

1. Determine whether the following series converge or diverge. Show all your work and clearly indicate any tests that you use.

- (a).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5n^2 + n}{3 - 2n^2}$  Diverges by the Test for Divergence
- (d).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(n!)^2 3^n}{(2n)!}$  Converges by Ratio Test
- (b).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5\sqrt{n} + 1}{3 + 2n^2}$  Converges by Limit Comparison Test
- (e).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{n}{2n - 1} \right)^{3n}$  Converges by the Root Test
- (c).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln n}{n}$  Diverges by Integral Test
- (f).  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos n}{n^2}$  Since  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{\cos n}{n^2} \right|$  converges by the Comparison Test (needed positive values), then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos n}{n^2}$  converges (absolutely) by Absolute Convergence Test

[More practice can be found in Section 11.7 and the Chapter 11 Review.]

2. Does  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{\ln n}$  converge absolutely, converge conditionally, or diverge. Converges Conditionally since
- $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left| (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{\ln n} \right| = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$  diverges (by the Comparison Test), but  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \frac{1}{\ln n}$  converges (by the Alternating Series Test).

3. Given  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{n + 4}$

(a). Find the 5th partial sum  $s_5$ .

$$s_5 = \sum_{n=0}^5 (-1)^n \frac{1}{n + 4} \approx 0.0877$$

(b). If  $s_5$  is used to approximate the infinite series, what is the bound for the maximum possible error? (i.e. bound on  $|R_5|$ ?)

$$|R_5| < b_6 = \frac{1}{6 + 4} = \frac{1}{10} = 0.1$$

(c). How many terms are needed for error to be less than 0.001.

996 terms

4. How many terms of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{n^4}$  are needed to find its sum within 0.01?

$n = 5$

5. Find the interval and radius of convergence for the following series.

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

6. Find the radius of convergence for the following series.

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

(b).  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^n x^n}{n!}$   $R = \frac{1}{e}$

7. Use a known power series to find a power series representation for the  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+3x^2}$ .  $= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n 3^n x^{2n}$

8. Find a Taylor series for  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  centered at  $a = 4$ .  $f(x) = 2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot \dots \cdot (2n-3)}{2^{3n-1} n!} (x-4)^n$

9. Use a known Maclaurin series to find the Maclaurin Series for  $f(x) = e^{x/2}$   $e^{x/2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x/2)^n}{n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{2^n n!}$

10. Use a known Maclaurin series to evaluate  $\int \sin(x^2) dx$  as an infinite series.  $C + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} \frac{x^{4n+3}}{4n+3}$

11. Find the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{4n}}{n!}$ .  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x^4)^n}{n!} = e^{x^4}$