

## Article 5 :- State and prove Cauchy's root test

Statement:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be series of +ve terms then it is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} < 1$   
divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} > 1$  and test fail if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} = 1$

Proof:- Let  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} = l$ .

i.e for very small  $\epsilon > 0$ ,  $\exists$  a large +ve integer  $m$  such that

$$|(u_n)^{1/n} - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow -\epsilon < (u_n)^{1/n} - l < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow l - \epsilon < (u_n)^{1/n} < l + \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow (l - \epsilon)^n < u_n < (l + \epsilon)^n \quad \forall n \geq m \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Case I:- Let  $l < 1$

From (1),

$$u_n < (l + \epsilon)^n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$u_m < (l + \epsilon)^m$$

$$u_{m+1} < (l + \epsilon)^{m+1}$$

$$u_{m+2} < (l + \epsilon)^{m+2}$$

Adding all

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < (l+\epsilon)^m + (l+\epsilon)^{m+1} + (l+\epsilon)^{m+2} + \dots$$

= Sum of infinite G.P of C.R =  $l+\epsilon < 1$  and  
So, it is convergent

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < \text{finite}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is convergent}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is convergent}$$

Case (II): —  $l > 1$

From ①

$$u_n > (l-\epsilon)^n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\therefore u_m > (l-\epsilon)^m$$

$$u_{m+1} > (l-\epsilon)^{m+1}$$

$$u_{m+2} > (l-\epsilon)^{m+2}$$

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n > (l-\epsilon)^m + (l-\epsilon)^{m+1} + (l-\epsilon)^{m+2} + \dots$$

= Sum of infinite G.P of C.R =  $l-\epsilon > 1$  and  
So, it is divergent



$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n > \text{infinite}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is divergent}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is divergent}$$

Case (III) :- Let  $l=1$

Heine test fails and which proved by following example :-

Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$  which is an auxiliary series and it is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent  $p \leq 1$  i.e it depends on  $p$

$$\therefore u_n = \frac{1}{n^p}$$

$$(u_n)^{1/n} = \frac{1}{n^{p/n}}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{1/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^{p/n}} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{n}}{1} \quad (\text{By L.H rule})$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n^{p/n} = e^0 = 1$$

$\therefore$  Equ<sup>n</sup> ② becomes,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

$\therefore$  Hence the statement is proved



Q. If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$ ,  $u_n > 0 \forall n$  and  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = l$   
 then prove that series is convergent if  $l < 1$ , divergent if  $l > 1$  and test fail if  $l = 1$

Ans:-

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = l$$

i.e., for very small  $\epsilon > 0$   $\exists$  a large +ve integer  $m$  such that

$$|(u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} - l| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow -\epsilon < (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} - l < \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow l - \epsilon < (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} < l + \epsilon$$

$$\Rightarrow (l - \epsilon)^n < u_n < (l + \epsilon)^n$$

Case I :- Let  $l < 1$

From (1),

$$u_n < (l + \epsilon)^n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\therefore u_m < (l + \epsilon)^m$$

$$u_{m+1} < (l + \epsilon)^{m+1}$$

$$u_{m+2} < (l + \epsilon)^{m+2}$$

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Adding all,

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < (l + \epsilon)^m + (l + \epsilon)^{m+1} + (l + \epsilon)^{m+2} + \dots$$

= sum of infinite G.P of C.R  $= (l + \epsilon) < 1$  and so it is convergent

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < \text{finite}$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent.

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is Convergent.



Case II :- Let  $l > 1$

From (i),

$$(l - \epsilon)^n < u_n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow u_n > (l - \epsilon)^n \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$u_m > (l - \epsilon)^m$$

$$u_{m+1} > (l - \epsilon)^{m+1}$$

$$u_{m+2} > (l - \epsilon)^{m+2}$$

Adding all,

$$\sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n > (l - \epsilon)^m + (l - \epsilon)^{m+1} + (l - \epsilon)^{m+2} + \dots$$

$\therefore$  = sum of infinite G.P of  $c.r = l - \epsilon$   
and so it is divergent

$$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n > \text{infinite}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is divergent}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is divergent}$$

Case III :- Let  $l = 1$

Here test fails and which proved  
by following examples :-

Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (u_n) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$ , which is auxiliary series and it is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$  i.e. it depends

$$\therefore u_n = \frac{1}{n^p}$$

$$\therefore (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{1}{n^{p/n}}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n^{p/n}} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Now,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p \cdot \frac{1}{n}}{1} \quad (\text{By L.H rule})$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{p}{n} \log n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} n^{p/n} = e^0$$

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

$\therefore$  Eq (2) becomes,

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (u_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = 1$$

$\therefore$  Hence the statement is proved



# De - Alembert (D' Alembert) ratio test

Q. State and Prove De - Alembert ratio test and when it is fail.

Ans: Statement :- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be a series of +ve terms then series is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > 1$  and divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < 1$ .

Proof :- To Prove series is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > 1$  i.e.,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} < 1$  and divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < 1$  i.e.,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} > 1$  and test fail when  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = 1$

$$\text{Let } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} = k$$

i.e., for very small  $\epsilon > 0$   $\exists$  a large +ve integer  $m$  such that

$$\left| \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} - k \right| < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow -\epsilon < \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} - k < \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\Rightarrow k - \epsilon < \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} < k + \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Case 1 :- Let  $k < 1$

from (1),

$$\frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} < k + \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

$$\therefore \frac{u_{m+1}}{u_m} < k + \epsilon$$

$$\frac{u_{m+2}}{u_{m+1}} < k + \epsilon$$

$$\frac{u_{m+3}}{u_{m+2}} < k + \epsilon$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n = u_m + u_{m+1} + u_{m+2} + \dots$$

$$= u_m \left[ 1 + \frac{u_{m+1}}{u_m} + \frac{u_{m+2}}{u_m} + \dots \right]$$

$$= u_m \left[ 1 + \frac{u_{m+1}}{u_m} + \frac{u_{m+2}}{u_{m+1}} \cdot \frac{u_{m+1}}{u_m} + \dots \right]$$

$$< u_m \left[ 1 + (k + \epsilon) + (k + \epsilon)^2 + \dots \right]$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < u_m \left[ \text{sum of infinite G.P. of C.R. } = k + \epsilon < 1 \right]$ , and so it is convergent

$$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n < \text{finite}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is convergent}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n \text{ is convergent}$$



Case II :- Let  $k > 1$

from (i),

$$\frac{U_{n+1}}{U_n} > k - \epsilon \quad \forall n \geq m$$

to (ii)

$$\therefore \frac{U_{m+1}}{U_m} > k - \epsilon$$

$$\frac{U_{m+2}}{U_{m+1}} > k - \epsilon$$

$$\frac{U_{m+3}}{U_{m+2}} > k - \epsilon$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} U_n &= U_m + U_{m+1} + U_{m+2} + \dots \\ &= U_m \left[ 1 + \frac{U_{m+1}}{U_m} + \frac{U_{m+2}}{U_m} + \dots \right] \\ &= U_m \left[ 1 + \frac{U_{m+1}}{U_m} + \frac{U_{m+2}}{U_{m+1}} \cdot \frac{U_{m+1}}{U_m} + \dots \right] \\ &> U_m \left[ 1 + (k - \epsilon) + (k - \epsilon)^2 + \dots \right] \\ &= U_m \left[ \text{Sum of infinite G.P. of } a.r = k - \epsilon \right] \\ &\text{and so it is divergent} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} U_n > \text{infinite}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=m}^{\infty} U_n \text{ is divergent}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n \text{ is divergent}$$

Case III :- When  $k = 1$ , then D'Alembert ratio test fail which proved by following examples :-

Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} U_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$ , which is Auxiliary series and it is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$ , it depends on  $p$ .

$$\therefore U_n = \frac{1}{n^p}$$

$$\therefore (U_n)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \frac{1}{n^{p/n}}$$

$$\therefore U_{n+1} = \frac{1}{(n+1)^p}$$

$$\therefore \frac{U_{n+1}}{U_n} = \frac{n^p}{(n+1)^p}$$

$$= \left( \frac{n}{n+1} \right)^p$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{n}} \right)^p$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{U_{n+1}}{U_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{n}} \right)^p$$

$$= \left( \frac{1}{1 + 0} \right)^p$$

$$= 1$$

Hence the statement is Proved.



## Cauchy's condensation test

STATEMENT:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$  are two series of +ve term where  $a$  is integer,  $a > 1$  and  $f(n)$  decreases as  $n$  increases  
[or  $f(1) > f(2) > f(3) \dots$ ] then both series converge or diverge together.

Proof:-

$$\begin{aligned} & f(1) + f(2) + f(3) + \dots + f(a) \\ & + f(a+1) + f(a+2) + \dots + f(a^2) \\ & + f(a^2+1) + f(a^2+2) + \dots + f(a^3) \\ & + f(a^3+1) + f(a^3+2) + \dots + f(a^4) \\ & + f(a^4+1) + f(a^4+2) + \dots + f(a^5) \\ & + \dots + f(a^{k-1}+1) + f(a^{k-1}+2) + \dots + f(a^k) \\ & + f(a^k+1) + f(a^k+2) + \dots + f(a^{k+1}) \\ & + \dots \end{aligned}$$

The no. of terms in first row =  $a$   
" " " " " 2nd row =  $a^2 - a$   
" " " " " 3rd row =  $a^3 - a^2$   
and so on

$\therefore$  The no. of term in  $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$  row =  $a^{k+1} - a^k$

Case I:- Since,  $f(n)$  decreases as  $n$  increases  
Hence, each term of  $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$  row is greater than  $f(a^{k+1})$

$$\therefore f(a^k+1) + f(a^k+2) + \dots + f(a^{k+1}) > (a^{k+1} - a^k) f(a^{k+1})$$



$$f(a^{k+1}) + f(a^{k+2}) + \dots + f(a^{k+1}) > \left(1 - \frac{1}{a}\right) a^{k+1} f(a^{k+1})$$

Putting  $k=0, 1, 2, \dots$  successively we get,

$$f(2) + f(3) + \dots + f(a) > \left(1 - \frac{1}{a}\right) a f(a)$$

$$f(a+1) + f(a+2) + \dots + f(a^2) > \left(1 - \frac{1}{a}\right) a^2 f(a^2)$$

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

Adding all

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n) - f(1) > \left(1 - \frac{1}{a}\right) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$$

If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$  is divergent then from above

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  is also divergent

Case II:- Again each term of  $(k+1)^{th}$  group is less than  $f(a^k)$ .

$$f(a^{k+1}) + f(a^{k+2}) + \dots + f(a^{k+1}) < (a^{k+1} - a^k) f(a^k)$$

$$f(a^{k+1}) + f(a^{k+2}) + \dots + f(a^{k+1}) < (a-1) a^k f(a^k)$$

put  $k=0, 1, 2, 3$  successively we get,

$$f(2) + f(3) + \dots + f(a) < (a-1) f(1)$$

$$f(a+1) + f(a+2) + \dots + f(a^2) < (a-1) a f(a)$$

$$f(a^2+1) + f(a^2+2) + \dots + f(a^3) < (a-1) a^2 f(a^2)$$

Adding all

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n) - f(1) < (a-1) f(1) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n) (a-1) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n) < a f(1) + (a-1) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$$

If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$  is convergent then from above

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  is also convergent

∴ Hence the statement-

$$\frac{1}{a(a^n)} = \frac{1}{a^{n+1}}$$

$$\frac{1}{a^n} = \frac{1}{a(a^{n-1})}$$

$$\frac{1}{a^n} = \frac{1}{a(a^{n-1})} = \frac{1}{a^n} \cdot \frac{1}{a} = \frac{1}{a^{n+1}}$$

Therefore  $\frac{1}{a^n} \geq \frac{1}{a^{n+1}}$  and the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{a^n}$  is convergent by comparison test.



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## 2nd auxilliary Series

Q. Prove that the Series  $\sum \frac{1}{n(\log n)^p}$  is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$

Statement:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f(n)$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a^n f(a^n)$  are two series of +ve term

Proof:- Let  $\sum f(n) = \sum \frac{1}{n(\log n)^p}$

$$\therefore f(n) = \frac{1}{n(\log n)^p}$$

$$\therefore a^n f(a^n) = a^n \cdot \frac{1}{a^n (\log a^n)^p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\log a^n)^p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(n \log a)^p}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\log a)^p \cdot n^p}$$

$$\sum a^n f(a^n) = \frac{1}{(\log a)^p} \sum \frac{1}{n^p} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

But the auxilliary Series  $\sum \frac{1}{n^p}$  is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent  $p \leq 1$

Hence from (1),

$\sum a^n f(a^n)$  is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$ .

Hence, By cauchy's condensation test,

the given series is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$

proved

Remember:-

① Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  be convergent then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent

$$\text{if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$$

② Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  be divergent then

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent

$$\text{if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$$



## Raabe's Test

Q. state and prove Raabe's Test :-

Statement :- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be a series of +ve term then it is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n > 1$  and divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n < 1$

Proof :- Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$  which is auxiliary series and it is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent if  $p \leq 1$

Case I :- Let  $p > 1$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  is convergent -

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent -

if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{(n+1)^p}{n^p}$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( \frac{n+1}{n} \right)^p$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^p$

By Binomial factorisation

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > 1 + p \cdot \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} \cdot \frac{1}{n^3} + \dots$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 > \frac{p}{n} + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} \cdot \frac{1}{n^3} + \dots$

i.e if  $\left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n > p + \frac{p(p-1)}{2!} \cdot \frac{1}{n} + \frac{p(p-1)(p-2)}{3!} \cdot \frac{1}{n^2} + \dots$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n > p$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n > p > 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n > 1$

Case II :- Let  $p \leq 1$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  is divergent

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent

if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$

Similarly, As by case I

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent -

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n < p \leq 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n < 1$

Hence the statement prove

### Logarithmic test

Statement:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be series of +ve term  
 then it is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > 1$   
 and divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < 1$

Proof:- Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^p}$  which is auxiliary  
 series and it is convergent if  $p > 1$  and divergent  
 if  $p \leq 1$

Case I:- Let  $p > 1$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  is convergent

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent

if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{(n+1)^p}{n^p}$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^p$

i.e if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^p$

i.e if  $\log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > \log \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^p$

i.e if  $\log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > p \log \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)$

i.e if  $\log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > p \left[ \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{2n^2} + \frac{1}{3n^3} - \dots \right]$  (From formula  $\log(1+x)$ )

i.e if  $\log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > p$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > p \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{2n} + \frac{1}{3n^2} - \dots \right]$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > p > 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) > 1$

Case II:- Let  $p \leq 1$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  is divergent

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent

if  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$

Similarly as by case I

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) < p \leq 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} n \log \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} \right) < 1$

Hence the statement proved



## De-Morgan and Besikand Test

Statement:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be series of +ve term then it is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n > 1$  and divergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n \leq 1$

Proof:- Let  $\sum v_n = \sum \frac{1}{n(\log n)^P}$  which is convergent if  $P > 1$  and divergent if  $P \leq 1$

Case I:- Let  $P > 1$

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} v_n$  is convergent

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent

$$\text{if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \frac{1}{n(\log n)^P} \times \frac{(n+1)^P \log(n+1)^P}{(n+1)^P \log(n+1)^P}$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( \frac{n+1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ \frac{\log(n+1)}{\log n} \right\}^P$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( \frac{n+1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ \frac{\log n (1 + \frac{1}{n})}{\log n} \right\}^P$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( \frac{n+1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ \frac{\log n + \log(1 + \frac{1}{n})}{\log n} \right\}^P \quad \left( \text{Expansion } \log m = \log n + \log \frac{m}{n} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ \frac{\log n + \left( \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{2n^2} + \dots \right)}{\log n} \right\}^P$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right\}^P$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^P \left\{ 1 + P \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) \right\}^P$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} > \left[ 1 + P \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots \right]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{n} + \frac{P}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} + \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots ]$$

$$\text{i.e if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - \left( 1 + \frac{1}{n} \right)^P > P \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

$$+ \frac{P}{n} \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} + \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

$$\text{i.e if } \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 > P \left( \frac{1}{\log n} - \frac{1}{2n \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

$$+ P \left( \frac{1}{n \log n} - \frac{1}{2n^2 \log n} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

$$\text{i.e if } \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n > P \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2n} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

$$+ P \left( \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{2n^2} + \dots \right) + \dots$$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n > P > 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n > 1$

Case-II :- Let  $P \leq 1$

$\therefore \sum v_n$  is divergent

$\therefore \sum u_n$  is divergent

$$\text{if } \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} < \frac{v_n}{v_{n+1}}$$

Similarly as by case (I)

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is divergent

if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n < P \leq 1$

i.e if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n < 1$

$\therefore$  Hence the statement proved

### ARTICLE :-

Prove that the necessary condition that the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  is convergent if  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$  (or  $u_n \rightarrow 0$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ) but not sufficient

Let  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be convergent

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \text{finite} = k \text{ (say)} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^n u_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = k \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\therefore u_n = \sum_{n=1}^n u_n - \sum_{n=1}^{n-1} u_n$$

Taking limit  $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^n u_n - \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^{n-1} u_n$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = k - k \quad \text{[By (2)]}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$$

Converse :- The sufficient part is not prove which proved by following example :-

$$\text{Let } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$$



which is auxiliary series and it is divergent as  $p=1$

Hence  $u_n = \frac{1}{n}$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = 0$

### GAUSS'S Ratio test

Statement:- If  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$  be series of +ve term and  $\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} = a + \frac{b}{n} + \frac{c}{n^2}$ ,  $\lambda > 1$  then series is convergent if  $a > 1$ , divergent if  $a < 1$  and if  $a=1$  then series is convergent if  $b > 1$  and divergent if  $b \leq 1$

Proof:-  $\because \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} = a + \frac{b}{n} + \frac{c}{n^2}$  — (1)

$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} = a$

Hence, By De-Alembert ratio test the series is convergent if  $a > 1$  and divergent if  $a < 1$  and test fail if  $a=1$

When  $a=1$

$\frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} = 1 + \frac{b}{n} + \frac{c}{n^2}$

$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) = \frac{b}{n} + \frac{c}{n^2}$

$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n = b + \frac{c}{n^{\lambda-1}}$  — (2)

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n = b$   $\left[ \begin{matrix} \because \lambda > 1 \\ \therefore \lambda-1 > 0 \end{matrix} \right]$

Hence, By Raabe's test. The series is convergent if  $b > 1$  and divergent if  $b < 1$  and fail if  $b=1$

When  $b=1$

$\left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n = 1 + \frac{c}{n^{\lambda-1}}$

$\Rightarrow \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] = \frac{c}{n^{\lambda-1}}$

$\Rightarrow \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n = c \frac{\log n}{n^{\lambda-1}}$

$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \left( \frac{u_n}{u_{n+1}} - 1 \right) n - 1 \right] \log n = c \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\log n}{n^{\lambda-1}}$

$= c \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\frac{1}{n}}{(\lambda-1)n^{\lambda-2}}$  [By L.H. Rule]

$= c \cdot \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(\lambda-1)n^{\lambda-1}}$

$$= 0 < 1 \quad [', \lambda > 1]$$

By, De-Morgan and Bertrand test the series is divergent when  $b=1$

Hence, finally the given series is convergent if  $a > 1$ , divergent if  $a < 1$  and if  $a=1$  then series is convergent if  $b > 1$  divergent if  $b \leq 1$



## Four Problems

1. Series  $\rightarrow$  Alternating  $\rightarrow$  Leibnitz test
2. Series  $\rightarrow$  NOT Alternating

Cauchy's  
root test

$$u_n = \left( \begin{array}{c} -n^2 \\ n^2 \\ -n \\ n \end{array} \right)$$

Comparison  
test-

$$u_n = \frac{n^a + n^{a-1} + 1}{n^b + 2n}$$

When max power  
of numerator and  
denominator are obtained

De-Alembert Ratio  
test-

## I. Problems on Alternating Series

Test the convergency of the series.

(i)  $1 - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{4\sqrt{4}} + \dots$

(ii)  $1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{9} - \dots$

(iii)  $2 - \frac{2}{2} + \frac{4}{3} - \frac{5}{4} + \dots$

(iv)  $\frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2} + \frac{1}{n+3} - \dots$

(v)  $\frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2} + \frac{1}{n+3} - \dots$

① Ans: - Let  $|u_n| = n^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = \frac{1}{n\sqrt{n}}$

$$\therefore |u_{n-1}| = \frac{1}{(n-1)\sqrt{n-1}}$$



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