

“The place to improve the world is first in one’s own heart and head and hands, and then work outward from there.”

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In class work **16** has questions **1** through **3** with a total of **7** points. Turn in your work at the end of class *on paper*. This assignment is due *Tuesday 24 October 13:20*.

1. Define a function F by $F(x) = \frac{\ln(x)}{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^x}$.

1 (a) Use Desmos to graph $y = F(x)$ for $2 \leq x \leq 15$. Reproduce the graph here. Based on the graph, what is your guess for the numeric value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(x)}{\left(\frac{4}{3}\right)^x}$?

1 (b) Use Desmos to graph $y = \frac{F(x+1)}{F(x)}$ for $2 \leq x \leq 15$. Reproduce the graph here. Based on the graph, what is your guess for the numeric value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{F(x+1)}{F(x)}$?

1 (c) Use the l’Hôpital rule to find the numeric value of $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{F(x+1)}{F(x)}$.

- 1 (d) Use the *ratio test* to determine if the series $\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} F(k)$ converges or diverges.

2. Use the *ratio test* to determine if each series converges or diverges.

1 (a) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{2^k}{3^k + 8}$

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(b) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{((k)!)^3}{(3k)!} 14^k$

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3. Find the numeric value of the $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{((k)!)^3}{(3k)!} 14^k$. Justify your answer.