

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^n} = 1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{27} + \frac{1}{256} + \dots$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(1)^{1/n}}{(n^n)^{1/n}} \right| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0 < 1$$

Converges absolutely

CALCULUS: Graphical, Numerical, Algebraic by Finney, Demana, Watts and Kennedy  
Chapter 9: Convergence of Series

What you'll Learn About  
Root Test

$$r = -\frac{1}{10}$$

$$|r| < 1$$

Converges absolutely

A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{10^n} = \frac{-1}{10} + \frac{1}{100} - \frac{1}{1000} + \frac{1}{10000}$

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

~~$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{10^n} \right| = 1$$~~

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{10^n} \right|^{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{(-1)^n}{10^n} \right)^{1/n} = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{((-1)^n)^{1/n}}{(10^n)^{1/n}} \right| = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\frac{1}{10} < 1$$

Converges absolutely

C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{n}{3n+10} \right)^n$

D)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{5n}{3n+10} \right)^{2n}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \left( \frac{n}{3n+10} \right)^n \right|^{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{3n+10} = \frac{1}{3} < 1$$

Converges Absolutely

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \left( \frac{5n}{3n+10} \right)^{2n} \right|^{1/n} = \left( \frac{5}{3} \right)^2$$

$\left( \frac{5}{3} \right)^2 > 1$   
Diverges

E)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{-2n}{n+10} \right)^n$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \left( \frac{-2n}{n+10} \right)^n \right|^{1/n} = 2 > 1$$

Diverges

What you'll Learn About  
Alternating Series Test

A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = 1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} + \dots$

$n=100 \quad S_{100} = 1.6349839$   
 $n=1000 \quad S_{1000} = 1.643934567$   
 $n=10000 \quad S_{10000} = 1.644834072$

Converge  
 $p=2 > 1$

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

$1 - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{16} + \dots$

$n=100 \quad S_{100} = -.8224175334$   
 $n=1000 \quad S_{1000} = -.8224665839$   
 $n=10000 \quad S_{10000} = -.8224670281$

Converges  
 Absolutely

C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \dots$

Harmonic Diverges

$S_{100} = 5.187377518$   
 $S_{1000} = 7.485470861$   
 $S_{10000} = 9.7877606036$

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

$1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{4} + \dots$

Alternating Harmonic Converges  
 $S_{100} = -.6881721793$   
 $S_{1000} = -.6926474306$   
 $S_{10000} = -.6930971831$

Conditionally  
 Converges

## Conditional Convergence

Series alternates and the terms decrease in absolute value to zero.

Conditionally Converges

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

$$i) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n^2+1}} \right| = 0$$

$$ii) \left| \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{\sqrt{(n+1)^2+1}} \right| < \left| \frac{(-1)^n}{\sqrt{n^2+1}} \right|$$

$$F) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^{1/3}} =$$

$$i) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^{1/3}} \right| = 0$$

$$ii) \text{next} < \text{previous}$$

$$\left| \frac{(-1)^{(n+1)-1}}{(n+1)^{1/3}} \right| < \left| \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n^{1/3}} \right|$$

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

$$i) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{(-1)^n n^4}{n^3+1} \right| \neq 0$$

Diverges

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^4}{n^3+1} \neq 0$$

Absolute? NO

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2+1}} \text{ Diverges}$$

Compare to Harmonic Series which diverges

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{n^2+1}} \right)}{\left( \frac{1}{n} \right)} = 1$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{\sqrt{n^2+1}} = 1$$

Absolute?

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{1/3}}$$

$p = \frac{1}{3} \leq 1$   
Diverges