

**問 1.7** 次の和を求めよ。

$$(1) \sum_{k=1}^n (2k-1) = 2\sum_{k=1}^n k - \sum_{k=1}^n 1 = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) - n = n^2 + n - n = n^2$$

$$(2) \sum_{k=1}^n k(k+1) = \sum_{k=1}^n (k^2 + k) = \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 + \sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+1) + \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) \\ = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)\{(2n+1)+3\} = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+4) = \frac{1}{3} n(n+1)(n+2)$$

**問 1.8** 次の等差数列の和を求めよ。

$$(1) -3 + 1 + 5 + \cdots + (\text{第 } n \text{ 項})$$

$$\text{一般項 } a_n = -3 + (n-1) \times 4 = 4n - 7$$

$$\text{①初項 } a_1 = -3 \quad \text{②末項 } a_n = 4n - 7 \quad \text{③項数 } n$$

$$\text{よって, 求める和は } S_n = \frac{n}{2} \{(-3) + (4n-7)\} = \frac{1}{2} n(4n-10) = n(2n-5)$$

$$(2) 1 + 3 + 5 + \cdots + (\text{第 } 13 \text{ 項})$$

$$\text{一般項 } a_n = 1 + (n-1) \times 2 = 2n - 1$$

$$\text{①初項 } a_1 = 1 \quad \text{②末項 } a_{13} = 2 \times 13 - 1 = 25 \quad \text{③項数 } n = 13$$

$$\text{よって, 求める和は } S_{13} = \frac{13}{2} (1+25) = \frac{13}{2} \times 26 = 169$$

$$(3) 56 + \cdots + 1 - 4 - 9$$

$$\text{一般項 } a_n = 56 + (n-1) \times (-5) = 61 - 5n$$

$$\text{①初項 } a = 56 \quad \text{②末項 } b = -9$$

$$\text{③項数 } 61 - 5n = -9 \quad \text{より} \quad -5n = -70 \quad \therefore n = 14$$

$$\text{よって, 求める和は } S_{14} = \frac{14}{2} (56 - 9) = 7 \times 47 = 329$$