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1. (a) yes (b) no
(c) yes (d) no
2. (a) $t_{10} = 74, S_{10} = 380$
(b) $t_{10} = -35, S_{10} = 325$
(c) $t_{10} = 45, S_{10} = 135$
(d) $t_{10} = 3\frac{1}{6}$ or $\frac{19}{6}, S_{10} = \frac{50}{3}$
3. $\frac{200 \times 201}{2}$
4. (a) 465 (b) 1830 (c) 500 500 (d) 300
5. (a) 348 (b) 690 (c) 850 (d) 1245
6. (a) 465 (b) 2310 (c) -1647 (d) $\frac{147}{8}$
7. 142.8
8. (a) 1183 (b) -154 (c) 4200 (d) $\frac{55}{6}$
9. 3925
10. 1170
11. 410
12. -7, -5, -3
13. 875 seats
14. 20
15. 21
16. 303 seats
17. 514.5 m
18. It is better to use $S_n = \frac{n(t_1 + t_n)}{2}$ when n and the first and last term of the series are known. In both cases the values of a (the first term) and n must be known.
19. \$12 850
20. (a) 26 rows (b) 13 560
21. 5 squares
23. -102
24. 101