

Recall from Last Time:

A sequence is a list of numbers. One kind of sequence is a geometric sequence. These have a common ratio between terms:  $\{a_n\} = \{a_0 r^n\}$

$$a_0, a_0 r, a_0 r^2, a_0 r^3, a_0 r^4, \dots$$

We create a sequence of partial sums of  $\{a_n\}$  by

defining  $S_N = \sum_{k=1}^N a_k = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_N$

eg Sequence,  
 $a_n$

Sequence of  
Partial Sums,

$S_N$

$$a_1 = 2$$

$$S_1 = 2 \quad \text{just } a_1$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

$$S_2 = 6 \quad \text{combine } a_1, a_2$$

$$a_3 = 6$$

$$S_3 = 12 \quad \text{add } a_1, a_2, a_3$$

$$a_4 = 4$$

$$S_4 = 16 \quad \text{add } a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4$$

$$a_5 = 2$$

$$S_5 = 18 \quad \text{add } a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5$$

A geometric partial sum

$$S_N = \sum_{k=0}^N ar^k = a \frac{1-r^{N+1}}{1-r}$$

*a, ar, ar^2, ..., ar^N*

(ex)

Evaluate

$$1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{27} + \frac{1}{81}$$

*$(\frac{1}{3})^0$   $(\frac{1}{3})^1$   $(\frac{1}{3})^2$   $(\frac{1}{3})^3$   $(\frac{1}{3})^4$*

*a=1  
r=1/3*

$$= \sum_{k=0}^4 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^k = \boxed{\frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^5}{1 - \frac{1}{3}}}$$

(ex)

Evaluate

$$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{9} + \frac{2}{27} + \frac{2}{81}$$

*Would like it if first term were 1*

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{27}\right)$$
$$= \frac{2}{3} \sum_{k=0}^3 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^k = \boxed{\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^4}{1 - \frac{1}{3}}\right)}$$

# Ch 8.3 Infinite Series

$$\underbrace{\sum_{k=a}^{\infty} a_k}_{\text{Adding up inf. many numbers - how???}} = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \underbrace{\sum_{k=a}^N a_k}_{\substack{\text{Finite sum -} \\ \text{no problem} \\ \text{Definitely} \\ \text{exists?}}}$$

Geometric Series:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r^n = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \underbrace{\sum_{n=0}^N r^n}_{\text{Formula}} = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 - r^{N+1}}{1 - r}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \text{DIV} & \text{if } |r| > 1 \\ \frac{1}{1-r} & \text{if } |r| < 1 \end{cases}$$

$(r^{N+1} \rightarrow \pm\infty)$   
 $(r^{N+1} \rightarrow 0)$

(ex)

evaluate

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^k$$

formula

$$\frac{1}{1 - 2/3}$$

$$r = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\left|\frac{2}{3}\right| < 1$$

$$\frac{1}{1 - 2/3}$$

$$0 \quad 8/21$$

$$0 \quad 4/9$$

$$0 \quad 2/3$$

(ex)

evaluate

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(-\frac{10}{9}\right)^k$$

DIV

$$r = -\frac{10}{9}$$

$$|r| > 1$$

$$-10/9$$

$$0$$

$$100/81$$

$$0$$

$$-10^3/9^3$$

$$0$$

(ex)

evaluate

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{10^k}{92^k}$$

$$(?)^k$$

$$= \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \frac{10^k}{81^k} = \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^k$$

$$r = \frac{10}{81}$$

$$|r| < 1$$

$\sum$  will conv

$$0 \quad 10/81$$

$$0 \quad \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^2$$

$$0 \quad \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^3$$

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^k = \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^4 + \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^5 + \dots$$

↑ want to be 1 factor

$$\left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^2 \left[ 1 + \frac{10}{81} + \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^3 + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{10^2}{81^2} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{10}{81}\right)^k \stackrel{\text{formula}}{=} \boxed{\frac{10^2}{81^2} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - 10/81}}$$

"convergent"

(ex)

$$\sum_{k=5}^{\infty} \frac{3^{k+1}}{2^{2k}} = \sum_{k=5}^{\infty} \frac{3 \cdot 3^k}{4^k} = 3 \sum_{k=5}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^k$$

$$2^{2n} = (2^2)^n = 4^n$$

$r = \frac{3}{4}$   
 $|r| < 1$   
will conv

$$= 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{n+5} = 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5$$

$$= 3 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5 \underbrace{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n}_{\text{formula}} = \boxed{\frac{3^6}{4^5} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - 3/4}}$$

let  $n = k - 5$   
 $\bullet k = n + 5$   
 $\bullet$  if  $k = 5, n = 0$   
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# Ch 8.4 : Divergence & Integral Tests

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 1 = 1+1+1+\dots = \infty$$

DIVERGENT SERIES

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{2^n} \right) = \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{10} + \frac{1}{16} \dots = \infty \quad \text{DIV}$$

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

$$= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^N (-1)^n = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N \quad \text{DNE}$$

So: Series  
DIV

$$\bullet \quad -1 + 1 - 1 + 1 - 1 + 1 - 1 + 1$$

$$(-1+1) + (-1+1) + (-1+1) + \dots = 0 + 0 + 0 = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

$$-1 + (-1) + (-1) + (-1) + \dots = -1 + 0 + 0 + 0 \dots = \underline{\underline{-1}}$$

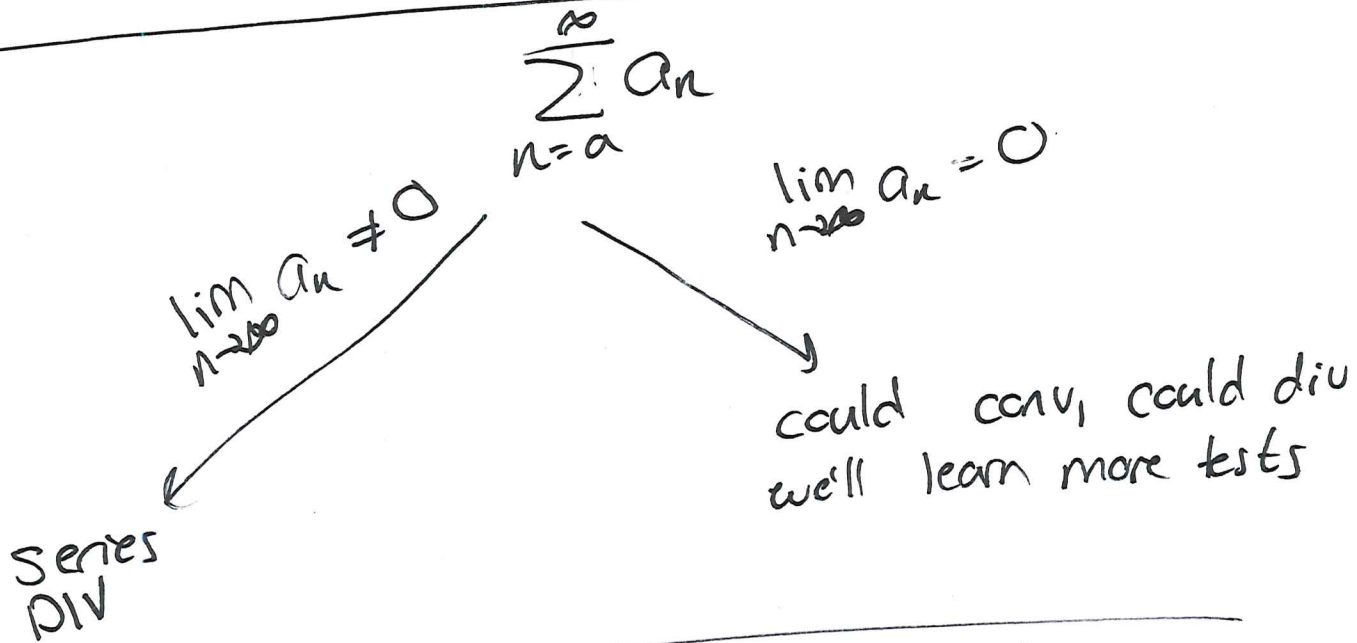
Need to use definition of series (not intuition)

Partial sums:

$$-1, 0, -1, 0, -1, 0, -1, 0 \quad \text{limit DNE}$$

Divergence test:

If  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \neq 0$ , then  $\sum_{n=a}^{\infty} a_n$  DIVERGES



(ex)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin n$        $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sin n$  DNE



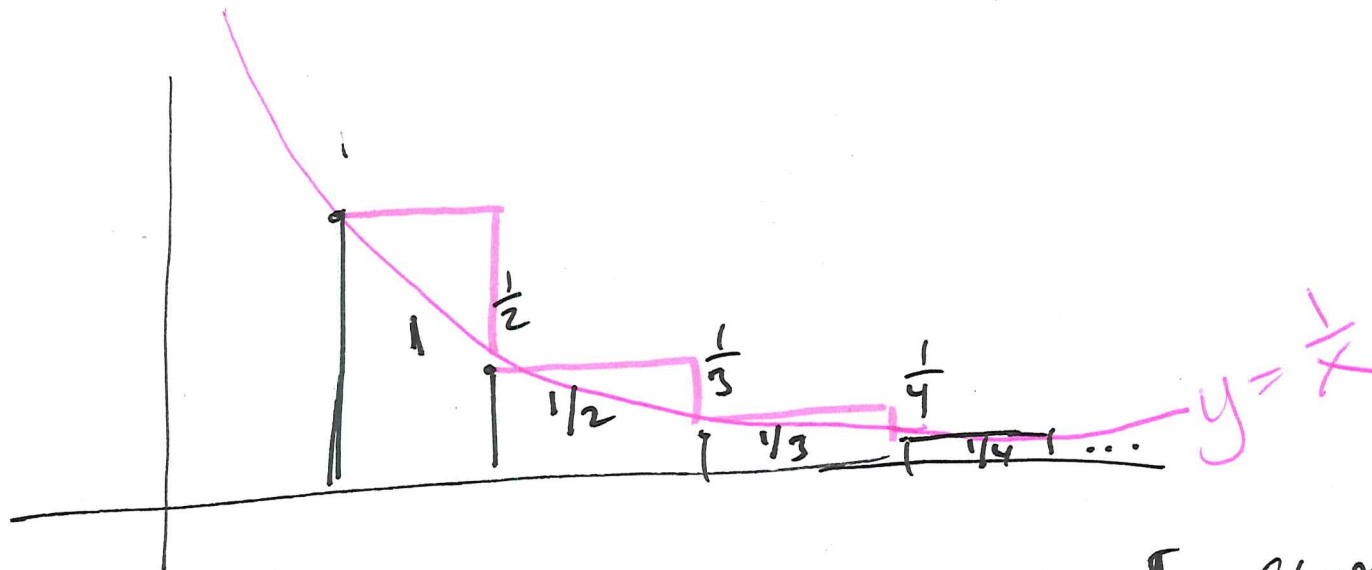
So, by DIV TEST,  
 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin n$  DIVERGES

(ex)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} = \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \dots$

"harmonic series"

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$

Div Test tells us nothing  
Need to look further



$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  : sum of areas of rectangles (base=1)

See:  $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x} dx$  : area under curve  $\frac{1}{x}$

$$\underbrace{\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x} dx}_{\infty} \leq \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$$

So:  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$  DIV



# Integral Test:

Suppose  $f$  is a continuous, positive,  
decreasing function on  $[a, \infty)$  and

let  $a_n = f(n)$ . Then the series  
 $\sum_{n=a}^{\infty} a_n$  is convergent / divergent if and only  
if  $\int_a^{\infty} f(x) dx$  is conv / div.

(ex) Does  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \ln n}$  converge or diverge?

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x \ln x}$$

continuous on  $[2, \infty)$   
positive  
decreasing

$$\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx =$$

$u = \ln x$   
 $du = \frac{1}{x} dx$

$$\int_{\ln 2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{u} du \quad \text{DIV (by p-test)}$$

So, by integral test  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \ln n}$  DIV as well

(ex)

Does  $\sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1}$  conv or div?

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

continuous  
positive  
dec on  $(5, \infty)$

} can apply  
∫ test

$$\int_5^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \int_5^N \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx$$

$$= \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} (\arctan N - \arctan 5) = \underbrace{\frac{\pi}{2} - \arctan(5)}_{\text{real \#}}$$

∫ conv, so by ∫ test,

$$\sum_{n=5}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2+1}$$

converges as well. (Don't know what to)