

Packet KEY 9.2-9.3 (not including p-series)

9.2 Ex 1:

A. $\frac{1}{2^{1-1}} = \frac{1}{2^0} = 1$

B. $\frac{1}{2^0} + \frac{1}{2^1} = 1 + \frac{1}{2}$

C. $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}$

D. $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \dots + \frac{1}{2^{n-1}}$

Ex 2:

A. 8

B. $r = \frac{1}{5}$

C. $a_n = 8\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^{n-1}$

D. $8 + \frac{8}{5} + \frac{8}{25} + \frac{8}{125} = \frac{1248}{125}$

E. $S = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{8}{1-\frac{1}{5}} = 10$

F. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 10\left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n\right) = 10$

Ex 3:

A. $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n-1}}{5^n} \rightarrow \frac{2^n \cdot 2^{-1}}{5^n} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n$

$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^n$
 $\left|\frac{1}{3}\right| < 1$ $\left|\frac{2}{5}\right| < 1$

$\frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{2}{1-\frac{1}{3}}$

$\frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1-\frac{2}{5}}$

$3 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{10}{3}$

$$B. \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4^n - 7^n}{5^n} \rightarrow \frac{4^n}{5^n} - \frac{7^n}{5^n}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^n - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{7}{5}\right)^n$$

$$r = \frac{7}{5} > 1$$

\therefore entire series diverges

Ex 4:

$$\frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{A}{n} + \frac{B}{n+1}$$

$$1 = A(n+1) + B(n)$$

$$n = -1: 1 = -1B \quad B = -1$$

$$n = 0: 1 = 1A \quad A = 1$$

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

$$= \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3}\right) +$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{5}\right) + \dots$$

$$= \boxed{1} \text{ converges}$$

Ex 5:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = 0 \quad \therefore \text{sequence converges to } 0$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = 1 \quad \therefore \text{series converges to } 1 \text{ (as shown in Ex 4)}$$

Ex 6: (Don't need to know, but FUN!)

$$.050505 = \frac{5}{10^2} + \frac{5}{10^4} + \frac{5}{10^6} \quad a = \frac{5}{10^2} \quad r = \frac{1}{10^2}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{5}{10^2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{10^2}\right)^n = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{\frac{5}{10^2}}{1 - \frac{1}{10^2}} = \frac{5}{99}$$

n^{th} Term Test :

Ex 1:

$$A. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^2}{5n^2 + 4} = \frac{1}{5} \neq 0 \quad \therefore \text{diverges}$$

$$B. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n^3 + 1} = 0 \quad \therefore \text{unable to determine at this time}$$

$$C. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0 \quad \therefore \text{unable to determine at this time}$$

9.3

Ex 1:

$$A. \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4^n}{5^{n+1}}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^n$$

$$\left|\frac{4}{5}\right| < 1$$

\therefore converges

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a}{1-r} &= \frac{\frac{4}{5}}{1 - \frac{4}{5}} \\ &= \frac{4}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$B. \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{5n^2 + 3}{2n^2} = \frac{5}{2} \neq 0$$

\therefore diverges

Exploring the Integral of a Series:
 See Proof of Integral Test Video
 on Weebly

Ex 2:

A. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1}$

f is positive,
 continuous, +
 decreasing

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx$$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(x) \Big|_1^b$$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \tan^{-1}(b) - \tan^{-1}(1)$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

\therefore series converges

B. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{n^2+1}$

$$\int_1^{\infty} \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \int_1^b \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx$$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+1| \Big|_1^b$$

$$\lim_{b \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} (\ln|b^2+1| - \ln 2)$$

$$= \infty$$

\therefore series diverges

$$u = x^2 + 1$$

$$du = 2x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} du = x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1}{u} du$$

Comparing Two Series:

See proof of divergence of a
 harmonic series video on Weebly
 (I like this proof more ☺)