

**Problem 1:** Determine whether the following sequence converges or diverges.  
If it converges, find the limit.

$$a_n = \frac{2n^2 + \ln n}{n^2 + n + 1}$$

[6 pts]

**Problem 2:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent.  
If it is convergent, find its sum.

$$\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{24} + \frac{1}{48} + \cdots$$

[6 pts]

**Problem 3:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n}{\ln n}$$

Hint: Use Test for Divergence.

[6 pts]

**Problem 4:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent:

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

Hint: Use Limit Comparison Test.

[6 pts]

**Problem 5:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent:

$$\frac{\ln 2}{\ln 3} - \frac{\ln 3}{\ln 4} + \frac{\ln 4}{\ln 5} - \frac{\ln 5}{\ln 6} + \frac{\ln 6}{\ln 7} \mp \cdots$$

Hint: Use Alternating Series Test.

[6 pts]

**Problem 6:** Determine whether the series is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent, or divergent:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n+1}$$

[6 pts]

**Problem 7:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin k}{k^2}$$

Hint: If a series is absolutely convergent, then it is convergent.

[6 pts]

**Problem 8:** Find the radius of convergence of the power series:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(x-2)^n}{n^2+1}$$

[6 pts]

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**Problem 9:** Find a power series representation for the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{1-x}$ . [6 pts]

**Problem 10:** Find Maclaurin series for the function  $f(x) = \cosh x$ . [6pts]

**Problem 11:** Find the radius of convergence and interval of convergence of the power series:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(x-1)^n}{2^n \ln n} \Rightarrow a_n = \frac{(x-1)^n}{2^n \ln n} \Rightarrow a_{n+1} = \frac{(x-1)^{n+1}}{2^{n+1} \ln(n+1)}$$

$$r = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(x-1)^{n+1}}{2^{n+1} \ln(n+1)} \times \frac{2^n \ln n}{(x-1)^n} \right| \quad [8 \text{ pts}]$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(x-1)}{2} \frac{\ln n}{\ln(n+1)} \right| = \frac{|x-1|}{2} \underbrace{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln n}{\ln(n+1)}}_{=1} = \frac{|x-1|}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{|x-1|}{2} < 1 \Rightarrow |x-1| < 2$$

$$\boxed{R=2}$$

$$-2 < x-1 < 2 \Rightarrow 1-2 < x < 1+2 \Rightarrow x \in (-1, 3)$$

$$x = -1 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{2^n \ln n} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\ln n} \rightarrow \text{converges.}$$

$$\ln(n) < n$$

$$\frac{1}{\ln(n)} > \frac{1}{n}$$

$$x = 3 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{2^n \ln n} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln(n)} > \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow \text{diverges}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I = [-1, 3]}$$

**Problem 12:** Find a power series representation of the function  $f(x) = \ln(1-x)$  and determine its radius of convergence. [8 pts]

$$\ln(1-x) = - \int \frac{1}{1-x} dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = - \int \frac{1}{x-1} dx$$

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

$$= -\ln|x-1|$$

$$= -\ln|1-x|$$

$$= -\ln(1-x)$$

$$\boxed{x < 1}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{1-x} dx = \int 1 dx + \int x dx + \int x^2 dx + \int x^3 dx + \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln(1-x) = C + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

$$\text{Put } x=0 \Rightarrow -\ln 1 = C + 0 \Rightarrow 0 = C \Rightarrow C=0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln(1-x) = x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots \dots \dots \infty \Rightarrow \ln(1-x) = -x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} - \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln(1-x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} -\frac{x^n}{n}$$

**Problem 13:** Find the Taylor series of  $f(x) = \cos x$  about the point  $x = \pi$ .

[8 pts]

$$x = \pi$$

$$1^{st} \quad f(\pi) = \cos \pi = -1$$

$$2^{nd} \quad f'(\pi) (x-\pi) = -\sin \pi (x-\pi) = 0$$

$$3^{rd} \quad \frac{f''(\pi)}{2} (x-\pi)^2 = -\frac{\cos \pi}{2} (x-\pi)^2 = \frac{1}{2} (x-\pi)^2$$

$$4^{th} \quad \frac{f'''(\pi)}{6} (x-\pi)^3 = \frac{\sin \pi}{6} (x-\pi)^3 = 0$$

$$5^{th} \quad \frac{f^{(4)}(\pi)}{4!} (x-\pi)^4 = \frac{\cos \pi}{24} (x-\pi)^4 = -\frac{1}{4!} (x-\pi)^4$$

$$f(x) = \cos x$$

$$f'(x) = -\sin x$$

$$f''(x) = -\cos x$$

$$f'''(x) = \sin x$$

$$f^{(4)}(x) = \cos x$$

$$\cos x = -1 + \frac{1}{2} (x-\pi)^2 - \frac{1}{4!} (x-\pi)^4 + \frac{1}{6!} (x-\pi)^6 - \frac{1}{8!} (x-\pi)^8 + \dots \dots \dots \infty$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{(x-\pi)^{2n}}{(2n)!}$$

**Problem 14:** Determine whether the series is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent, or divergent:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\ln n}$$

[8 pts]

**Problem 15:** Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent:

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n \tan(1/n)$$

[8 pts]

**Bonus Problem:** Find the radius of convergence of the Maclaurin series of the function  $f(x) = 2^x$ . [8 pts].

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(0)}{n!} x^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} f^{(n)}(0) &\longrightarrow \begin{aligned} n=0 &\Rightarrow f(0) \\ n=1 &\Rightarrow f'(0) \\ n=2 &\Rightarrow f''(0) \\ n=3 &\Rightarrow f'''(0) \\ &\vdots \end{aligned} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 2^x \\ f'(x) &= 2^x \ln 2 \\ f''(x) &= 2^x (\ln 2)^2 \\ f'''(x) &= 2^x (\ln 2)^3 \\ &\vdots \\ f^{(n)}(x) &= 2^x (\ln 2)^n \end{aligned}$$

$$f^{(n)}(0) = 2^0 (\ln 2)^n = (\ln 2)^n$$

$$2^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(\ln 2)^n}{n!} x^n \quad \Rightarrow \quad r = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

$$a_n = \frac{(\ln 2)^n}{n!} x^n \quad \Rightarrow \quad a_{n+1} = \frac{(\ln 2)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} x^{n+1}$$



$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{(\ln 2)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} x^{n+1} \times \frac{n!}{(\ln 2)^n x^n} = \frac{(\ln 2) x}{(n+1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(\ln 2) x}{n+1} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln 2 |x|}{n+1} = 0 < 1$$

$\Rightarrow r < 1$  for every value of  $x$

$\Rightarrow$  the given series converges for every value of  $x$ .

$$\Rightarrow I = (-\infty, \infty) \Rightarrow R = \infty$$