

3. Use the Comparison Theorem to determine which of the following integrals is convergent.

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Comparison Thm. Given  $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$ ,  $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$  such that  
 $f(x) \leq g(x)$  on  $[a, \infty)$

(a) if  $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$  convergent, then  $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$  is convergent

(b) if  $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$  is divergent, then  $\int_a^{\infty} g(x) dx$  is divergent

(a)  $\int_3^{\infty} \frac{3 + \sin x}{x} dx$

$-1 \leq \sin x \leq 1$   
 $3 + (-1) \leq 3 + \sin x \leq 3 + 1$   
 $\frac{2}{x} \leq \frac{3 + \sin x}{x} \leq \frac{4}{x}$

$\int_3^{\infty} \frac{2}{x} dx \leq \int_3^{\infty} \frac{3 + \sin x}{x} dx \leq \int_3^{\infty} \frac{4}{x} dx$   
 divergent                      divergent

$\int_3^{\infty} \frac{3 + \sin x}{x} dx$  diverges by comparison with  $\int_3^{\infty} \frac{2}{x} dx$

(b)  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{2 + \cos x}{x^2} dx$

$-1 \leq \cos x \leq 1$   
 $2 - 1 \leq 2 + \cos x \leq 2 + 1$   
 $\frac{1}{x^2} \leq \frac{2 + \cos x}{x^2} \leq \frac{3}{x^2}$

$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx \leq \int_1^{\infty} \frac{2 + \cos x}{x^2} dx \leq \int_1^{\infty} \frac{3}{x^2} dx$   
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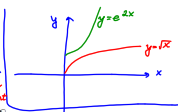
$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{2 + \cos x}{x^2} dx$  is convergent by comparison with  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx$ .

$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{4x^2 + 2x - 1}{3x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x + 8} dx$

compare with  $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{4x^2}{3x^3} dx = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{4}{3x} dx$  ( $p=1 \Rightarrow$  divergent)

divergent by comparison with  $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{4}{3x} dx$ .

11. The integral  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x} + e^{2x}}$   $\leq \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{e^{2x}}$



(a) converges to 0.

(b) diverges by comparison to  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}}$ .

(c) converges by comparison to  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}}$ .

(d) converges by comparison to  $\int_1^{\infty} e^{-2x} dx$ .

(e) diverges by comparison to  $\int_1^{\infty} e^{-2x} dx$ .

$\int_1^{\infty} e^{-2x} dx$   
 $= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^t e^{-2x} dx$   
 $= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left( -\frac{1}{2} e^{-2x} \right)_1^t$   
 $= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left( -\frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-2} \right)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^{-2}$   
 is convergent.

6. Which of the following statements is true for the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3n}{\sqrt{1+4n^2}}$ ?

~~I. It converges by the Divergence Test.~~ false

~~II. It converges to  $\frac{3}{2}$ .~~

III. It diverges.

(a) Only I is true.

(b) Only II is true.

(c) Only III is true.

(d) Only I and II are true.

(e) All three statements I, II, and III, are false.

$$a_n = \frac{3n}{\sqrt{1+4n^2}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n}{\sqrt{1+4n^2}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n}{\sqrt{4n^2}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n}{2n} = \frac{3}{2} \neq 0$$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3n}{\sqrt{1+4n^2}}$  is divergent  
by the Test for Divergence

9. Given the  $n$ -th partial sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  by  $s_n = \frac{n}{2n+1}$ , find  $a_4$ .

(a)  $\frac{4}{9}$

(b)  $\frac{1}{35}$

(c)  $\frac{1}{99}$

(d)  $\frac{3}{7}$

(e)  $\frac{1}{63}$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2n+1}, \quad a_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$$

$$a_4 = S_4 - S_3$$

$$= \frac{4}{\underbrace{2(4)+1}_{S_4}} - \frac{3}{\underbrace{2(3)+1}_{S_3}}$$

$$= \frac{4}{9} - \frac{3}{7} = \frac{1}{63}$$

2. Which of the series below is convergent?

(I)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n+1}$

(II)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n(n+1)}$

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

- (a) (III) only
- (b) (II) and (III) only
- (c) None of the other answers is correct.
- (d) All 3 are convergent.
- (e) All 3 are divergent.

1)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n+1}$

$a_n = \frac{6n+3}{n+1}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 6 \neq 0$

divergent by the Test for Divergence.

(II)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n(n+1)}$

$a_n = \frac{6n+3}{n(n+1)}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6n+3}{n(n+1)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6n}{n^2}$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n(n+1)}$

$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{n} = 0$   
 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n}{n^2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{n}$   
 harmonic series (divergent)

(III)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n+3}{n^2(n+1)}$  — is convergent.

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6n}{n^3} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{6}{n^2}$  convergent.  
 (p=2>1)

8. Assume that the sequence  $\{a_n\}$  is bounded, increasing and given by

$$a_1 = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad a_{n+1} = 6 - \frac{8}{a_n}$$

for all positive integers  $n$ . Determine if the sequence is convergent or divergent.

- (a) Divergent
- (b) Convergent to 2
- (c) Convergent to 4
- (d) Convergent to 6
- (e) Convergent to 8

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_{n+1} = L$$

$$L = 6 - \frac{8}{L}$$

$$L^2 - 6L + 8 = 0$$

$$(L - 4)(L - 2) = 0$$

$$L = 2, L = 4.$$

$$3 < L$$

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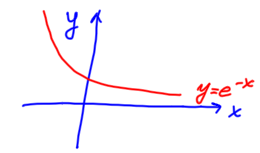
$0 < \frac{2}{n} \leq 2 \Rightarrow -2 \leq -\frac{2}{n} < 0$   
 $-2 \leq 1 - \frac{2}{n} < 1$   
 $-1 \leq 1 - \frac{2}{n} < 1$   
 bounded

(a)  $(1 - \frac{2}{n})' = \frac{2}{n^2} > 0$  increasing  
 (b)  $a_n = \ln n$   
 increasing  
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln n = \infty$   
 not bounded



(c)  $a_n = \sin(2\pi n)$   
 $-1 \leq \sin(2\pi n) \leq 1$  bounded  
 not monotonic.

(d)  $a_n = e^{-n}$   
 decreasing



Find the sum of the series

$$10 - 4 + \frac{8}{5} - \frac{16}{25} + \dots$$

$$= 10 - 4 \left( 1 - \frac{2}{5} + \frac{4}{25} - \dots \right)$$

$$= 10 - 4 \underbrace{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right)^n}_{\text{geometric, } a=1, r=-\frac{2}{5}}$$

$$= 10 - 4 \cdot \frac{1}{1 - \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right)} = 10 - 4 \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{7}{5}} = 10 - \frac{20}{7} = \boxed{\frac{50}{7}}$$

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Find the sum of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( e^{\frac{5}{n}} - e^{\frac{5}{n+1}} \right)$$

Partial sums:

$$S_1 = e^{\frac{5}{1}} - e^{\frac{5}{2}} = a_1$$

$$S_2 = a_1 + a_2 = \underbrace{e^{\frac{5}{1}} - e^{\frac{5}{2}}}_{a_1} + \underbrace{e^{\frac{5}{2}} - e^{\frac{5}{3}}}_{a_2} = e^5 - e^{\frac{5}{3}}$$

$$S_3 = S_2 + a_3 = e^5 - \cancel{e^{\frac{5}{3}}} + \cancel{e^{\frac{5}{3}}} - e^{\frac{5}{4}} = e^5 - e^{\frac{5}{4}}$$

$$S_n = e^5 - e^{\frac{5}{n+1}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( e^5 - e^{\frac{5}{n+1}} \right) = e^5 - e^0 = \boxed{e^5 - 1}$$

Find the limit:

$$(a) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3}$$

$$(b) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-3)^n n^3}{n^3 + 1}$$

$$(c) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n (n^2 + 4)}{\sqrt{n^4 + 1}}$$

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Theorem: if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n| = 0$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ .

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$$(a) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3} \quad a_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3}, \quad |a_n| = \frac{1}{n^3}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^3} = 0 \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^3} = 0$$

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$$(b) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-3)^n n^3}{n^3 + 1} \quad \boxed{\text{DNE}}$$

if  $n$  is even, then  $a_n = \frac{3^n n^3}{n^3 + 1}$

and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3^n n^3}{n^3 + 1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 3^n = \infty$

if  $n$  is odd, then  $a_n = -\frac{3^n n^3}{n^3 + 1}$

and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{3^n n^3}{n^3 + 1}\right) = -\infty$

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$$(c) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n (n^2 + 4)}{\sqrt{n^4 + 1}} \quad \boxed{\text{DNE}}$$

if  $n$  is even, then  $a_n = \frac{n^2 + 4}{\sqrt{n^4 + 1}}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 1$$

if  $n$  is odd, then  $a_n = -\frac{n^2 + 4}{\sqrt{n^4 + 1}}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = -1$$



2. Which of the series below is convergent? Find  $\lim a_n$
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L'Hospital's Rule.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln n)^2}{n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln n \cdot \frac{1}{n}}{1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln n}{n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{2}{n}}{1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{n} = \boxed{0}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 e^{3n}}{e^{3n}} \quad |0 \cdot \infty|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{e^{3n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2n}{3e^{3n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{9e^{3n}} = \boxed{0}$$