

# 10.4: Divergence Test

## Announcements:

Exam 2 on Wed Mar 9 @ 6:30pm  
Assigned seats  
Review in class on Wed

## Warm Up: Fall 2015 Exam 2 Question #11

(this type of problem will be on exam 3)

$$11. \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^k}{3^{k+1}} =$$

Geometric?

A.  $\frac{2}{3}$

B.  $\frac{1}{2}$

C.  $\frac{2}{9}$

D.  $\frac{3}{4}$

E.  $\frac{4}{3}$

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

$$= a + ar + ar^2 + \dots$$

$$a = \frac{2}{9} \quad ar = \frac{2^2}{3^3} = \underbrace{\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)}_a \underbrace{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)}_r$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{2}{9} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k$$

$$|r| = \left|\frac{2}{3}\right| < 1$$

$$= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{2/9}{1-\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{2/9}{1/3} = \frac{2}{9} \cdot \frac{3}{1} = \frac{2}{3} \quad \boxed{A}$$

## Exam 2 Review on Wed:

Poll

Q: Does Exam 2 cover arc length?

A: No

Exam 2 does cover: lessons 10-18

chap 8.1-8.5, 8.9 ← Improper Integrals

Integration Techniques  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2} dx$

Q: Exam 2 doesn't cover:

volume of a

Q: Exam 2 doesn't cover:

- sequences + series (exam 3)
- centroid
- Physical Applications
- trapezoid rule

Volume of a solid  
→ HW problems  
↳ turns into an integration technique.  
fair game

## I. Divergence Test:

Q: When does a series diverge?

Theorem: (Divergence Test)

If  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$  converges, then  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k = 0$

OR  
If  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k \neq 0$ , then  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$  diverges

NOTE: This only tells us when a series diverges

Ex: (1)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{k}{k+1}$   $a_k = \frac{k}{k+1}$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{k}{k+1} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{k}} = 1 \neq 0$$

the series diverges  
(by the Divergence Test)

Ex (2):  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1+3^k}{2^k}$

$$a_k = \frac{1+3^k}{2^k}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+3^k}{2^k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^k = +\infty$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1+3^k}{2^k} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2^k} + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^k = +\infty$$

By the Divergence Test, the series diverges.

Ex (3):  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k}$   $a_k = \frac{1}{k}$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{k} = 0$$

Inconclusive  
(Divergence Test can't be used to show a series converges)

(In fact,  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k}$  diverges)

Ex (4):  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2}$   $a_k = \frac{1}{k^2}$

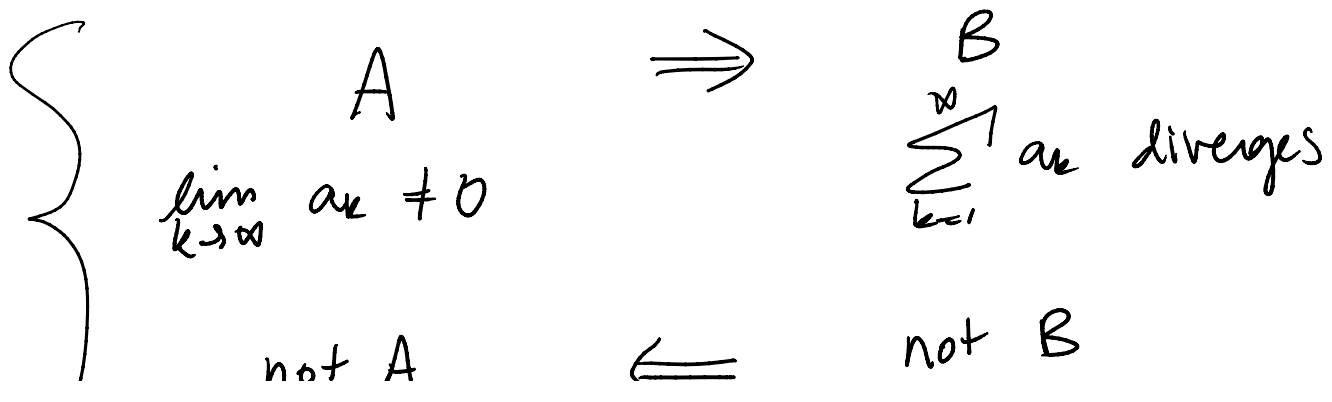
$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{k^2} = 0$$

Inconclusive

(In fact,  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2}$  converges)

Q: Why does the divergence test work

Want to show:



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{not } A \\ \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k = 0 \end{array} \right\} \iff \begin{array}{l} \text{not } B \\ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \text{ converges} \end{array}$$

Assume  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k$  converges

the partial sums  $S_n$  have a finite limit  
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = L$  (where  $L$  is a finite number)

Recall  $S_n = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n$

$$\text{If } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = L \quad \longrightarrow \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k = L$$

$$\text{Want } \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k \stackrel{?}{=} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \{ S_k - S_{k-1} \}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \cancel{a_1} + \cancel{a_2} + \dots + \cancel{a_{k-1}} + a_k \\ - (\cancel{a_1} + \cancel{a_2} + \dots + \cancel{a_{k-1}}) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \{ S_k - S_{k-1} \} \\ &= \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_k - \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} S_{k-1} \\ &= L - L = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k = 0.$$



$$\text{so } \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} u_k = u.$$

$$\text{If } \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k = L \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} a_k = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k &\rightarrow L \\ S_n &\rightarrow L \\ a_k &\rightarrow 0 \end{aligned}$$

Review for Exam 2: Lessons 10-18

Lesson 10: Integration by Parts  
 $\int u dv = u \cdot v - \int v du$

Ex:  $\int \ln x \, dx \rightarrow \begin{matrix} u = \ln x & dv = dx \\ du = \frac{1}{x} dx & v = x \end{matrix}$

$$\hookrightarrow x \ln x - x + C$$

Ex:  $\int x \cos(x) \, dx \rightarrow \begin{matrix} u = x & dv = \cos(x) \, dx \\ du = dx & v = \sin(x) \end{matrix}$   
 $= x \sin(x) + \cos(x) + C$

Lesson 11:  $\int \cos^m(x) \sin^n(x) \, dx = ?$

m

n

method

odd

$$u = \sin(x)$$

$$du = \cos(x) \, dx$$

$$\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x) = 1$$

	odd	$u = \cos(x)$ $du = -\sin(x) dx$
even	even	Half angle formulas $\cos^2(x) = \frac{1 + \cos(2x)}{2}$ $\sin^2(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(2x)}{2}$

Lesson 12:  $\int \tan^m(x) \sec^n(x) dx = ?$

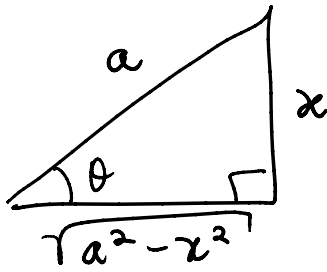
m	n	method
	even	$u = \tan(x)$ $du = \sec^2(x) dx$ $\tan^2(x) + 1 = \sec^2(x)$
odd	odd	$u = \sec(x)$ $du = \tan(x) \sec(x) dx$
even	odd	Integration by parts $\tan^2(x) + 1 = \sec^2(x)$

Lessons 13-15: Trig Substitution

$\int \sqrt{a^2 - x^2}$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $\sqrt{a^2(1 - \sin^2\theta)} = \sqrt{a^2 \cos^2\theta} = a \cos\theta$

let  $x = a \sin\theta$   
 $dx = a \cos\theta d\theta$

Reference Triangle



$$x = a \sin \theta$$
$$\sin \theta = \frac{x}{a}$$

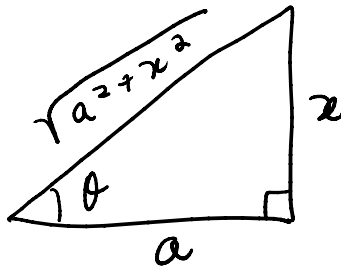
$$\boxed{2} \quad \sqrt{a^2 + x^2}$$

↓

Let  $x = a \tan \theta$   
 $dx = a \sec^2 \theta d\theta$

$$\sqrt{a^2 (1 + \tan^2 \theta)} = \sqrt{a^2 \sec^2 \theta} = a \sec \theta$$

Reference Triangle



$$x = a \tan \theta$$
$$\tan \theta = \frac{x}{a}$$

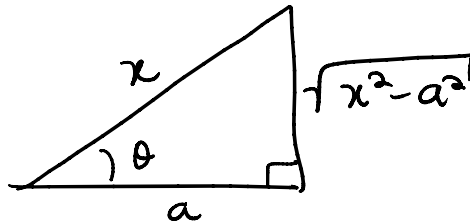
$$\boxed{3} \quad \sqrt{x^2 - a^2}$$

↓

Let  $x = a \sec \theta$   
 $dx = a \tan \theta \sec \theta d\theta$

$$\sqrt{a^2 (\sec^2 \theta - 1)} = \sqrt{a^2 \tan^2 \theta} = a \tan \theta$$

Reference Triangle



$$x = a \sec \theta$$
$$\sec \theta = \frac{x}{a}$$

★ May need to complete the square first

i.e.  $\sqrt{x^2 + bx + c}$  rewrite  $\rightarrow \sqrt{(x-d)^2 \pm a^2}$

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$$\int \frac{x^2 + x + 2}{x^2 + 2x + 2} = \int \frac{x^2 + 2x + 2 - x}{x^2 + 2x + 2}$$

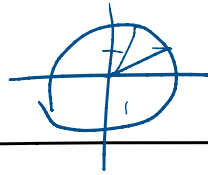
$$= \int 1 - \frac{x}{x^2 + 2x + 2} dx \quad \frac{x}{x^2 + 2x + 2} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 + 2x + 2}$$

$$= \int 1 - \frac{x}{(x+1)^2 + 1} dx \quad \begin{array}{l} u = x+1 \\ du = dx \end{array}$$

$$= \int 1 dx - \int \frac{u-1}{u^2+1} du$$

$$\int dx - \int \frac{u}{u^2+1} du + \int \frac{1}{u^2+1} \leftarrow \tan^{-1}(u)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} v = u^2 + 1 \\ dv = 2u du \end{array}$$



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$$\int_1^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sqrt{3} = 2 \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} x = 2 \sin \theta \\ dx = 2 \cos \theta d\theta \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 1 = 2 \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2} \\ \theta = \frac{\pi}{6} \end{array}$$

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{4 \sin^2 \theta \cdot 2 \cos \theta d\theta}{\sqrt{4 - 4 \sin^2 \theta}} = \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{4 \cancel{8} \sin^2 \theta \cancel{\cos \theta} d\theta}{2 \cancel{\cos \theta}}$$

$$= 4 \int \sin^2 \theta d\theta = 4 \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{1 - \cos(2\theta)}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{4}{2} [\theta - \sin(2\theta)]$$

$$\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

→ Reference Triangle

find  $p$   $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^{1-p}} dx$  converges

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{p-1} dx \quad \leftarrow \text{assume } p \neq 0 = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{x^p}{p} \right]_1^b$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{b^p}{p} - \frac{1^p}{p} \right] = \frac{1}{p}$$

if  $p = -2$   
 $\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{b^2} = 0$

want  $\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} b^p = \infty$  if  $p > 0$   
 $\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{b^p} = 0$  if  $p < 0$

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$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{dx}{x^{1-p}} = \int_1^{\infty} x^{p-1} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{p-1} dx$$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{dx}{x} & p = 0 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{p-1} dx & p \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} [\ln x]_1^b & p = 0 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{x^p}{p} \right]_1^b & p \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} (\ln b - \ln 1) & p = 0 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{p} [b^p - 1^p] & p \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \text{diverges} & p = 0 \\ \text{diverges} & p > 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} - \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{diverges} \\ \text{converges} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} p > 0 \\ p < 0 \end{array}$$

\* I think there is a typo in the problem, it should

read  
 $\int_1^{\infty} x^{1-p} dx$

Then  $\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{1-p} dx$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{dx}{x} & p = 2 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b x^{1-p} & p \neq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} (\ln x)_1^b & p = 2 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{x^{2-p}}{2-p} \right]_1^b & p \neq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} (\ln(b) - \ln(1)) & p = 2 \\ \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{b^{2-p}}{2-p} - \frac{1^{2-p}}{2-p} \right] & p \neq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \text{diverges} & \text{if } p = 2 \\ \text{diverges} & \text{if } p < 2 \\ \text{converges} & \text{if } p > 2 \end{cases}$$