

Sequence and Series - Class XI

Related Questions with Solutions

Questions

Question: 01

If $\sqrt[x]{a} = \sqrt[y]{b} = \sqrt[z]{c}$ and if a, b, c are in G.P., then

A. x, y, z are in A.P.

B. x, y, z are in G.P.

C. $x + z = 2y$

D. $y^2 = xz$

Solutions

Solution: 01

Q a, b, c are in G.P.

$\therefore \log a, \log b, \log c$, are in A.P.

$\Rightarrow 2 \log b = \log a + \log c \quad \dots[i]$

Given $\sqrt[x]{a} = \sqrt[y]{b} = \sqrt[z]{c}$

$\Rightarrow a^{1/x} = b^{1/y} = c^{1/z}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} \log a = \frac{1}{y} \log b = \frac{1}{z} \log c = k \text{ (let)}$

$\therefore \log a = kx, \log b = ky, \log c = kz \quad \dots[ii]$

From [i] and [ii] we get

$2ky = kx + kz, k \neq 0$

$\Rightarrow 2y = x + z$

Hence x, y, z are in A.P.

Correct Options

Answer:01

Correct Options: A, C