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**DEPARTMENT-CSE**

**SUBJECT- MA-101**

1) Let  $q \geq 0$ ,  $y_1 = q$  and  $y_{n+1} = \frac{1}{4}(y_n^2 + 3)$ ,  $\forall n \geq 1$ .

For what values of  $q$ , the sequence  $\{y_n\}$  converges?  
 Give a proper justification of your answer. Also find  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n$  whenever it exists.

Soln: Given -  $y_1 = q$  and  $q \geq 0$

$$y_{n+1} = \frac{1}{4}(y_n^2 + 3) \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

Let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = l$  and  $l \in \mathbb{R}$

If  $l$  exists then

$$l = \frac{1}{4}(l^2 + 3)$$

$$4l = l^2 + 3$$

$$l^2 - 4l + 3 = 0$$

$$(l-3)(l-1) = 0 \text{ so } l \text{ can be } 1 \text{ or } 3.$$

1.4 If we suppose that

then  $y_2 > y_1$

$$\frac{1}{4}(q^2 + 3) > q$$

$$(q-1)(q-3) > 0$$

$$\text{so } q > 3 \text{ or } q < 1$$

If  $q > 3$

then

$$\text{if } y_n > y_{n-1}$$

$$\text{then } y_{n+1} - y_n$$

$$\frac{1}{4}(y_n^2 - y_{n-1}^2) > 0$$

hence  $y_n$  is an monotonically increasing sequence.

By M.C.T, hence  $\lim y_n = \sup(y_n)$   
and  $y_2 = \frac{1}{4}(q^2 + 3)$  for  $q > 3$

$$y_2 > 3$$

but  $l$  can be 1 or 3.

so for  $q \geq 3$  no limit of  $y_n$  is possible.

$$\text{if } 0 \leq q < 1$$

then,

$$\text{if } y_n > y_{n-1}$$

$$\text{then } y_{n+1} - y_n = \frac{1}{4}(y_n^2 - y_{n-1}^2) > 0$$

hence  $y_n$  is again an monotonically increasing sequence by principle of mathematical induction.

By M.C.T so  $l = \sup(y_n)$

$$\text{and } y_2 = \frac{1}{4}(q^2 + 3)$$

$$\frac{3}{4} < y_2 < 1$$

$$y_3 < 1$$

$$y_n < 1$$

so for  $0 \leq q \leq 1$

$$y_n < 1$$

hence  $1/y_n$  is an upper bound of  $y_n$   
as  $l$  can be 1 or 3.

so  $l = 1$  or  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = 1$

2. If  $q = 3$

then  $y_n = 3$

hence  $y_n$  will be a constant sequence

hence  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = 3$ .

3. If  $1 < q < 3$

then  $y_2 < y_1$

if we suppose  $y_n < y_{n-1}$

$$\text{then } y_{n+1} - y_n = \frac{1}{q} (y_n^2 - y_{n-1}^2) < 0$$

hence  $y_n$  is an monotonically decreasing sequence  
by principle of mathematical induction

By M.G.T so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = \inf(y_n)$

$$y_2 = \frac{1}{q} (q^2 + 3)$$

so,  $1 < y_2 < 3$

and  $1 < y_3 < 3$

hence  $1 < y_n < 3$

so 1 is a lower bound of  $y_n$

and 3 can be either 1 or 3

so  $l = 1$  or  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = 1$ .

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2.4 Let  $f: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function where  $X \subset \mathbb{R}$ . If  $(x_n)$  is a sequence in  $X$  with the property that for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists a positive integer  $N$  such that  $|x_n - x_m| < \epsilon$  for all  $n, m \geq N$ . Then prove or disprove that  $(f(x_n))$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Soln: Let  $f(n) = \frac{1}{n}$  for  $n \in (0, 1)$  and  $x_n = \frac{1}{n}$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

and ~~Then~~  $f$  is continuous on  $(0, 1)$

The sequence  $(x_n)$  is a Cauchy sequence.

and let  $y_n = f(x_n) = n$

$|y_n - y_m| \geq 1$  for every  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$

with  $m \neq n$

so  $(y_n)$  is not Cauchy.

Hence proved.

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3.7 Determine the value of  $(a, b, c)$  for which the series  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{a^n}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$

1) converges absolutely      2) converges but not absolutely

3) diverges.

Sol<sup>mb</sup>) Let  $u_n = \frac{a^n}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$

by root test to check absolute convergence.

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n}} = \left| \frac{a^{n+1}}{a^n} \times \frac{(n+1)^b}{(n+1)} \frac{(\ln n+1)^c}{(\ln n)^c} \right|$$

$$\alpha = |a| \quad \forall, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$$

Now for absolute convergence,

$$|a| < 1 + b, c \in \mathbb{R}$$

and for divergence

$$|a| \geq 1$$

if  $a = 1$

$$u_n = \frac{1}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$$

$$\text{so } u_n \leq \frac{1}{n^b} \quad b > 0$$

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$\sum \frac{1}{n^b}$  converges for  $b > 1$

so  $\sum x_n$  will converge absolutely for  $b > 1$  ( $a=1$ )  
 By comparison  
 Test

if  $b = 1$ ,

$$x_n \geq \frac{1}{(\ln n)^c}$$

$\sum \frac{1}{(\ln n)^c}$  will converge only if  $c > 1$

By comparison  $\sum x_n$  will converge absolutely  
 Test

for  $b = 1, c > 1$  ( $a=1$ )

also  $x_n \geq \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^{c-1}}$

$\sum \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^{c-1}}$  will converge for  $c < 1$ .

$\Rightarrow \sum x_n$  will converge for

$b > 1, c \leq 1$  ( $a=1$ )

if  $b < 1$

$$u_n = \frac{1}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$$

then  $\sum u_n$  will diverge

$$(a=1, b<1, c \in \mathbb{R})$$

for  $a = -1$

$$x_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$$

$$|u_n| = \frac{1}{n^b (\ln n)^c}$$

Similarly  $\sum |u_n|$  will converge for  $b > 1$

Similarly  $\Rightarrow \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} |u_n|$  will converge for  $b=1$  if  $c > 1$

so,  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} u_n$  will converge absolutely for

$$\begin{aligned} & b > 1 \quad (a = -1) \\ & \text{if } b = 1, c > 1 \quad (a = -1) \end{aligned}$$

$\rightarrow \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} u_n$  will converge conditionally  
for  $b = 1, c \leq 1$

and it will also converge  
conditionally for

$$0 < b < 1 \quad (c \in \mathbb{R}, a = -1)$$

if  $b < 0$

$\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} x_n$  will diverge

so

1) Absolutely convergent if

a)  $|a| < 1, b \in \mathbb{R}, c \in \mathbb{R}$

b)  $a = 1, b > 1, c \in \mathbb{R}$

c)  $a = 1, b < 1, c > 1$

d)  $a = 1, b = 1, c > 1$

e)  $a = -1, b > 1$

f)  $a = -1, b = 1, c > 1$

2) Conditionally convergent if

a)  $a = -1, b = 1, c \leq 1$

b)  $a = -1, 0 < b < 1, c \in \mathbb{R}$

3) Divergent for:

a)  $|a| \geq 1, b \in \mathbb{R}, c \in \mathbb{R}$

b)  $a = 1, b = 1, c \leq 1$

c)  $a = 1, b = 1, c \in \mathbb{R}$

d)  $a = -1, b < 0, c \in \mathbb{R}$

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4.4 Find the range of positive values of  $x$  for which the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^n + x^{-n}}$  is convergent.

Sol:

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

$$\text{Let } y_n = \frac{1}{x^n + x^{-n}}$$

$$\text{By ratio test } \alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{y_{n+1}}{y_n}$$

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^{n+1} + x^{-n-1}} (x^n + x^{-n})$$

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(x^{2n} + 1)}{(x^{2n+2} + 1)} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{x^{2n}}$$

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x \frac{(x^{2n} + 1)}{(x^{2n+2} + 1)}$$

1. if  $x < 1$

then

$$\alpha = x$$

and  $\alpha < 1$

so  $\sum y_n$  is convergent for  $x < 1$

2. if  $x = 1$

Then  $\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1+1}{1+1} \right)$

$$\alpha = 1$$

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

$$\text{if } S_n = \sum_{n=1}^n \frac{1}{n^2}$$

if  $\sum y_n$  is convergent then

~~so~~  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n$  should exist

but  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n \rightarrow \infty$

hence for  $x=1$   $\sum y_n$  is divergent

3) for  $n > 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } \alpha &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \left( \frac{x^{2n} + 1}{x^{2n+2} + 1} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^{2n+1}}{x^{2n+2}} \left( \frac{1 + \frac{1}{x^{2n}}}{1 + \frac{1}{x^{2n+2}}} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } \alpha = \frac{1}{x}$$

and if  $x > 1$  then  $\frac{1}{x} < 1$

$$\text{so } \alpha < 1$$

so  $\sum y_n$  is convergent for  $x > 1$

So the range of positive values of  $n$

$$\text{is } x \in (0, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$$

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5.4 Find the radius and interval of convergence of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(a_n - b)^n}{n a^n}$ , where  $a, b > 0$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup> 6. Series =  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(ax - b)^n}{na^n}$ , where  $a, b > 0$ .

Using ratio test

$$x_n = \frac{(a_n - b)^n}{n a^n}$$

$$\text{so } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{x_{n+1}}{x_n} \right| = \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(ax - b)^{n+1}}{(n+1)a^{n+1}} \times \frac{n a^n}{(ax - b)^n} \right|$$

$$\alpha = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(a_n - b)^n}{a^{n+1}} \right|$$

$$\alpha = \left| \frac{a_n - b}{a} \right|$$

For series to be convergent  $\alpha < 1$

$$\text{so } \left| \frac{a_n - b}{a} \right| < 1$$

$$-1 < \frac{a_n - b}{a} < 1$$

$$-a < ax - b < a$$

$$\frac{b-a}{a} < x < \frac{a+b}{a}$$

and The standard eq<sup>n</sup> is

$$a - R < x < a + R$$

$$\text{so } \frac{b}{a} - 1 < x < 1 + \frac{b}{a}$$

so by comparison

$$\text{so } R = 1$$

so Radius of convergence = 1

1.4 For the end points of interval

$$\text{at } x = \frac{b-a}{a}$$

$$x_n = \frac{(-a)^n}{n \times a^n} = \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$$

$$\frac{x_{n+1}}{x_n} \geq \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$x_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n}$  is a alternating series

$$\text{so } u_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

and  $u_n \geq u_{n+1}$

and as  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$  so by Leibnitz's Theorem

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-1}{n}\right)^n$  is convergent.

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b) for  $x = \frac{b+a}{a}$

$$|x_n| = \frac{a^n}{n a^n} = \frac{1}{n}$$

and  $\frac{1}{n}$  is divergent

So the interval of convergence

$$= \frac{b-a}{a} \leq x \leq \frac{b+a}{a}$$

and radius of convergence is 1.

Ans

6.7 Use  $\varepsilon - \delta$  definition of limit to show that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2 - n + 1}{n+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Sol<sup>n</sup> Let  $\varepsilon > 0$  be any real number.

To prove  $\exists \delta > 0$  such that

$$0 < |n-1| < \delta \Rightarrow \left| \frac{n^2 - n + 1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{2} \right| < \varepsilon$$

$$\left| \frac{2(n^2 - n + 1) - (n+1)}{2(n+1)} \right| < \varepsilon$$

$$\left| \frac{2n^2 - 2n + 2 - n - 1}{2(n+1)} \right| < \varepsilon$$

$$\left| \frac{2n^2 - 3n + 1}{2(n+1)} \right| < \varepsilon$$

$$\frac{|2n-1|}{2} \cdot \frac{|n-1|}{|n+1|} < \varepsilon$$

$$\text{Let } |n-1| < \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} < n < \frac{3}{2}$$

so

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$$\left| \frac{x^2 - x + 1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{2} \right| < \frac{4}{3} |x-1|$$

$$\text{and } \delta = \min \left\{ \frac{3}{4} \varepsilon, \frac{1}{2} \right\}$$

$$\text{so } 0 < |x-1| < \delta \Rightarrow \left| \frac{x^2 - x + 1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{2} \right| < \varepsilon$$

Hence Proved.

7) Let  $f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a continuous function which satisfies

$f(n) = f(n^{\frac{1}{3}})$  for  $n \in [0, 1]$ . Show that  $f$  is a constant function.

Sol. To  $f(n) = f(n^{\frac{1}{3}})$

for  $n > 0$

$$f(n) = f(n^{\frac{1}{3}})$$

$$f(n^{\frac{1}{3}}) = f(n^{\frac{1}{9}})$$

⋮

$$f(n) = f(n^{\frac{1}{3^n}}) \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{\frac{1}{3^n}} \rightarrow 1$

so  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f(n^{\frac{1}{3^n}}) \rightarrow f(1)$

ii  $f(n) = f(1)$

and at  $n = 0$

as the function is continuous

so

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow 0} f(n) = f(0)$$

so  $f(0) = f(1)$

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Hence  $f(n) = f(1)$  for  $n \in [0, 1]$

Hence  $f(n)$  is a constant function.

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8. Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow (0, \infty)$  be a function which satisfies

$f(n+y) = f(n)f(y)$  for all  $n, y \in \mathbb{R}$ . If  $f$  is continuous at  $x=0$ , then prove that  $f(x) = b^x$  for some real number  $b \neq 0$ .

Sol<sup>n</sup> Range of  $f(n)$  is  $(0, \infty)$ ,

so  $f(n) > 0 \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{R}$

$$f(0) = f(0)^2$$

$$\text{so } f(0) = 1 \text{ or } 0$$

and  $f(0) = 1$  as  $f(n) > 0$

for a positive integer  $n$

$$\begin{aligned} f(n) &= f(1+1+\dots+1) = f(1+(n-1)) = f(1)f_{n-1} \\ &= f(1)^2 \times f(n-2) = \dots = f(1)^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } f(n) = f(1)^n$$

$$\text{if } n = -1$$

$$f(-1) = f(-2+1) = f(1)f(-2) = f(1) \times f(-1)$$

$$\text{so } f(-1) = f(-1)^2 f(1)$$

$$f(-1) = f(1)^{-1}$$

for a negative integer  $m$

$$\begin{aligned} f(m) &= f(-1 + (-1) \dots - -) = f(-1)^m \\ &= (f(1)^{-1})^{-m} = f(1)^m \end{aligned}$$

$$f(m) = f(1)^m$$

so  $f(0) = 1 = f(1)^0$ ,  $f(n) = f(1)^n$  holds for all integers.

Let  $q$  and  $m$  be positive integers

$$\text{then } f(m) = f\left(\frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{q} \dots + \frac{1}{q}\right) = f\left(\frac{1}{q}\right)^{qm}$$

$$f(1)^m = f\left(\frac{1}{q}\right)^{qm}$$

$$\text{so } f(1) = f\left(\frac{1}{q}\right)^q$$

$$\text{so } f\left(\frac{1}{q}\right) = f(1)^{\frac{1}{q}}$$

and this will hold for negative integers  $q$  and  $m$ .

Then  $f\left(\frac{s}{t}\right) = f(1)^{\frac{s}{t}}$  for any rational number.

so  $f(n) = f(1)^n$  for all real numbers.

Since  $f(1) > 0$  and is real valued,

so  $\log f(r) = c$  exists

$$\text{so, } f(r) = f(1)^r = e^{cr} = b^r$$

$$\text{where } b = e^c$$

Hence proved.

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