

# REAL ANALYSIS

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Upper bound:

Let  $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  if  $\exists$  a real number  $m$  such that  $m \geq s \forall s \in S$ , then  $m$  is an upper bound of  $S \rightarrow$  Bounded above.

Lower bound:

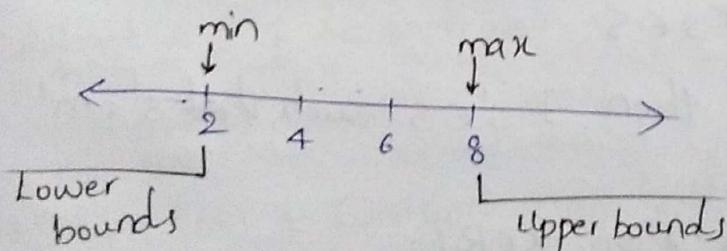
If  $m \leq s, \forall s \in S$  then  $m$  is a lower bound of  $S$  &  $S$  is bounded below.

$\rightarrow S$  is bounded if it is bounded above & bounded below.

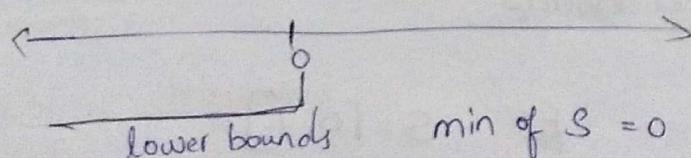
$\rightarrow$  If an upper bound  $m$  of  $S$  is a member of  $S$ ,  
 $m$  is called maximum/greatest element/largest element  
of  $S$ .

$\rightarrow$  If a lower bound  $m$  of  $S$  is a member of  $S$ ,  
 $m$  is called minimum/least element/smallest element  
of  $S$ .

Ex:  $S = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$



Ex:  $S = [0, \infty)$  is not bounded above



Ex:  $S = (0, 4]$  max of  $S = 4$

There is no min of  $S$ .

Ex:  $\emptyset$

$$m \geq s \vee s \in \emptyset = \text{if } s \in \emptyset \text{ then } m \geq s$$

$\emptyset$  is bounded below & above by any real number

Supremum:

Let  $S$  be a non-empty subset of  $R$  if  $S$  is bounded above then the least upper bound (lub) of  $S$  is called its supremum and is denoted by  $m = \sup S$

iff (a)  $m \geq s \vee s \in S$  [ $m$  is upper bound of  $S$ ]

(b) if  $m' < m$  then  $\exists s' \in S$  such that  $s' > m'$

Nothing smaller than  $m$  is an upper bound of  $S$

Infimum:

If  $S$  is bounded below then greatest lower bound

(g.l.b) of  $S$  is called its infimum

$m = \inf S$  iff

(a)  $m \leq s \vee s \in S$

(b) if  $m' > m$ , then  $\exists s' \in S$  such that  $s' < m'$

Ex:  $S = (0, \infty) = \{x : x > 0, x \in R\}$

$$\inf S = 0$$

a) 0 is a lower bound

Ex:  $S = (0, 1)$

$$\sup S = 1$$

$$\inf S = 0$$

$\max \rightarrow$  doesn't exist

$\min \rightarrow$  doesn't exist

Ex:  $S = [0, 1]$

$$\sup S = 1$$

$$\inf S = 0$$

$$\max = 1$$

$$\min = 0$$

Ex:  $S = \left\{ \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$

$$\left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots \right\}$$

$$\sup S = 1$$

$$\inf S = 0$$

L.U.B Axiom (Completeness Axiom)

Every non-empty subset  $S$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  that is bounded above has a l.u.b that is  $\sup S$  exists and that is a real number.

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### Real Sequences:

Sequence: A function whose domain is set  $N$  and range in a set of real numbers  $R$  is called as real sequence

$$S : N \rightarrow R$$

Domain:  $N$        $s_n : n \in N$

$$\{s_n\} = \{s_1, s_2, s_3, \dots, s_n, s_m, \dots\}$$

$\downarrow$  1<sup>st</sup> term     $\downarrow$  2<sup>nd</sup> term     $\downarrow$  n<sup>th</sup> term     $\downarrow$  m<sup>th</sup> term

\* n<sup>th</sup> term and m<sup>th</sup> term are treated distinct though  $s_n = s_m$

\* Sequence is an ordered set of Real numbers.

\* No of terms in a sequence is always infinite.

Ex:  $\{s_n\} = \{(-1)^n\} = \{-1, 1, -1, 1, \dots\}$

Distinct elements =  $\{-1, 1\}$

Range =  $\{-1, 1\}$

Ex:  $\{s_n\} = \{\frac{1}{n}\} \quad n \in N$

$$= \left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \dots \right\}$$

Range: The range or range set consists of all the distinct elements of a sequence without repetition and without regard of position. Range set is finite/infinite  
Range = not set  $\emptyset$

$$s_n = \left\{ \frac{1}{n} \right\} \quad n \in N = \left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots \right\}$$

## Bounds of a sequence:

Bounded above sequence:

A sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to be bounded above if

$\exists$  real number  $k$  such that

$$s_n \leq k \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

Bounded below sequence

A sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to be bounded below if

$\exists$  real number  $k$  such that

$$s_n \geq k \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

\* Sequence is bounded if it is both bounded above and bounded below.

\* Evidently if sequence is bounded iff range is bounded.

$$s_n = (-1)^n = \{-1, 1, -1, 1, \dots\} \quad s_1 = -1, s_2 = 1, s_3 = -1, s_4 = 1$$

$$\text{Range } \{-1, 1\}$$

\* Bounds of range are bounds of sequence

## Convergence of sequences:

A sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to converge to a real number  $l$  (to have real number  $l$  as its limit) if for each  $\epsilon > 0 \exists$  positive integer  $m$  (depends on  $\epsilon$ ) such that

$$|s_n - l| \leq \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

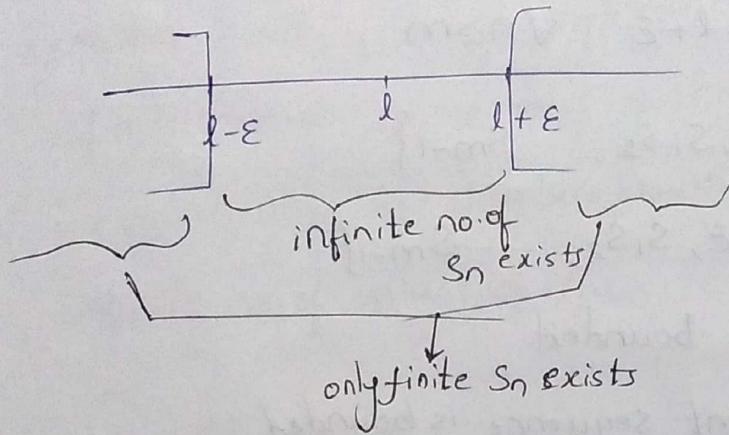
$$l - \epsilon \leq s_n \leq l + \epsilon$$

$s_n \rightarrow l$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\text{LT}} s_n = l$$

$$\underset{n \geq m}{\exists} \boxed{l - \varepsilon \leq s_n \leq l + \varepsilon} \rightarrow \text{converges to } l$$

Infinite number of terms exists in this interval.



Ex:  $\{s_n\} = \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$s_1 = \frac{4}{3}, s_2 = \frac{7}{10}$$

$$s_3 = \frac{10}{17}, s_4 = \frac{13}{24}$$

$$\underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\text{LT}} s_n = \underset{n \rightarrow \infty}{\text{LT}} \frac{3 + \frac{1}{n}}{7 - \frac{4}{n}} = \frac{3}{7} = l$$

$$s_5 = \frac{16}{31}, s_6 =$$

$$l = \frac{3}{7}$$

$\exists \varepsilon > 0$  such that  $\forall n \geq m$

$$|s_n - l| \leq \varepsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\frac{3}{7} - \varepsilon \leq s_n \leq \frac{3}{7} + \varepsilon$$

$$\varepsilon = 1 \quad \exists m \quad \underset{n > 0}{\left| \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} - \frac{3}{7} \right|} < 1$$

$$\varepsilon = 0.1 \quad n > 4 \quad \left| \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} - \frac{3}{7} \right| < 0.1$$

$$\varepsilon = 0.01 \quad n > 39 \quad \left| \frac{3n+1}{7n-4} - \frac{3}{7} \right| < 0.01$$

## Theorem:

Every convergent sequence is bounded

Let  $\{s_n\}$  converges to  $l$

Let  $\epsilon > 0 \exists m$

$$|s_n - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$l - \epsilon < s_n < l + \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$g = \min \{l - \epsilon, s_1, s_2, \dots, s_{m-1}\}$$

$$G = \max \{l + \epsilon, s_1, s_2, \dots, s_{m-1}\}$$

$$g \leq s_n \leq G \quad \text{bounded}$$

$\therefore$  Every convergent sequence is bounded.

\* The converse of the above theorem may not be true.

\* A sequence cannot converge to more than one limit.

Ex:  $s_n = \frac{n}{2^n} \quad n \in \mathbb{N} \quad l = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{2^n} = 0$

$$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{2^2}, \frac{3}{2^3}, \frac{4}{2^4}, \dots$$

$$\epsilon = 0.1$$

$$n > 5 \quad \left| \frac{n}{2^n} - 0 \right| < 0.1$$

$$n \quad \frac{n}{2^n}$$

$$1 \quad 0.5$$

$$2 \quad 0.5$$

$$3 \quad 0.375$$

$$4 \quad 0.25$$

$$5 \quad 0.1$$

$$\epsilon = 0.01$$

$$n > 9 \quad \left| \frac{n}{2^n} - 0 \right| < 0.01$$

$$\epsilon = 0.001$$

$$n > 14 \quad \left| \frac{n}{2^n} - 0 \right| < 0.001$$

$$\epsilon = 0.00001$$

$$n > 22 \quad \left| \frac{n}{2^n} - 0 \right| < 0.00001$$

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- \* Every convergent sequence is bounded and has a unique limit.

### Limit Points of a Sequence:

A real number  $\xi$  is said to be a limit point of a sequence  $\{s_n\}$ , if every neighbourhood of  $\xi$  contains an infinite number of members of the sequence.

i.e., given any +ve number  $\epsilon$ , however small for an infinite no. of values of  $n$ .  $s_n \in (\xi - \epsilon, \xi + \epsilon)$

$|s_n - \xi| < \epsilon$ , for

$|s_n - \xi| < \epsilon$ , for infinitely many values of  $n$ .

\* Intuitively  $s_n$  is an arbitrarily close to  $\xi$  for an infinite number of values of  $n$ .

\* As in a set, a limit point is also called cluster point or a point of condensation.

\* A number  $\xi$  is not a limit point of the sequence  $\{s_n\}$  if  $\exists$  a number  $\epsilon > 0$  such that  $s_n \in (\xi - \epsilon, \xi + \epsilon)$  for at most a finite values of  $n$ .

\* A limit point of the range set of a sequence is also a limit point of the sequence converse may not be true.

Ex.  $s_n = 1 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

Limit point of the sequence = 1

Range = {1}

Limit point of the range = No limit point.

$$S_n = \{1\} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

for every  $\epsilon > 0$

$$S_n \in (1-\epsilon, 1+\epsilon), \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad \boxed{\varrho=1}$$

So limit point of  $S_n$  is 1.

Ex 2:  $S_n = \frac{1}{n}, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$= \left\{1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, \dots\right\}$$

Limit point of sequence = 0

$$\text{Range set} = \left\{1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{5}, \dots\right\}$$

Limit point of Range set = 0

Ex 3  $S_n = 1 + (-1)^n \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\{0, 2, 0, 2, \dots\}$$

Limit point of sequence = {0, 2}

$$\text{Range} = \{0, 2\}$$

Limit point of Range = No limit points.

Ex 4  $S_n = (-1)^n \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\left\{-2, \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right), -\left(1 + \frac{1}{3}\right), \left(1 + \frac{1}{4}\right), -\left(1 + \frac{1}{5}\right), \dots\right\}$$

Limit points of sequence = {-1, 1}

Limit points of Range = {-1, 1}

Relation between limit point & limit:

Ex:  $S_n = \{1, 2, 1, 3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 1, 6, \dots\}$

Limit point = 1

But the sequence is not convergent (so no limit)

Unique limit point is a limit?

NO

Bolzano-Dieudonné Theorem: Every bounded sequence <sup>at least</sup> has a limit point.

\* The converse of the theorem may not be true.

\* Bounded sequence may have many limit points.

\* The greatest and the smallest of the limit points of a bounded sequence are respectively called the upper and lower limits.

Ex:  $\{1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, \dots\}$       Upper limit = 2  
    Lower limit = 1

$\{1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$       Upper limit = 3  
    Lower limit = 1

Convergent sequence: Every bounded sequence with a unique limit point is convergent. (Th)

Th A necessary & sufficient condition for the convergence of a sequence is that it is bounded and has a unique limit point.

Th A necessary & sufficient condition for a sequence  $\{S_n\}$  to converge to  $l$  is that to each  $\epsilon > 0$ , there corresponds to a +ve integer  $m$  such that  $|S_n - l| < \epsilon$ ,  $\forall n \geq m$ .

### Non-convergent sequences:

Bounded: A bounded sequence which does not converge and has atleast two limit points is said to oscillate.

$$\text{Ex: } \{1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, \dots\}$$

Unbounded: Limit point  $-\infty, \infty$

$$\text{Limit } \lim S_n = \infty, -\infty \text{ (divergent)}$$

Oscillates infinitely if it diverges neither to  $-\infty$  or  $\infty$

Show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3+2\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}} = 2$

Let  $\epsilon$  be any +ve number

$$\left| \frac{3+2\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}} - 2 \right| < \epsilon$$

$$\text{if } \left| \frac{3}{\sqrt{n}} \right| < \epsilon$$

$$\text{or } n > \frac{9}{\epsilon^2}$$

Let  $m$  be a +ve integer greater than  $\frac{9}{\epsilon^2}$

thus to  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists$  a +ve integer  $m$ ,

such that  $\left| \frac{3+2\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}} - 2 \right| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3+2\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n}} = 2$$

$\Rightarrow$  If  $\{a_n\}$  converges to  $L$  &  $c \in R$  then the converge sequence  $\{can\}$  converges to  $c \cdot L$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c \cdot a_n = c \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n$$

$\underline{\underline{\text{Th}}}$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n + b_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n$ .

$\underline{\underline{\text{Th}}}$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (a_n \cdot b_n) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n$ .

$\underline{\underline{\text{Th}}}$   $\{a_n\}$  converges to  $L$

&  $\{b_n\}$  converges to  $M$

$$a_n \leq b_n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\text{then } L \leq M.$$

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Sandwich Theorem (Squeeze theorem):

If  $\{a_n\}, \{b_n\}, \{c_n\}$  are three sequences such that

$$\text{if } a_n \leq b_n \leq c_n \quad \forall n \in N \rightarrow ①$$

$$\text{and } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = l$$

$$\text{then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = l.$$

Proof: Let  $\epsilon > 0$  be given  $\{a_n\}, \{c_n\}$  converge to  $l$

$\exists$  tve integers  $m_1, m_2$  such that

$$|a_n - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m_1 \text{ & } |c_n - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m_2 \rightarrow ②$$

$$\text{Let } m = \max(m_1, m_2)$$

then for all  $n \geq m$  we have from ① & ②

$$l - \epsilon < a_n \leq b_n \leq c_n < l + \epsilon$$

$$l - \epsilon < b_n < l + \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$|b_n - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

Hence  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = l$ .

Ex:

$$\{b_n\} = \left\{ \frac{\sin(n)}{n} \right\} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$-1 \leq \sin(n) \leq 1 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$-\frac{1}{n} \leq \frac{\sin(n)}{n} \leq \frac{1}{n} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

We choose  $\{a_n\} = \{-\frac{1}{n}\}$  and

$$\{c_n\} = \{\frac{1}{n}\} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$a_n \leq b_n \leq c_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{Now } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} c_n = 0$$

$\therefore \{b_n\}$  converges to 0.

### Monotonic Sequence:

A sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to be monotonic increasing if  $s_{n+1} \geq s_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$  and monotonic decreasing if  $s_{n+1} \leq s_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ . It is said to be monotonic if it is either monotonic increasing or monotonic decreasing.

Strictly increasing  $s_{n+1} > s_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

Strictly decreasing  $s_{n+1} < s_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

\* Monotonic sequences either converge or diverge, they can't oscillate

Ex: Monotonic increasing :  $2^n, n^2, e^n$

Monotonic decreasing :  $\frac{1}{n}, -n, e^{-n}$

Th A necessary & sufficient condition for the converge of a monotonic sequence is that it is bounded.

Corollary 1

A monotonic increasing bounded above sequence converges to its least upper bound and a monotonic decreasing bounded below to the greatest lower bound.

Corollary 2

Ex  $\{\frac{1}{n}\} \rightarrow 0$  (lb)  $\{\frac{1}{n}\} \rightarrow 0$  (ub)

Every monotonic increasing sequence which is not bounded above, diverges to  $(+\infty)$  Ex  $\{n^2\} \rightarrow \infty$

Corollary 3

Every monotonic decreasing sequence which is not bounded below, diverges to  $(-\infty)$

Ex:  $\{-n^3\} \rightarrow -\infty$

Subsequences:

If  $\{S_n\} = \{S_1, S_2, S_3, \dots\}$  be a sequence, then any infinite succession of its terms picked out in any way (but preserving the original order) is called a subsequence of  $\{S_n\}$  or in otherwords if  $\{n_k\}$  be a strictly

monotonic increasing sequence of natural numbers  
 i.e.,  $n_1 < n_2 < n_3 < \dots$  then  $\{s_{n_k}\}$  is a subsequence  
 of the sequence  $\{s_n\}$

Ex:  $\{s_2, s_4, s_6, s_8, \dots, s_{2n}, \dots\}$  is a subsequence of  $\{s_n\}$

$\{s_1, s_4, s_9, \dots, s_{n^2}, \dots\}$  is a subsequence of  $\{s_n\}$

$\{s_7, s_8, s_9, \dots\}$  obtained by removing a finite  
 number of terms from the beginning is a  
 subsequence of  $\{s_n\}$

Th A sequence  $\{s_n\}$  converges to  $s$  iff its every  
 subsequence converges to  $s$ . Similarly  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n = \infty$  or  $-\infty$   
 iff every subsequence of  $\{s_n\}$  tends to  $\infty$  or  $-\infty$ .

Th If  $\varphi$  is a limit point of a sequence  $\{s_n\}$  then there  
 exists a subsequence  $\{s_{n_k}\}$  of  $\{s_n\}$  which converge  
 to  $\varphi$  i.e.,  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} s_{n_k} = \varphi$ .

Ex:  $s_n = \left\{ \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2^4}, \frac{1}{2^9}, \frac{1}{2^{16}}, \dots, \frac{1}{2^{n^2}}, \dots \right\}$

Monotonically decreasing and bounded.

$\therefore \{s_n\}$  is convergent.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n = 0$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \{x^n\} = 0$  if  $|x| < 1$

Show that the sequence  $\{b_n\}$ , where

$$b_n = \left[ \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} + \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \right] \text{ converges to zero.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} &\geq \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \\ \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} &\geq \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \\ &\vdots \\ &\vdots \\ \frac{1}{(2n)^2} &\geq \frac{1}{(2n)^2} \end{aligned}$$

sum

$$\frac{n}{(2n)^2} \leq b_n \leq \frac{n}{n^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{4n} \leq b_n \leq \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{4n} = 0, \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$$

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1.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{n+1} = 1$  show by definition.

$$|S_n - l| = \left| \frac{n-1}{n+1} - 1 \right| = \left| \frac{n-1 - n-1}{n+1} \right| = \left| \frac{-2}{n+1} \right| = \frac{2}{n+1}$$

$$\frac{2}{n+1} < \epsilon \quad \text{if } n+1 > \frac{2}{\epsilon}$$

i.e., if  $n > N$  where  $N = \frac{2}{\epsilon} - 1$

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \quad |S_n - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

Given  $\epsilon > 0$

$$\left| \frac{n-1}{n+1} - 1 \right| = \frac{2}{n+1} < \epsilon \quad \text{if } n > \underbrace{\frac{2}{\epsilon} - 1}_{m}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n-1}{n+1} = 1$$

2.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}) = 0$  show by definition

$$(\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n+1} + \sqrt{n}} < \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}}$$

Given  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}} < \epsilon$  if  $\frac{1}{4n} < \epsilon^2$

i.e.,  $n > \frac{1}{4\epsilon^2}$

for any  $\epsilon > 0$

$$|\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n} - 0| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > \underbrace{\frac{1}{4\epsilon^2}}_m$$

$\therefore$  By definition  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}) = 0$

$$3. S_n = \left\{ 1, \frac{1}{2}, 2, \frac{1}{3}, 3, \frac{1}{4}, \dots \right\}$$

Does this converge? Limit points?

One subsequence is monotonically increasing and not bounded above

$\therefore$  It is non converging

One subsequence is monotonically decreasing

Limit point = 0

$$4. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 - \cos n}{n+3} = ?$$

$$-1 \leq \cos n \leq 1$$

$$-1 \leq -\cos n \leq 1$$

$$1 \leq 2 - \cos n \leq 3$$

$$\frac{1}{n+3} \leq \frac{2 - \cos n}{n+3} \leq \frac{3}{n+3}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n+3} = 0 \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{n+3} = 0$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 - \cos n}{n+3} = 0$$

$$5. S_n = \left\{ \sqrt{30}, \sqrt{30 + \sqrt{30}}, \sqrt{30 + \sqrt{30 + \sqrt{30}}}, \dots \right\}$$

Does it converge?

$$a_1 = \sqrt{30}, \quad a_{n+1} = \sqrt{30 + a_n} \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

$$a_1 = \sqrt{30} < \sqrt{36} \quad a_1 < 6$$

$$a_2 = \sqrt{30 + a_1} < \sqrt{30 + 6}, \quad a_2 < 6$$

$$a_3 = \sqrt{30 + a_2} < \sqrt{30 + 6} \quad a_3 < 6$$

$\therefore$  Monotonically increasing and bounded above  $\therefore$  Converging.

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## Infinite Series:

Def: If  $u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n, \dots$  be an infinite sequence of real numbers then  $u_1 + u_2 + u_3 + \dots + u_n + \dots$  is called an infinite series denoted by  $\sum u_n$  and the sum of first  $n$  terms is denoted by  $s_n$ . (Sequence of partial sums)

$$s_1 = u_1$$

$$s_2 = u_1 + u_2$$

$$s_3 = u_1 + u_2 + u_3$$

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$$s_n = u_1 + u_2 + u_3 + \dots + u_n$$

$\{s_n\} \rightarrow$   $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sum.

Convergence, divergence and oscillation of a series:

Consider the infinite series

$$\sum u_n = u_1 + u_2 + u_3 + \dots + u_n + \dots$$

and let the sum of the first  $n$  terms be

$$s_n = u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_n$$

clearly,  $s_n$  is a function of  $n$  and as  $n$  increases indefinitely there are 3 possibilities.

1) If  $s_n$  tends to a finite limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , the series  $\sum u_n$  is said to be convergent.

2) If  $s_n$  tends to  $\pm \infty$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  the series  $\sum u_n$  is said to be divergent.

3) If  $S_n$  does not tend to a unique limit as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  then the series  $\sum u_n$  is said to be oscillatory or non-convergent.

Ex: Examine the convergence of the series

$$1+2+3+\dots+n+\dots \infty$$

$$S_n = 1+2+3+\dots+n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$\text{LT}_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{LT}_{n \rightarrow \infty} n(n+1) = \infty \text{ is divergent}$$

$\therefore \sum u_n$  is divergent

Ex: Examine the convergence of the series

$$5-4-1+5-4-1+5-4-1+\dots \infty$$

$$S_n = 5-4-1+5-4-1+\dots \text{ n terms}$$

$$S_n = 5 \quad (3m+1)$$

$$= 1 \quad (3m+2)$$

$$= 0 \quad (3m)$$

$\sum u_n$  is oscillatory.

## Geometric Series:

- i) Converges if  $|r| < 1$
- ii) Diverges if  $r \geq 1$  and oscillates if  $r \leq -1$
- iii) oscillates if  $r \leq -1$

$$\text{Let } S_n = 1 + r + r^2 + \dots + r^{n-1}$$

\* If  $|r| < 1$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} r^n = 0$

$$S_n = \frac{1-r^n}{1-r} = \frac{1}{1-r} - \frac{r^n}{1-r}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \frac{1}{1-r}$$

$\therefore$  The series is convergent.

\* When  $r > 1$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} r^n$  diverges to  $\infty$

$$S_n = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} = \frac{r^n}{r - 1} - \frac{1}{r - 1}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n \text{ diverges to } \infty$$

$\therefore$  The series is divergent.

\* When  $r < -1$ , Let  $r = -\rho$ , so that  $\rho > 1$ , then  $r^n = (-1)^n \rho^n$

$$S_n = \frac{1 - r^n}{1 - r} = \frac{1 - (-1)^n \rho^n}{1 - r}$$

As  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho^n \rightarrow \infty$   $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n \rightarrow -\infty$  or  $\infty$

according to  $n$  ( $n$  is even or odd)

$\therefore$  The series is oscillating.

Necessary condition for convergence of infinite series

A necessary condition for convergence of an infinite series  $\sum u_n$  is that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$

proof: Let  $S_n = u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_n \{S_n\}$

As  $\sum u_n$  converges, then the sequence  $\{S_n\}$  also converges.

Let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = s$  (say)

Now  $u_n = S_n - S_{n-1}, n > 1$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_{n-1} = s - s = 0$$

Converse may not be true.

\*  $\sum u_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \dots + \frac{1}{n} + \dots \infty$  (Harmonic series)

$$u_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$  but not convergent.

$$S_2 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$S_4 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} > \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{4}{2}$$

$$S_8 = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{8} > \frac{4}{2} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} \\ = \frac{5}{2}$$

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

$\sum u_n$  is divergent.

$$* \quad \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \dots +$$

$$|r| = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$|r| < 1$  so convergent.

$$S_n = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^n}$$

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

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = 1$$

$$* \quad \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{4} + \dots$$

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} + 1 - \frac{1}{3} + 1 - \frac{1}{4} + \dots$$

$$(1 + 1 + 1 + \dots) - (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots)$$

$$u_n = \frac{n}{n+1} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{n}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 1 \neq 0$$

$\sum u_n$  is not convergent.

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$1 - 1 + 1 - 1 + 1 - 1 + \dots$  is convergent or  
(Grandi's series) non convergent or divergent?

$$S_n = 1 - 1 + 1 - 1 + \dots \quad (n \text{ terms})$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_n &= 0 && n \text{ is even} \\ &= 1 && n \text{ is odd} \end{aligned}$$

$$S = 1 - (1 - 1 + 1 - \dots + \dots)$$

$$S = 1 - S$$

$$2S = 1$$

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

sum is neither 0, 1 nor  $\frac{1}{2}$

Series is non convergent.

General properties of series:

- 1) The convergence or divergence of an infinite series remains unaffected by the addition or removal of a finite number of its terms.
- 2) If a series in which all the terms are positive, is convergent, the series remains convergent even when some or all of its terms are negative.

Ex:  $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \dots \infty$   
 $-1 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{2^3} - \dots \infty$

3) The convergence or divergence of an infinite series remains unaffected by multiplying each term by a finite number.

Ex:  $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{8} + \dots$

$$\sum \frac{1}{2n}$$

$\sum \frac{1}{n}$  is divergent (Harmonic series)

Series  $\sum \frac{1}{2n}$  is divergent

Series of positive terms:

An infinite series in which all the terms after some particular terms are +ve, is a positive term series

Ex:  $-7 - 5 - 2 + 2 + 7 + 13 + 20 + \dots$

Integral Test:

A positive term series  $f(1) + f(2) + \dots + f(n) + \dots$  where  $f(n)$  decreases as  $n$  increases,

converges or diverges as the integral  $\int f(x)dx$  is finite or infinite.

P-test:

Test for comparison

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p} = \frac{1}{1^p} + \frac{1}{2^p} + \frac{1}{3^p} + \dots$$

converges for  $p > 1$

diverges for  $p \leq 1$

Ex:  $p=2$

$\sum \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots$  is convergent (p-test)

Ex:  $\sum \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} + \dots$  is divergent (p-test)

### Comparison Tests:

1) If two positive term series  $\sum u_n$  and  $\sum v_n$  be such that

i)  $\sum v_n$  converges and ii)  $u_n \leq v_n \forall n$

then  $\sum u_n$  also converges.

Ex: \* If  $\sum v_n$  converges &  $u_n \geq v_n$  we cannot judge anything

$\sum u_n = \sum \frac{1}{2^n+n}$        $v_n = \sum \frac{1}{2^n}$  (geometric series  $|r|<1$ )  
converges

$$2^n+n > 2^n \quad \forall n$$

$$\frac{1}{2^n+n} < \frac{1}{2^n} \quad \forall n$$

$$u_n \leq v_n \quad \forall n$$

$\sum u_n$  converges by comparison test.

2) If two positive term series  $\sum u_n$  and  $\sum v_n$  be such that

i)  $\sum v_n$  diverges and ii)  $v_n \leq u_n \forall n$

then  $\sum u_n$  also diverges

$\sum u_n = \sum \frac{1}{n+1}$        $\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{2^n}$  diverges

$$n+1 < 2^n \quad \forall n$$

$$u_n \geq v_n \quad \forall n$$

$$\frac{1}{n+1} > \frac{1}{2^n} \quad \forall n$$

$\sum u_n$  diverges

## Limit form (Comparison test):

If two positive term series  $\sum u_n$  &  $\sum v_n$  be such that

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = k ( \neq 0 )$  finite number then

$\sum u_n$  and  $\sum v_n$  converge or diverge together.

Ex:  $\sum u_n = \sum \sin \frac{1}{n}$        $v_n = \frac{1}{n}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sin(\frac{1}{n})}{\frac{1}{n}} = 1 \neq 0$$

$\sum v_n$  diverges so  $\sum u_n$  also diverges.

## D'Alembert's Ratio test:

In a positive term series  $\sum u_n$

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = \lambda$ , then the series converges

if  $\lambda < 1$  & diverges if  $\lambda > 1$

The test fails if  $\lambda = 1$

Ex:  $\sum \frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 1} x^n$ ,  $x > 0$

Let  $u_n = \frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 1} x^n$

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

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{(n+1)^2 - 1}{(n+1)^2 + 1} x^{n+1}}{\frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 1} x^n} \\ &= \frac{\frac{(n+1)^2 - 1}{(n+1)^2 + 1} x^{n+1}}{\frac{n^2 - 1}{n^2 + 1} x^n} \end{aligned}$$

By D'Alembert's Ratio test  $\sum u_n$  converges

if  $x < 1$  and diverges if  $x > 1$

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\* In a positive term series  $\sum u_n$

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

$\sum u_n$  converges for  $k > 1$

diverges for  $k < 1$

\* Ratio test for  $\lambda = 1$  [D'Alembert's Ratio Test]

$$\sum u_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^p}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^p}{(n+1)^p}$$

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

$$= 1 = \lambda$$

$\lambda = 1$  for any  $p$ .

But we know that from p-test

$\sum u_n$  converges for  $p > 1$

and diverges for  $p \leq 1$

Cauchy's Root Test: In a positive term series  $\sum u_n$

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} = \lambda$ , then the series converges for

$\lambda < 1$  and diverges for  $\lambda > 1$ .

This test fails when  $\lambda = 1$ .

Ex:  $\sum (\log n)^{-2n}$        $u_n = (\log n)^{-2n}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\log n)^{-2} = 0 (< 1)$$

Hence by Cauchy's root test, the given series converges.

Alternating series: A series in which the terms are alternatively +ve or -ve is called an alternating series

Leibnitz's series: An alternating series  $u_1 - u_2 + u_3 - u_4 + \dots$  converges if

- each term is numerically less than its preceding term
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$

Ex:  $1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} + \dots$  converges or not?

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

Converges by Leibnitz's rule

The terms of the given series are alternatively +ve & -ve.

$$u_n - u_{n-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{n-1}} < 0$$

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

Hence by Leibnitz's rule

$\sum u_n$  converges.

#### \* Series of positive & Negative Terms (general)

The +ve term series & alternating series are special types of these series with arbitrary signs

Absolutely convergent: If the series  $u_1 + u_2 + u_3 + \dots + u_n + \dots$  be such that the series  $|u_1| + |u_2| + |u_3| + \dots + |u_n| + \dots$  is convergent, then the original series  $\sum u_n$  is said to be absolutely convergent.

Ex:

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

is absolutely convergent

Conditionally convergent:

If  $\sum |u_n|$  is divergent but  $\sum u_n$  is convergent then  $\sum u_n$  is said to be conditionally convergent.

Ex:

$$\sum u_n = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} - \dots \infty \text{ is convergent}$$

(By Leibnitz's rule)

$$\sum |u_n| = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \dots \infty$$

$= \sum \frac{1}{n}$  is divergent

So the original series  $\sum u_n$  is conditionally convergent.

Note: An absolutely convergent series is necessarily convergent but not conversely.

Ex: Test whether the following series is absolutely convergent or not?

$$\sum u_n = \sum \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2n-1}$$

$$\sum u_n = 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{9} - \dots \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2n-1}$$

(Alternating series)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2n-1}$$

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

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$$

$$u_n - u_{n-1} = \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{2n-1} - \frac{(-1)^{n-2}}{2(n-1)-1}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2n-1} - \frac{1}{2n-3}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{(2n-1)(2n-3)}$$

$$u_n - u_{n-1} < 0$$

By Leibnitz rule,  $\sum u_n$  is convergent

Comparison

$$\text{test } \sum |u_n| = \sum \left| \frac{1}{2n-1} \right| \quad \sum v_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{2n-1}}{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{1}{2} (\neq 0)$$

$\sum v_n$  diverges so  $\sum |u_n|$  also diverges.

$\sum u_n$  is convergent &  $\sum |u_n|$  diverges

$\therefore \sum u_n$  is conditionally convergent.

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Power Series: A series of the form  $a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n + \dots$  where the  $a$ 's are independent of  $x$ , is called a power series in  $x$ .

This series may converge or diverge for different values of  $x$ .

Interval of convergence:

In the power series,  $u_n = a_n x^n$

The interval in which power series is convergent.

How do you test for convergence?

Ratio test.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}x^{n+1}}{a_n x^n}$$

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

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} x \right| = |x| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

$$= l \cdot |x| \quad \left[ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = l \right]$$

$\sum u_n$  converges if  $|l \cdot x| < 1$

$$|x| < \frac{1}{l}$$

$$(or) -\frac{1}{l} < x < \frac{1}{l}$$

$$\frac{1}{(1-x)} + \frac{1}{2(1-x)^2} + \frac{1}{3(1-x)^3} + \dots$$

$$u_n = \frac{1}{n(1-x)^n}$$

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

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

$$= \left| \frac{1}{(1-x)} \right| < 1 \Rightarrow -1 < \frac{1}{1-x} < 1$$

$$|x-1| > 1 \quad |1-x| > 1$$

Interval of convergence

$$x < 0 \text{ & } x \geq 2$$

For  $x=2$   $\sum u_n = \sum \frac{x^n}{n!}$  For  $x=0$   $\sum u_n = \sum \frac{1}{n!}$   
converges by Leibnitz rule divergent

Convergence of Exponential Series. ( $e^x$ )

The series is  $1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \dots \infty$

Find the interval of convergence

$$\text{Let } u_n = \frac{x^n}{n!}, u_{n+1} = \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \cdot \frac{n!}{x^n}$$

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

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

$$= 0$$

$\sum u_n$  converges for any value of  $x$ .

Convergence of logarithmic series;

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

Find the interval of convergence.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+2} x^{n+1}}{(n+1)} \cdot \frac{n}{(-1)^{n+1} x^n} \right|$$

$$= |x| \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{n}{n+1} \right|$$

$$= |x| < 1 \Rightarrow -1 < x < 1$$

$x=1 \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \dots - \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} \dots$   
converges by Leibnitz rule

Interval of convergence  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

Convergence of Binomial Series:

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

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①  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{n^5+3}$  converges or diverges?

$$u_n = \frac{n^3}{n^5+3} \quad v_n = \frac{n^3}{n^5} \quad [\text{+ve term series}]$$

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

$\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$  converges by p-test

$$u_n < v_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

By comparison test

$\sum u_n$  also converges.

②  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3^n}{4^n+4}$

$$u_n = \frac{3^n}{4^n+4} \quad v_n = \frac{3^n}{4^n}$$

$$\sum v_n = \sum \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n$$

$\sum v_n$  converges geometric series with  $|r| < 1$

$$u_n < v_n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$$

By comparison test

$\sum u_n$  also converges.

③  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!(n+1)!}{(3n)!}$  converges or diverges?

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1)!(n+2)!}{(3n+3)!} \cdot \frac{n!(n+1)!}{(3n)!}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{(3n+1)(3n+2)(3n+3)} = 0$$

$\therefore \sum u_n$  converges

$$\textcircled{4} \cdot \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^3 x^{3n}}{n^4 + 1} \rightarrow \text{Power series}$$

Interval of convergence?

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

$$|x|^3 < 1$$

$$-1 < x < 1$$

$$x = -1 \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} -\frac{n^3}{n^4 + 1}$$

$$x = 1 \quad \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{n^4 + 1} \text{ diverges by comparison test} \quad (v_n = \frac{n^3}{n^4})$$

\textcircled{5} \quad \sum (-1)^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 1}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Does this series converge} \\ \text{absolutely, conditionally or diverges?} \end{array}

$\sum u_n = \sum (-1)^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 1}}$  converges by Leibnitz's series

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

mit form:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 1}}}{\frac{1}{n}} = 1 \neq 0$

$$v_n = \frac{1}{n} \quad \sum v_n \text{ is divergent}$$

$\sum u_n$  converges  $\sum |u_n|$  diverges

$\therefore \sum u_n$  is conditionally convergent.

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## Sequence & Series of Functions:

Sequence of real numbers:  $f: N \rightarrow R$

Sequence of functions

$$E \subseteq R \quad E = [a, b]$$

For each  $n \in N$  Let  $f_n: E \rightarrow R$  be a function

then  $\{f_n\}$  is a sequence of functions on  $E$  to  $R$

$x \in E$  then  $\{f_n(x)\}$  is a sequence of real numbers

for some  $x \in E$ ,  $\{f_n(x)\}$  may converge, for other

$N$

$x \in E$  it may not.

$$1 \rightarrow f_1: E \rightarrow R \quad f_1(x)$$

$$2 \rightarrow f_2: E \rightarrow R \quad f_2(x)$$

$$3 \rightarrow f_3: E \rightarrow R \quad x \in E \quad f_3(x)$$

$$\vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \vdots$$

$$n \rightarrow f_n: E \rightarrow R \quad f_n(x)$$

$$\vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \vdots$$

Ex:  $f_n(x) = x + n \quad E = [1, 3]$

$$x \in [1, 3]$$

$$x=2 \quad f_n(2) = 2 + n$$

$$\{f_n(2)\} = \{3, 4, 5, 6, \dots\}$$

Point wise convergence:

\* If  $\{f_n(x)\}$  converges  $\forall x \in E$  then  $f: E \rightarrow R$

$$f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x), \quad x \in E$$

$\{f_n\}$  converges to  $f$  pointwise

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise  $\equiv f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x) \quad \forall x \in E$

Ex:  $E = [0, 1], \quad f_n(x) = x^n \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$

$\forall x \in E \quad f_n(x) \rightarrow f$  pointwise

$$x_1 \in E \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x_1) = l_{x_1}$$

$$x_2 \in E \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x_2) = l_{x_2}$$

$$f(x) = l_x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$$

then  $f_n(x) \rightarrow f$  pointwise.

Ex:

$$E = [0, 1] \quad f_n(x) = x^n, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1 & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f_n(0) = 0$$

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

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

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise

$$E = [-1, 1] \quad f_n(x) = x^n$$

$$f(x) = 0 \quad -1 < x < 1$$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & -1 < x < 1 \\ 1 & x = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$f_n(-1) = (-1)^n \rightarrow \text{non convergent}$$

$f_n$  converges to  $f$  pointwise in  $(-1, 1]$

### Uniform convergence:

Let  $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a sequence of functions &  $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a function we say that  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly if  $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}^{\text{belongs}}$  such that  $\forall n \geq n_0$

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon \quad \forall x \in E$$

If  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly

$x = c, \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that  $n \geq n_0$

$$|f_n(c) - f(c)| < \epsilon$$

$$f_n(c) \rightarrow f(c)$$

$$\forall x \in E \quad f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$$

\* If  $f_n \xrightarrow[\text{converges}]{} f$  uniformly then  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise

\* If  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise  $\equiv f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x) \quad \forall x \in E$

$\forall x \in E \quad \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$   
such that  $n \geq n_0 \Rightarrow |f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $n_0(x)$

Let  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly  $\{ |f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon ; x \in E \}$

No changes for every  $x$  in pointwise convergence and  
no is fixed in uniform convergence.  $\forall x$ .

Ex  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$  Let  $f_n: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   $f_n(x) = \frac{x}{n}, x \in \mathbb{R}$

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise  $f(x) = 0$   
 $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$

\*  $f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise  $\frac{\max\{n_0(x)\}}{n}$   
 $\forall x \in E, f_n(x) \rightarrow f(x)$   $\forall n \geq n_0$

$\forall x \in E, \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\forall n \geq n_0$   
 $|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$

$x = c$   $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that  $n \geq 1000$   
 $\downarrow$

$x = a$   $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that  $|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $10000$

\*  $f_n \rightarrow f$  convergence

$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in \mathbb{N}, \forall n \geq n_0$

$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon, \forall x \in E$

\*  $f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly  $\{ |f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in E \}$   
 $\downarrow$  This is bounded.

Let  $M_n = \sup \{ |f_n(x) - f(x)| : x \in E \}$

$f_n \rightarrow f$  uniformly  $\equiv M_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$

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\*  $\{f_n\} \rightarrow f$  pointwise on  $E \subseteq R$

$$\forall x \in E \quad f(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$$

\*  $\{f_n\} \rightarrow f$  uniformly

$\forall \epsilon > 0, \exists n_0 \in N$  such that  $n \geq n_0$

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon, \forall x \in E$$

Ex:  $f_n(x) = x^n \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 0 & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ &\equiv 1 & x = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$M_n = \sup \{|x^n - f(x)| : x \in [0, 1]\}$$

$$= \sup \{x^n : 0 \leq x < 1\}$$

$$x = 1 \quad M_1 = \sup \{x : 0 \leq x < 1\} = 1$$

$$x = 2 \quad M_2 = \sup \{x^2 : 0 \leq x < 1\} = 1$$

$$M_n \rightarrow 1 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

But for uniform convergence  $M_n \rightarrow 0$

-  $f_n(x) = x^n$  is pointwise convergent but not uniformly convergent.

Ex:

Let  $D = \{x \in R : x \geq 0\}$  and for each  $n \in N$  let

$$f_n: D \rightarrow R \text{ be defined by } f_n(x) = \frac{x}{1+nx}, x \geq 0$$

Does it converge?

so  $f(x) = 0, x \geq 0$

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise

→ Is it uniform convergence?

$$\forall x \geq 0 \quad |f_n(x) - f(x)| = \frac{x}{1+nx} < \frac{1}{n} \quad n > \frac{1}{\epsilon}$$

Let  $\epsilon > 0$  then  $|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon, \forall n > \frac{1}{\epsilon}$

Let  $k = \left[ \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right] + 1$  then  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  &  $\forall x \geq 0$

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| < \epsilon, \forall n \geq k$$

This proves that  $\{f_n\} \rightarrow f$  uniformly on  $[0, \infty)$

Ex:  $f_n(x) = 1+x+x^2+\dots+x^{n-1}, x \in [0, 1]$  (Geometric series)

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}, x \in [0, 1] \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}$$

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise

$$|f_n(x)| = |1+x+x^2+\dots+x^{n-1}| \leq 1+|x|+|x^2|+\dots+|x^{n-1}| \leq n \quad \forall x \in [0, 1]$$

Each  $f_n$  is bounded on  $[0, 1]$  but  $f$  is unbounded on  $[0, 1]$

To Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f_n : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is bounded on  $D$ . If the sequence  $\{f_n\}$  be uniformly convergent on  $D$ , then the limit function  $f$  is bounded on  $D$ .

Theorem Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  and for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f_n : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is continuous on  $D$ ; If the sequence  $\{f_n\}$  be uniformly convergent on  $D$  to a function  $f$ , then  $f$  is continuous on  $D$ .

\* If  $f_n \rightarrow f$  and  $f_n$  is continuous that does not mean  $f_n$  is uniformly convergent.

Ex.  $f_n(x) = \frac{x^n}{1+x^n} \quad x \in [0, 2]$

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & x = 1 \\ 1 & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$f_n \rightarrow f$  pointwise.

Each  $f_n$  is continuous on  $[0, 2]$

$f$  is not continuous on  $[0, 2]$

The convergence of the sequence is not uniform.

### Series of functions:

Let  $D \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $\{f_n\}$  be a sequence of functions on  $D$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ . Then  $f_1 + f_2 + f_3 + \dots$  is said to be a series of functions on  $D$ . ( $\sum f_n$ )

$\{s_n\}$  is defined for  $x \in D$  by  $s_1(x) = f_1(x)$   
 $s_2(x) = f_1(x) + f_2(x)$   
 $s_3(x) = f_1(x) + f_2(x) + f_3(x)$   
 $\vdots$   
 $s_n(x) = f_1(x) + f_2(x) + \dots + f_n(x)$

The sequence  $\{s_n\}$  is said to be sequence of partial sums of the infinite series  $\sum f_n$

If  $\{s_n\}$  is pointwise convergence on  $D$  to a function then  $\sum f_n$  is said to be pointwise convergence on  $D$  and  $s$  is said to be the sum function of the series  $\sum f_n$  on  $D$ .

If  $\{s_n\} \rightarrow s$  uniformly on  $D$  then

$\sum f_n$  is said to be uniformly convergent on  $D$  to the sum function  $s$

Prob.: Prove that the series of  $f_n$ 's

$$1+x+x^2+\dots+x^{n-1} \quad 0 \leq x < 1 \text{ is}$$

pointwise convergent on  $0 \leq x < 1$ , but the convergence is not uniform on  $[0, 1]$

Sol  $s_n(x) = 1+x+x^2+\dots+x^{n-1}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} s_n(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}, \quad x \in [0, 1)$$

$$\sum f_n \rightarrow s \text{ pointwise}$$

$$s_n(x) \rightarrow s \text{ pointwise}$$

The convergence is not uniform since  $s$  is not bounded