

- (b) Test for the convergence of the series whose  $n$ th term is

$$\frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n-1}}{n}$$

- (c) Show that the series

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

is conditionally convergent.



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1. (a) Define infimum and supremum of a set. Find the infimum and supremum, if exist, of the following sets:

(i)  $\left\{2 + \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N}\right\}.$

(ii)  $\left\{\frac{x+1}{x} : x > 2\right\}.$

- (b) Let  $F$  be an Archimedean ordered field,  $A \subseteq F$ , and  $u \in F$ . Prove that  $u = \sup A$  if and only if for all  $\varepsilon > 0$ ,

(i) for all  $x \in A$ ,  $x < u + \varepsilon$ , and

(ii) there exists  $x \in A$ , such that  $x > u - \varepsilon$ .

- (c) Define a field. Prove that the set  $\mathbb{Z}$  of integers with ordinary addition and multiplication is not a field.

is not convergent by using the Cauchy criterion for convergence of series.

- (c) Determine whether the Geometric series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{3^n + 4^n}{5^n}$$

converges or diverges. Find the sum of the series if it converges.

6. (a) State the Integral Test for convergence of a series.

Use it to show that

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \ln n}$$

diverges.

- (c) Find the limit of the sequence  $\{x_n\}$ , where  $x_n$  is given by

$$(i) x_n = \frac{n^2}{(n)!}$$

$$(ii) x_n = \frac{1+2+3+\dots+n}{n^2}$$

5. (a) Prove that if the series  $\sum a_n$  converges, then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0. \text{ Give an example of a divergent}$$

series such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = 0$ . What do you conclude?

- (b) Show that the Harmonic series

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

2. (a) In any ordered field  $F$ , prove the following properties:

$$(i) -|x| \leq x \leq |x|.$$

$$(ii) \max\{x, y\} = \frac{x+y+|x-y|}{2} \text{ and } \min\{x, y\} = \frac{x+y-|x-y|}{2}.$$

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- (b) State completeness property of an ordered field.

Prove that in a complete ordered field  $F$ ,  $\sup(A \cup B) = \max\{\sup A, \sup B\}$ , where  $A$  and  $B$  are bounded above subsets of  $F$ .

- (c) (i) Let

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

for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Show that the sequence  $\{x_n\}$

converges. Find its limit.

(ii) Give an example of sequences  $\{x_n\}$  and  $\{y_n\}$

for which  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = 0$ , but  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n y_n \neq 0$ .

3. (a) Define the convergence of a sequence. Using the definition of convergence, evaluate

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3n^2 + 4n}{n^2 + 5}.$$

Find the value of the natural number  $n_0$  for

$$\epsilon = 0.01$$

- (b) Let  $X = \{x_n\}$  and  $Y = \{y_n\}$  be sequences of real numbers that converge to  $x$  and  $y$ , respectively. Prove that the sequence  $X + Y$  converges to  $x + y$ .

- (c) Let  $\{x_n\}$  be a sequence of real numbers defined

inductively by  $x_1 = \sqrt{7}$  and

$$x_{n+1} = \sqrt{7 + x_n},$$

for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Prove that  $\{x_n\}$  converges, and find its limit.

4. (a) Prove that

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{1/n} = 1.$$

- (b) Define Cauchy sequence of real numbers. Further, prove that the sequence

$$\{x_n\} = \left\{ \frac{n}{n^2 + 1} \right\}$$

is a Cauchy sequence.