

Theorem (Leibniz criterion)

Let (a_n) is a non-increasing sequence with $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$. Then $\sum (-1)^n a_n$ converges.

Convergence $\sum \left(-\frac{1}{n}\right)^n$ converges, but not absolutely

Rearranging series

• for finite sums, it is true that we can permute terms in any way and the ~~total~~ sum will stay the same - by commutativity

Is the same true for series?

NOTE

Def

Rearrangement of a series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ is a series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{p(n)}$, where p is a permutation on \mathbb{N} (i.e. a bijection $p: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$).

Theorem

(Riemann rearrangement theorem)

Let $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$ be a series which converges, but it does not converge absolutely. Then for every $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^*$ there is a permutation $p: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$, such that $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{p(n)} = \alpha$.

(also $\sum a_{p(n)}$ might not have a sum at all.)

Observation

: If $\sum a_n$ converges ~~to~~, but not absolutely, (a_n) contains infinitely many positive and infinitely many negative terms. Moreover, sum of the series formed by positive terms is $+\infty$, sum of the series formed by negative terms is $-\infty$.

Idea of proof of Riem. t.

: By previous observation, we have infinite supply of positive and negative terms. We build rearranged series term by term, if the ~~partial~~ partial sum ~~is~~ is $> \alpha$, we add negative terms, if it is $< \alpha$, we add positive terms.

Theorem

(rearrangement of absolutely convergent series)
Let $\sum a_n$ be absolutely convergent. Then for every permutation p , $\sum a_{p(n)}$ is also absolutely convergent and has the same sum as $\sum a_n$.

Exponential function

- consider series $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$ for some $x \in \mathbb{R}$ (absolutely)
- ratio test: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\left| \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \right|}{\left| \frac{x^n}{n!} \right|} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{|x|}{n+1} = 0$ (for $x \neq 0$)
- series converges for every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, so we can define

$$e^x = \exp(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

0^0 is not defined in general, here we define it as 1

Note • e is Euler's number (≈ 2.72 , $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$)

Theorem (properties of \exp)

- (i) $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R} \quad \exp(x+y) = \exp(x) \cdot \exp(y)$
- (ii) $\exp(0) = 1$
- (iii) $\forall x \quad \exp(-x) = \frac{1}{\exp(x)}$, and $\exp(x) > 0$
- (iv) $\exp(x)$ is increasing and continuous function
- (v) $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \exp(n) = \infty$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \exp(-n) = 0$
- (vi) $\exp(x) \geq x+1$ (Moreover e is the only number with this property)

Proof of (i):

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x+y)^n}{n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \cdot \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} x^k y^{n-k}$$

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

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m=k+l}^n \frac{x^k}{k!} \cdot \frac{y^l}{l!} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} \cdot \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{y^l}{l!}$$

distributivity of abs. conv. series

Theorem (infinite distributivity)

Let $\sum a_n$ and $\sum b_k$ be absolutely convergent series.

Then $\sum_{(n,k) \in \mathbb{N}^2} a_n b_k$ absolutely converges and its sum is

$(\sum a_n) \cdot (\sum b_k)$. (Note: By rearrangement of abs. conv. series, ordering of ~~elements~~ terms of $\sum a_n b_k$ does not really matter, one option - "diagonally"

$$\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \sum_{m+k=l} a_m b_k$$

$a_0 b_0$	$a_0 b_1$	$a_0 b_2$
$a_1 b_0$	$a_1 b_1$	$a_1 b_2$
$a_2 b_0$	$a_2 b_1$	$a_2 b_2$

Properties (iii) and (v) follow easily from (i) - Exercise. 53

Theorem (logarithm)

For every positive $y \in \mathbb{R}$ has equation $\exp(x) = y$ the unique solution. We denote this solution $\ln y$ - natural logarithm of y .

Theorem (exponential as a limit)

For every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{x}{n}\right)^n = e^x$.

Geometric functions

$$\sin x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots$$

$$\cos x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!} = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots$$

Again, these definitions make sense for every $x \in \mathbb{R}$, since the series are absolutely convergent (by ratio ~~test~~ test).

Interesting fact

exponential can be defined for complex numbers, so

$$e^{ix} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(ix)^n}{n!} = \sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ \text{even}}}^{\infty} \frac{i^n x^n}{n!} + \sum_{\substack{n=0 \\ \text{odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{i^n x^n}{n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!} + i \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$

$$= \cos x + i \sin x.$$

This in particular, gives a relation between 5 most important numbers: $e^{i\pi} + 1 = 0$ ← complex!

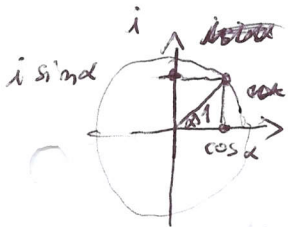
Limit & continuity of a function

Recall: $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ • $M \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ domain
 • $\forall x \in M \exists ! y \in \mathbb{R}: f(x) = y$.
 • sequences were special functions $\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

[Def]

Neighborhood of $x \in \mathbb{R}$ • in general, any open set containing x

- δ -neighborhood $\mathcal{U}(x, \delta) = (x - \delta, x + \delta) = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid |x - y| < \delta\}$
- reduced δ -neighborhood $\mathcal{P}(x, \delta) = (x - \delta, x) \cup (x, x + \delta)$



- right (reduced) δ -neighborhood $U^+(x, \delta) = [x, x + \delta)$
 $(P^+(x, \delta) = (x, x + \delta))$
- symmetrically, we define
left δ -neighborhood $U^-(x, \delta) = (x - \delta, x]$
 $P^-(x, \delta) = (x - \delta, x)$

Neighborhood of infinities: $U(\infty, \delta) = (1/\delta, \infty)$
 $U(-\infty, \delta) = (-\infty, -1/\delta)$
 (reduced, left, right are the same / don't make sense)

Remark • when δ gets smaller, δ -neighborhoods get smaller

Def Let $M \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ be a non-empty set. We say that $a \in \mathbb{R}^*$ is an accumulation (a limit) point of M , if \exists for every $\delta > 0$ we have $P(a, \delta) \cap M \neq \emptyset$.
 [Equivalently, there ~~is~~ exists a sequence (a_n) , $a_n \in M \neq a$, such that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = a$]

NOTE: • a does not have to be element of M . • 1 is a limit point of $(0, 1)$
 • some elements of M are not limit points:
 set $\{1, 2, 3\}$ has no accumulation points

Def. Let $f: M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $a \in \mathbb{R}^*$ be an accumulation point of M and $A \in \mathbb{R}^*$. We say that A is a limit of f as x approaches a , if we write $\lim_{x \rightarrow a} f(x) = A$, if

$$\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 : f(P(a, \delta) \cap M) \subseteq U(A, \epsilon)$$

In other words, $\forall \epsilon > 0 \exists \delta > 0 \forall x \in M : |x - a| < \delta \Rightarrow |f(x) - A| < \epsilon$.

