

- Sec 10.4: Comparison Tests: - اختبارات المقارنة

• D.C.T (Direct comparison test):

let $\sum a_n$, $\sum b_n$, $\sum c_n$ be series with nonnegative terms, if

① $a_n \leq b_n$ and $\sum b_n$ converges then $\sum a_n$ converges.

② $c_n \leq a_n$ and $\sum c_n$ diverges then $\sum a_n$ diverges.

• L.C.T (Limit comparison test):

let $\sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ be series with positive terms: $\forall n \geq N$

① If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = c$ (any number > 0) then $\sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ both converge or both diverge.

② If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = 0$ and $\sum b_n$ converges then $\sum a_n$ converges

③ If $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \infty$ and $\sum b_n$ diverges then $\sum a_n$ diverges.

$\sum a_n$: المتكامل $\sum b_n$: المتقارن

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8 Determine if the series converges or diverges:-

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}, \quad b_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$$

by L.C.T.:-

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}} \div \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n + \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n \left(1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \right)}{n \sqrt{1 + \frac{3}{n^2}}} = \frac{1 + 0}{\sqrt{1 + 0}} = 1 > 0$$

$\therefore \sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ both converge or both diverge.

but $\sum b_n = \sum \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}}$ diverges (p-series with $p = \frac{1}{2}$)

$\therefore \sum a_n = \sum \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$ diverges by L.C.T.

\therefore D.C.T \rightarrow $\frac{1}{\sqrt{4n^2}} \leq \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$ *

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3n^2}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{4n^2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}} \leq \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$$

and $\sum \frac{1}{2\sqrt{n}}$ diverges

$\therefore \sum \frac{\sqrt{n} + 1}{\sqrt{n^2 + 3}}$ diverges by D.C.T

$$15 \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{\ln n}, \quad b_n = \frac{1}{n}$$

we know $\ln n \leq n$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{\ln n} \geq \frac{1}{n}$$

and $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ diverges (p-series with $p=1$)

$\therefore \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln n}$ diverges by D.C.T.

لـ D.C.T. جاز لـ $\frac{1}{\ln n} \geq \frac{1}{n}$

$$18 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}}, \quad b_n = \frac{3}{n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3/(n+\sqrt{n})}{3/n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+\sqrt{n}} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n(1+\frac{1}{\sqrt{n}})}$$

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

$\therefore \sum a_n$ and $\sum b_n$ both converge or both diverge.

but $\sum b_n = \sum \frac{3}{n}$ diverges (p-series with $p=1$)

$\rightarrow \sum \frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}}$ diverges by L.C.T

$$\frac{3}{n+\sqrt{n}} > \frac{3}{n}$$

لـ D.C.T. لا نستطيع الحكم لأن

$$27 \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)}$$

$$\ln(\ln n) \leq \ln n \leq n \quad \forall n \geq 3$$

$$\frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)} \geq \frac{1}{\ln n} \geq \frac{1}{n}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)} \geq \frac{1}{n}$$

and $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n}$ diverges (p -series with $p=1$)

so $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\ln(\ln n)}$ diverges by D.C.T.

$$28 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\ln n)^2}{n^3}$$

ملاحظة $(\ln n)^2$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{(\ln n)^2}{n^3}, \quad b_n = \frac{n}{n^3} = \frac{1}{n^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} &\neq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln n)^2 / n^3}{1/n^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(\ln n)^2}{n} \quad \text{لدينا } \infty \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2(\ln n) \left(\frac{1}{n}\right)}{1} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2 \ln n}{n} \end{aligned}$$

and $\sum b_n = \sum \frac{1}{n^2}$ converges (p -series with $p=2$) = $\underline{\underline{0}}$

so $\sum \frac{(\ln n)^2}{n^3}$ converges by L.C.T.

$$\boxed{32} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1}$$

Integral test \rightarrow $\int \frac{1}{x} dx$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1}, \quad b_n = \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)/(n+1)}{1/(n+1)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \ln(n+1) = \infty$$

and $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} b_n = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n+1}$ diverges (harmonic series $\sum \frac{1}{n}$)

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\ln(n+1)}{n+1}$ diverges by L.C.T.

$$\boxed{43} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{n!} = \frac{1}{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots(2)(1)}$$

$$\text{we know } n! = n(n-1)\dots(2)(1) \geq n(n-1)$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{n!} \leq \frac{1}{n(n-1)}$$

and $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n-1)}$ (telescoping series)

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n-1)} = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left(\frac{A}{n} + \frac{B}{n-1} \right); \quad A = -1, B = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore S_n &= a_2 + a_3 + \dots + a_n \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} + 1\right) + \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}\right) + \dots + \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{1}{n-1}\right) \\ &= 1 + \frac{1}{n} \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} S_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right) = 1$$

$\therefore \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(n-1)}$ converges by nth term test.

$\rightarrow \sum \frac{1}{n!}$ converges by D.C.T

$$\boxed{40} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n}$$

$$\rightarrow a_n = \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \quad , \quad b_n = \frac{3^n}{4^n}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n} \div \frac{3^n}{4^n} \right)$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(2^n + 3^n) \cdot 4^n}{(3^n + 4^n) \cdot 3^n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{8^n + 12^n}{9^n + 12^n}$$

$$= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{12^n \left(\left(\frac{8}{12}\right)^n + 1 \right)}{12^n \left(\left(\frac{9}{12}\right)^n + 1 \right)} = \boxed{1}$$

since $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a^n = 0$
if $|a| < 1$

and $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3^n}{4^n} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n$ geometric series $r = \frac{3}{4} < 1$

\therefore converges.

So $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2^n + 3^n}{3^n + 4^n}$ converges by L.C.T.

52 $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{n}}{n^2}$

\rightarrow let $a_n = \frac{\sqrt[n]{n}}{n^2}$, $b_n = \frac{1}{n^2}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{n}/n^2}{1/n^2} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{n} = 1$$

So by The limit comparison test:

since $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2}$ converges (p -series; $p=2$)

$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt[n]{n}}{n^2}$ converges.