

<i>Series or Test</i>	<i>Form of series</i>	<i>Convergence/Divergence</i>	<i>Example</i>
Geometric series	$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} ar^n$	Convergence $ r < 1$	$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3}{2^n} = 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \quad r = \frac{1}{2} < 1$ <p>The series converges and its $S = 3 \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 6$</p>
		Divergence $ r \geq 1$	$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n; \quad r = \frac{3}{2} > 1$ <p>The series diverges</p>
Divergence Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	Divergence $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \neq 0$	$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (2)^n; \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 2^n = \infty$ <p>The series diverges</p>
Integral Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \quad a_n = f(n)$	Convergence $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2 + 1}; \quad \int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^2 + 1} = \arctan x \Big _1^{\infty}$ $= \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}$ $= \frac{\pi}{4}$ <p>The series converges</p>
		Divergence $\int_1^{\infty} f(x) dx = \infty$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2 + 1}; \quad \int_1^{\infty} \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_1^{\infty} \frac{d(x^2 + 1)}{x^2 + 1}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2 + 1) \Big _1^{\infty}$ $= \infty$ <p>Series diverges</p>
p -series	$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^p}$	Convergence $p > 1$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3}; \quad \text{Series converges } p\text{-series } (p = 3 > 1)$

		Divergence $p \leq 1$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{1/3}};$ Series diverges p -series $\left(p = \frac{1}{3} < 1\right)$
Ratio Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	Convergence $\rho = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} < 1$	$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^2 2^{n+1}}{3^n};$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1)^2 2^{n+2}}{3^{n+1}} \cdot \frac{3^n}{n^2 2^{n+1}}$ $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^2$ $= \underline{\frac{2}{3}} < \underline{1} \mid$ Series converges
		Divergence $\rho = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} > 1$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{n!};$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(n+1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \cdot \frac{n!}{n^n}$ $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n$ $= \underline{e} > \underline{1} \mid$ Series diverges
Root Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	Convergence $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{a_n} < 1$	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{e^{2n}}{n^n};$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\frac{e^{2n}}{n^n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^2}{n} = \underline{0} < \underline{1} \mid$ Series converges

		<p>Divergence $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{a_n} > 1$</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(2\sqrt[n]{n} + 1\right)^n ;$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\left(2\sqrt[n]{n} + 1\right)^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(2\sqrt[n]{n} + 1\right)$ <p><u>$= \infty$</u> Series diverges</p>
Comparison Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	<p>Convergence $0 < a_n \leq b_n$</p> <p>$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converges</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2+3^n}; \quad a_n = \frac{1}{2+3^n} < \frac{1}{3^n} = b_n$ $\sum b_n = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n \text{ converges Geometric } r = \frac{1}{3} < 1$ <p>Series converges by Direct Comparison Test</p>
		<p>Divergence $0 < b_n \leq a_n$</p> <p>$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ diverges</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2+\sqrt{n}}; \quad b_n = \frac{1}{n^{1/2}} \leq \frac{1}{2+\sqrt{n}} = a_n$ $\sum b_n = \frac{1}{n^{1/2}} \text{ diverges } p\text{-series } \left(p = \frac{1}{2} < 1\right)$ <p>Series diverge by Direct Comparison Test</p>
Limit Comparison Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	<p>Convergence $0 \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} < \infty$</p> <p>$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converges</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2+1};$ $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{3/2}} \text{ converges } p\text{-series}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{n}}{n^2+1} \frac{n^{3/2}}{1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{n^2+1} = \underline{1}$ <p>Series converges by Limit Comparison Test</p>

		<p>Divergence $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} > 0$</p> <p>$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ diverges</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n2^n}{4n^3+1};$ $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{n^2} \text{ diverges}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n2^n}{4n^3+1} \frac{n^2}{2^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{4 + \frac{1}{n^3}} = \frac{1}{4} > 0$ <p>Series diverges by Limit Comparison Test</p>
Alternating Series Test	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$	<p>Convergence</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. $a_n > 0$ 2. $a_n \geq a_{n+1}$ 3. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ 	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{1}{n};$ <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. $\frac{1}{n} > 0$ 2. $n < n+1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{n} > \frac{1}{n+1}$ 3. $\frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 0$ <p>Series converges.</p>
		<p>Divergence $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \neq 0$</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{n+1}{n}$ $\frac{n+1}{n} \rightarrow \underline{1 \neq 0} \quad \text{Series } \textbf{diverges}.$
Absolute Convergence	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	<p>Convergence $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$</p>	$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n!}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \cdot \frac{n!}{(-1)^n} \right = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n+1} = \underline{0}$ <p>Series converges absolutely by the ratio test</p>