

Alternating Series

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41-49 odd

9. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$ ✓ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ ✓
convergent

12. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\ln(n+1)}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\ln(n+1)} = 0$ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ ✓
convergent

15. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n}}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = 0$ ✓ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ ✓
convergent

18. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} \ln(n+1)}{n+1}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$ $\frac{a_{n+1}}{\ln(n+2)} \leq \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1}$ ✓
 $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n+1} = 0$ ✓

21. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos n\pi$ diverges by n^{th} term test

24. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(2n+1)!} = 0$ ✓ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ ✓

27. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^{n+1}}{e^n - e^{-n}}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{e^n - \frac{1}{e^n}} = 0$ ✓ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$ ✓

Converges

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2e^n}{e^{2n} - 1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2e^n}{2e^{2n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^n} = 0$$

30. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} 4}{\ln(n+1)}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4}{\ln(n+1)} = 0$ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n \checkmark$
 convergent

$$\frac{4}{\ln 2} - \frac{4}{\ln 3} + \frac{4}{\ln 4} - \frac{4}{\ln 5} + \frac{4}{\ln 6} - \frac{4}{\ln 7}$$

$$5.771 - 3.041 + 2.885 - 2.485 + 2.232 - 2.056 = 2.706$$

$$S_6 = 2.706$$

$$|S - S_6| \leq a_7$$

$$|S - 2.706| \leq \frac{4}{\ln 8}$$

$$|S - 2.706| \leq 1.9236$$

$$S - 2.706 \leq 1.9236 \quad \text{and} \quad S - 2.706 \geq -1.9236$$

$$S \leq 4.6296$$

$$S \geq .7824$$

$$\boxed{.7824 \leq S \leq 4.6296}$$

33. error must be $\leq a_{n+1}$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n!}$$

$$\frac{1}{(n+1)!} \leq .001$$

$$1, \frac{1}{2!}, \frac{1}{3!}, \frac{1}{4!}, \frac{1}{5!}, \frac{1}{6!}, \frac{1}{7!}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{24}, \frac{1}{120}, \frac{1}{720}, .0001$$

$$\boxed{n=6}$$

$$1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{24} - \frac{1}{120} + \frac{1}{720} =$$

$$\boxed{.368 \approx \frac{1}{e}}$$

$$30. \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n)!} = \cos 1 \quad \boxed{\frac{-1^0}{0!} = \frac{1}{1}}$$

$$\frac{1}{(2n+2)!} \leq .001$$

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} n=0 & n=1 & n=2 & n=3 & n=4 & \\ \frac{1}{2!} & \frac{1}{4!} & \frac{1}{6!} & \frac{1}{8!} & \frac{1}{10!} & \\ & & & \frac{1}{720} & .00002 & \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{n=3}$$

$$1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{24} - \frac{1}{720} = \boxed{.540 \approx \cos 1}$$

$$41. \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)^2} \quad \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} - \dots$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} = 0 \quad a_{n+1} \leq a_n \text{ converges}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)^2} \right| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} \quad u = n+1$$

$$\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^a u^{-2} du$$

$$\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left. \frac{-1}{(n+1)} \right|_1^a$$

$$\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}$$

absolutely convergent

43. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{\sqrt{n}}$ alternating \checkmark $\frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = 0$ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{\sqrt{n}} \right| = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ divergent p-series

conditionally convergent

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

diverges by n^{th} term test

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

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\ln n} = 0 \checkmark$ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n \checkmark$

$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{\ln n} \right| = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$ compare to $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$

$\frac{1}{\ln 2} \quad \frac{1}{\ln 3} \quad \frac{1}{\ln 4}$ $1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}$
 $1.44 \quad .910 \quad .721$

$\frac{1}{\ln n} > \frac{1}{n}$ divergent harmonic

$\therefore \frac{1}{\ln n}$ diverges

conditionally convergent

49. $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n}{n^3-1}$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^3-1} = 0$ $a_{n+1} \leq a_n$

$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^3-1}$ compare to $\frac{1}{n^2}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^3-1}$

limit comparison

$\frac{1}{n^2}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^3-1} \cdot \frac{n^2}{1} = 1$

absolutely convergent