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## 1 | Series Convergence

In  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a(r^k)$ , where  $|r| < 1$ ,  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a(r^k) = \frac{a}{1-r}$

In  $\sum_{k=0}^n a(r^k)$ ,  $\sum_{k=0}^n a(r^k) = \frac{a-ar^{n+1}}{1-r}$

If the intergral to infinity is convergent, the sequence is convergent as long as the sequence is continuous, positive, and decreasing. The inverse applies, too.

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Provided that  $a_n, b_n \geq 0$  &  $a_n \leq b_n$