

Part I ① (4-points) Determine whether the series

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + \cos n}{5^n}$ is convergent or divergent.

$$\frac{2^n + \cos n}{5^n} < \frac{2^n + 1}{5^n} = \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Now $\sum \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n$ and $\sum \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n$ are two convergent geometric series (1 pt)

$\Rightarrow \sum \left[\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n \right]$ is convergent (1 pt)

\Rightarrow The given series is convergent by the comparison test (1 pt)

② (4-points) Determine whether the alternating series

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{\ln(5n)}{n}$ is convergent or divergent.

Let $b_n = \frac{\ln 5n}{n} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n$ is of $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$ type (1 pt)

But $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln 5x}{x} \stackrel{HLR}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0 \Rightarrow$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$ (i) (1 pt)

Also $f(x) = \frac{\ln 5x}{x} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1 - \ln 5x}{x^2} < 0$ for all $x \geq 1$

$\Rightarrow b_n$ is decreasing (ii) (1 pt)

(i) & (ii) \Rightarrow The series is convergent by the alternating series Test.

Part II \rightarrow

Part II ① (3-points) How many terms of the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^2}$$

do we need to add to ensure that its sum is accurate to within 0.01

$$|\text{error}| \leq b_{n+1} < 0.01$$

(1 pt)

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$$

$$< \frac{1}{10^2} \Rightarrow$$

$$n+1 > 10 \Rightarrow n > 9$$

(1 pt)

Thus we need at least 10 terms

(1 pt)

② (5-points) Determine whether the series $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^3}{n^4+1}$

is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent, or divergent

$$|a_n| = \frac{n^3}{n^4+1}, \quad b_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_n|}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^4}{n^4+1} = 1 > 0$$

(1 pt)

But $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ is divergent $\Rightarrow \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{n^4+1}$ is divt

by the limit comparison test

(1 pt)

$$\text{Now } b_n = \frac{n^3}{n^4+1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

(1 pt)

$$\text{and } \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^3}{x^4+1} \right) = \frac{3x^2(x^4+1) - 4x^6}{(x^4+1)^2} = \frac{-x^6 + 3x^2}{(x^4+1)^2} < 0, x \geq 2$$

\Rightarrow decreasing (1 pt) \Rightarrow The series is conditionally convergent (1 pt)

Part I ① (4-points) Determine whether the series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3^n + 5 \sin n}{7^n} \right) \text{ is convergent or divergent.}$$

$$\frac{3^n + 5 \sin n}{7^n} < \frac{3^n + 1}{7^n} = \left(\frac{3}{7}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^n \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Now $\sum \left(\frac{3}{7}\right)^n$ and $\sum \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^n$ are two convergent geometric series (1 pt)

$\Rightarrow \sum \left[\left(\frac{3}{7}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)^n \right]$ is convergent (1 pt)

\Rightarrow The given series is convergent by the comparison test (1 pt)

② (4-points) Determine whether the alternating series

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{\ln(7n)}{n} \text{ is convergent or divergent.}$$

$$\text{Let } b_n = \frac{\ln 7n}{n} \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n \text{ is of } \frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ type} \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\text{But } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln 7x}{x} \stackrel{\text{H.R.}}{=} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x} = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0 \quad (i)$$

$$\text{Also } f(x) = \frac{\ln 7x}{x} \Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1 - \ln 7x}{x} < 0 \text{ for all } x \geq 1$$

$\Rightarrow b_n$ is decreasing $(ii) \quad (1 \text{ pt})$

$(i) \& (ii) \Rightarrow$ The series is convergent by the alternating series test. (1 pt)

Part II

• **Part II** ① (3-points) How many terms of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^4}$ do we need to add to ensure that its sum is accurate to within 0.0001

$$|\text{error}| \leq b_{n+1} < 0.0001 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)^4} < \frac{1}{10^4} \Rightarrow n+1 > 10 \Rightarrow n > 9 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

Thus we need at least 10 terms. (1 pt)

② (5-points) Determine whether the series $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^2}{n^3+1}$ is absolutely convergent, conditionally convergent, or divergent.

$$|a_n| = \frac{n^2}{n^3+1}, \quad b_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|a_n|}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^3}{n^3+1} = 1 > 0 \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

But $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ is divergent $\Rightarrow \sum \frac{n^2}{n^3+1}$ is divergent by the limit comparison test. (1 pt)

$$\text{Now } b_n = \frac{n^2}{n^3+1} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty \quad (1 \text{ pt})$$

$$\text{and } \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x^2}{x^3+1} \right) = \frac{2x(x^3+1) - 3x^4}{(x^3+1)^2} = \frac{-x^4+2x}{(x^3+1)^2} < 0, x \geq 2$$

\Rightarrow decreasing $(1 \text{ pt}) \Rightarrow$ The series is conditionally convergent (1 pt)