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Alternating Series

Alternating Series Test (AST)

If the alternating series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} b_n$ with $b_n > 0$ satisfies

(i) bn+1 < bn (decreasing)

(ii) lim b = 0

then the series is CONVERGENT.

With the same hypothesis as above, by the Alternating Series Estimation Theorem we have

$$|R_n| \leq b_{n+1}$$
 (NOT b_n !!)

Absolute Convergence and the Ratio and Root Tests

Define the following notions:

a) Absolutely convergent: ∑ an is absolutely convergent if ∑ lan1 is convergent.

Examples: (a) ∑ (-i) is not absolutely convergent.

(b) ∑ (-i) is absolutely convergent.

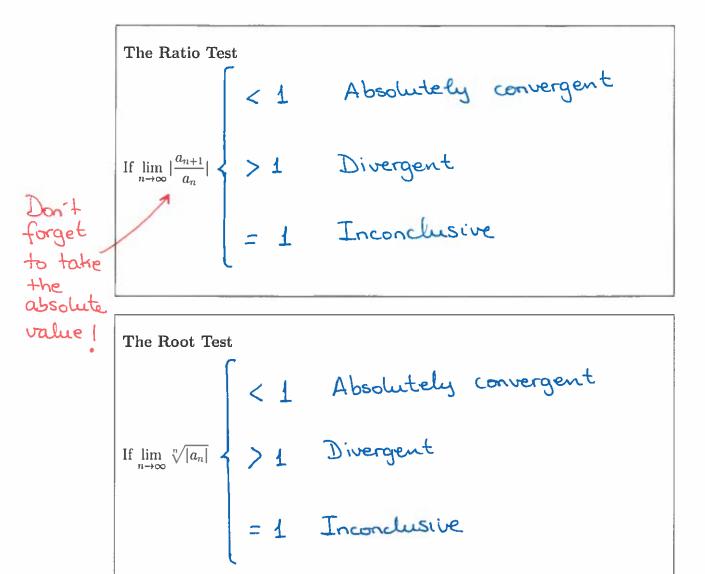
(b) ∑ (-i) is absolutely convergent.

b) Conditionally convergent: ∑ an is conditionally convergent if
∑ an converges but ∑ lan1 diverges.

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Example: 2 (-1) In(n) is conditionally convergent.

* can you think of more examples?



STEPS:

- 1. Use Ratio or Root Test.
- 2. If that is inconclusive and the series is alternating, then do BOTH of the next:
 - (a) Use AST (Alternating Series Test)
 - (b) Check whether $\sum |a_n|$ is divergent or convergent.

If the AST shows that the series in convergent, BUT $\sum |a_n|$ is divergent then $\sum a_n$ is conditionally convergent. However, if $\sum |a_n|$ is convergent then $\sum a_n$ is absolutely convergent.

Determine whether the following series converge absolutely, converge conditionally or diverge.

1.
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \cos(n\pi)}{n} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$$
 Harmonic Series | Diverges | Diverges |

It's not an alternating series! We may be tempted to take $b_n = \frac{\cos(n\pi)}{n}$ and use AST. But we cannot because b_n is not always possitive.

Governsion: Remember to check the condition 6,70.

2.
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{n}{n^2+7}$$
 Ratio Test will be inconclusive.

(a) AST:
$$b_n = \frac{n}{n^2+7} > 0$$
, $b_{n+1} = \frac{n+1}{(n+1)^2+7} < \frac{n}{n^2+7} = b_n$ and $\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{n}{n^2+7} = 0$.

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$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-i)^{n+1} \frac{1}{n^2+7}$$
 is convergent

(b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |a_n| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+7}$ $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+7}$

3.
$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} (2n)!}{5^n n! n!}$$
 RATIO TEST:

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \left| \frac{[2(n+1)]!}{5^{n+1}(n+1)!} \frac{5^n \cdot n! \cdot n!}{(2n)!} \right| = \lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{(2n+2)! \cdot 5^n \cdot n! \cdot n!}{5^n \cdot 5 \cdot (n+1) \cdot n! \cdot (2n)!}$$

=
$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \left| \frac{(2n+2)(2n+i)(2n)!}{5(n+i)(n+i)(2n)!} \right| = \frac{4}{5} < 1 \Rightarrow ABSOLUTELY$$
CONVERGENT

4.
$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^n (\frac{n+1}{3n+5})^n$$
 ROOT TEST :

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \sqrt{\left(-1\right)^n \left(\frac{n+1}{3n+5}\right)^n} = \lim_{n\to\infty} \sqrt{\left(\frac{n+1}{3n+5}\right)^n} = \lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{n+1}{3n+5} = \frac{1}{3} < 1$$

Power Series

1. Find the radius of convergence for the following power series.

RATIO TEST:

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{n!x^n}{5 \cdot 11 \cdot 17 \cdot ... \cdot (6n-1)}$$

$$\lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{(n+1)! \times n+1}{5 \cdot 11 \cdot 17 \cdot ... \cdot (6n-1)} = \frac{(6n+1)! \times n+1}{(6n+1)! \times n+1} = \frac{(6n+1)! \times n+1}{(6n+1)! \times$$

2. Find the interval of convergence for the following power series.

RATIO TEST: (to find R)
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot n}$$
lim $\left| \frac{2(x-3)^{n+1}}{3^{n+1} \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{3^n \cdot n}{2(x-3)^n} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{2(x-3)^n} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \cdot \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot (n+1)} \right| = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{2(x-3)^n}{3^n \cdot$

Representation of Functions as Power Series

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathbf{X}^n \quad , \text{for } |x| < \mathbf{1}$$

REMARKS:

- 1. If you integrate a series to find the power series for a particular function, remember to calculate +C.
- 2. The radius of convergence (R) doesn't change when we derivate or integrate a series. However, the interval of convergence (I) may change (i.e., you will still need to check the endpoints).

Examples: Find the power series representation of the function and determine the interval of convergence.

1.
$$f(x) = \frac{x}{9+x^2} = x \cdot \frac{1}{q+x^2} = \frac{x}{q} \cdot \frac{1}{1+\frac{x^2}{q}} = \frac{x}{q} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\left(-\frac{x^2}{q}\right)} = \frac{x}{q} \cdot \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{x^2}{q}\right)^n}{\left(-\frac{x^2}{q}\right)^n} = \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x}{q} \cdot \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{q^{n+1}}}{q^{n+1}} = \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{q^{n+1}}}{q^{n+1}} = \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{x^2}{q}\right)^n}{q^{n+1}} = \frac{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{x^2}{q}\right)^n}{q^{n+$$

2.
$$f(x) = (\frac{x}{1+4x})^2 = \frac{x^2}{(1+4x)^2} = x^2$$
. $\frac{1}{(1+4x)^2}$

• $\int \frac{1}{(1+4x)^2} dx = \int \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{u^2} du = \frac{1}{4} u^{-1} + c = \frac{-1}{4} \frac{1}{(1+4x)} + c = \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{4(1+4x)} du = \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{4(1+4x)} du = \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{4x} du = \frac$

3.
$$f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right) = \ln\left|1+x\right| - \ln\left|1-x\right| = \int \frac{1}{1+x} dx - \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx + \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx + \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int \frac{$$

Taylor and Maclaurin Series

_ nth derivative

Taylor series of the function f at a:

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

$$, |x-a| < R$$

Nth-degree Taylor polynomial of f at a:

$$T_N(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!} (x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!} (x-a)^2 + \dots + \frac{f^{(N)}}{N!} (x-a)^N$$

Then $f(x) = T_N(x) + R_N(x)$ and

$$|R_N(x)| \leq \frac{\left| f^{N+1}(\mathbf{Z}) \right|}{(N+1)!} \cdot |\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{a}|^{N+1}$$

for some value z between a and x

• How is the series called when the center is a = 0? Maclauria Series

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \cdots$$

$$R = 1$$

$$e^{x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n}}{n!} = 1 + x + \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \cdots$$
 $R = \infty$

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

$$R = \infty$$

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

$$R = \infty$$

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

$$R = 1$$

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

$$R = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(1+x)^k = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \binom{k}{n} \times n$$

$$R = 1$$

$$\binom{k}{n} = \frac{k(k-1)(k-2)\cdots(k-n+1)}{7}$$
There are n terms on the top!

Practice problems

1. Find the Maclaurin series of $f(x) = 9(1-x)^{-2}$ using the definition of a Maclaurin series.

$$f'(x) = 9(1-x)^{-2} \longrightarrow f(0) = 9 = 9 \cdot 2!$$

$$f'(x) = 9(-2)(-1)(1-x)^{-3} \longrightarrow f'(0) = 9 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 9 \cdot 3!$$

$$f''(x) = 9(-2)(-1)(-3)(-1)(1-x)^{-4} \longrightarrow f''(0) = 9 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 9 \cdot 3!$$

$$f^{(3)}(x) = 9(-2)(-1)(-3)(-1)(-4)(-1)(1-x)^{-5} \longrightarrow f^{(3)}(0) = 9 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 9 \cdot 4!$$

$$\vdots$$

$$f^{(n)}(x) = 9 \cdot (n+1)! (1-x)^{-n-2} \longrightarrow f^{(n)}(0) = 9 \cdot (n+1)!$$

There fore:

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

2. Find the value of $f^{(8)}(0)$ given that $f(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x^2)}{2}$

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

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $\cos(2x^2) = 1 - \frac{4x^2}{2!} + \frac{2^4x^8}{4!} - \dots$

•
$$1 - \cos(2x^2) = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{4x^2}{2!} + \frac{2x^8}{4!} - \dots\right)$$

$$= \frac{4x^2}{2!} - \frac{2^4x^8}{4!} + \frac{1}{(8)(6)}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x^2)}{2} - \frac{4x^2}{2 \cdot 2!} - \frac{2x^8}{2 \cdot 4!} + \cdots$$

By definition of Maclaurin series, f8(0) shows up in the coefficient of x^8 : $f^{(8)}(0) = \frac{2^4}{41}$

3. Find the value of the following limit:

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

$$x^{2} \left(e^{\frac{1}{x^{2}}} \right) = -1 + \frac{1}{2x^{2}} - \frac{1}{6x^{4}} + \cdots$$

$$\lim_{x \to \infty} x^{2} \left(e^{\frac{1}{x^{2}}} \right) = \lim_{x \to \infty} \left[-1 + \frac{1}{2x^{2}} - \frac{1}{6x^{4}} + \cdots \right] = -1$$

4. Find the value of
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4^n}{5^n n!}$$
Notice that
$$e^{x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$
Then
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4^n}{5! n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\frac{4}{5})^n}{n!} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

5. Approximate $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ by a Taylor polynomial of degree 2 at a=9. Then use Taylor's Inequality to estimate the accuracy of the approximation when x lies in [9, 10]. You don't need to simplify your answer.

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x} \qquad f(q) = 3$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \qquad f'(q) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$f''(x) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (-\frac{1}{2})x^{-\frac{3}{2}} \qquad f''(q) = -\frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{3^3} = -\frac{1}{108}$$

$$= 3 + \frac{1}{6}(x - q) - \frac{1}{216}(x - q)^2$$

$$|R_{2}(x)| \le |f^{(3)}(z)| \underbrace{|x-q|^{3}}_{3!} \le \frac{3/8 \cdot q^{-5/2}}{3!} \cdot (10-q)^{3} = \frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{3^{5}} = \frac{1}{8 \cdot 3^{4} \cdot 3!}$$

$$f^{(3)}(z) = \frac{3}{8} z \longrightarrow \max \text{ at } z = q.$$

6. Give a series representation for $\int_0^1 x \arctan x \, dx$. Then write down enough terms to approximate $\int_0^1 x \arctan x \, dx$ to within $\frac{1}{100}$.

$$\cdot \arctan(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+2}}{2n+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+2}}{(2n+1)(2n+3)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+2}}{(2n+1)(2n+3)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+3}}{(2n+1)(2n+3)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+3}$$

It's an alternating series, so we can use the alternating series estimation theorem: $|R_n| \le b_{n+1} < \frac{1}{100}$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)(2n+3)} = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 9} + \frac{1}{9 \cdot 11} - \frac{1}{11 \cdot 13}$$
we only need these terms $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{100} \rightarrow b_5 \leq \frac{1}{100}$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)(2n+3)} = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{15} + \frac{1}{35} - \frac{1}{63} + \frac{1}{99}$$
5 terms 1 (but n=4)