

Series of exercises 2 (Analyse Maths I)

## 1 Numerical sequences

### Exercice 1

Let  $(u_n)$  be a numerical sequence defined by  $u_n = f(u_{n-1})$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is an increasing map. Study the monotony of the two subsequences  $(u_{2n})$  et  $(u_{2n+1})$ .

### Exercice 2

Let  $(u_n)$  and  $(v_n)$  two numerical subsequences converging to  $l$ ,  $l'$  with  $l < l'$ . Show that from a certain rank  $u_n < v_n$ .

### Exercice 3

Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(u_n)$  and  $(v_n)$  two numerical subsequences such that

1.  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $u_n \leq a$  and  $v_n \leq b$  and
2.  $u_n + v_n \rightarrow a + b$ .

Show that  $(u_n)$  converges to  $a$  and  $(v_n)$  converges to  $b$ .

### Exercice 4

Show that if  $(u_n) \subset \mathbb{Z}$ , then  $(u_n)$  converges, if and only if,  $(u_n)$  is stationary.

### Exercice 5

Let  $(u_n)$  and  $(v_n)$  two numerical subsequences such that  $(u_n + v_n)_n$  and  $(u_n - v_n)_n$  converge. Show that  $(u_n)$  and  $(v_n)$  converge.

### Exercice 6

Let  $(u_n)_n$  a numerical sequence. What do you think of the following proposals? :

1. If  $(u_n)_n$  converges to a real Number  $l$  then  $(u_{2n})_n$  and  $(u_{2n+1})_n$  converge to  $l$ .
2. If  $(u_{2n})_n$  and  $(u_{2n+1})_n$  converge, then  $(u_n)_n$  converges.
3. If  $(u_{2n})_n$  and  $(u_{2n+1})_n$  converge to the same limit  $l$ , it is the same with  $(u_n)_n$ .

### Exercice 7

Let  $(u_n)_n$  two numerical sequences defined by :  $u_0 \in ]0, 1]$  and  $u_{n+1} = \frac{u_n}{2} + \frac{u_n^2}{4}$ .

1. Show that : for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $0 < u_n \leq 1$ .
2. Show that the sequence is monotone. Deduce the convergence of the sequence.
3. Compute the limit of  $(u_n)_n$ .

### Exercice 8

Determine the limit of the sequence  $(u_n)_n$  whose general term is defined by :

$$u_n = \frac{2n + \sqrt{4n^2 + 1}}{n + \sqrt{n^2 + 1}}, \quad u_n = \frac{2n - \sqrt{4n^2 + 1}}{n - \sqrt{n^2 + 1}}, \quad u_n = (2n+1) \left( \frac{1}{3n^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{3n^2 + 2} + \cdots + \frac{1}{3n^2 + n} \right) ?$$

$$u_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)}, \quad u_n = \frac{1 \times 2 \times \cdots \times (2n+1)}{3 \times 6 \times \cdots \times (3n+3)}, \quad u_n = \sqrt{n^2 + n + 1} - \sqrt{n^2 - n + 1}.$$

### Exercice 9

Prove the following formulas:

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \cdots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}.$$

$$1^3 + 2^3 + \cdots + n^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}.$$

Deduce

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1^2 + 2^2 + \cdots + n^2}{1^3 + 2^3 + \cdots + n^3}$$

### Exercice 10

Let  $u_n = 1 + \frac{1}{2!} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n!}$  and  $v_n = u_n + \frac{1}{n!}$ .

Show that  $(u_n)$  and  $(v_n)$  converge to the same limit. Show that this limit is an element of  $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$ .

### Exercice 11

Let  $(u_n)$  be a numerical sequence defined by  $u_0$  and  $u_{n+1} = u_n^2 - 2$  for all  $n$  in  $\mathbb{N}$ .

1. If  $u_0 = \sqrt{2}$  calculate  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ .
2. Determine  $u_4$ . Deduce the nature of the sequence  $(u_n)$ .
3. Examine the nature of the sequence  $(u_n)$  if  $u_0 = 2$
4. Find another value of  $u_0$  for which the sequence  $(u_n)$  is constant.

Study the nature of the sequence  $(u_n)$  if  $u_0 = 1$  or  $u_0 = 3$  and in the case of  $u_0 = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$ .

### Exercice 12

Let the numerical sequence  $(u_n)$  defined by  $u_0$  and  $u_{n+1} = u_n^2 + \frac{3}{16}$  for all  $n$  in  $\mathbb{N}$ .

1. Show that  $1/4 \leq u_n \leq 3/4$  for all  $n$  in  $\mathbb{N}$ .
2. Is the sequence monotone? Deduce its nature.
3. Determine  $\inf\{u_n, n \in \mathbb{N}\}$  and  $\sup\{u_n, n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ .

### Exercice 13

1. Let  $(u_n), (v_n), (w_n)$  three numerical sequences, show that:

if  $u_n \leq v_n \leq w_n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} u_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} w_n = l$  then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} v_n = l$ .

2. Show that :

$$\int_p^{p+1} \frac{dx}{x} \leq \frac{1}{p} \leq \int_{p-1}^p \frac{dx}{x}, \quad p \in \mathbb{N}^*, \quad p > 1.$$

3. Deduce  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k+n}$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  then calculate  $\lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} S_n$ .

4. Put  $S'_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{(-1)^{k-1}}{k}$ . Show that  $S'_{2n} = S_n$ .

5. Show that  $(S'_{2n})$  and  $(S'_{2n+1})$  converge.

6. Deduce the convergence of  $(S'_n)$ .

### Exercice 14

Consider the numerical sequence  $(u_n)$  which converges to 0. Define the sequence  $(v_n)$  by its general term :

$$v_n = \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{k=1}^n k u_k.$$

Show that  $(v_n)$  converges to 0.

**Exercice 15**

Study the convergence of the sequence whose general term is :

$$u_n = \frac{1 + 2! + 3! + \dots + n!}{n!}.$$

**Exercice 16**

Let  $(u_n)$  be a sequence whose general term is :  $u_n = (1+a)(1+a^2) + \dots + (1+a^n)$ ,  $0 < a < 1$ .

1. Study variations of this sequence.
2. Prove the following inequality : for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  :  $1+x \leq e^x$ .
3. Deduce that  $(u_n)$  converges.

**Exercice 17**

Consider a sequence of integers  $q_n$  strictly increasing with  $q_0 \geq 1$ . Define  $(u_n)$  the sequence whose general term is

$$u_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \prod_{j=0}^k \frac{1}{q_j}.$$

Show that  $(u_n)$  converges.