1.

- ① Given that  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$ , evaluate  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n+1)^2}$ ; **cite theorems used**
- ② Let  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n$  be two convergent series with **non-negative terms**.

Prove that  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n b_n$  converges

2. Let  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  be a convergent series having the sum S. Let  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k$  be a new series, whose terms are

formed by **grouping** the terms of  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  in pairs, and adding them. That is,

$$b_0\,=\,a_0\,+\,a_1,\quad b_1\,=\,a_2\,+\,a_3,\ \cdots,\ b_k\,=\,a_{2k}\,+\,a_{2k+1},\ \cdots$$

Prove that  $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k$  also converges, and to the same limit S

Hint: Use subsequence theorem

Test each of the following series for convergence

① 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n n!}{n^n}$$
 ②  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^p} (p > 0)$ 

4. Test (each of the following series) for conditional convergence

① 
$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\tan^{-1} n}$$
 ②  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n^5}{2^n}$ 

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5. Prove that if  $\mid a_{n+1} \mid a_n \mid \leq \mid b_{n+1} \mid b_n \mid$ , for  $n \gg 1$ , and  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n$  is absolutely convergent, then

 $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  is absolutely convergent.

6. Prove that if  $|a_{n+1}|/a_n \le r < 1$ , for  $n \gg 1$ , then  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n$  converges