

QUESTION 1

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[12pt] a) Determine the convergence of the sequence $\{a_n\}$ defined by

$$a_n = n \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \ln\left(\frac{n+2}{n}\right)^n \quad (n \geq 1)$$

[13pt] b) Determine the convergence of the sequence $\{a_n\}$ given by the recursion formula

$$a_1 = 2, \quad a_{n+1} = \frac{1+n}{1+2n} a_n \quad (n \geq 1).$$

by using the Monotonic Sequence Theorem.

SOLUTIONS:

$$a) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right) \ln\left(\frac{n+2}{n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\sin \frac{1}{n}}{\frac{1}{n}} \right) \cdot \underbrace{\ln\left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right)^n}_{e^2} = 1 \cdot \ln e^2 = 2$$

$\Rightarrow \{a_n\}$ converges.

$$b) a_1 = 2, \quad a_{n+1} = \frac{1+n}{1+2n} a_n \Rightarrow \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{1+n}{1+2n} < 1$$

$\{a_n\}$ is decreasing and $a_n > 0$

Since $\{a_n\} \downarrow$ and $a_n > 0$, $\{a_n\}$ converges.

QUESTION 2

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[6pt] a) Determine whether $\sum a_n$ converges or diverges if $\sum (1 + a_n)$ converges?

[6pt] b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 - \frac{1}{4}} = ?$

[13pt] c) Find the interval and radius of convergence of the series $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x-1)^n}{\ln n}$. For what values of x does the series converge absolutely or conditionally?SOLUTIONS

a) $\sum (1 + a_n)$ converges. Thus $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 + a_n) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = -1$

In this case, $\sum a_n$ diverges.

b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 - \frac{1}{4}}$ $a_n = \frac{1}{(n-\frac{1}{2})(n+\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{A}{n-\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{B}{n+\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{n+\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{n-\frac{1}{2}}$

$S_n = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = \left(\frac{1}{1/2} - \frac{1}{3/2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3/2} - \frac{1}{5/2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{5/2} - \frac{1}{7/2}\right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{n+\frac{1}{2}}\right)$

$S_n = 2 - \frac{1}{n+\frac{1}{2}} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = 2 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 - \frac{1}{4}}$

c) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1} (x-1)^{n+1}}{\ln(n+1)} - \frac{(-1)^n (x-1)^n}{\ln n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln n}{\ln(n+1)} |x-1|$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1/n+1} |x-1| = |x-1| < 1 \Rightarrow -1 < x-1 < 1 \Rightarrow 0 < x < 2$
 $\boxed{R = \frac{2-0}{2} = 1}$

$x=0 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{\ln n} = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$. Let $b_n = \frac{1}{n}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1/\ln n}{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{\ln n} = \infty$ and $\sum \frac{1}{n}$ div.
 $\Rightarrow \sum \frac{1}{\ln n}$ div.

$x=2 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{\ln n} \Rightarrow \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \left| (-1)^n \frac{1}{\ln n} \right| = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$ diverges.

Leibniz's Test $u_n = \frac{1}{\ln n}$ i) $u_n = \frac{1}{\ln n} > 0$ ii) $\frac{n+1}{\ln(n+1)} > \frac{n}{\ln n} \Rightarrow u_{n+1} = \frac{1}{\ln(n+1)} < \frac{1}{\ln n} = u_n$

iii) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{This series conv. conditionally at } x=2 \\ \text{The interval of conv. absolutely: } 0 < x < 2 \\ \text{The interval of convergence: } 0 < x \leq 2 \end{array} \right.$

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Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}$.

[5pt] a) Find a general formula for $f^{(n)}(x)$.

[5pt] b) Find the Maclaurin series of $f(x)$. (Do not show that $R_n(x) \rightarrow 0$).

[5pt] c) Find the Maclaurin series of $\frac{1}{1+x}$ by using the series obtained in (b).

[5pt] d) Find the Maclaurin series of $\ln(1+x)$ by integrating term by term the series obtained in (c).

[5pt] e) By using the series obtained in (d), $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^{n-1} = ?$

SOLUTIONS:

a) $f(x) = (1-x)^{-1}$, $f'(x) = + (1-x)^{-2}$, $f''(x) = 2(1-x)^{-3}$, $f'''(x) = 2 \cdot 3(1-x)^{-4}$,
 $f^{(n)}(x) = n! (1-x)^{-(n+1)}$

b) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(k)}(0)}{k!} x^k$, $f^{(k)}(0) = k!$ $\Rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{k!}{k!} x^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x^k$

c) We must take $-x$ instead of x in (b).

Then $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-x)^k = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k x^k$

d) The Maclaurin series of $\ln(1+x) = \int \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k x^k$
 $= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{x^{k+1}}{k+1} + C$

$x=0 \Rightarrow \ln 1 = C \Rightarrow C=0$

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

e) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$, $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1}$ $n+1 \rightarrow n$
 $x = \frac{1}{2}$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \cdot 2$
 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{x^n}{n} = \ln(1+x)$
 $2 \cdot \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n = \ln\left(1+\frac{1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{n} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{3}{2}$

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[10pt] a) Find the length of the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = (e^t \cos t)\mathbf{i} + (e^t \sin t)\mathbf{j} + e^t\mathbf{k}$, $-\ln 4 \leq t \leq 0$.

[15pt] b) Find the point of intersection of the lines $x = 2s + 2$, $y = s + 3$, $z = 5s + 6$ and $x = t$, $y = -t + 2$, $z = t + 1$. Then find the plane determined by these lines.

SOLUTIONS :

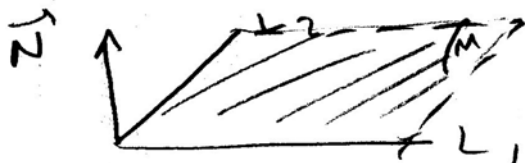
a) $\frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} = (e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t)\mathbf{i} + (e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t)\mathbf{j} + e^t\mathbf{k} = \vec{v}$

$$L = \int_{-\ln 4}^0 |\vec{v}(t)| dt = \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{(e^t \cos t - e^t \sin t)^2 + (e^t \sin t + e^t \cos t)^2 + e^{2t}} dt$$

$$= \int_{-\ln 4}^0 \sqrt{e^{2t} (\cos^2 t - 2 \cos t \sin t + \sin^2 t + \sin^2 t + 2 \sin t \cos t + \cos^2 t + 1)} dt$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \int_{-\ln 4}^0 e^t dt = \sqrt{3} e^t \Big|_{-\ln 4}^0 = \sqrt{3} (e^0 - e^{-\ln 4}) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

b) $x = 2s + 2$, $y = s + 3$, $z = 5s + 6$ $\vec{v}_1(2, 1, 5)$
 $x = t$, $y = -t + 2$, $z = t + 1$ $\vec{v}_2(1, -1, 1)$



The point of intersection is
 $x=0$, $y=2$, $z=1$

$$\begin{aligned} x = 2s + 2 &= t \\ y = s + 3 &= -t + 2 \\ z = 5s + 6 &= t + 1 \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 2s + 2 &= 5s + 6 \\ s &= -1 \\ 2s + 2 &= t \Rightarrow t &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

The plane determined by these lines:

$$\vec{N} = \vec{v}_1 \times \vec{v}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 6\vec{i} + 3\vec{j} - 3\vec{k}$$

$$6(x-0) + 3(y-2) - 3(z-1) = 0$$

$$\boxed{2x + y - z = 1}$$