

(c) Test for convergence the series

$$(i) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^{n-1}}{3^n + 1}$$

$$(ii) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{r^n}{n!}$$

6. (a) State D'Alembert's Ratio test for the convergence of positive term series. Use it to test the

$$\text{convergence of the series } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{5^n}{n^2 + 5}$$

(b) Test for convergence the series

$$1 + \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{6}{9}x^2 + \frac{14}{17}x^3 + \frac{30}{33}x^4 + \dots$$

(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) Let  $F$  be any ordered field and  $x, y, z \in F$ . Show that if  $x < y$  and  $y < z$ , then  $x < z$ .

(b) Prove that for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\min\{x, y\} = -\max\{-x, -y\}.$$

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- (c) Define an upper bound of a non-empty subset of  $\mathbb{R}$ . Find supremum and infimum of the following sets :

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

(ii)  $\left\{ 2 - \frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N} \right\}$

2. (a) Let  $F$  be an Archimedean ordered field,  $A \subseteq F$  &  $u \in F$ . Then  $u = \sup A \Leftrightarrow$  for all  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $x \in A$ ,  $x < u + \epsilon$ , and there exists  $x \in A$  such that  $x > u - \epsilon$ .

- (b) Show that if  $\{x_n\}$  is a convergent sequence and

$$c \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ then } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} cx_n = c \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n.$$

- (c) Prove that if  $|a| < 1$ , then  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a^n = 0$ .

3. (a) Prove that a sequence cannot converge to more than one limit.

(b) Show that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{\frac{1}{n}} = 1$ .

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- (c) Show that the sequence  $\langle f_n \rangle$  where

$$f_n = 1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{3^{n-1}}, \text{ converges. Find } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n.$$

4. (a) Prove that a monotone sequence converges if and only if it is bounded.

- (b) Show that the sequence  $\langle s_n \rangle$ , where  $s_n = \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n}$  converges to zero.

- (c) Prove that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$  exists and lie between 2 and 3.

5. (a) State Cauchy's  $n^{\text{th}}$  Root test for the convergence of a positive term series. Apply it to test for convergence the series

$$\left(\frac{2^2}{1^2} - \frac{2}{1}\right)^{-1} + \left(\frac{3^3}{2^3} - \frac{3}{2}\right)^{-2} + \left(\frac{4^4}{3^4} - \frac{4}{3}\right)^{-1} + \dots$$

- (b) Test for convergence the series

(i)  $\sum \sin \frac{1}{n^2}$

(ii)  $\sum \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \tan \frac{1}{n}$