

$< 5, \sqrt{6.7}i >$  - Stand back, I know *i*Vectors!

## Convergence and Infinite Series

### Series

- Geometric series

$\sum ar^n$   
 if  $|r| < 1$  then  $\sum ar^n$  converges  
 The sum can be found with  $\frac{a}{1-r}$

eg:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4}{2^n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 4 \times \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \text{ where } a = 4 \text{ and } r = \frac{1}{2} < 1 \therefore \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4}{2^n} \text{ converges}$$

- P-Series

$\sum \frac{1}{n^p}$  where  $p > 0$   
 if  $p > 1$  then the series converges  
 if  $p \leq 1$  then the series diverges  
 if  $p = 1$  then the series is harmonic and diverges (which is useful for the comparison test)

- Alternating Series

$\sum (-1)^n a_n$   
 converges if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$  and  $a_{n+1} < a_n$

### Tests

- $n^{th}$  term test - Only for divergence

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

- Integral Test

if  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$  converges then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges where  $f(x) = a_n$ . The converse of this is also true.

- Limit Comparison

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = L$  where  $L$  is both positive and finite, then the two series both either converge or diverge.

eg:

$$\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{3}{\sqrt{n^2-4}} \text{ compared to } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{3}{\sqrt{n^2-4}} \times \frac{n}{1} \right) = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$$L'H \rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{3\sqrt{n^2-4}}{n} \right) = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{3\sqrt{n^2-4}}{\sqrt{n^2}} \right) = 3 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{n^2-4}{n^2}} = 3\sqrt{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2-4}{n^2}} = 3 \times 1 = 3 \therefore \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3}{\sqrt{n^2-4}}$  diverges since  $\frac{1}{n}$  diverges and the limit is finite and positive.

- Ratio Test

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$   
 if  $< 1$   $a_n$  converges  
 if  $> 1$   $a_n$  diverges  
 if  $= 1$  the test is inconclusive

eg:

Find the range of x where  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n! (x-4)^n}{3^n}$  converges.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(n+1)!(x-4)^{n+1}}{3^{n+1}} \times \frac{3^n}{n!(x-4)^n} \right| < 1$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(x-4)(n+1)}{3} \right| < 1$$

$$\left| \frac{x-4}{3} \right| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |n+1| < 1 \therefore \text{no range of } x \text{ makes } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n! (x-4)^n}{3^n} \text{ converge.}$$

- Condition Convergence

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

## Taylor Series

- $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^n(c)}{n!} (x-c)^n$   
 if  $c = 0$  then the series is a MacLaurin series

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^n(0)}{n!} x^n$$

- $\sin(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$

- $\cos(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!}$

- $e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$

$$e^{-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

- $\ln(x+1) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^n}{n}$

- Example of finding the Taylor series centered at 0 (aka MacLaurin) of  $e^x$

$$f(x) = e^x$$

$$f(0) = 1$$

$$f'(x) = e^x \text{ and } f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(x) = e^x \text{ and } f''(0) = 1$$

$$f'''(x) = e^x \text{ and } f'''(0) = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{0!}x^0 + \frac{1}{1!}x^1 + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{1}{3!}x^3 + \dots + \frac{1}{n!}x^n$$

$$\therefore f(x) = e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

## Parametric and Polar Equations and Vectors

### Parametric

- $\dot{x} = \frac{dx}{dt}$
- $\dot{y} = \frac{dy}{dt}$
- $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{\dot{y}}{\dot{x}}$  and  $\frac{d^2y}{(dx)^2} = \frac{\frac{d}{dt} \frac{dy}{dx}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$
- $Arc\ length = \int \sqrt{\dot{x}^2 + \dot{y}^2} dt$
- $Area/integration = \int y(t) \frac{dx}{dt} dt = \int y \dot{x} dt$
- $x = r \cos(\theta)$  and  $y = r \sin(\theta)$

### Polar

- $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
- $r^2 = x^2 + y^2$
- If going from parametric to polar, you have to convert  $t$  to  $\theta$ :  $\tan(\theta) = \frac{y}{x}$
- $Arc\ length = \int \sqrt{r^2 + \left(\frac{dr}{d\theta}\right)^2} d\theta$
- $Area/integration = \frac{1}{2} \int r^2 d\theta$

### Vectors

- To get it out of the way: You can't divide a vector by another vector, only by a scalar...
- Second of all, vectors are just parametric equations in disguise, they just have an x and a y componet represented by:

$\vec{i} = x$  the x componet of a vector

$\vec{j} = y$  the y componet of a vector

- All vectors have Magnitude and Direction.

$$\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j}$$

$$\vec{r} = \langle x, y \rangle$$

The magnitude (a unit vector) is the same as the  $|\vec{r}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

The direction (another unit vector) is defined by  $\frac{\vec{r}}{|\vec{r}|}$

- Addition & Subtraction

$$\vec{a} + \vec{b} = \vec{c}$$

$$\vec{c} = (a_x + b_x)\vec{i} + (a_y + b_y)\vec{j}$$

Simply add the x componets together for the new vectors x componet, and add the y componets together for the new vectors componet. What this is essentially doing is placing the tail of one vector at the head of the other.

- Multiplication

Scalar product

$$6 \times \vec{a} = (6 \times a_x)\vec{i} + (6 \times a_y)\vec{j}$$

Vector multiplied by a single number (scalar). This is also how you divide a vector by a scalar.

Simply multiply the scalar out to both the x and y componets.

Dot product

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = (a_x \times b_x) + (a_y \times b_y)$$

Two vectors multiplied together

Multiply the x componets together and add them to the y componets multiplied together. This results in a scalar, not a vector.

Cross Product

Two vectors multiplied together

Results in another vector.

- Helpful vectors and finding relationships between two vectors

Angle between two vectors

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}| |\vec{b}|}$$

Projection vectors

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{a}|^2} \times \vec{a}$$

Normal vectors

$$\text{norm}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} = \vec{b} - \text{proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b}$$