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Q.9 If $\sum a_n$ is a convergent series of positive real number then $\sum \frac{a_n}{n}$

(a) may not be convergent
(b) divergent
(c) is convergent
(d) may or may not be convergent

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Q.10 Let $a_n = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{When } n \text{ is odd} \\ \sqrt{n} & \text{When } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$ Then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is

(a) divergent
(b) convergent
(c) oscillatory
(d) NOT

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Q.5. What is the sum of series

$$\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2^2 \cdot 3^2} + \frac{1}{2^3 \cdot 3^2}\right) + \dots$$

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(a) $\frac{3}{8}$
(b) $\frac{3}{10}$

(c) $\frac{3}{14}$
(d) $\frac{3}{16}$

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Q.6. The sum of the series $\frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1+2}{2!} + \frac{1+2+3}{3!} + \dots$ equals :

(a) e
(b) e/2

(c) 3e/2
(d) $1 + \frac{e}{2}$

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Q.7. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{j=0}^{2n-1} j^2$ equals : CSIR NET DEC 2016

(a) 4
(b) 16
(c) 1

(d) 8

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Sum of the telescoping series : $\sum (t_n - t_{n+1})$ is telescoping series, then

$$t_1 - t_2 + t_2 - t_3 + t_3 - t_4 + \dots + t_n - t_{n+1} = t_1 - t_{n+1}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Sum of given series is } t_1 - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} t_{n+1}.$$

Note : If telescoping series is convergent then this series is converge to sum of this series.

Q1. Let $a_1 = 1$ and $a_n = 2 - \frac{1}{n}$ for $n \geq 2$, then

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

- (a) 1 (b) $\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) $\frac{1}{3}$ (d) $\frac{3}{4}$

Q2. Let $\langle a_n \rangle$ be a sequence of real numbers such that $a_1 = 1$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 3$, then the value of $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_{n+1}^2 - a_n^2)$ is

(a) 7

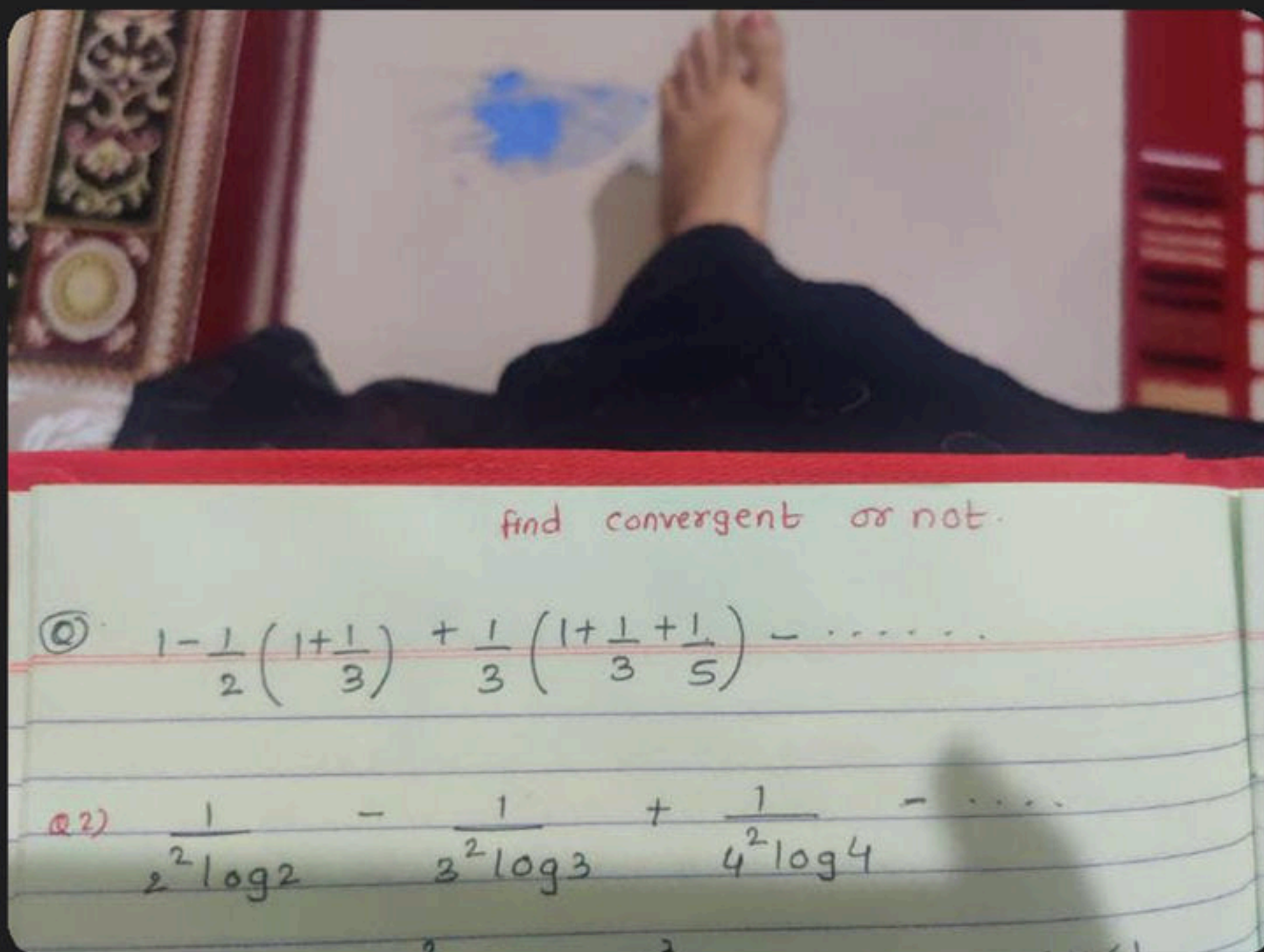
(b) 8

(c) 9

(d) 10

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Result :

(1) Sum of series $\sum \frac{1}{n(n+1)}$ is $1 = \frac{1}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{1!}$.

(2) Sum of series $\sum \frac{1}{n(n+1)(n+2)}$ is $\frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2!}$

(3) Sum of series $\sum \frac{1}{n(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)}$ is

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3!} = \frac{1}{3 \times 6} = \frac{1}{18}.$$

(4) Sum of series $\sum \frac{1}{n(n+1).....(n+m)}$ is $\frac{1}{m} \cdot \frac{1}{m!}$.

Q3. The sum of the series $\sum \frac{1}{n(n+1)(n+2)}$.

(a) 1

(b) $\frac{1}{2}$

(c) $\frac{1}{4}$

(d) $\frac{1}{8}$

Sum of Series of type $\sum_{k=1}^n f(n, k) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right)$

Step – 1 : Re – write the series in the form $\frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n f\left(\frac{k}{n}\right)$

Step – 2 : Put $\frac{1}{n} = dx$ & $\frac{k}{n} = x$ then Change summation into integration with limit 0 to 1

Step – 3 : Integrate and get final solution

Q4. The value of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2 + kn}}$ is [IIT-JAM 2011]

(A) $2(\sqrt{2}-1)$

(B) $2\sqrt{2}-1$

(C) $2-\sqrt{2}$

(D) $\frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{2}-1)$

Sum of series by expansion :

We know that (i) $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$

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

(iii) $\log(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots$

(iv) $\log(1-x) = -x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} - \dots$

(v) $\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots$

(vi) $\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots$

(vii) $\tan x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots$

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Q5. Let $a_n = n + \frac{1}{n}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then the sum of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{a_{n+1}}{\lfloor n \rfloor} \text{ is } \quad \text{[IIT-JAM 2018]}$$

(A) $e^{-1} - 1$

(B) e^{-1}

(C) $1 - e^{-1}$

(D) $1 + e^{-1}$

Q6. The value of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{2^n}$ is

(A) 1

(B) 3

(C) 2

(D) 4

Q7. The sum of the series $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2 + n - 2}$ is

[IIT-JAM 2016]

(A) $\frac{1}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{18}$

(B) $\frac{1}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{6}$

(C) $\frac{2}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{18}$

(D) $\frac{2}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{6}$

Q8. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \tan^{-1} \frac{2}{n^2} =$ is

[IIT-JAM 2016]

(A) $\frac{\pi}{4}$

(B) $\frac{\pi}{2}$

(C) $\frac{3\pi}{4}$

(D) π

Q9. The sum of the finite series

$$S = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3 \times 1!} + \frac{1}{4 \times 2!} - \frac{1}{5 \times 3!} + \dots \text{is equal to}$$

[CSIR-NET Nov. 2020]

(A) $2 - \frac{1}{e}$

(B) $1 - \frac{2}{e}$

(C) $\frac{2}{e} - 1$

(D) $\frac{1}{e} - 2$

Q10. Let $S_1 = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3^3} - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots$ and

$S_2 = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4^2} + \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{4^3} + \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{4^4} + \dots$ Which of the

following identities is true?

[CSIR-NET Feb. 2022]

(A) $3S_1 = 4S_2$

(B) $4S_1 = 3S_2$

(C) $S_1 + S_2 = 0$

(D) $S_1 = S_2$



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