

# Arithmetic Sequences and Series Exit Quiz

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$$a_1 = -3 \quad a_7 = 21$$

$$a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$$

$$a_7 = a_1 + (7 - 1)d$$

$$21 = -3 + 6d$$

$$21 + 3 = -3 + 3 + 6d$$

$$24 = 6d$$

$$d = 4$$

$$a_2 = a_1 + d = -3 + 4 = 1$$

$$a_3 = a_2 + d = 1 + 4 = 5$$

$$a_4 = a_3 + d = 5 + 4 = 9$$

$$a_5 = a_4 + d = 9 + 4 = 13$$

$$a_6 = a_5 + d = 13 + 4 = 17$$

$$-3, \mathbf{1}, \mathbf{5}, \mathbf{9}, \mathbf{13}, \mathbf{17}, 36$$