

Math 1432

Exam 4 Review - KEY

1. Determine whether the given series converges or diverges; state which test you are using to determine convergence/divergence and show all work.

a. $\sum \frac{k^2 2^k}{(k+1)!}$ **converge, ratio test**

b. $\sum \frac{3^{k+1}}{(k+1)^2 e^k}$ **diverges; root or ratio test.**

c. $\sum \frac{\ln n}{n}$ **diverges; basic comparison test or integral test**

d. $\sum \frac{2n+1}{\sqrt{n^5 + 3n^3 + 1}}$ **converges; limit comparison to $\sum \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$**

e. $\sum \frac{4n^2 + 1}{n^3 - n}$ **diverges; limit comparison to $\sum \frac{1}{n}$**

f. $\sum \frac{4n^2 + 1}{n^5 - n}$ **converges; limit comparison to $\sum \frac{1}{n^3}$**

g. $\sum \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ **diverges; BDT**

h. $\sum \frac{n^3}{3^n}$ **converges; root or ratio test**

i. $\sum \frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{n^3}}$ **diverges; p-series**

2. Determine if the following series (A) converge absolutely, (B) converge conditionally or (C) diverge.

a. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} \sqrt{n}}{n+3}$ **B**

b. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos \pi n}{n^2}$ **A**

c. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4n(-1)^n}{3n^2 + 2n + 1}$ **B**

d. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3(-1)^n}{\sqrt{3n^2 + 2n + 1}}$ **B**

e. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3n(-1)^n}{\sqrt{3n^2 + 2n + 1}}$ **C**

3. Find the radius of convergence and interval of convergence for the following Power series:

a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x-2)^{n+1}}{(n+1)3^{n+1}}$ $R = 3, [-1, 5)$

b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n} (x-1)^n$ $R = 3, (-2, 4)$

c. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} x^n}{4^n}$ $R = 4, (-4, 4)$

4. Give the derivative of each power series below:

a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(n+1)x^n}{n^2+2}$ $deriv = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n(n+1)x^{n-1}}{n^2+2}$

b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{2n+1}$ $deriv = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{nx^{n-1}}{2n+1}$

5. For each of the problems in number 4, give the antiderivative F of the power series so that $F(0)=0$.

a. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{n^2+2}$

b. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{n+1}}{(2n+1)(n+1)}$

6. Use the Taylor series expansion (in powers of x) for $f(x) = e^x$ to find the Taylor

series expansion $f(x) = \cosh x$. $1 + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{x^{2k}}{(2k)!}$

7. Determine the Taylor polynomial in powers of x of degree 8 for the function

$f(x) = x - \cos(x^2)$. $-1 + x + \frac{x^4}{2!} - \frac{x^8}{4!}$

8. Determine the Taylor polynomial in powers of x of degree 5 for the function

$f(x) = \frac{1-e^x}{x}$ $-1 - \frac{x}{2!} - \frac{x^2}{3!} - \frac{x^3}{4!} - \frac{x^4}{5!} - \frac{x^5}{6!}$

9. Determine the Taylor polynomial in powers of $x - \pi$ of degree 4 for the function

$f(x) = \sin(2x)$. $2(x - \pi) - \frac{4}{3}(x - \pi)^3$

10. Assume that f is a function such that $|f^{(n)}(x)| \leq 2$ for all n and x.

- a. Estimate the maximum possible error if $P_4(0.5)$ is used to approximate

$f(0.5) - \frac{2}{5!} (.5)^5 \approx 0.00052$

- b. Find the least integer n for which $P_n(0.5)$ approximates $f(0.5)$ with an error less than 10^{-3} . $n = 4$
11. Use the values in the table below and the formula for Taylor polynomials to give the 5th degree Taylor polynomial for f centered at $x = 0$.

$f(0)$	$f'(0)$	$f''(0)$	$f'''(0)$	$f^{(4)}(0)$	$f^{(5)}(0)$
1	0	-2	3	-4	1

$$P_5(x) = 1 - \frac{2}{2!}x^2 + \frac{3}{3!}x^3 - \frac{4}{4!}x^4 + \frac{1}{5!}x^5 = 1 - x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^3 - \frac{1}{6}x^4 + \frac{1}{120}x^5$$

12) Write an expression for the nth term of the sequence:

a) 1, 4, 7, 10, ... $a_n = 3n - 2$

b) 2, -1, 1/2, -1/4, 1/8, ... $a_n = (-1)^{n+1} 2^{2-n}$

13) Determine if the following sequences are (i) monotonic, (ii) bounded. If bounded, give the least upper bound and/or greatest lower bound.

a) $a_n = \frac{2n}{1+n}$; monotonic (increasing), bounded, LUB: 2, GLB: 1

b) $a_n = \frac{\cos n}{n}$; not monotonic, bounded, LUB: $\cos(1)$, GLB: $\cos(3)/3$

c) $a_n = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$; not monotonic, bounded, LUB: 1, GLB: -1/2

d) $a_n = \frac{n^2}{n+1}$; monotonic (increasing), not bounded above, LUB: none, GLB: 1/2.

e) $a_n = \frac{n+1}{n!}$; monotonic (decreasing), bounded, LUB: 2, GLB: 0

14) Determine if the following sequences converge or diverge. If they converge, find the limit.

a) $\left\{ \frac{(-1)^n n}{n+1} \right\}$; diverges (since oscillates around 1 and -1)

b) $\left\{ \frac{6n^2 + n - 1}{4n^2 + 1} \right\}$; converges to $6/4 = 3/2$.

c) $\left\{ \frac{(n+2)!}{n!} \right\}$; diverges

d) $\left\{ \frac{3}{e^n} \right\}$; converges to 0.

e) $\left\{ \frac{4n-1}{n^2+1} \right\}$; converges to 0.

f) $\left\{ \frac{e^n}{n^3} \right\}$; diverges

g) $\left\{ \frac{5^n}{n!} \right\}$; converges to 0.

h) $\left\{ \frac{5^n}{\pi^n} \right\}$; diverges (since $5/\pi > 1$)

i) $\left\{ \left(\frac{2}{3} \right)^{n+1} \right\}$; converges (since $2/3 < 1$)

j) $\left\{ \frac{n!}{4^{n+1}} \right\}$; diverges

k) $\left\{ n^{2/n} \right\}$ converges to 1.

l) $\left\{ 5n^{-1/n} \right\}$ converges to 5.

m) $\left\{ \left(1 - \frac{2}{n} \right)^{5n} \right\}$ converges to e^{-10} .

n) $\left\{ \frac{\ln(n+2)}{5n} \right\}$ converges to 0.

o) $\left\{ \ln(5n^2+1) - \ln(n^2+4) \right\}$ converges to $\ln(5)$.

p) $a_n = \int_{-n}^n \frac{1}{4+x^2} dx$; converges to $\pi/2$.

- 15) . The series $4 - 3 + \frac{9}{4} - \frac{27}{16} + \dots$ is a geometric series. Find the general term, a_n , and write the sum in sigma notation. Does this series converge? If so, what is the sum?

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k 3^k}{4^{k-1}}$$

Converges (since geometric, with radius $= 3/4 < 1$)

Converges to $16/7$.

12. Express the following using Sigma notation.

$$4 + \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{9} + \frac{4}{27} + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{4}{3^k}$$

$$-1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5} + \dots = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{k}$$

$$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{4}{3} + \frac{5}{4} + \frac{6}{5} + \dots = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{k+1}{k}$$

- 16) Determine whether the series converge or diverge; justify your answer. If convergent, find the sum (if possible).

- $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)^k$ Converges to $4/7$.
- $\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} 5\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k$ Converges to $20/3$.
- $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^{k-1}$ Divergent
- $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+2}\right)$ Converges to $5/6$.
- $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n(n+1)}\right)$ Converges to $1/3$.
- $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{6^{k+1}}{7^{k-2}}$ Converges to 2058 .
- $\sum \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ Diverges by BDT (since $\lim \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = e$, not 0 .)
- $\sum \frac{n^2+1}{4n^2-n}$ Diverges by BDT (since $\lim \left(\frac{n^2+1}{4n^2-n}\right) = \frac{1}{4}$, not 0 .)

Determine whether the series converge or diverge; justify your answer.

- a. $\sum \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ div. by BDT ($a_n \rightarrow e \neq 0$)
- b. $\sum \frac{n^2+1}{4n^2-n}$ div. by BDT ($a_n \rightarrow 1/4 \neq 0$)
- c. $\sum \frac{k^2 2^k}{(k+1)!}$ conv. by ratio test
- d. $\sum \frac{3^{k+1}}{(k+1)^2 e^k}$ divergent by ratio test
- e. $\sum \frac{\ln n}{n} \sim \sum \frac{1}{n}$ divergent by basic comp. test
($\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} > \frac{1}{n}$ for $n=3,4,\dots$)
- f. $\sum \frac{2n+1}{\sqrt{n^5+3n^3+1}}$ $\sim \sum \frac{1}{n^{3/2}}$ conv. by L.C.T
- g. $\sum \frac{4n^2+1}{n^3-n}$ $\sim \sum \frac{1}{n}$ div. by L.C.T
- h. $\sum \frac{4n^2+1}{n^5-n}$ $\sim \sum \frac{1}{n^3}$ conv. by L.C.T
- i. $\sum \frac{n^3}{3^n}$ conv. by root test
- j. $\sum \frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{n^3}}$ p-series, $p=3/4 < 1$ divergent
- k. $\sum \frac{1}{n \ln^2(n)}$ integral test; convergent (done in class)