

Exercise Class in Mathematics

BAE

Preliminary Exercises

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Exercise 1.

Compute the following limits:

$$\begin{array}{ll} a) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1}{\log(n)\left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)\right)}, & b) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{e^{\frac{1}{n}} - 1}{\ln(n+1) - \ln(n)}, \\ c) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^{2n}, & d) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \left(\frac{n^2+n}{n^2-n+2}\right)^n, \\ e) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} n \cdot \sin\left(\frac{3}{n}\right), & f) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} n \cdot \tan\left(\frac{1}{n}\right), \\ g) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{3}{n}\right)}, & h) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{\tan^2\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{1 - \cos\left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}, \\ i) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1 - \cos\left(\frac{3}{n}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{3}{n^2}\right)}, & j) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} (n - \sin(n)), \end{array}$$

Exercise 2.

Evaluate the convergence or divergence of the following series. If convergent, determine the sum

$$\begin{array}{ll} a) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \frac{2^n + 4^n}{8^n}, & b) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \sin^n\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ c) \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \frac{2^{2n+1}}{3^{2n}}, & d) \sum_{n=2}^{+\infty} \frac{2^{-2n+1}}{3^{n-2}} \\ e) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \frac{6^n + 2^n}{5^n} \end{array}$$

Exercise 3.

Discuss the behavior of the following geometric series, and then discuss for which values of $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ their sum is equal to $\frac{1}{3}$.

$$a) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} (\log \alpha)^n \quad \alpha \in (0, +\infty),$$

$$b) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{(1+\alpha)^n}$$

Exercise 4.

Discuss the behavior of the following geometric series as x changes in \mathbb{R}

$$a) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} \left(\frac{1}{1+x}\right)^n,$$

$$b) \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} (-1)^n \frac{x^n}{2^n}$$

Exercise 5.

Verify, by applying the definition, the following limits

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{9^x - 1}{3^x - 1} = 2,$$

$$b) \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{-2x}{x+1} = -2$$

$$c) \lim_{x \rightarrow 4} (2 - \sqrt{x}) = 0,$$

$$d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{1}{x-1} = \infty$$

$$e) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (x^3 - 1) = \infty,$$

Exercise 6.

Calculate the following limits

$$a) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 + \sin x}}{x} \quad (\text{rationalization + notable limit})$$

$$b) \lim_{n \rightarrow +\infty} n \cdot \sin(e^{-n}) \quad (x = \ln t)$$

$$c) \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{1 - \cos \frac{1}{x}}{x \sin \left(\pi - \frac{1}{x}\right)} \quad \left(\frac{1}{x} = t\right)$$

$$d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 1} \frac{\log_3 x}{x-1} \quad (x-1 = y)$$

$$e) \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} x^{\frac{1}{x}} \quad \left(\frac{1}{x} = y\right)$$

$$f) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^{\ln(1+3x)} \quad (z = e^{\ln z} \text{ con } z > 0)$$