

# Chap 10 → sem-1

simply applicable to power series

Part of borns

Chapter no. 6

Exercise 6.1

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→ sem-2

Ration test

Criteria

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{n+1 \text{ term}}{n \text{ term}} \right|$$

Remember

(i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \Rightarrow 0$

(ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  is a harmonic series i.e divergent

Now if

$L < 1$  converges

$L > 1$  diverges

$L = 1$  test not applicable

↓  
apply another test

## ▶ Alternating Series test. → this test applies on alternating series.

Divergence test

Alternating Series e.g:

generally indicates if we can use this test

(i)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$

(ii)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{\frac{n+1}{2}} a_n$

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \neq 0$

diverges

elsewise it may or may not converge

Now alternating series test has conditions which should be met; if met the series converges; else diverges.

(i)  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$  [fails divergence test]

(ii) The sequence is decreasing; i.e  $a_{n+1} < a_n$

Example:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$ ; check this by alternating series test if it converges or diverges.

check conditions.

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

first condition met

$\frac{1}{n+1} < \frac{1}{n} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} < 1$  ✓

∴ the 2 condition meet and it converges.



Example; Now check this term.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{5n+3}{2n-1}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(5n+3)}{(2n-1)} \Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} \neq 0$$

$\therefore$  failed the first condition and this is a divergent series.

## P-series test!

If a series is in the form of  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$  then this power 'p' can tell us.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$$

if:

(i)  $p > 1$

it will converge.

(ii)  $p \leq 1$

it will diverge.

## Absolute Convergence test!

If we take the  $n$ th term of a series and take its modulus with a limit  $\rightarrow$  say this convergence!

Then we conclude that the original series convergence as well.

if  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$  converges.

then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges as well.

## Geometric series test

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} ar^{n-1}$$

now if  $|r| < 1$ .

$\rightarrow$  converges

$|r| \geq 1 \rightarrow$  diverges.



Find interval of convg of power series & its radius.

6.  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} k! (x-1)^k$

As the power series converge;  
by the <sup>not</sup>  $n^{\text{th}}$  term test; ratio  
test.

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(k+1)! (x-1)^{k+1}}{k! (x-1)^k} \right| \Rightarrow \frac{(k+1) \cancel{k!} (x-1)^{\cancel{k+1}-k}}{\cancel{k!} (x-1)^0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(k+1)(x-1)}{1} \Rightarrow |x-1| \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} (k+1) < 1$$

Now as the limit  $k \rightarrow \infty$  we need to stop it and only  $x=1$   
can do it to let our power series be convergent.

$\therefore$  the interval of convergence is reduced to only one  
value  $x=1$

and the radius of interval is 0; as there is  
only one point. ✓



$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{k(k+1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 1 = \infty$$

✓

here we can split the series into two to check the convergence.

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{k}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{k+1} \quad \checkmark$$

or Both solved by alternating series test.

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k(k+1)}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{k+1} \right) \Rightarrow \text{Partial fraction} \quad \checkmark$$

Expanding this series will give a telescoping series and if that telescoping series yield a finite answer, it is convergent.

~ x ~

To cater negativity of the the derived terms  $x$ -variable we may adjust the values of our summation.

→ however  $x^0$  is good  $\checkmark$



$$\left( 1 + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4 + \dots \right) \checkmark \Rightarrow \cosh x \text{'s Maclaurin Series}$$

$$\left( x + \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \frac{1}{5!}x^5 + \dots \right) \checkmark \Rightarrow \sinh x \text{'s Maclaurin Series.}$$

Now the same series with alternating signs are.

$$\left( 1 - \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4 - \dots \right) \checkmark \Rightarrow \cos x \text{'s Maclaurin Series.}$$

$$\left( x - \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \frac{1}{5!}x^5 - \dots \right) \checkmark \Rightarrow \sin x \text{'s Maclaurin Series.}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} \left( 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} \right) e^x \text{ Maclaurin Series!}$$

\* in the question were we put a defined series just like above ones, we immediately expand and take  $x$  power variables common afterwards!  $\checkmark$