

Lecture: 04/16 Calculus lecture.

Homework questions.

# 59 p. 634  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10n+3}{n \cdot 2^n}$

• Limit comparison with

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10n}{n \cdot 2^n} =$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10}{2^n}$$

• Ratio test  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = \frac{1}{2}$ .

• Direct comparison

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10n+3}{n \cdot 2^n} < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10n+3n}{n \cdot 2^n}$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{13}{2^n} \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{geometric} \\ \text{converges} \\ r = \frac{1}{2}. \end{array}$$

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$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n^2}$$

• Integral test

$$f(x) = \frac{\ln x}{x^2} \rightarrow \text{decreasing and positive. continuous}$$

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{\ln x}{x^2} dx = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^t \frac{\ln x}{x^2} dx$$

$$u = \ln x \quad = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\ln t} \frac{u}{e^u} du$$
$$du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$x = e^u \quad = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^{\ln t} u e^{-u} du < \infty$$

• Direct comparison test:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n^2} < \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n+4}}{n^2} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{n^{3/2}} + \frac{4}{n^2} \right)$$

$\ln n < \sqrt{n}$ , Why this is true?  
[4, +∞)

$$f(x) = \ln x - \sqrt{x} < 0$$

$$f(1) = \ln 1 - \sqrt{1} = -1 < 0$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}, \quad x > 1.$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{x} - x}{2x\sqrt{x}} < 0 \quad x > 4.$$

$$f(4) < 0, \quad f'(x) < 0 \quad x > 4$$

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$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(n)}{3^n}$$

conv absolutely.  
conv.

Abs. conv. test:

conv.  $\rightarrow$   $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{|\cos(n)|}{3^n}$

Direct comparison  $\downarrow$

$$< \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n}$$

Will do 9.8, 9.9, 9.10, 9.7.

Sec. 9.8 (handout) Power series.

Main idea: Many functions can be represented by power series

$$e^x = \left( 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \dots \right)$$

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots$$

power series.

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (e^x)' &= 0 + 1 + \frac{2x}{2!} + \frac{3x^2}{3!} + \dots \\ &= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots \\ &= e^x \end{aligned}$$

Definition: • A power series centered at  $c=0$  is

$$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n + \dots \\ = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$$

• A power series centered at  $c$ ,

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-c)^n = a_0 + a_1(x-c) +$$

$$a_2(x-c)^2 + \dots + a_n(x-c)^n + \dots$$

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Here  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, \dots$  are numbers.

Examples: Find radius and interval of convergence for each power series below (For what values of  $x$  is the power series converge?)

a)  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{2^n \cdot n^2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^n \cdot n^2} x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n(x)$

Power series centered at  $c=0$ ,

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2^n \cdot n^2}$$

Apply Ratio test to  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n(x)$ :

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{u_{n+1}(x)}{u_n(x)} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\frac{x^{n+1}}{2^{n+1} \cdot (n+1)^2}}{\frac{x^n}{2^n \cdot n^2}} \right|$$

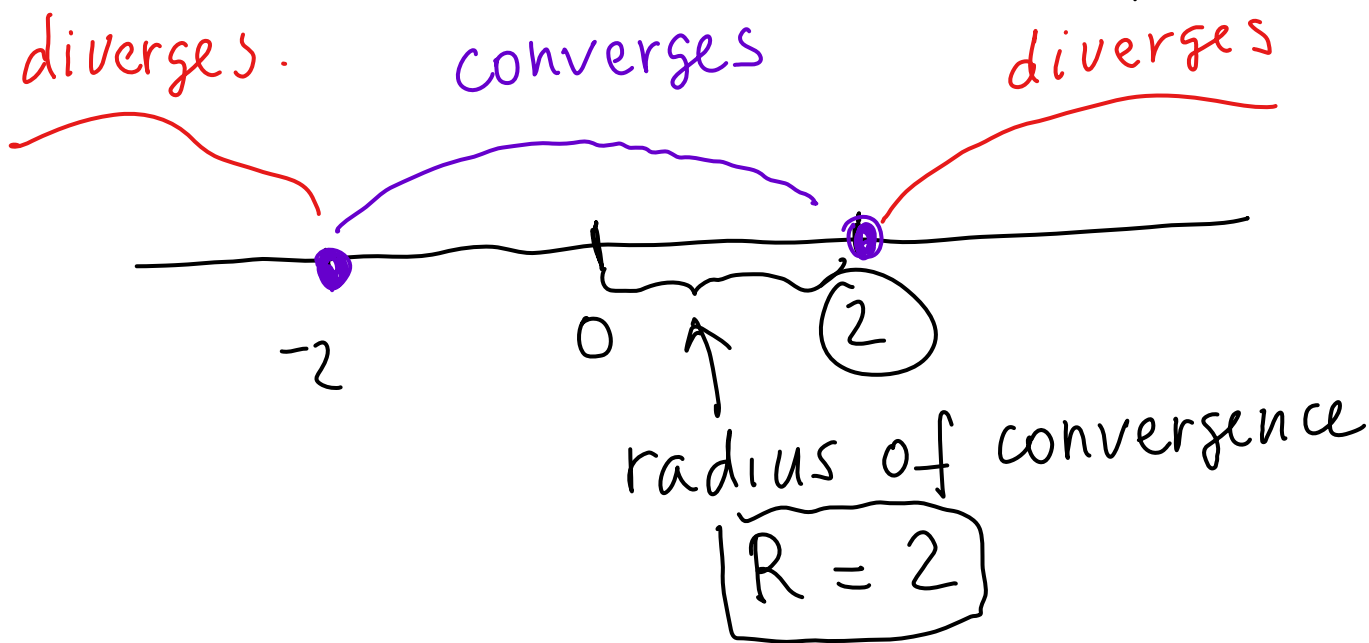
$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{x^{n+1}}{x^n} \cdot \frac{2^n}{2^{n+1}} \cdot \frac{n^2}{(n+1)^2} \right|$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| x \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{n^2}{(n+1)^2} \right| = \frac{1}{2} |x| < 1$$

$|x| < 2$

So  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{2^n \cdot n^2} = \begin{cases} \text{converges when } |x| < 2 \\ \text{diverges when } |x| > 2 \end{cases}$

don't know when  $|x| = 2$



Interval of convergence is

$$-2 \leq x \leq 2$$

Need to investigate endpoints.

$x = 2$ , then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n^2 \cdot 2^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n}{n^2 \cdot 2^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$

Converges  
as p-series  $p=2$ .

$x = -2$ , then

$$\sum \frac{(-2)^n}{n^2 \cdot 2^n} = \sum \frac{(-1)^n \cdot 2^n}{n^2 \cdot 2^n}$$

↑ converg  
yes.  
↑  
converges  
by abs. conv.  
test

Interval of convergence  
is  $[-2, 2]$ .

diverges. converges diverges



Steps in finding interval of convergence

1. Apply ratio test to  $u_n(x)$ .
2. Find radius of convergence.
3. Find interval of convergence.



# 4. Investigate the endpoints of interval of convergence

Ex: 
$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3^n (x-4)^n}{n}$$

$u_n(x)$

1) Apply ratio test:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{u_{n+1}(x)}{u_n(x)} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty}$$

$$\left| \frac{3^{n+1} (x-4)^{n+1}}{n+1} \cdot \frac{n}{3^n (x-4)^n} \right|$$

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

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| (x-4) \cdot 3 \cdot \frac{n}{n+1} \right| = 3|x-4| < 1$$

$$|x-4| < \frac{1}{3}$$

$R = \frac{1}{3}$  is the radius of conv.

~~diverges~~  $4 - \frac{1}{3}$  conv.  $4$   $4 + \frac{1}{3}$  ~~diverges~~