

Assume the terms of a sequence $\{a_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ are given by the following formula:

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2n^3} + \frac{2^2}{2n^3} + \frac{3^2}{2n^3} + \cdots + \frac{n^2}{2n^3}.$$

Find the limit of the sequence or conclude that it diverges.

Hint: $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}.$

- A) $\frac{2}{6}.$
- B) $\frac{1}{6}.$
- C) $\frac{2}{3}.$
- D) 0.
- E) Diverges.

A)

B)

C)

Solⁿ Given Sequence

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2n^3} + \frac{2^2}{2n^3} + \frac{3^2}{2n^3} + \dots + \frac{n^2}{2n^3}$$

To compute $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = ?$

Now

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2n^3} + \frac{2^2}{2n^3} + \frac{3^2}{2n^3} + \dots + \frac{n^2}{2n^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2n^3} (1 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2n^3} \sum_{i=1}^n i^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2n^3} \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

Given Hint = $\left[\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} \right]$

$$= \frac{1}{12} \frac{(n+1)(2n+1)}{n^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{12} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n} \right) \left(2 + \frac{1}{n} \right)$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \frac{1}{12} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) \left(2 + \frac{1}{n}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{12} \times 1 \times 2 = \boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$$

So Answer = $\boxed{\frac{1}{6}}$

Let R be the region in the plane enclosed by $y = x^5$, $y = 0$, and $x = 1$.

Find the volume of the solid formed by rotating R about the axis $x = 2$.

A) $V = \pi \int_0^1 \left(y^{\frac{2}{5}} - 1 \right) dy.$

B) $V = \pi \int_0^1 \left(1 - \left(2 - y^{\frac{1}{5}} \right)^2 \right) dy.$

C) $V = \pi \int_0^1 \left(\left(y^{\frac{1}{5}} + 2 \right)^2 - 1 \right) dy.$

D) $V = \pi \int_0^1 \left(\left(2 - y^{\frac{1}{5}} \right)^2 - 1 \right) dy.$

E) None of the above.

A)

B)

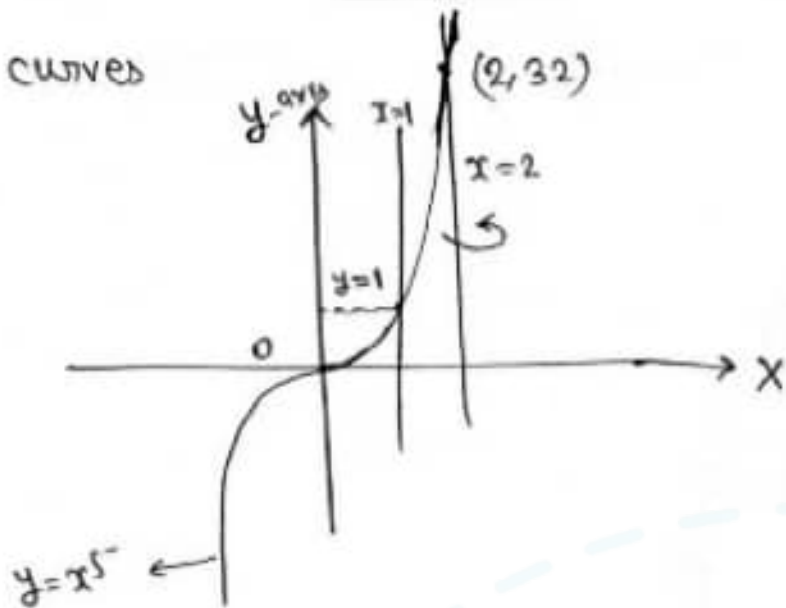
C)

D)

E)

Solution

Given curves



Washer method about the line $x=1$

$$\text{Volume, } V = \pi \int_a^b (R^2 - r^2) dy$$

$$\text{Here } y=a=0, \quad y=b=1$$

$$R = 2 - y^{1/5} \text{ and } r = 2 - 1 = 1$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \therefore y = x^5 \\ \Rightarrow x = y^{1/5} \end{array} \right\}$$

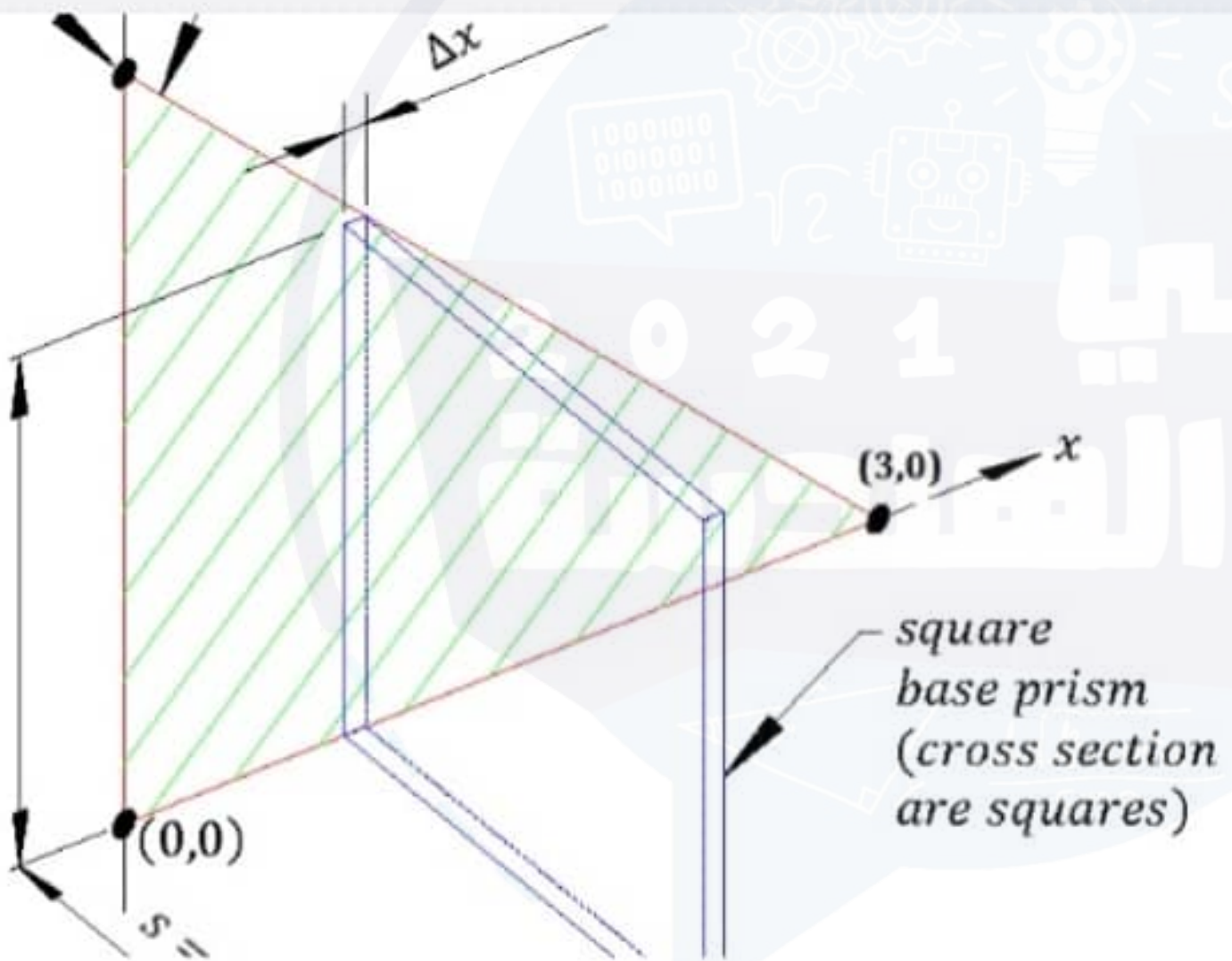
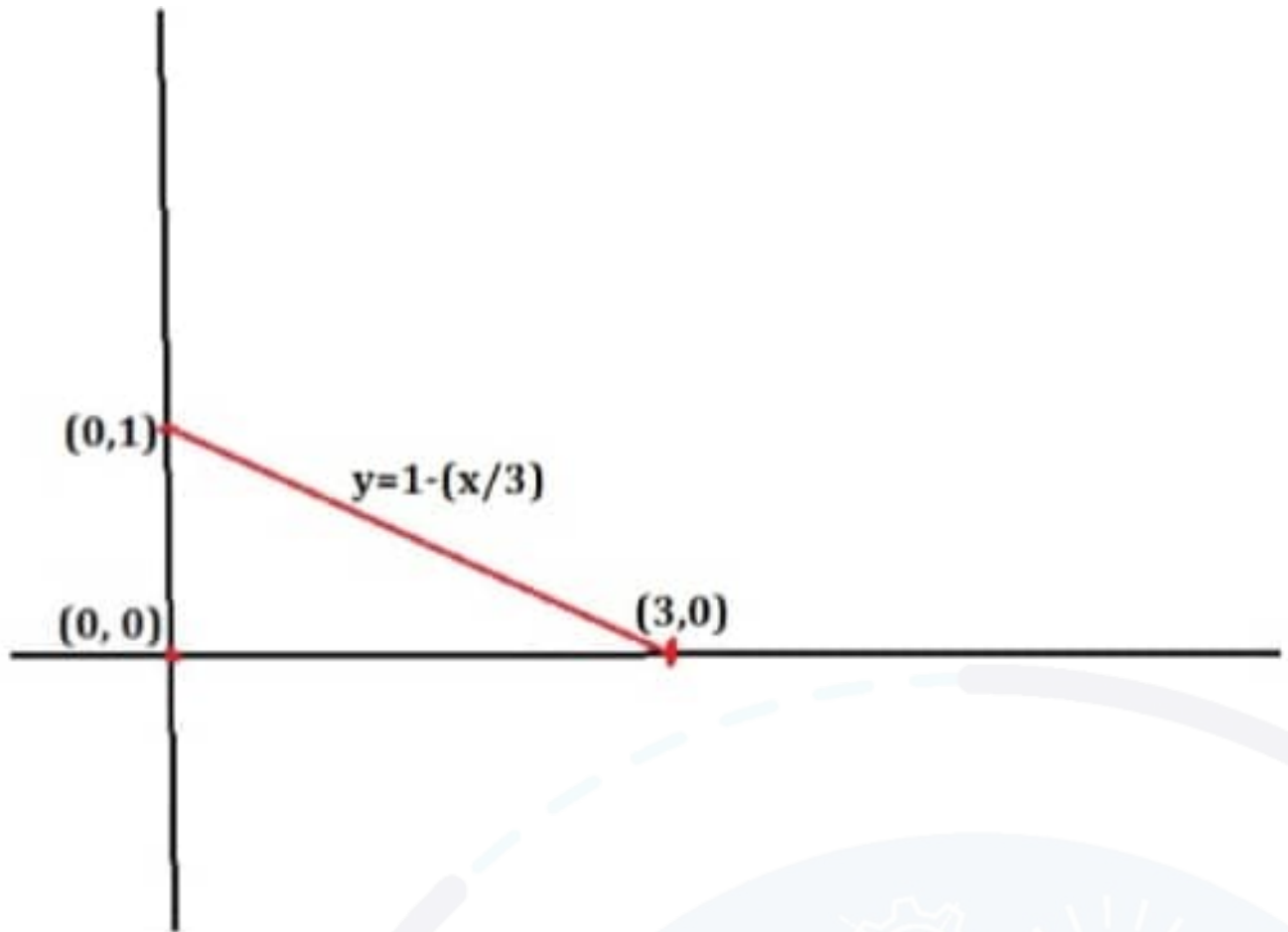
$$\therefore V = \pi \int_0^1 \left[(2 - y^{1/5})^2 - 1 \right] dy$$

\therefore Hence option (D) is correct.

A solid is formed with a base that is a triangle with vertices at $(0, 0)$, $(3, 0)$ and $(0, 1)$. Cross sections of this solid, perpendicular to the x -axis are squares. Find the volume of the solid.

- A) $\frac{1}{2}$
- B) $\frac{1}{3}$
- C) 1
- D) 2
- E) None of the above.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)



since, the cross – sections, cut perpendicular to x – axis are square. Volume of the solid can be determined by summing up the volume of square base slices s and small Δx .

$$V = A \Delta x$$

$$V = s^2 \Delta x \Rightarrow dv = s^2 dx$$

$$V = \int_0^3 s^2 dx$$

$$V = \int_0^3 \left(1 - \frac{x}{3}\right)^2 dx$$

$$V = \int_0^3 \left(1 - \frac{2x}{3} + \frac{x^2}{9}\right) dx$$

$$V = \left[x - \frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{x^3}{27} \right]_0^3$$

$$V = 3 - 3 + 1$$

$$V = 1 \text{ cubic units}$$

Option – C is the correct

Assume $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is an infinite series with partial sums given

$$S_N = 4 + \frac{2}{N}.$$

What is a_5 ?

A) $-\frac{1}{10}$.

B) $\frac{1}{10}$.

C) $-\frac{2}{5}$.

D) $\frac{2}{5}$.

Given that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is an infinite series
with partial sums given $S_N = 4 + \frac{2}{N}$

To find a_5

Solution :- Since $S_n = 4 + \frac{2}{n}$

$$\therefore S_{n-1} = 4 + \frac{2}{n-1}$$

Now we know that $a_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = 4 + \frac{2}{n} - 4 - \frac{2}{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{2}{n} - \frac{2}{n-1}$$

Putting $n=5$ we get

$$a_5 = \frac{2}{5} - \frac{2}{5-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_5 = \frac{2}{5} - \frac{2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_5 = \frac{8-10}{20}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_5 = -\frac{1}{10}$$

Hence $a_5 = \boxed{-\frac{1}{10}}$

option (A) is correct answer

Find the sum of the series:

$$\sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \frac{6}{n(n-3)}$$

or conclude that it diverges.

- A) 0.
- B) $\frac{11}{3}$.
- C) $\frac{13}{3}$.
- D) $\frac{13}{6}$.
- E) Diverges.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

Step1

a)

$$\sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \frac{6}{n(n-3)}$$

We can write this as

$$\frac{6}{n(n-3)} = \frac{-2}{n} + \frac{2}{n-3} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{n-3} - \frac{2}{n}$$

$$\sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{n-3} - \frac{2}{n} \right)$$

Step2

b)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \left(1 - \frac{2}{5} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{4} \right) + \\ &\quad \left(\frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{4} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{9} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{7} - \frac{1}{5} \right) + \\ &\quad \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{2}{11} \right) + \left(\frac{2}{9} - \frac{1}{6} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{13} \right) \end{aligned}$$

means

$$1 + \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{6+4+3}{6} = \frac{13}{6}$$

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Let $a > 1$. Find the area of the region bounded by

$$y = \sqrt{2(x-a)} \text{ and } y = x - a.$$

- A) $\frac{2}{3}$.
- B) $\frac{3}{2}$.
- C) $\frac{8}{3}$.
- D) $\frac{25}{6}$.
- E) 6.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

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Question 8

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

- A) e

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a)

Soln $y = \sqrt{2(x-a)} \quad | \quad y = x-a$
 $y^2 = 2(x-a) \quad | \quad y = (x-a)$

find intersection points

$$(x-a)^2 = 2(x-a)$$

$$(x-a) = 0 \quad x = a$$

$$x-a = 2 \quad x = a+2$$

Step 2

b)

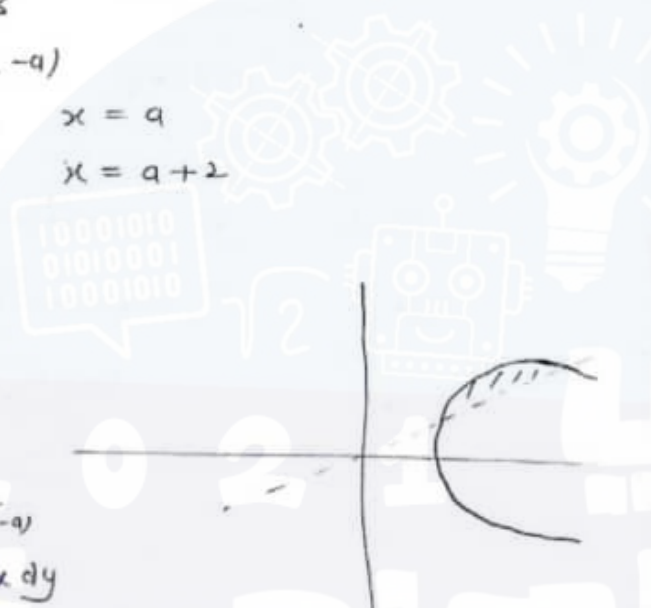
find intersection points

$$(x-a)^2 = 2(x-a)$$

$$(x-a) = 0 \quad x = a$$

$$x-a = 2 \quad x = a+2$$

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$$A = \int_{x=a}^{x=a+2} \int_{y=x-a}^{y=\sqrt{2(x-a)}} dx dy$$

$$A = \int_a^{a+2} (\sqrt{2(x-a)} - (x-a)) dx$$

$$A = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3/2} (x-a)^{3/2} \Big|_a^{a+2} - \frac{(x-a)^2}{2} \Big|_a^{a+2}$$

$$A = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} (2)^{3/2} - \frac{(2)^2}{2}$$

$$A = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \times 2\sqrt{2} - 2 = \frac{4 \times 2}{3} - 2$$

$$A = \frac{8}{3} - 2 = \frac{8-6}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

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The value(s) of p for which the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{(1+n^4)^p}$ is convergent using the integral test:

- A) $p \geq 1$.
- B) $p > 1$.
- C) $p < 1$.
- D) $p < -1$.
- E) $p = -1$.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

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Question 2

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Solution

Limit Comparison test:- If $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ are two positive term series such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = l$ (finite and non zero) then both series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converge or diverge together.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Given series is } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{(1+n^4)^p} &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{n^{-4p} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n^4}\right)} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{-4p-3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n^4}\right)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } a_n = \frac{1}{n^{-4p-3}} \quad \text{and } b_n = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n^4}\right) n^{-4p-3}}$$

$$\text{Now } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n^{-4p-3}}}{\frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n^4}\right) n^{-4p-3}}} = 1 \neq 0, \infty$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ both have same behaviour

Here $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{-4p-3}}$ converges by p-test

$$\text{when } -4p-3 > 1 \Rightarrow -4p > 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p < -1}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{-4p-3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n^4}\right)} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^3}{(1+n^4)^p} \text{ converges}$$

$$\text{when } \boxed{p < -1}$$

$\therefore \text{D} \checkmark$

Question 2

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Given the following series

I. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\sqrt[n]{2} - 1)^n$ II. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-9)^n}{n10^{n+1}}$
III. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n \ln n}$ IV. $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-2n}{n+1}\right)^{5n}$

- A) I and II diverge.
- B) III converges conditionally.
- C) III and IV converge absolutely.
- D) IV converges conditionally.
- E) III diverges.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

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I $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\sqrt{2} - 1)^n$

Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ be the given series

Then $u_n = (\sqrt{2} - 1)^n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

$\Rightarrow u_n^{1/n} = \sqrt{2} - 1$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n^{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (\sqrt{2} - 1)$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n^{1/n} = 1 - 1 = 0 \quad [\because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a^{1/n} = 1 \text{ if } a > 0]$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n^{1/n} = 0 < 1$

So, By Cauchy's Root test the given series

is **convergent.**

II

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

Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ be the given series

Then $u_n = (-1)^n \left(\frac{a}{10}\right)^n \cdot \frac{1}{10n} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

Now, $|u_n|^{1/n} = \frac{a}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{(10n)^{1/n}}$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n|^{1/n} = \frac{a}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (10)^{1/n} \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{1/n}}$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n|^{1/n} = \frac{a}{10} < 1 \quad [\because \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{1/n} = 1]$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a^{1/n} = 1 \text{ if } a > 0$

So, by Cauchy root test the given series

converges absolutely.

(III)

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

Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ be the given series

Then $u_n = \frac{(-1)^n}{n \ln n} \quad n=1, 2, \dots$

Now, $|u_n| = \frac{1}{n \ln n} \quad n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

Now, $n \ln n < n$ for $n \geq 2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{n} < \frac{1}{n \ln n} \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

Since $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)$ is a divergent series, so by comparison test $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \ln(n)}$ is divergent series.

Now, $\{u_n\} = \left\{ \frac{1}{n \ln(n)} \right\}$ is a monotone decreasing sequence of positive real numbers

and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$

So, by Leibnitz's test $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ is convergent series.

So, the given series is conditionally convergent.

$$(iv) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{-2n}{n+1} \right)^{5n}$$

Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ be the given series

$$\text{Then } u_n = \left(\frac{-2n}{n+1} \right)^{5n} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_n = \left\{ \frac{-32 n^5}{(n+1)^5} \right\}^n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_n = (-1)^n \cdot \left\{ \frac{(32) n^5}{(n+1)^5} \right\}^n, \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{Now, } |u_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{32 \cdot n^5}{(n+1)^5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} = 32 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n^5}{(n+1)^5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} = 32 \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} = 32 > 1$$

So, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ is a **divergent** series, according to Cauchy's roots for series of arbitrary terms

(B) III converges conditionally

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Using the limit comparison test the appropriate b_n that is used to make the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^b}$ converges is:

- A) $b_n = \frac{1}{n}$.
- B) $b_n = \frac{1}{n^6}$.
- C) $b_n = \frac{1}{n^7}$.
- D) $b_n = n^{-\frac{1}{2}}$.
- E) $b_n = n^{-\frac{11}{2}}$.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

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Question 6

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Limit comparison Test:-

Consider the two series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$.

where each series contains only positive terms

Suppose that $\rho = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n}$

- i) If ρ is finite and positive, then either both series converge or both series diverge.
- ii) If $\rho = 0$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ converges, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ converges as well.
- iii) If $\rho = \infty$ and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$ diverges then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ diverges as well.

Step 2

b)

Given that, $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^6}$. Let $a_n = \frac{\ln(n)}{n^6}$

$$\text{Let } b_n = n^{-\frac{11}{2}} = \frac{1}{n^{\frac{11}{2}}}$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{\frac{11}{2}}}$ converges (since $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$ convergent if $p > 1$)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \frac{a_n}{b_n} &= \frac{\ln(n)}{n^6} \times n^{\frac{11}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\ln(n)}{n^{\frac{1}{2}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^{\frac{1}{2}}} & \quad \left(\frac{\infty}{\infty} \text{ form} \right) \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2n^{\frac{1}{2}}} \quad \left(\text{by L'Hospital rule} \right) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore By limit comparison test the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n)}{n^6}$ converges

\therefore Thus (E) is correct option.

- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

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Question 14

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The sum of the series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{1-2n}$ is:

- A) 1.
- B) 2.
- C) $\frac{1}{6}$.
- D) $-\frac{2}{3}$.
- E) Diverges.

- A)
- B)
- C)
- D)
- E)

Clear my choice

Step1

a)

The given series is:

which can be rewritten as:

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-2n} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2^{-1})^{-2n} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{2n} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4^n \end{aligned}$$

Step2

b)

Now,

$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 4^n$ is a geometric series with a common ratio $|r| = |4| = 4 > 1$.

Hence, the given series diverges.

So, option (E) is the correct option.