

Quiz 12

This quiz is graded out of 10 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. §8.2 #13 (5 marks) Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent. If it is convergent, find its sum.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1+2^n}{3^n} &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{3^n} + \frac{2^n}{3^n} \right] \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \quad \text{Let } a_n = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n, b_n = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n + a_0 - a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n + b_0 - b_0 \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^0 + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n - \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^0 \\
 &= \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{3}} - 1 + \frac{1}{1-\frac{2}{3}} - 1 \\
 &= \frac{3}{2} + 3 - 2 \\
 &= \frac{5}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Question 2. §8.3 #13 (5 marks) Determine whether the series is convergent or divergent.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} ne^{-n}$$

Let $f(x) = xe^{-x}$

$f(x)$ is continuous on $[1, \infty)$

$f(x)$ is positive on $[1, \infty)$

$f(x)$ is decreasing on $[1, \infty)$

$$f'(x) = e^{-x} - xe^{-x}$$

$$= \frac{1-x}{e^x} < 0 \quad \text{for } x > 1$$

$$\int_1^{\infty} xe^{-x} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b xe^{-x} dx$$

$$u = x \quad du = dx$$

$$v = -e^{-x} \quad dv = e^{-x} dx$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[[uv]_1^b - \int_1^b v du \right]$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[[-xe^{-x}]_1^b - \int_1^b -e^{-x} dx \right]$$

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[-be^{-b} + e^{-1} - [e^{-x}]_1^b \right]$$

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

$$= \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-1}{e^b} + \frac{2}{e} \quad \text{by } H^1$$

$$= \frac{2}{e}$$

\therefore integral converges then by integral test the series converges.