

30. The rule of a pattern is to multiply the first number by 3; then, for the next number, to subtract 1. An example of this pattern is:

- A) 1, 3, 9, 12, 11
- B) 2, 6, 5, 15, 14
- C) 1, 9, 27, 81, 243
- D) 1, 3, 2, 6, 18