

Tutorial 11, December 12, 2019

1. Give 4 examples of power series $\sum a_n x^n$ with conv. radius R , $0 < R < +\infty$, for each of the four possibilities of (non)convergence at $x = -R$ and $x = R$.
2. Yes or no: there exist two power series $\sum a_n x^n$ and $\sum b_n x^n$ differing in only finitely many coefficients, which have same conv. radii.
3. Yes or no: if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n \Rightarrow$ on M , then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_{2n} \Rightarrow$ on M .
4. Yes or no: if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n \Rightarrow$ on M by the Weierstrass test, then $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_{2n} \Rightarrow$ on M by the Weierstrass test.
5. Compute the following limits.
 - (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \sum_{n \geq 1} (x^n - x^{n+1})$
 - (b) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{(-1)^n x^n}{n x^{n+1}}$
 - (c) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{1}{2^{n n^x}}$
6. (HW 3 pts.) Yes or no: If $f_n : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a sequence of functions such that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|f_n\|_{\infty} = +\infty$, then the series of functions $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n$ does not converge uniformly on \mathbb{R} . Justify your answer. (Reversal of the Weierstrass test.)
7. (HW 3 pts.) Find conv. radii of the following power series. Determine convergence at the endpoints of the convergence interval.
 - (a) $\sum_{n \geq 1} x^n / n$
 - (b) $\sum_{n \geq 0} 4^n x^{2n}$
 - (c) $\sum_{n \geq 1} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{x^{2n}}{n 2^n}$
8. (HW 3 pts.) Prove: if $f(x) = \sum_{n \geq 0} a_n x^n$ is a power series with $R > 1$ and such that $f(1/k) = 0$ for every $k = 1, 2, \dots$, then $a_n = 0$ for every $n \geq 0$.