

## Quiz 10

This quiz is graded out of 15 marks. No books, calculators, notes or cell phones are allowed. You must show all your work, the correct answer is worth 1 mark the remaining marks are given for the work. If you need more space for your answer use the back of the page.

**Question 1.** (5 marks) §9.3 #15

Use the Integral Test to determine the convergence or divergence of the series.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\arctan n}{n^2+1} \quad \text{Let } f(x) = \frac{\arctan x}{x^2+1}$$

•  $f(x)$  is positive for  $x \geq 1$  since  $\arctan x \geq \frac{\pi}{4}$  for  $x \geq 1$  and  $x^2+1$  is always positive.

•  $f(x)$  is continuous.

•  $f'(x) = \frac{\left[ \frac{1}{1+x^2} (x^2+1) - (\arctan x)(2x) \right]}{(x^2+1)^2} = \frac{1 - 2x \arctan x}{(x^2+1)^2} < 0$  since

$(x^2+1)^2 \geq 1$  and  $\arctan x \geq \frac{\pi}{4}$  for  $x \geq 1$ .

Let's use the integral test

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\arctan x}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{\arctan x}{x^2+1}$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\arctan b} \frac{u}{x^2+1} du$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\arctan b} u du$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{u^2}{2} \right]_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\arctan b}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{(\arctan b)^2}{2} - \frac{(\frac{\pi}{4})^2}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{(\frac{\pi}{2})^2}{2} - \frac{(\frac{\pi}{4})^2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{8} - \frac{\pi^2}{32} = \frac{3\pi^2}{32}$$

•  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\arctan n}{n^2+1}$  converges  
 since  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\arctan x}{x^2+1} dx$  converges

$u = \arctan x$   
 $du = \frac{dx}{x^2+1}$

$(x^2+1)du = dx$

$u(1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$u(b) = \arctan b$

**Question 2.** (5 marks) §9.2 #48

Find the sum of the convergent series.

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [(0.7)^n + (0.9)^n] \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^n + \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^n \right] \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^n \\ &= \frac{7}{3} + 9 \\ &= \frac{7+27}{3} = \frac{34}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^n &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^n - a_0 \\ &= \frac{1}{1-\frac{7}{10}} - 1 = \frac{1}{\frac{3}{10}} - 1 = \frac{10}{3} - 1 \\ &= \frac{10}{3} - \frac{3}{3} = \frac{7}{3} \\ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^n &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{9}{10}\right)^n - b_0 \\ &= \frac{1}{1-\frac{9}{10}} - 1 = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{10}} - 1 = 10 - 1 \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 3. (5 marks) §9.1 #35**

Find the sum of the convergent series.

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

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)(n-1)} = \frac{A}{n+1} + \frac{B}{n-1} \quad \left| \quad = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right] \right.$$

$$1 = A(n-1) + B(n+1)$$

Let  $n=1$ 

$$1 = A(1-1) + B(1+1)$$

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

Let  $n=-1$ 

$$1 = A(-1-1) + B(-1+1)$$

$$1 = -2A$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = A$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{3}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

$$S_n = a_2 + a_3 + a_4 + a_5 + a_6 + \dots + a_{n-4} + a_{n-3} + a_{n-2} + a_{n-1} + a_n$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{3} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{6} \right]$$

$$+ \left[ \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} \right] + \dots + \left[ \frac{1}{n-5} - \frac{1}{n-3} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{n-4} - \frac{1}{n-2} \right]$$

$$+ \left[ \frac{1}{n-3} - \frac{1}{n-1} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{n-2} - \frac{1}{n} \right] + \left[ \frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right]$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$S = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} \right] = \frac{3}{2}$$