

# Annamalai Computing Method for Formation of Geometric Series using in Science and Technology

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**Abstract-** This paper presents a technique or method for forming and computing the generalized geometric series in a new way. It will be very interesting and informative for current students and researchers.

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## I. INTRODUCTION

Annamalai computing method (ACM) provides a novel approach for computation of geometric series in a different manner. ACM can be used in the research field of science and technology such as computational biology [1, 2], medicine [3, 4], networking and security [5, 6].

We commonly know that a geometric series is any series that can be written in the following

form:  $a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots$ , where the common ratio is r.

This series can also be written in the notation  $\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} ar^i$

For Examples,

(i)  $5 + 5\frac{1}{2} + 5\frac{1}{2^2} + 5\frac{1}{2^3} + \dots$ , where  $a = 5$  and  $r = \frac{1}{2}$ .

(ii)  $1 + 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots$ , where  $a = 1$  and  $r = 2$ .

It is eventually understood by the presently existing books of mathematics the summation of finite geometric series is:

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{(r - 1)}$$

## II. NOVEL COMPUTATION OF GEOMETRIC SERIES

This new ideas can help students to form the geometric series and computing it explicitly.

(i)  $2 = 2 \Rightarrow 2 = 1 + 1 \Rightarrow 2 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 2 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8}$

i.e,  $2 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}} \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{2^i} = \frac{1-2^n}{2^{n-1}}$  [1, 2]

(ii)  $2^n = 2^n \Rightarrow 2^n = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-1} \Rightarrow 2^n = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + \dots + 2^k + 2^k \Rightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} 2^i = 2^n - 2^k$  [2, 6]

If the integer 'k' reaches to the integer '0', then

$$2^n = 2^{n-1} + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-3} + 2^{n-4} + \dots + 1 + 1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 2^i = 2^n - 1$$
 [2, 6]

(iii) Let us choose an integer '13' for forming and computing the geometric series in a new way.

$$13^n = 13^n \Rightarrow 13^n = (13-1)13^{n-1} + 13^{n-1} \Rightarrow 13^n = (13-1)13^{n-1} + (13-1)13^{n-2} + 13^{n-2}$$

We can further expand the terms as follows:

$$13^n = 13^n \Rightarrow 13^n = (13-1)13^{n-1} + (13-1)13^{n-2} + (13-1)13^{n-3} + \dots + (13-1)13^k + 13^k$$

By simplifying we get

$$13^n = 13^n \Rightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} 13^i = \frac{13^n - 13^k}{13 - 1} = \frac{13^n - 13^k}{12}$$

If the integer 'k' reaches to the integer '0', then  $13^n = 13^n \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 13^i = \frac{13^n - 1}{12}$  (for this proof we can refer to the following theorem).

**Theorem (New Formation of Generalized Geometric Series and its Computation):**

$$ar^n = ar^n \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^k)}{r - 1}, (r \neq 1)$$

Proof

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LHS} &\Rightarrow ar^n = ar^n \\ &\Rightarrow ar^n = a(r-1)r^{n-1} + ar^{n-1} \\ &\Rightarrow ar^n = a(r-1)r^{n-1} + a(r-1)r^{n-2} + \dots + a(r-1)r^i + \dots + a(r-1)r^k + ar^k \end{aligned}$$

$$ar^n = ar^n \Rightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^k)}{r - 1} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &\Rightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^k)}{r - 1} \\ &\Rightarrow ar^n = a(r-1)r^{n-1} + a(r-1)r^{n-2} + \dots + a(r-1)r^i + \dots + a(r-1)r^k + ar^k \\ &\Rightarrow ar^n = ar^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^k)}{r - 1} \Rightarrow ar^n = ar^n \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From (1) and (2) we get:

$$ar^n = ar^n \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^k)}{r - 1}, (r \neq 1)$$

We can also write this expression as

$$ar^n = ar^n \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}, (r \neq 1)$$

**Corollaries:**

$$(i) ar^n = ar^n \Leftrightarrow ar^n = a(r-1)r^{n-1} + \dots + a(r-1)r + a(r-1) + a(r-1)r^{-1} + \dots + a(r-1)r^{-k} + ar^{-k}$$

$$ar^n = ar^n \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} ar^i = \frac{a(r^n - r^{-k})}{r-1}, (r \neq 1)$$

$$(ii) ar = ar \Leftrightarrow ar = a(r-1)1 + a1 \Leftrightarrow ar = (r-1)\frac{a}{r^0} + (r-1)\frac{a}{r} + (r-1)\frac{a}{r^2} + \dots + (r-1)\frac{a}{r^n} + \frac{a}{r^n}$$

$$ar = ar \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{a}{r^i} = \frac{a(1-r^{n+1})}{(1-r)r^n}$$

$$(iii) a \sum_{i=k}^{n-1} r^i = \frac{a(r^n - 1 + 1 - r^k)}{r-1} = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r-1} - \frac{a(r^k - 1)}{r-1} = a \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i - \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} r^i \right)$$

#### IV. CONCLUSION

In the research study, a novel technique has been introduced to form the generalized geometric series and computing it.

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