

UNIT - III

LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS:

1. Test the convergency of series

(a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{n+1})}$ (b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 3\sqrt[n^3]{n^3+1} - n$ (c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2^n+3}{3^n+1}\right)^{1/2}$

A(b) Given $\sum 3\sqrt[n^3]{n^3+1} - n$

Let $u_n = 3\sqrt[n^3]{n^3+1} - n$

$$(n^3)^{1/3} \left[\left(1 + \frac{1}{n^3}\right)^{1/3} \right] - n$$

$$= n \left[\left(1 + \frac{1}{n^3}\right)^{1/3} - 1 \right]$$

using,

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} x^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{3!} x^3 + \dots$$

We expand,

$$n \left[1 + \frac{1}{3} \frac{1}{n^3} + \frac{\frac{1}{3}(\frac{1}{3}-1)}{2!} \left(\frac{1}{n^3}\right)^2 + \frac{\frac{1}{3}(\frac{1}{3}-1)(\frac{1}{3}-2)}{3!} \left(\frac{1}{n^3}\right)^3 + \dots \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{1}{3n^3} - \frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{(n^3)^2} + \frac{5}{81} \frac{1}{(n^3)^3} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{n}{n^3} \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9n^3} + \frac{5}{81(n^3)^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore u_n = \frac{1}{n^2} \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9n^3} + \frac{5}{81(n^3)^2} + \dots \right]$$

consider,

$$v_n = \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$ which is in p-series where $p=2$

By p-test, $p > 1$ so v_n is convergent

Consider, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\cancel{\frac{1}{n^2}} \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9n^3} + \frac{5}{81(n^3)^2} + \dots \right]}{\cancel{\frac{1}{n^2}}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{9n^3} + \frac{5}{81(n^3)^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{3} - 0 + 0 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \neq 0 \text{ (finite)}$$

By limit comparison test, $\sum u_n$ and $\sum v_n$ either converge or diverge together.

Since $\sum v_n$ is convergent.

Thus $\sum u_n$ is also convergent.

2. Test the convergency of series $\frac{1}{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 10} + \frac{1}{7 \cdot 10 \cdot 13} + \frac{1}{10 \cdot 13 \cdot 16} + \dots$

sol Given series is,

$$\frac{1}{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 10} + \frac{1}{7 \cdot 10 \cdot 13} + \frac{1}{10 \cdot 13 \cdot 16} + \dots$$

4, 7, 10, ... are in AP

$$a = 4, d = 3$$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 4 + (n-1)3$$

$$= 3n + 1$$

7, 10, 13, ... are in AP

$$a = 7, d = 3$$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 7 + (n-1)3$$

$$= 3n + 4$$

10, 13, 16, ... are in AP

$$a = 10, d = 3$$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 10 + (n-1)3$$

$$= 3n + 7$$

Series is,

$$\frac{1}{4 \cdot 7 \cdot 10} + \frac{1}{7 \cdot 10 \cdot 13} + \frac{1}{10 \cdot 13 \cdot 16} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3n+1)(3n+4)(3n+7)}$$

$$U_n = \frac{1}{(3n+1)(3n+4)(3n+7)}$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{[3(n+1)+1][3(n+1)+4][3(n+1)+7]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(3n+4)(3n+7)(3n+10)}$$

Consider, $\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{\frac{1}{(3n+1)(3n+4)(3n+7)}}{\frac{1}{(3n+4)(3n+7)(3n+10)}}$

$$= \frac{1}{(3n+1)(3n+4)(3n+7)} \times \frac{(3n+4)(3n+7)(3n+10)}{1}$$

$$= \frac{3n+10}{3n+1}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = 1$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n+10}{3n+1}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{n}(3+\frac{10}{n})}{\cancel{n}(3+\frac{1}{n})} = \frac{3+0}{3+0} = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

Here $\lambda = 1$ so, test fails.

Consider,

$$n \left[\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{3n+10}{3n+1} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{3n+10-3n-1}{3n+1} \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{9}{3n+1} \right]$$

$$= \cancel{n} \left[\frac{9}{\cancel{n}(3+\frac{1}{n})} \right] = \frac{9}{3+0} = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

Here $l = 3 > 1$

So By Raabe's test

The given series is convergent.

3. Test for the convergency of series.

$$(a) x + \frac{1}{2} \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots \quad (b) \frac{x}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{x^2}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{x^3}{3 \cdot 4} + \dots$$

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2n}}{(n+2)\sqrt{n+1}}, \quad x > 0$$

3(a) Given series is, $x + \frac{1}{2} \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{1 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 4} \frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6} \frac{x^7}{7} + \dots + \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)} \times \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$

$$\text{Let } U_n = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)} \times \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)(2n+1)} \times \frac{[2(n+1)-1] x^{2(n+1)+1}}{2(n+1)[2(n+1)+1]}$$

$$= \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1) x^{2n+1} (2n+1) x^{2n+3}}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)(2n+1)(2n+2)(2n+3)}$$

Consider,

$$\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{\frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}}{\frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n)(2n+1)}{2 \cdot 4 \cdot 6 \dots (2n)(2n+2)} \frac{x^{2n+3}}{2n+3}}$$

$$= \frac{x^{2n+1}}{x^{2n+3}} \times \frac{2n+3}{2n+1} \left(\frac{2n+2}{2n+1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{x^2} \frac{(2n+3)(2n+2)}{(2n+1)(2n+1)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x^2} \frac{(2n+3)(2n+2)}{(2n+1)^2}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}}$$

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

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

$$\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{(2+0)(2+0)}{(2+0)^2} = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

q,

$$\frac{1}{x^2} > 1 \text{ (or) } x^2 < 1, \sum u_n \text{ converges}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} < 1 \text{ (or) } x^2 > 1, \sum u_n \text{ diverges}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = 1 \text{ (or) } x^2 = 1, \text{ test fails.}$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{1}{x^2} = 1 \text{ (or) } x^2 = 1$$

By Raabe's test,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right]$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\frac{(2n+3)(2n+2)}{(2n+1)^2} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{4n^2 + 4n + 6n + 6 - 4n^2 + 1 + 4n}{4n^2 + 4n + 1} \right]$$

$$= \left[\frac{6n^2 + 5n}{4n^2 + 4n + 1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{n^2 \left[6 + \frac{5}{n} \right]}{n^2 \left[4 + \frac{4}{n} + \frac{1}{n^2} \right]}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6 + \frac{5}{n}}{4 + \frac{4}{n} + \frac{1}{n^2}}$$

$$= \frac{6+0}{4+0+0}$$

$$= \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5$$

$$\lambda = 1.5 > 1$$

By Raabe's test,

The given series is convergent.

b) Given series is, $\frac{x}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{x^2}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{x^3}{3 \cdot 4} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)}$

$$\text{Let } U_n = \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)}$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

consider,

$$\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{\frac{x^n}{n(n+1)}}{\frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)(n+2)}} = \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)} \times \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{x^{n+1} \cdot 1}$$

$$= \frac{n \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right)}{x} = \frac{\left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right)}{x}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{x} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{2}{n}\right)$$

$$\frac{1}{x} (1+0) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{1}{x} > 1 \text{ (or) } x < 1 \Rightarrow U_n \text{ converges.}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{1}{x} < 1 \text{ or } x > 1 \Rightarrow U_n \text{ diverges}$$

$$\text{If } x = 1, \text{ test fails.}$$

By Raabe's test,

Consider,

$$n \left[\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{n+2}{n} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{n+2-n}{n} \right] = 2 > 1 \text{ Here } l > 1$$

The given series is convergent

(c) Given series $\sum \frac{x^{2n}}{(n+2)\sqrt{n+1}}$, $x > 0$

$$\text{Let } u_n = \frac{x^{2n}}{(n+2)\sqrt{n+1}}$$

$$u_{n+1} = \frac{x^{2(n+1)}}{(n+1+2)\sqrt{n+1+1}} = \frac{x^{2n+2}}{(n+3)\sqrt{n+2}}$$

Consider,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} &= \frac{\frac{x^{2n}}{(n+2)\sqrt{n+1}}}{\frac{x^{2n+2}}{(n+3)\sqrt{n+2}}} = \frac{x^{2n}}{(n+2)\sqrt{n+1}} \times \frac{\sqrt{n+2}(n+3)}{x^{2n} \cdot x^2} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{n+2}(n+3)}{\sqrt{n+1}(n+2)x^2} \end{aligned}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n\sqrt{n}\left(\sqrt{1+\frac{2}{n}}\left(1+\frac{3}{n}\right)\right)}{n\sqrt{n}\left[\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}}\left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)x^2\right]} \\ = \frac{\sqrt{1+0}(1+0)}{\sqrt{1+0}(1+0)x^2} = \frac{1}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

By ratio test,

$$\frac{1}{x^2} > 1; \quad x^2 < 1 \quad \Rightarrow u_n \text{ converges}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} < 1; \quad x^2 > 1 \quad \Rightarrow u_n \text{ diverges.}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2} = 1 \text{ i.e. } x^2 = 1, \text{ Test fails.}$$

Consider,

$$= n \left[\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right]$$

$$= n \left[\frac{\sqrt{n+2}(n+3)}{\sqrt{n+1}(n+2)} - 1 \right]$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (3n+2)} \times \frac{3(n+1)-1}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (3n+2)}$$

$$= n \left[\frac{\sqrt{n+2}(n+3) - \sqrt{n+1}(n+2)}{\sqrt{n+1}(n+2)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{n(n\sqrt{n})}{n\sqrt{n}} \left[\frac{\sqrt{1+\frac{2}{n}} \left(1+\frac{3}{n}\right) - \sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} \left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)}{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} \left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)} \right]$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left[\frac{\sqrt{1+\frac{2}{n}} \left(1+\frac{3}{n}\right) - \sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} \left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)}{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} \left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)} \right]$$

$$= 0$$

Here $l < 0$

By Raabe's test

The given series is ~~convergent~~ ^{divergent}.

4. Test for convergence of series.

$$(a) \frac{2}{1} + \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9} + \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13} + \dots \quad (b) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n+1)}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdots (3n+2)}$$

4(a) 2, 5, 8... are in A.P.

$$a=2, d=3$$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 2 + (n-1)3$$

$$= 3n-1$$

4, 5, 9, 13... are in A.P.

$$a=4, d=4$$

$$a_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$= 4 + (n-1)4$$

$$= 4n-3$$

Given series is,

$$\frac{2}{1} + \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9} + \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13} + \dots + \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)} + \dots$$

$$\text{Let } U_n = \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)}$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)} \times \frac{3(n+1)-1}{4(n+1)-3}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)(3n+2)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)(4n+1)}$$

Consider,

$$\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)} \cdot \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)(3n+2)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)(4n+1)}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)}{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)} \times \frac{1 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 13 \cdots (4n-3)(4n+1)}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdots (3n-1)(3n+2)}$$

$$\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{4n+1}{3n+2}$$

$$= \frac{n\left[4+\frac{1}{n}\right]}{n\left[3+\frac{2}{n}\right]}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4+\frac{1}{n}}{3+\frac{2}{n}} = \frac{4+0}{3+0} = \frac{4}{3} > 1$$

$$L > 1;$$

so By Ratio test,

The given series is convergent.

(b) ^{sd} Given,

$$U_n = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n+1)}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdots (3n+2)}$$

$$U_{n+1} = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n+3)}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdots (3n+5)} \times \frac{2n+1}{3n+5}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = l$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}}$$

Now,

$$\frac{U_n}{U_{n+1}} = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n+1)}{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdots (3n+2)} \times \frac{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 8 \cdots (3n+2)}{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n+1)} \times \frac{3n+5}{2n+3}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n+5}{2n+3}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3 + \frac{5}{n}}{2 + \frac{3}{n}} = \frac{3+0}{2+0} = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5 > 1$$

By Ratio test,

The given series is convergent.

5. Test the convergence of series $\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{3^2-1} + \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4^2-1} + \frac{\sqrt{4}-1}{5^2-1} + \dots$

sol Given series is,

$$\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{3^2-1} + \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{4^2-1} + \frac{\sqrt{4}-1}{5^2-1} + \dots \frac{\sqrt{n+1}-1}{(n+2)^2-1}$$

$$\text{Let } U_n = \frac{\sqrt{n+1}-1}{(n+2)^2-1}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{n(1+\frac{1}{n})}-1}{[n(1+\frac{2}{n})]^2-1}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{n}[\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}}-\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}]}{n^2[(1+\frac{2}{n})^2-\frac{1}{n^2}]}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{n}[\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}}-\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}]}{n^2[(1+\frac{2}{n})^2-\frac{1}{n^2}]}$$

$$= \frac{[\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}}-\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}]}{n^2 \cdot n^{1/2} [(1+\frac{2}{n})^2-\frac{1}{n^2}]}$$

$$U_n = \frac{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}{n^{3/2} \left[\left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]}$$

$$V_n = \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$$

$\sum U_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$ is in p-series.

$$p = \frac{3}{2} > 1$$

By p-test, $\sum V_n$ is convergent.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{V_n}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}{n^{3/2} \left[\left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}{\left[\left(1+\frac{2}{n}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{n^2} \right]} = \frac{\sqrt{1+0} - 0}{(1+0)^2 - 0} = \frac{1}{1} = 1 \neq 0 \text{ finite}$$

Therefore, by limit comparison test, $\sum U_n$ and $\sum V_n$ either converge or diverge together.

Since $\sum V_n$ is convergent

$\sum U_n$ is convergent.

6. Test for absolute or conditional convergence of series.

$$\frac{1}{5\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{5\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{5\sqrt{4}} - \dots \dots \dots (-1)^n \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}} \dots \dots$$

Sol The given series, is ~~is~~

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{5\sqrt{n}} \text{ which is an alternating series.}$$

7. Test the convergence

Let,

$$U_n = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}}, \quad U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n+1}}$$

(i) Consider, $U_n - U_{n+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n+1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left[\frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}\sqrt{n+1}} \right] > 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$U_n - U_{n+1} > 0$$

$$U_n > U_{n+1}$$

(ii) Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_n$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}} = 0$$

By Leibnitz's test,

Given series is convergent.

$$\text{II) } \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |U_n|$$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}}$$

$$U_n = \frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}}$$

$$V_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{1}{n^{1/2}}$$

$$\sum V_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^{1/2}}$$

It is in p-series

$$p = \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

$\sum V_n$ diverges

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{V_n}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{5\sqrt{n}}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}} = \frac{1}{5} \neq 0 \quad (\text{finite})$$

By Limit comparison test,

$|U_n|$ is ~~convergent~~ ^{divergent}

U_n is convergent, $|U_n|$ is divergent
Series is conditionally convergent.

7. Test the convergency of

(a) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{-n^2}$ (b) $\frac{2}{1^2}x + \frac{3^2}{2^2}x^2 + \dots + \frac{(n+1)^{n^2}}{n^{n+1}}x^n + \dots$ ($x > 0$)

Sol

Given that,

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

$$U_n = \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{-n^2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^{-n^2}$$

$$\therefore U_n = \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^{n^2}$$

$$(U_n)^{1/n} = \left(\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^{n^2}\right)^{1/n}$$

$$= \left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)^n$$

$$= \frac{n^n (1)}{n^n \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n} = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (U_n)^{1/n}$$

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

Here $\lambda < 1$,

so By n^{th} root test

The given series is convergent.

9. Test the series for absolute / conditional convergence

$$(a) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n(\log n)^2}$$

$$(c) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2+1}$$

9(a)
I) Given series is,

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n(\log n)^2} \text{ which is alternating series}$$

$$U_n = \frac{1}{n(\log n)^2} ; U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{(n+1)(\log(n+1))^2}$$

(i) Consider,

$$U_n - U_{n+1}$$

$$\frac{1}{n(\log n)^2} - \frac{1}{(n+1)(\log(n+1))^2}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)(\log(n+1))^2 - n(\log n)^2}{n(\log n)^2 (n+1)(\log(n+1))^2} > 0$$

$$\text{Since } U_n - U_{n+1} > 0$$

$$U_n > U_{n+1}$$

(ii) Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_n$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n(\log n)^2} = 0$$

By Leibnitz's test alternating series is convergent.

II) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} |U_n|$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n(\log n)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n(\log n)^2}$$

$f(n) = \frac{1}{n(\log n)^2}$ which is non-negative and decreasing

function

consider,

$$\int_2^{\infty} f(x) dx = \int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x(\log x)^2} dx$$

$$\int_2^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \log x^{-2} dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{(\log x)^{-2+1}}{-2+1} \right]_2^{\infty}$$

$$= [(\log x)^{-1}]_2^{\infty}$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{\infty} - \frac{1}{\log 2} \right] = \frac{1}{\log 2} = \text{finite}$$

By integral test,

$\sum |U_n|$ is also convergent.

So,

The given series is absolutely convergent.

(b) Given,

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2+1}$$

$$\cos n\pi = (-1)^n$$

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

$$U_n = \frac{1}{n^2+1} \quad U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{(n+1)^2+1} = \frac{1}{n^2+2n+2}$$

consider,

$$U_n - U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{n^2+1} - \frac{1}{n^2+2n+2}$$

$$\frac{n^2+2n+2-n^2-1}{(n^2+1)(n^2+2n+2)}$$

$$= \frac{(2n+1)}{(n^2+1)(n^2+2n+2)} > 0$$

$$U_n - U_{n+1} > 0$$

$$U_n > U_{n+1}$$

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} U_n$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1}$$

$$= 0$$

By Leibnitz's test
Series is convergent.

II) Consider,

$$\sum |U_n| = \frac{1}{n^2+1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n^2(1+\frac{1}{n^2})}$$

consider $v_n = \frac{1}{n^2}$ which is in p-series

$\sum v_n$ is convergent

Consider,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_n}{v_n}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{n^2(1+\frac{1}{n^2})}}{\frac{1}{n^2}}$$

$$= 1 \neq 0 \text{ (finite)}$$

By limit comparison test,

$\sum |U_n|$ is convergent

Given series is absolutely convergent.