

1. Find a sequence of continuous functions  $f_n : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x)$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f_n(x)$  exists and are unequal.

**Proof:**

$$f_n(x) = \frac{nx}{1 + nx}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} f_n(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx}{1 + nx} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{nx/nx}{(1 + nx)/nx} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{nx}} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{1 + 0} = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f_n(x) &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{nx}{1 + nx} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \cdot 0}{n \cdot 0 + 1} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 = 0. \end{aligned}$$

2. If  $f : E^2 - \{(0, 0)\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , three limits we can consider are  $\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x, y)$ ,  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} f(x, y)$ , and  $\lim_{(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)} f(x, y)$ . Compute these limits, if they exist, for  $f(x, y) = \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$  and for  $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ .

**Proof:**

(a) for  $f(x, y) = \frac{xy}{x^2 + y^2}$ .

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x, y) = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{0}{y^2} = 0, \text{ so it exists.}$$

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$$\text{However, } \lim_{(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)} f(x, y), \text{ Let } x = y. \lim_{(x, x) \rightarrow (0, 0)} \frac{x^2}{x^2 + x^2} = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\text{Let } y = 0. \lim_{(x, 0) \rightarrow (0, 0)} \frac{0}{x^2} = 0.$$

Since we have different limits from different directions, the limit does not exist.

(b) for  $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$ .

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x, y) = \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{-y^2}{y^2} = -1,$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \lim_{y \rightarrow 0} f(x, y) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2}{x^2} = 1$$

$$\lim_{(x, y) \rightarrow (0, 0)} f(x, y), \text{ Let } x = y. \lim_{(x, x) \rightarrow (0, 0)} \frac{0}{2x^2} = 0.$$

$$\text{Let } y = 0. \lim_{(x, 0) \rightarrow (0, 0)} \frac{x^2}{x^2} = 1.$$

Likewise (a), we have different limits from different directions, so the limit does not exist.

3. Find a sequence of continuous functions  $f_n : [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  that converges to the zero function and such that the sequence  $\int_0^1 f_1(x) dx, \int_0^1 f_2(x) dx, \int_0^1 f_3(x) dx, \dots$  increases without bound.

Solution:

Let  $f_n$  be defined as

$$f_n(x) = \begin{cases} 4n^3x & 0 \leq x \leq 1/2n \\ 4n^2 - 4n^3x & 1/2n < x \leq 1/n \\ 0 & 1/n < x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

Similar to other problems we've seen in class we can show that for any  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N(\epsilon, x)$  such that whenever  $n > N$  we get,  $|f_n(x)| < \epsilon$ . But the integral is given by

$$\int_0^1 f_n(x) dx = \int_0^{1/2n} 4n^3x dx + \int_{1/2n}^{1/n} (4n^2 - 4n^3x) dx = n$$

hence, as  $n$  increases the sequence  $\int_0^1 f_1(x) dx, \int_0^1 f_2(x) dx, \int_0^1 f_3(x) dx, \dots$  increases without bound.

- 4) Find a uniformly convergent sequence of differentiable functions  $f_n : (0, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that the sequence  $f'_1, f'_2, f'_3, \dots$  does not converge.

Consider  $f_n(x) = \frac{\sin(nx)}{n}$ . To see that  $f_n$  converges uniformly, for any  $\epsilon > 0$ , choose  $N > 0$  such that if  $n > N$ , then  $\frac{1}{n} < \epsilon$ . Then we will have  $\left| \frac{\sin(nx)}{n} - 0 \right| < \left| \frac{1}{n} \right| < \epsilon$ , and that  $f_n \rightarrow 0$ . Each  $f_n$  is differentiable since  $\sin(nx)$  is differentiable everywhere, and we have  $f'_n(x) = \cos(nx)$ . Clearly this does not converge to 0.

20. Find the radii of convergence of the following power series:

- (a)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n(\log n)x^n$  : Use Root and Ratio test

Let  $a_n = n(\log n)$ , we need to show that  $\limsup |a_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq \limsup \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$ .

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \limsup |a_n|^{\frac{1}{n}} &\leq \limsup \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| \\ &= \limsup \left| \frac{(n+1) \log(n+1)}{n \log n} \right| \\ &= \limsup \left| \frac{n \log(n+1)}{n \log n} + \frac{\log(n+1)}{n \log n} \right| \\ &= \limsup \left| \frac{\log(n+1)}{\log n} \right| + \limsup \left| \frac{\log(n+1)}{n \log n} \right| \\ &= 1 + 0 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the radius of convergence is 1.

(b)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\log n)^{\log n} x^n$  : Use exponential trick and root test.

Let  $a_n = (\log n)^{\log n}$ .

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim |a_n^{\frac{1}{n}}| &= \lim \exp(\log a_n^{1/n}) \\ &= \lim \exp[\log\{(\log n)^{\frac{1}{n} \log n}\}] \\ &= \exp\left[\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n} \log(\log n) + \frac{1}{n \log n} \log n}{1}\right] \quad (\text{L'Hopstal's rule}) \\ &= \exp\left[\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log(\log n) + 1}{n}\right] \\ &= \exp\left[\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n \log n}\right] \\ &= \exp 0 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the radius of convergence is 1.

(c)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n\sqrt{n}}$  : Use Root and Ratio test

Let  $a_n = \frac{1}{n\sqrt{n}}$ . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{1}{n\sqrt{n}} \right|^{\frac{1}{n}} &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |n^{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}| \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \exp[\log(n)^{-\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}}] \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \exp\left[\frac{-1}{\sqrt{n}} \log n\right] \\ &= \exp \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-\log n}{\sqrt{n}} \\ &= \exp \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-1/n}{\frac{1}{2}n^{-\frac{1}{2}}} \quad (\text{L'Hospital's rule}) \\ &= \exp \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{-2}{\sqrt{n}} \\ &= \exp 0 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the radius of convergence is 1.

(d)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{(\sqrt{n})^n}$  : Use Root test

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^n}{(\sqrt{n})^n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{x^n}{(\sqrt{n})^n} \right)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x}{\sqrt{n}} = \left| \frac{x}{\sqrt{n}} \right| \rightarrow 0$$

Therefore, the radius of convergence is  $\infty$ .

(e)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n x^n}{n!}$  : Use Ratio test

$$\limsup \left| \frac{(n+1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \cdot \frac{n!}{n^n} \right| = \limsup \left| \frac{(n+1)^n}{n^n} \right| = \limsup \left| \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n \right| = e$$

Therefore, the radius of convergence has to be  $e$ .

35. Let  $[a, b]$  and  $[c, d]$  be closed intervals in  $R$  and let  $f$  be a continuous real-valued function on  $\{(x, y) \in E^2 : x \in [a, b], y \in [c, d]\}$ . By Prob. 15, Chap. VI,  $\int_a^b f(x, y)dx$  is continuous in  $y$  and  $\int_a^b f(x, y)dy$  is continuous in  $x$ , so that

$$\int_c^d \left( \int_a^b f(x, y)dx \right) dy \text{ and } \int_a^b \left( \int_c^d f(x, y)dy \right) dx$$

exist. Prove that these integrals are equal by computing  $d/dt$  of

$$\int_c^d \left( \int_a^t f(x, y)dx \right) dy \text{ and } \int_a^t \left( \int_c^d f(x, y)dy \right) dx$$

for  $t \in (a, b)$ . Since  $f$  is a continuous real-valued function, we can apply the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to get

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_a^t \int_c^d f(x, y)dydx = \int_c^d f(t, y)dy$$

. We also know that

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_c^d \left( \int_a^t f(x, y)dx \right) dy = \int_c^d f(t, y)dy$$

**by the theorem on Page 159 of the book.** . Since these two derivatives are the same, we can conclude that the functions are equal up to some constant, meaning

$$\int_c^d \left( \int_a^t f(x, y)dx \right) dy = C + \int_a^t \int_c^d f(x, y)dydx$$

. If we set  $t = a$ , we get that  $C = 0$  and if we take  $t = b$  we get

$$\int_c^d \left( \int_a^b f(x, y)dx \right) dy = \int_a^b \left( \int_c^d f(x, y)dy \right) dx$$



### Additional Problem 1:

To show that  $f$  is integrable, we attempt to find two step functions  $f_1, f_2$  such that  $f_1(x) \leq f(x) \leq f_2(x)$  for all  $x \in [a, b]$ , and that for any  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\left| \int_a^b (f_2(x) - f_1(x)) dx \right| < \epsilon$ .

First, since  $f_k$  converges uniformly to  $f$ , for any  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $K$  such that if  $k > K$ , then

$$|f_k(x) - f(x)| < \frac{\epsilon}{4(b-a)}$$

Then since each  $f_k$  is integrable, there exists step functions  $f_{k_1}, f_{k_2}$  such that

$$f_{k_1}(x) \leq f_k(x) \leq f_{k_2}(x)$$

$$\left| \int_a^b (f_{k_2}(x) - f_{k_1}(x)) dx \right| < \frac{\epsilon}{2}$$

Define then,  $f_1(x) = f_{k_1}(x) - \frac{\epsilon}{4(b-a)}$  and  $f_2(x) = f_{k_2}(x) + \frac{\epsilon}{4(b-a)}$ .

If  $k > K$ , then we do have

$$f(x) \leq f(x) + (-f_k(x) + f_{k_2}(x)) = (f(x) - f_k(x)) + f_{k_2}(x) < f_2(x)$$

$$f(x) \geq f(x) + (-f_k(x) + f_{k_1}(x)) = (f(x) - f_k(x)) + f_{k_1}(x) > f_1(x)$$

Then

$$\int_a^b (f_2(x) - f_1(x)) dx = \int_a^b \left( (f_{k_2}(x) - f_{k_1}(x)) + \left( \frac{\epsilon}{2(b-a)} + \frac{\epsilon}{2(b-a)} \right) \right) dx < \frac{\epsilon}{2} + \frac{\epsilon}{2} = \epsilon$$

As desired. To show that  $\int_a^b f_k(x) dx \rightarrow \int_a^b f(x) dx$ , we must show for  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists  $K$  such that  $k > K$  implies  $\left| \int_a^b f_k(x) dx - \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| < \epsilon$ . Again, by uniform convergence of  $f_k$ , there exists a  $K_0$  such that  $|f_k - f| < \frac{\epsilon}{b-a}$  for  $k > K_0$ . Let  $K = K_0$ , then

$$\left| \int_a^b f_k(x) dx - \int_a^b f(x) dx \right| = \left| \int_a^b (f_k(x) - f(x)) dx \right| < \int_a^b \frac{\epsilon}{b-a} dx = \frac{\epsilon}{b-a} (b-a) = \epsilon$$

Additional Problem 2:

Prove that if  $\sum_k g_k$  is a series of functions that converges uniformly on a set  $S$  and if  $h$  is a bounded function on  $S$ , then

$$\sum_k h g_k$$

converges uniformly on  $S$ .

Solution:

Since  $h$  is bounded on  $S$ , there exists an  $M > 0$  such that  $\sup_{x \in S} |h(x)| = M$ . Additionally, since  $\sum_k g_k$  is a series of functions that converges uniformly on a set  $S$ , we know by the Cauchy-criterion that given any  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $N_\epsilon$  such that whenever  $n > m > N_\epsilon$  we get that

$$\sup_{x \in S} \left| \sum_{k=m}^n g_k(x) \right| < \frac{\epsilon}{M}.$$

We need to show that for any  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists an  $N$  such that whenever  $n > m > N$  we get

$$\sup_{x \in S} \left| \sum_{k=m}^n h(x) g_k(x) \right| < \epsilon.$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{x \in S} \left| \sum_{k=m}^n h(x) g_k(x) \right| &= \sup_{x \in S} \left| h(x) \sum_{k=m}^n g_k(x) \right| \\ &= \sup_{x \in S} \left( |h(x)| \left| \sum_{k=m}^n g_k(x) \right| \right) \\ &\leq \sup_{x \in S} (|h(x)|) \sup_{x \in S} \left( \left| \sum_{k=m}^n g_k(x) \right| \right) \\ &< M \frac{\epsilon}{M} = \epsilon. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, by letting  $N = N_\epsilon$ , the proof follows.

**Additional Problem 3:**

Let  $s(x) = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} \dots$  and  $c(x) = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} \dots$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

a. Prove that  $s' = c$  and  $c' = -s$ .

$$\begin{aligned} s'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots \right) = \frac{d}{dx} x - \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^3}{3!} \right) + \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^5}{5!} \right) - \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^7}{7!} \right) + \dots \\ &= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots = c(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} c'(x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left( 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \dots \right) = \frac{d}{dx} (1) - \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^2}{2!} \right) + \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^4}{4!} \right) - \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{x^6}{6!} \right) + \dots \\ &= 0 - x + \frac{x^3}{3!} - \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots = - \left( x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots \right) = -s(x) \end{aligned}$$

b. Prove that  $(s^2 + c^2)' = 0$ .

$$(s^2 + c^2)' = 2ss' + 2cc' = 2sc - 2cs = 0$$

c. Prove that  $s^2 + c^2 = 1$

$$s^2 + c^2 = \int (s^2 + c^2)' dt + (s^2 + c^2)(0) = 0 + 1 = 1$$

Since the integral over 0 is 0, and the only constant in  $(s^2 + c^2)$  is 1.