

Real Analysis Theorems

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1 Limsup and Liminf

Corollary 1.0.1. *If $\lim \left| \frac{s_{n+1}}{s_n} \right|$ exists [and equals L], then $\lim |s_n|^{1/n}$ exists [and equals L].*

2 Power Series

Given power series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$

Theorem 2.1. *Given any (a_n) , one of the following holds true:*

1. *The power series converges for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$*
2. *The power series converges only for $x = 0$*
3. *The power series converges for all x in some bounded interval centered at 0; the interval may be open, half-open or closed.*

Theorem 2.2. *Let*

$$\beta = \limsup |a_n|^{1/n} \quad \text{and} \quad R = \frac{1}{\beta}$$

Then

1. *The power series converges for $|x| < R$*
2. *The power series diverges for $|x| > R$*

Also notice that $\lim \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \beta$, therefore most of the time we will use $\lim \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$ as it's easier to compute than β .

3 More on Uniform Convergence

Theorem 3.1. *Let (f_n) be a sequence of continuous functions on $[a, b]$, and suppose $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on $[a, b]$. Then*

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \int_a^b f_n(x) dx = \int_a^b f(x) dx$$

Definition 3.2. A sequence (f_n) of functions defined on a set $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ is uniformly Cauchy on S if

$$\text{for each } \epsilon > 0 \text{ there exists a number } N \text{ such that} \\ |f_n(x) - f_m(x)| < \epsilon \text{ for all } x \in S \text{ and all } m, n > N$$

Theorem 3.3. Let (f_n) be a sequence of functions defined and uniformly Cauchy on a set $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$. Then there exists a function f on S such that $f_n \rightarrow f$ uniformly on S .