

4. [12 points] Zeno's paradox says that one can never arrive somewhere because one must always first travel half-way there—and that having traveled half-way there, one must travel half of the remaining distance, then half of the distance remaining after that, etc.
- (a) [4 points of 12] Suppose that you start with the goal of traveling 20 km. Let  $d_n$  be the total distance that you have gone after having traveled the  $n$ th half-distance to your goal. Find  $d_1$ ,  $d_2$ ,  $d_3$  and  $d_4$ .
- (b) [6 points of 12] Find a closed-form expression for the distance you've traveled after  $n$  half-distances.
- (c) [2 points of 12] What is the sum as the number of half-distances traveled goes to infinity? (That is, how far do you travel if you continue “forever”?)