

## CALCULUS FOR IT 501031

### 1 Exercises

**Exercise 1:** Write a program to generate  $n$  numbers in special sequences as follows

- (a) Arithmetic sequence:  $x_n = 4n + 1$       (c) Cubic sequence:  $x_n = n^3$   
(b) Geometric sequence:  $x_n = 3^n$       (d) Fibonacci sequence:  $x_n = x_{n-1} + x_{n-2}$

**Exercise 2:** Write a program to find the parameters of the corresponding sequences

- (a) Given the sequence arithmetic sequence: 5, 20, 35, 50, 65, ... find  $d, a_n, a_{55}$  and which term equals 230?  
(b) Given the geometric sequence: 120, 60, 30, 15,  $\frac{15}{2}, \dots$  find  $r, a_n, a_{10}$  and which term equals  $\frac{15}{32}$

#### Hint:

- Definition of an Arithmetic sequence:  $a_2 - a_1 = d; a_7 - a_6 = d$  and so on. Therefore, the  $n^{th}$  term of an arithmetic sequence is  $a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$
- Definition of a Geometric sequence:  $r = \frac{a_2}{a_1}; r = \frac{a_9}{a_8}$  and so on. Therefore, the  $n^{th}$  term of a geometric sequence is  $a_n = a_1(r)^{n-1}$

**Exercise 3:** Find the Taylor series expansion of these function:

- (a)  $f(x) = \cos(x)$  at  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and the order is 6  
(b)  $f(x) = \ln(x)$  at  $x = 2$  and the order is 10  
(c)  $f(x) = e^x$  at  $x = 3$  and the order is 12

**Exercise 4:** Find the Maclaurin series expansion of these function:

- (a)  $f(x) = \cos(x)$  with the order is 6      (c)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}$  with the order is 12  
(b)  $f(x) = e^x$  with the order is 12      (d)  $f(x) = \tan^{-1}(x)$  with the order is 12

**Exercise 5:** Find the limit of the following sequences:

$$(a) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4n^2 + 1}{3n^2 + 2}$$

$$(b) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{n^2 + 1} - n)$$

$$(c) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{2n + \sqrt{n}} - \sqrt{2n + 1})$$

$$(d) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3(5)^n - 2^n}{4^n + 2.5^n}$$

$$(e) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \sin \sqrt{n}}{n^2 + n - 1}$$

**Exercise 6:** Determine whether the sequence converges or diverges:

$$(a) a_n = 1 - (0.2)^n$$

$$(b) a_n = \frac{n^3}{n^3 + 1}$$

$$(c) a_n = \frac{3 + 5n^2}{n + n^2}$$

$$(d) a_n = \frac{n^3}{n + 1}$$

$$(e) a_n = e^{\frac{1}{n}}$$

$$(f) a_n = \sqrt{\frac{n+1}{9n+1}}$$

$$(g) a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1} n}{n + \sqrt{n}}$$

$$(h) a_n = \tan\left(\frac{2n\pi}{1+8n}\right)$$

$$(i) a_n = \frac{(2n-1)!}{(2n+1)!}$$

$$(j) a_n = \ln(2n^2 + 1) - \ln(n^2 + 1)$$

**Exercise 7:** Find the first five terms of the sequence following:

$$(a) a_n = 1 - (0.2)^n$$

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

$$(c) a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{5^n}$$

$$(d) a_n = \frac{1}{(n+1)!}$$

$$(e) a_1 = 1, a_{n+1} = 5a_n - 3$$

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

and show the result graphically

**Exercise 8:** Using a graph of the sequence to determine whether the sequence is convergent or divergent.

$$(a) a_n = 1 - \left(\frac{-2}{e}\right)^n$$

$$(b) a_n = \sqrt{n} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$

$$(c) a_n = \sqrt{\frac{3 + 2n^2}{8n^2 + n}}$$

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

$$(e) a_n = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{n!}$$

$$(f) a_n = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \dots (2n-1)}{(2n)^n}$$

**Exercise 9:** Determinate if the following series is convergent or divergent.

$$(a) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4^n = 4 + 16 + 64 + 256 + 1024 + \dots$$

$$(b) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5}{2^n} = \frac{5}{2^1} + \frac{5}{2^2} + \frac{5}{2^3} + \frac{5}{2^4} + \frac{5}{2^5} \dots$$

**Exercise 10:** Write a program to find the  $i^{th}$  Fibonacci number in Fibonacci sequence. By

$$(a) x_i = x_{i-1} + x_{i-2}$$

$$(b) x_i = \frac{\phi^i - (1-\phi)^i}{\sqrt{5}}, \text{ where } \phi = 1.618034 \text{ is Golden Ratio.}$$

$$(c) x_i = [x_{i-1}\phi]$$

**Exercise 11:** An employee has an initial salary of \$28000. The salary increase 3% per year. Use the  $n^{th}$  term  $a_n = P[1 + i]^n$  where  $P$  is the initial salary,  $i$  is the rate of increase in decimal,  $n$  is yearly term. Find a sequence of the first 3 years salaries.

