

g. $1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{2^2}{3^3} + \frac{3^3}{4^4} + \frac{4^4}{5^5} + \dots$

∴ Given series is, $1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{2^2}{3^3} + \frac{3^3}{4^4} + \frac{4^4}{5^5} + \dots$

It's general term after first term is,

$$u_n = \frac{n^n}{(n+1)^{n+1}}$$

Taking series $\sum u_n = \sum \frac{1}{n}$

and its general term is $u_n = \frac{1}{n}$

Now,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^n}{n^{n+1} (1 + 1/n)^{n+1}} \times n$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1 + 1/n)^n \cdot (1 + 1/n)}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 \cdot 1}{e (1 + 1/n)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e} \cdot \frac{1}{1}$$

$$= e^{-1} \text{ which is finite and non zero}$$

$\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{n}$ is divergent by p test

∴ $\sum u_n = \sum \frac{n^n}{(n+1)^{n+1}}$ is divergent by limit comparison test.

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4 $\sum \left(\frac{nx}{1+n} \right)^n$

Given series,

$$\sum \left(\frac{nx}{1+n} \right)^n$$

The general term of the given series is,

$$u_n = \left(\frac{nx}{1+n} \right)^n$$

By root test,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx}{1+n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx}{n(1+1/n)}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{(1+1/n)}$$

$$= x,$$

By root test, given series is convergent for $x < 1$

divergent for $x > 1$

when $x = 1$, the test fails,

when $x = 1$,

$$\sum \left(\frac{n \cdot 1}{1+n} \right)^n$$

It's general term $u_n = \left(\frac{n}{1+n} \right)^n$

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

Thus the given series is convergent for $x < 1$
divergent for $x > 1$
test fail for $x = 1$

when $x = 1$,

The series becomes,

$$\sum \frac{1^n}{n(n+1)} = \sum \frac{1}{n(n+1)}$$

The general term is $\frac{1}{n(n+1)}$

Let's suppose a series $\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$, [convergent by p test]

Now

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{v_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} \times n^2$$

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

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1+1/n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1}$$

= 1 which is finite and non-zero,

\therefore The series is convergent for $x = 1$.

So, The series is convergent for $x \leq 1$
divergent for $x > 1$.

Q) $1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{3^2} + \frac{x^3}{4^3} + \dots$, $x > 0$

= Here, the series is,

$$1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{3^2} + \frac{x^3}{4^3} + \dots$$

Now,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^n}{(1+n)^n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1+1/n)^n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(1+1/n)^n}$$

$$= e \frac{1}{e}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = \frac{1}{e} \neq 0$$

So, the given series is divergent for $x=1$

Thus, given series is convergent for $x < 1$
divergent for $x > 1$.

$$(7) \quad \frac{x}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{x^2}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{x^3}{3 \cdot 4} + \dots, \quad x > 0$$

Ans: Given series is,

$$\frac{x}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{x^2}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{x^3}{3 \cdot 4} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n(n+1)}$$

The given general term is,

$$u_n = \frac{x^n}{n \cdot (n+1)}$$

Now,

$$u_{n+1} = \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

Now,

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

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

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{1+2/n} = x$$

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The general term after first term is,

$$u_n = \frac{x^n}{(n+1)^n}$$

Now,

Taking root test

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{u_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{x^n}{(n+1)^n} \right)^{1/n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{n+1}$$

$$= \frac{x}{\infty}$$

$$= 0 < 1$$

The series is convergent for all values of x ,