11}{2} \cdot -48 = -264 \end{aligned}$$

Using mathematical induction, prove that $\sum_{i=1}^n [(2i+1) \cdot 3^i] = n \cdot 3^{n+1}$ for all positive integers n .

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BASIS STEP: PROVE $\sum_{i=1}^1 (2i+1) \cdot 3^i = 1 \cdot 3^{1+1} = 1 \cdot 3^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^1 (2i+1) \cdot 3^i &= (2(1)+1) \cdot 3^1 = 3 \cdot 3 = 9 \\ 1 \cdot 3^2 &= 9 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

INDUCTIVE STEP: ASSUME $\sum_{i=1}^k (2i+1) \cdot 3^i = k \cdot 3^{k+1}$ FOR SOME PARTICULAR BUT ARBITRARY

INTEGER $k \geq 1$

$$\text{PROVE } \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} (2i+1) \cdot 3^i = (k+1) \cdot 3^{(k+1)+1} = (k+1) \cdot 3^{k+2}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} (2i+1) \cdot 3^i = \sum_{i=1}^k (2i+1) \cdot 3^i + (2(k+1)+1) \cdot 3^{k+1}$$

$$= k \cdot 3^{k+1} + (2k+3) \cdot 3^{k+1}$$

$$= (k+2k+3) \cdot 3^{k+1}$$

$$= (3k+3) \cdot 3^{k+1}$$

$$= 3(k+1) \cdot 3^{k+1}$$

$$= (k+1) \cdot 3^{k+2}$$

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BY MI, $\sum_{i=1}^n (2i+1) \cdot 3^i = n \cdot 3^{n+1}$ FOR ALL POSITIVE INTEGERS n