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Test 1

Question 1. (5 marks) Use the **Monotonic Sequence Theorem** to show that the following sequence converges

$$\left\{ \frac{\ln n}{n} \right\}_{n=3}^{\infty}$$

LET $f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{\frac{1}{x} \cdot x - (\ln x) \cdot 1}{x^2} = \frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2} < 0 \quad \text{WHEN } x \geq 3 > e$$

$\therefore a_n = \frac{\ln n}{n}$ IS DECREASING.

$$\Rightarrow a_n \leq a_3 = \frac{\ln 3}{3} \quad \text{FOR ALL } n \geq 3$$

NOTICE $a_n = \frac{\ln n}{n} > 0$ WHEN $n \geq 3 > e$

$$\text{SO } 0 < a_n \leq \frac{\ln 3}{3}$$

$\{a_n\}$ IS A BOUNDED MONOTONIC SEQUENCE \therefore IT CONVERGES

Question 2. Determine if the following series converge or diverge.

a) (5 marks) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{2n+3}}{3n^2+2n+5}$

LET $b_n = \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$

$a_n = \frac{\sqrt{2n+3}}{3n^2+2n+5}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{2n+3}}{3n^2+2n+5} \cdot \frac{n^{3/2}}{1}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \cdot \sqrt{n} \sqrt{2n+3}}{3n^2+2n+5} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \sqrt{2n^2+3n}}{3n^2+2n+5}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt{2 + \frac{3}{n}}}{3 + \frac{2}{n} + \frac{5}{n^2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} > 0$$

SINCE $\sum b_n$ CONVERGES (p-SERIES, $p = 3/2 > 1$)

SO DOES $\sum a_n$ BY LIMIT COMPARISON TEST.

b) (3 marks) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \ln\left(\frac{3n^2+2}{4n^2+6}\right)$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln\left(\frac{3n^2+2}{4n^2+6}\right) = \ln\left(\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n^2+2}{4n^2+6}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \neq 0$$

\therefore THE SERIES DIVERGES BY THE TEST FOR DIVERGENCE.

c) (5 marks) $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$

LET $f(x) = \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3}$. f IS A POSITIVE, *DECREASING, CONTINUOUS FUNCTION ON $[3, \infty)$

$$\int_3^{\infty} f(x) dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^b \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3} dx = I \quad \boxed{\text{LET } u = \ln x \\ du = \frac{1}{x} dx}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^3} dx = \int \frac{1}{u^3} du = \frac{u^{-2}}{-2} + C = -\frac{1}{2(\ln x)^2} + C$$

$$\therefore I = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left[-\frac{1}{2(\ln x)^2} \right]_3^b = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \left(-\frac{1}{2(\ln b)^2} + \frac{1}{2(\ln 3)^2} \right)$$

$$= 0 + \frac{1}{2(\ln 3)^2} = \frac{1}{2(\ln 3)^2}$$

SINCE THE IMPROPER INTEGRAL $\int_3^{\infty} f(x) dx$ CONVERGES SO DOES $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(\ln n)^3}$ BY THE INTEGRAL TEST.

* DECREASING: SINCE BOTH x AND $\ln x$ ARE INCREASING ON $[3, \infty)$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x(\ln x)^2} \text{ IS DECREASING}$$

OR

$$f'(x) = -[x(\ln x)^3]^{-2} \cdot [1(\ln x)^3 + x \cdot 3(\ln x)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{x}]$$

$$= -\frac{(\ln x)^3 + 3(\ln x)^2}{(x(\ln x)^3)^2} < 0 \text{ ON } [3, \infty)$$

Question 3. Find the sum of each of the following series if they converge.

a) (5 marks) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\cos\left(\frac{n+1}{n^2}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{n+2}{(n+1)^2}\right) \right]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_n &= \left(\cos \frac{2}{1} - \cancel{\cos \frac{3}{2^2}} \right) + \left(\cancel{\cos \frac{3}{2^2}} - \cos \frac{4}{3^2} \right) + \left(\cancel{\cos \frac{4}{3^2}} - \cancel{\cos \frac{5}{4^2}} \right) \\
 &\quad \swarrow \text{PREVIOUS TERM} \qquad \searrow \text{NEXT TERM} \\
 &+ \dots + \left(\cancel{\cos \frac{n-1}{(n-2)^2}} - \cancel{\cos \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}} \right) + \left(\cancel{\cos \frac{n}{(n-1)^2}} - \cos \frac{n+1}{n^2} \right) \\
 &+ \left(\cancel{\cos \frac{n+1}{n^2}} - \cos \left(\frac{n+2}{(n+1)^2} \right) \right) \\
 &= \cos 2 - \cos \left(\frac{n+2}{(n+1)^2} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

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

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

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

$$= \cos 2 - \cos 0$$

$$= \cos 2 - 1 \quad (\text{CONVERGES})$$

$$\text{b) (5 marks)} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n+1} - 4 \cdot 5^n}{7^{n-1}} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2^{n+1}}{7^{n-1}} - 4 \frac{5^n}{7^{n-1}} \right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n+1}}{7^{n-1}} - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} 4 \frac{5^n}{7^{n-1}}$$

$$= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} 2^2 \left(\frac{2}{7} \right)^{n-1} - \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} 4 \cdot 5 \left(\frac{5}{7} \right)^{n-1}$$

$$= \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} 4 \left(\frac{2}{7} \right)^{n-1} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ a_1}}{4} - 4 - \left(\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} 20 \left(\frac{5}{7} \right)^{n-1} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ b_1}}{20} - 20 \right)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4 \left(\frac{2}{7} \right)^{n-1} - 4 - \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 20 \left(\frac{5}{7} \right)^{n-1} - 20 \right)$$

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$$= \frac{4}{1 - \frac{2}{7}} - 4 - \left(\frac{20}{1 - \frac{5}{7}} - 20 \right)$$

$$= \frac{4}{5/7} - 4 - \left(\frac{20}{2/7} - 20 \right)$$

$$= \frac{28}{5} - 4 - \left(\frac{140}{2} - 20 \right)$$

$$= \frac{8}{5} - 50$$

$$= -\frac{242}{5}$$

Question 4. (7 marks) Find the interval and Radius of convergence of the following power series.

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x-4)^n}{3n+2} \quad \text{LET } a_n = \frac{(-1)^n (x-4)^n}{3n+2}$$

RATIO TEST:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1} (x-4)^{n+1}}{3n+5} \cdot \frac{3n+2}{(-1)^n (x-4)^n} \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |x-4| \cdot \frac{3n+2}{3n+5} = |x-4| \cdot \frac{3}{3} = |x-4| < 1$$

(FOR ABSOLUTE CONVERGENCE)

\therefore THE RADIUS OF CONVERGENCE IS $R=1$

$$\text{NOW, } |x-4| < 1 \Leftrightarrow -1 < x-4 < 1 \Leftrightarrow 3 < x < 5$$

AT $x=3$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (3-4)^n}{3n+2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3n+2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \quad \text{LET } b_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{3n+2} \cdot \frac{n}{1} = \frac{1}{3} > 0$$

SINCE $\sum \frac{1}{n}$ DIVERGES (p-SERIES, $p=1$) SO DOES

$\sum a_n$ BY LIMIT COMPARISON TEST.

AT $x=5$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (5-4)^n}{3n+2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{3n+2} \quad \text{LET } b_n = \frac{1}{3n+2} > 0$$

THIS IS AN ALTERNATING SERIES.

$$b_{n+1} = \frac{1}{3n+5} < \frac{1}{3n+2} = b_n \quad 2) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{3n+2} = 0$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n b_n$ CONVERGES BY ALTERNATING SERIES TEST.

\therefore THE INTERVAL OF CONVERGENCE IS $(3, 5]$

Question 5. (5 marks) Determine if the following series is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent or divergent.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{2^n \cdot 3^{n+1}}{n^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$$

ROOT TEST:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\left| \frac{(-1)^n 2^n \cdot 3^{n+1}}{n^n} \right|} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{\frac{2^n \cdot 3^n \cdot 3}{n^n}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{2^n} \cdot \sqrt[n]{3^n} \cdot \sqrt[n]{3}}{\sqrt[n]{n^n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3^{1/n}}{n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{6}{n} \cdot 3^{1/n} = 0 \cdot 3^0 = 0 < 1$$

\therefore BY THE ROOT TEST THE SERIES $\sum a_n$ IS
ABSOLUTELY CONVERGENT.

Question 6.

a) (5 marks) Find a power series representation for $f(x) = x^2 \arctan x$. State the radius of convergence of this series.

Hint: $\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n = 1+x+x^2+x^3+\dots$ and $\arctan x = \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx$.
 For $|x| < 1$

Use the fact $\arctan(0) = 0$ to find the constant of integration.

$$\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^n \quad \text{For } |x| < 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1-(-x^2)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-x^2)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{2n}$$

For $|x^2| < 1 \Leftrightarrow |x| < 1$

Now $\arctan x = \int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \int \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n x^{2n} dx$
 $= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int (-1)^n x^{2n} dx = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} + C$ For $|x| < 1$

$\therefore x^2 \arctan x = x^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{2n+1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+3}}{2n+1}$ For $|x| < 1$

$\therefore x^2 \arctan x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+3}}{2n+1}$ WITH RADIUS OF CONVERGENCE $R=1$

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

$\Rightarrow C = 0$

b) (5 marks) Use part a) to approximate $f(0.2) = 0.04 \arctan(0.2)$ to with $|\text{Error}| < 10^{-7}$. Can we use part a) to approximate $f(2.2)$? Why or why not?

$$x^2 \arctan x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+3}}{2n+1} \quad \text{FOR } |x| < 1$$

$$\therefore f(0.2) = (0.2)^2 \arctan(0.2) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (0.2)^{2n+3}}{2n+1}$$

$$= \frac{(0.2)^3}{1} - \frac{(0.2)^5}{3} + \frac{(0.2)^7}{5} - \frac{(0.2)^9}{7} + \dots$$

$$b_3 = \frac{(0.2)^9}{7} \approx 7.3 \times 10^{-8} < 10^{-7}$$

Now $b_n = \frac{(0.2)^{2n+3}}{2n+1}$ so

$$1) \quad b_{n+1} = \frac{(0.2)^{2n+5}}{2n+3} < \frac{(0.2)^{2n+3}}{2n+1} = b_n$$

$$2) \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(0.2)^{2n+3}}{2n+1} = 0$$

SO WE CAN USE THE ALTERNATING SERIES ESTIMATION THEOREM.

$$\text{SO } |S - S_4| < b_3 < 10^{-7}$$

$$\text{AND } S_4 = (0.2)^3 - \frac{(0.2)^5}{3} + \frac{(0.2)^7}{5} \approx$$

$$7.895893 \times 10^{-3}$$

SO TO WITHIN $|\text{ERROR}| < 10^{-7}$

$$f(0.2) \approx 7.895893 \times 10^{-3}$$