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For each of the following arithmetic series, write down the first term ( $a$ ) and the common difference ( $d$ ).

1	4, 7, 10, 13, ...	$a =$	$d =$
2	6, 10, 14, 18, ...	$a =$	$d =$
3	4, 10, 16, 22, ...	$a =$	$d =$
4	4, 6, 8, 10, ...	$a =$	$d =$
5	7, 11, 15, 19, ...	$a =$	$d =$
6	12, 18, 24, 30, ...	$a =$	$d =$
7	30, 27, 24, 21, ...	$a =$	$d =$
8	77, 105, 133, 161, 189, ...	$a =$	$d =$
9	8.9, 11.2, 13.5, 15.8, ...	$a =$	$d =$
10	101, 42, -17, -76, -135, ...	$a =$	$d =$

# Answers

For each of the following arithmetic series, write down the first term ( $a$ ) and the common difference ( $d$ ).

1	4, 7, 10, 13, ...	$a = 4$	$d = 3$
2	6, 10, 14, 18, ...	$a = 6$	$d = 4$
3	4, 10, 16, 22, ...	$a = 4$	$d = 6$
4	4, 6, 8, 10, ...	$a = 4$	$d = 2$
5	7, 11, 15, 19, ...	$a = 7$	$d = 4$
6	12, 18, 24, 30, ...	$a = 12$	$d = 6$
7	30, 27, 24, 21, ...	$a = 30$	$d = -3$
8	77, 105, 133, 161, 189, ...	$a = 77$	$d = 28$
9	8.9, 11.2, 13.5, 15.8, ...	$a = 8.9$	$d = 2.3$
10	101, 42, -17, -76, -135, ...	$a = 101$	$d = -59$