

Math 1220 - Series Worksheet

Instructions:

This is an optional worksheet designed to help the student become more comfortable with analyzing series. Remember the scientific method! When approaching a problem:

1. Form a Hypothesis: Do you think the series will converge or diverge?
2. Choose a test to use: Does the series satisfy any necessary conditions to use this test? (*Do the terms of the series need to positive?*)
3. Perform the test.
4. Analyze results from the test. ($L = 2\dots$ *So what?*)
5. Perform another test if the results were inconclusive.
6. Report results of test. *Does it converge or not?!*

1. Determine if the following series converge or diverge.

(a) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n$

(b) $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} e^n$

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

$$(d) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \cos(n)$$

$$(e) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \ln(n)$$

$$(f) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 10^{-50}$$

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

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

$$(i) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+4}$$

$$(j) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2-4}$$

$$(k) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n - 2}$$

$$(l) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{3^n + 2}$$

$$(m) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{5^n + 2}{4^n}$$

$$(n) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{5^n - 2}{4^n}$$

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

$$(p) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n4^n}$$

$$(q) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{10}}$$

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

$$(s) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{n}}$$

$$(t) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^5}}$$

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

$$(v) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)$$

$$(w) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{n}\right)$$

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

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

$$(z) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{100}$$

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

(b) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4^n}{n}$

(c) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{4^n}$

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

$$(e) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$$

$$(f) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n^3 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n$$

$$(g) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{10^n}$$

$$(h) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{10^n}{n!}$$

$$(i) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{10^n}$$

$$(j) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{10^n}{n^n}$$

$$(k) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n!}{n^n}$$

$$(l) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{n!}$$