

Solution

Check convergence of $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{7}{n} - \frac{7}{n^2}$: diverges

Steps

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{7}{n} - \frac{7}{n^2}$$

Apply Series Integral Test: diverges

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Series Integral Test:

If there exists an $N \ge k$ so that for all $n \ge N$, $f(n) = a_n$ is positive, continuous and decreasing

Then $\sum_{n=k}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\int_k^{\infty} f(x) dx$ either both converge or diverge

Check if f(n) is positive, continuous and decreasing

 $\frac{7}{n} - \frac{7}{n^2}$ is positive, continuous and decreasing from n=2

$$\int_2^\infty \frac{7}{n} - \frac{7}{n^2} dn = \text{diverges}$$

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By the integral test criteria

= diverges

= diverges