Hwk 1: Math Review Due in class on Wednesday 1/7

Let a_1, a_2, a_3, \ldots be a sequence of numbers and assume that $a_1 = 1$. 1) If $a_{n+1} = 1.03a_n$ for all $n \ge 1$, then what is $\sum_{i=1}^{30} a_i$? 2) If $a_{n+1} = \frac{a_n}{1.03}$ for all $n \ge 1$, then what is $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i$? 3) If $a_{n+1} = 1.03a_n - 0.05$ for all $n \ge 1$, then what is a_{30} ?