

1. (7 points) Suppose $\sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ are series, with $b_n > 0$ for all n . Which of the following must be true?

- I. If $\sum a_n$ converges, then $\sum |a_n|$ also converges.
- II. If $\sum b_n$ converges, then $\sum (-1)^{n-1} b_n$ also converges.
- III. If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$, then $\sum (-1)^{n-1} b_n$ converges.

- A. I only.
- ☒ B. II only.
- C. III only.
- D. II and III only.
- E. I, II and III.

2. (7 points) Suppose a series $\sum a_n$ is defined recursively as follows

$$a_1 = 1, \quad a_{n+1} = \frac{2 + \cos n}{\sqrt{n}} a_n.$$

Which of the following statements is true?

- ☒ A. The series converges absolutely.
- B. The series converges conditionally.
- C. The series diverges.
- D. There is not enough information to test for convergence.
- E. This answer is incorrect.

3. (7 points) Evaluate the sum

$$1 - \ln 2 + \frac{(\ln 2)^2}{2!} - \frac{(\ln 2)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

- A. $-\ln 2$
- B. $\ln 2$
- ☒ C. $\frac{1}{2}$
- D. 2
- E. The series does not converge.

4. (7 points) Suppose a parametric curve is given by functions $x(t)$, $y(t)$ with

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 1 - \frac{1}{t} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 1 + \frac{1}{t}.$$

Find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$.

- A. -1
- B. $\frac{-1/t^2}{1 - 1/t}$
- C. $\frac{2}{t^2(t-1)}$
- ☒ D. $\frac{-2t}{(t-1)^3}$

- E. More information is needed to be able to compute $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$.

5. (12 points) Determine whether the following series converge. Fully justify your response.

(a) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n \cos n\pi}{2^n}$

$$\left| \frac{(n+1) \cos[(n+1)\pi]}{2^{n+1}} \cdot \frac{2^n}{n \cos(n\pi)} \right| = \left| \frac{n+1}{2n} \right| \left| \frac{\cos[(n+1)\pi]}{\cos(n\pi)} \right|$$
$$= \frac{1 + 1/n}{2} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} < 1 \Rightarrow \text{converges by Ratio Test}$$

(b) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n e^{-n}$

$$\left| \frac{(n+1) e^{-(n+1)}}{n e^{-n}} \right| = \frac{n+1}{n} \cdot \frac{e^n}{e^n \cdot e}$$
$$= \frac{1 + 1/n}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{e} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e} < 1$$

\Rightarrow converges by Ratio test

6. (12 points) Determine whether the following series are conditionally convergent, absolutely convergent or divergent. Fully justify your response.

(a) $\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k-1}}{(\ln k)^k}$

$$\sqrt[k]{\left| \frac{(-1)^{k-1}}{(\ln k)^k} \right|} = \sqrt[k]{\frac{1}{(\ln k)^k}} = \frac{1}{\ln k} \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} 0 < 1$$

\Rightarrow converges by Root Test

(b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right)^{n^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt[n]{\left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right)^{n^2}} &= \left(\frac{n}{n+1} \right)^n = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{n+1}{n} \right)^n} \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^n} \rightarrow \frac{1}{e} \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

7. (12 points) Find the exact length of the curve given by

$$x(t) = 1 + 2t, \quad y(t) = e^t + e^{-t}$$

for t in the interval $[0, \ln 7]$.

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 = 4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = e^t - e^{-t} \rightarrow \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2 = e^{2t} - 2 + e^{-2t}$$

$$\sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} = \sqrt{e^{2t} + 2 + e^{-2t}} = \sqrt{(e^t + e^{-t})^2} = e^t + e^{-t}$$

So

$$L = \int_0^{\ln 7} (e^t + e^{-t}) dt$$

$$= e^t - e^{-t} \Big|_0^{\ln 7}$$

$$= (e^{\ln 7} - e^{-\ln 7}) - (e^0 - e^0)$$

$$= 7 - \frac{1}{7}$$

$$= \frac{48}{7}$$

8. (12 points) Compute the following limit.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x^2) + \frac{1}{2}x^4 - 1}{x^8}$$

$$\cos(x^2) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x^2)^{2n}}{(2n)!} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x^4 + \frac{x^8}{4!} - \frac{x^{12}}{6!} + \dots$$

$$\text{So } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos(x^2) + \frac{1}{2}x^4 - 1}{x^8} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1 + \frac{1}{2}x^4 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{4n}}{(2n)!}}{x^8}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1 + \frac{1}{2}x^4 + (1 - \frac{1}{2}x^4 + \frac{x^8}{4!} - \frac{x^{12}}{6!} + \dots)}{x^8}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{4!}x^8 - \frac{1}{6!}x^{12} + \dots}{x^8} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{6!}x^4 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{1}{4!}$$

$$= \frac{1}{24}$$

9. (12 points) Let

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2n)!}{(n!)^2} x^n.$$

What is the radius of convergence R of this power series? What is the radius of convergence R' of the power series for $f'(x)$? For partial credit, you may write how R' is related to R .

$$\left| \frac{[2(n+1)]!}{[(n+1)!]^2} \frac{x^{n+1}}{x^n} \cdot \frac{((2n)!)^2}{(2n)!} \right| = \frac{(2n+2)(2n+1)(2n)!}{(n+1)(n!)^2 (n+1)n!} \cdot \frac{n!n!}{(2n)!} |x|$$

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

$$= \frac{2(2 + 1/n)}{1 + 1/n} |x| \rightarrow 4|x|$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{1}{4}$$

Radius of convergence of f' is same, so $R' = \frac{1}{4}$ too

10. (12 points) Find the Maclaurin series for the function

$$f(x) = x^3 \tan^{-1}(x^2).$$

What is the radius of convergence?

$$\tan^{-1}(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^{-1}(x^2) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x^2)^{2n+1}}{2n+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 \tan^{-1}(x^2) = x^3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{4n+2}}{2n+1}$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^{4n+5}}{2n+1}$$

$$\left| \frac{x^{4(n+1)+5}}{2(n+1)+1} \cdot \frac{2n+1}{x^{4n+5}} \right| = \left| \frac{x^{4n+9}}{x^{4n+5}} \right| \frac{2n+1}{2n+3} \rightarrow |x^4| < 1$$

$$\text{So } \underline{\underline{R=1}}$$