

1. Find the following sums.

(a) $\sum_{i=0}^{10} (-1)^i$

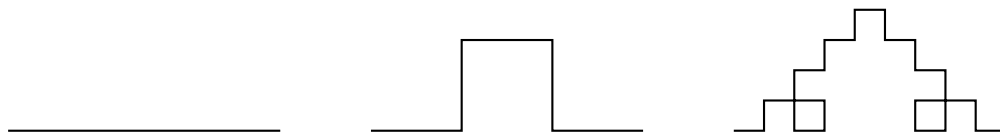
(b) $\sum_{k=1}^8 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$

(c) $1 - 3 + 9 - 27 + 81 - \dots - 3^7$

(d) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$

(e) $\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{16} + \frac{3}{64} - \frac{3}{256} + \dots$

2. Consider the following recursive scheme. Assuming you begin with a segment of length 1, find the length of the curve after 5 iterations.



3. Consider the following recursive scheme. Assuming you begin with a segment of length 1, find the length of the curve after 4 iterations. (Image courtesy of Wikipedia's *L-system* page.)

